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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Whitney Kauffeld.

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DIGEST

SB 379 Original

2022 Regular Session

Peacock

Present law prohibits any person convicted of, or found not guilty by reason of insanity for, a crime of violence as defined in present law, or any crime defined as an attempt to commit a crime of violence under the laws of Louisiana, or has been convicted under the laws of any other state or of the United States or of any foreign government or country of a crime which, if committed in this state, would be a crime of violence, from possessing a firearm or carrying a concealed weapon.

Proposed law retains present law and extends the prohibition against possessing a firearm or carrying a concealed weapon to persons that committed a felony-grade delinquent act (a crime of violence committed by a child) when that person was 16 or 17 years old and that person is under the age of 24 when the offense is committed.

Proposed law provides an exception to proposed law for a person hunting lawfully with a license issued pursuant to official regulations of the Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 14:95.1(A))