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Abstract: Establishes an inference that the registered owner of a vehicle has disposed of litter when there is photographic evidence of the license plate of the vehicle from which the litter was disposed.

Present law provides that when litter is disposed of from a motor vehicle, boat, or conveyance, there shall be an inference that the driver disposed of the litter. Further provides that if the litter was possessed by a specific person immediately before the act of disposing, there is an inference that the possessor committed the act of disposing.

Proposed law establishes an inference that the registered owner of a vehicle has disposed of litter when there is photographic evidence of the license plate of the vehicle from which the litter was disposed.

(Amends R.S. 30:2531(D)(1) and 2531.1(B)(1))