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Abstract: Provides for the commission of Baton Rouge City Court probation officers and provides for their duties and training.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes the clerk of court and judicial administrator of Baton Rouge City Court to commission Baton Rouge City Court probation officers. Provides that Baton Rouge City Court probation division be considered a law enforcement agency. Requires probation officers to be P.O.S.T.-certified. Additionally, <u>proposed law</u> provides that the probation officers will have duties in and out of the courtroom including the authority to arrest.

(Adds R.S. 13:2071.1)