

2019 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 162

BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 14:43.6(A), (B)(1), and (C)(1) and (2), relative to sentencing of
3 sex offenses; to provide relative to the sentencing of persons convicted of certain sex
4 offenses; to provide relative to the administration of medroxyprogesterone acetate
5 to persons convicted of certain sex offenses; to add sexual battery of a victim under
6 the age of thirteen to the list of offenses for which medroxyprogesterone acetate may
7 be administered to the offender; to provide relative to medical evaluations of the
8 offender conducted prior to treatment; and to provide for related matters.

9 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

10 Section 1. R.S. 14:43.6(A), (B)(1), and (C)(1) and (2) are hereby amended and
11 reenacted to read as follows:

12 §43.6. Administration of medroxyprogesterone acetate (MPA) to certain sex
13 offenders

14 A. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, upon a first
15 conviction of R.S. 14:42 (aggravated or first degree rape), R.S. 14:42.1 (forcible or
16 second degree rape), R.S. 14:43.1(C)(2) (sexual battery when the victim is under the
17 age of thirteen), R.S. 14:43.2 (second degree sexual battery), R.S. 14:81.2(D)(1)
18 (molestation of a juvenile when the victim is under the age of thirteen), and R.S.
19 14:89.1 (aggravated crime against nature), the court may sentence the offender to be
20 treated with medroxyprogesterone acetate (MPA), according to a schedule of
21 administration monitored by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections.

1 evaluation shall be conducted not sooner than thirty days prior to the commencement
2 of the administration of the treatment.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____