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

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Present law provides that certain persons may present a written and oral victim impact statement to the court.

Proposed law retains present law and provides that the court must allow a person presenting a victim impact statement to direct the statement toward the defendant, unless doing so disturbs the order and decorum of the courtroom.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 46:1844(K)(1)(b)(ii))