

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2023 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 74  
by Representative Thomas

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, delete line 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

3 "To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(a) and R.S. 37:1477(C)(6) and 1478(B)  
4 and to enact R.S. 37:1477(E), relative to home inspectors; to"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 2

6 On page 1, line 3, after "applicants;" insert "to provide for the payment of fees;"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 1, between lines 6 and 7 insert the following:

9 "Section 1. R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(a) is hereby amended and reenacted to  
10 read as follows:

11 §587. Duty to provide information; processing fees; Louisiana  
12 Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information

13 A.(1)(a) The bureau shall make available upon request, or at other  
14 times as the deputy secretary shall designate, to any eligible criminal justice  
15 agency and the division of administration, office of technology services, the  
16 Louisiana Department of Education, the Louisiana Department of Health, the  
17 state fire marshal when reviewing applications for licensure, the Louisiana  
18 Manufactured Housing Commission when reviewing applications for  
19 licensure, the Department of Children and Family Services, the Department  
20 of Insurance, the Louisiana State Racing Commission, the Senate and  
21 Governmental Affairs Committee, the House and Governmental Affairs  
22 Committee, the secretary of the Louisiana Workforce Commission or his  
23 designee, the Board of River Port Pilot Commissioners, the Louisiana State  
24 Board of Home Inspectors, the Office of Financial Institutions in the office  
25 of the governor, the office of the disciplinary counsel of the Louisiana  
26 Attorney Disciplinary Board of the Louisiana State Bar Association;  
27 however, as to any licensed attorney this information shall be provided only  
28 after the issuance of a formal charge against the attorney, the Louisiana  
29 Supreme Court Committee on Bar Admissions, the municipal or parish  
30 department or personnel responsible for reviewing applications for alcoholic  
31 beverage outlet permits, and the legislative auditor any information contained  
32 in the criminal history record and identification files of the bureau. The  
33 Department of Children and Family Services may provide information  
34 secured pursuant to this Subsection to all federal and state agencies providing  
35 child support enforcement services.

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37 AMENDMENT NO. 4

38 On page 1, delete line 7 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

39 "Section 2. R.S. 37:1477(C)(6) and 1478(B) are hereby amended and reenacted and  
40 R.S. 37:1477(E) is hereby enacted to"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 5

2 On page 1, delete lines 15 through 17 and insert in lieu thereof:

3 ~~"police: Submission of and payment of all fees associated with a criminal history record~~  
4 ~~request which shall include all state records of arrest, prosecution, and conviction and~~  
5 ~~national records which shall include fingerprints of the applicant and other identifying~~  
6 ~~information, if so requested by the board."~~

7 AMENDMENT NO. 6

8 On page 1, after line 18, insert the following:

9 "E. The board shall be entitled to the criminal history record and  
10 identification files of the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and  
11 Information of any person who is licensed or is applying to be licensed as a  
12 home inspector or employee of the board. Fingerprints and other identifying  
13 information of the applicant shall be submitted to the Louisiana Bureau of  
14 Criminal Identification and Information for qualification and registry, and the  
15 Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information shall, upon  
16 request of the board and after receipt of such fingerprint card and other  
17 identifying information from the applicant, make available to the board, all  
18 fingerprint based criminal history record information as defined previously  
19 and contained in the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and  
20 Information's criminal history record and identification files which pertain  
21 to the applicant for licensure. In addition, the fingerprints shall be forwarded  
22 by the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information to the  
23 Federal Bureau of Investigation for a national fingerprint based criminal  
24 history background check. The costs of providing the information required  
25 by this Section shall be charged by the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal  
26 Identification and Information, as specified in R.S. 15:587(B), to the board  
27 for furnishing information contained in the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal  
28 Identification and Information's criminal history record and identification  
29 files, including any additional cost of providing the national criminal history  
30 records check, which pertains to the applicant. The board may impose any  
31 or all such fees or costs on the applicant."