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HOUSE BILL NO. 811

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

MTR VEHICLE/OFF ROAD: Adds certain persons as authorized operators of off-road vehicles

1	AN ACT
2	To enact R.S. 32:299(A)(4), relative to authorized operators of off-road vehicles; to
3	authorize local governmental subdivisions and their employees to operate off-road
4	vehicles on the shoulders and medians of all public roads and highways while on
5	duty; and to provide for related matters.
6	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
7	Section 1. R.S. 32:299(A)(4) is hereby enacted to read as follows:
8	§299. Off-road vehicles; authorization for use on the shoulders of certain public
9	roads and highways; authorization for use on certain public property
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11	* * *
12	(4) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, local governmental
13	subdivisions and their employees shall have the authority to operate off-road vehicles
14	on the shoulders and medians of all public roads and highways during the course and
15	scope of their employment.
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DIGEST

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Abstract: Authorizes local governmental subdivisions and their employees to operate offroad vehicles on the shoulders and medians of all public roads and highways while on duty.

<u>Present law</u> provides exceptions for off-road vehicles to be operated on certain public property.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes local governmental subdivisions and their employees to operate offroad vehicles on the shoulders and medians of all public roads and highways during the course and scope of their employment.

(Adds R.S. 32:299(A)(4))