

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2021 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works
to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 112 by Senator Henry

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 4, after "(G)," and before "relative" insert "and 1734(A), (B), and (D), and
3 to enact R.S. 32:1734(F),"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 7, after "procedures;" and before "and" insert "to provide for fees;"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 1, line 12, after "G" and before "are" insert "and 1734(A), (B), and (D)" and after
8 "reenacted" and before "to" insert "and R.S. 32:1734(F) is hereby enacted"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 6, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

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11 §1734. Gate fees; other fees; excessive charges; prohibitions; cause of action

12 A. A towing or storage company that assesses gate fees shall ~~not assess such~~
13 ~~fee in an amount in excess of forty-five dollars~~ **assess a fixed fee in an amount**
14 **determined by the Public Service Commission.**

15 B. If the towing or storage company charges a gate fee in excess of ~~forty-five~~
16 ~~dollars~~ **the amount fixed by the Public Service Commission**, the owner of the
17 vehicle shall have a right and cause of action to recover the amount of the excess fee,
18 plus reasonable attorney fees, and all costs of court.

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19 D. No towing or storage company shall charge a fee for the retrieval of
20 contents from a stored or towed vehicle during normal business hours. However, a
21 towing or storage company may charge a fee, ~~not to exceed forty-five dollars,~~ **in an**
22 **amount determined by the Public Service Commission** for the retrieval of
23 contents from a stored or towed vehicle at a time other than during normal business
24 hours. If the towing or storage company charges a fee in violation of this
25 Subsection, the owner of the vehicle shall have a right and cause of action to recover
26 the amount of the excess fee, plus reasonable attorney fees and all costs of court.

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27 **F. The administrative and mailing fees for filing the Official Report of**
28 **Stored Vehicles for in-state and out-of-state notifications shall be determined**
29 **by the Public Service Commission.**