The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Christine Arbo Peck.

DIGEST

SB 267 Original

2020 Regular Session

Boudreaux

<u>Present law</u> authorizes the therapeutic use of marijuana by certain patients with debilitating medical conditions if a physician approved to recommend medical marijuana by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners recommends it, the medical marijuana is produced by a producer regulated by the Department of Agriculture and Forestry, and it is dispensed by a pharmacy permitted to dispense medical marijuana by the Louisiana State Board of Pharmacy. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> relative to the oversight and regulation of therapeutic marijuana.

Present law terminates on January 1, 2025. Proposed law repeals the termination date.

Effective August 1, 2020.

(Repeals R.S. 40:1046(K))