HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 597 2020 Regular Session Nelson

EVIDENCE: Provides for evidence in personal injury claims

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

- 1. Provides that proposed law applies notwithstanding any other provision of law.
- 2. Provides for the lack of prior history of a condition.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that notwithstanding other provision of law, for a personal injury claim that is not raised pursuant to the La. Workers' Compensation Law, the lack of a prior history of an illness, injury, or condition shall not create a presumption that an illness, injury, or condition was caused by the act that is the subject of the claim.

<u>Proposed law</u> applies prospectively to causes of action filed on or after the effective date of the Act.

(Adds C.C. Art. 2315.11)