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## DIGEST

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<u>Present law</u> imposes a 4.45% state tax upon the sale, use, consumption, storage, or rental of certain tangible personal property and services.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the dealer shall be allowed to deduct and retain .935% of the total amount of taxes due for the purpose of compensating the dealer for timely accounting for and remitting the tax.

<u>Proposed law</u> changes the amount dealers may deduct and retain to 1.1% of the total amount of taxes due.

<u>Present law</u> further provides the aggregate state compensation for a dealer shall not exceed \$1,500 per calendar month.

<u>Proposed law</u> reduces the maximum monthly deduction from \$1,500 to \$1,200 and provides that the minimum amount a dealer can deduct is \$15 dollars per month.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the calculation of the compensation shall be based only on the taxes levied pursuant to R.S. 47:302, 321, 331, and R.S. 51:1286. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u>.

Effective July 1, 2020.

(Amends R.S. 47:306(A)(3)(a))