

## RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 617 (HB 107)

2018 Regular Session

Bacala

Existing law provides for payment of \$250,000 to the surviving spouse, child, or other beneficiary of a law enforcement officer who suffers death as a result of an injury arising out of and in the course of the performance of his official duties or arising out of any activity in his capacity as an officer in the protection of life and property. Provides that such payments are made from the state's self-insurance fund. Specifies groups of law enforcement officers to whom existing law is applicable.

New law provides that existing law is applicable to federal law enforcement officers or employees whose permanent duties include making arrests, performing searches and seizures, executing criminal arrest warrants, and executing civil seizure warrants and who are killed while enforcing La. law in La.

Provides that new law shall be given retroactive effect to March 1, 2015, and prospective effect.

Effective May 30, 2018.

(Adds R.S. 40:1665.2(B)(17) and (C)(4))