

ACT No. 55

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 135

BY REPRESENTATIVES MANDIE LANDRY AND TAYLOR

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3881(A)(introductory paragraph), (7), and (8) and (D)(1) and
3 (3), relative to exemptions from seizure; to provide relative to the exemption for
4 motor vehicles; to provide an exemption for health savings accounts; to provide for
5 definitions; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 13:3881(A)(introductory paragraph), (7), and (8) and (D)(1) and (3)
8 are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

9 §3881. General exemptions from seizure

10 A. The following income or property of a debtor is exempt from seizure
11 under any writ, mandate, or process whatsoever, except as otherwise ~~herein~~ provided
12 in this Section:

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14 (7)(a) ~~Seven thousand five hundred~~ Fifteen thousand dollars in equity value
15 for one motor vehicle ~~per household used by the debtor and his family household~~ for
16 any purpose.

17 (b) If Paragraph (8) of this Subsection is not applicable to the debtor as an
18 exemption, and if the debtor is married or has a child in the household who is a
19 licensed driver, a second motor vehicle with an equity value not exceeding fifteen
20 thousand dollars. If Paragraph (8) of this Subsection is applicable to the debtor, then

1 United States income tax on the tax-deferred arrangement is deferred. The term
2 "annuity contract" ~~shall have the same definition as defined~~ has the same meaning
3 as provided in R.S. 22:912(B).

4 (b) The term "health savings account" means accounts for medical expenses
5 authorized by 26 U.S.C. 220 et seq.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____