

Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE BILL NO. 243

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:365(A)(1), relative to equipment of motor vehicles; restricts the use or installation of a television receiver, screen, or other means of visually receiving a television broadcast or video signal in a motor vehicle; removes the requirement for a television receiver or screen to be located behind the driver's seat; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 32:365(A)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§365. Television

A.(1) Except as provided in this Section, no person shall drive a motor vehicle which is equipped with a television receiver, screen, or other means of visually receiving a television broadcast or a video signal that produces entertainment or business applications, ~~which is located in the motor vehicle at any point forward of the back of the driver's seat, or which is~~ where the moving images are visible to the driver while operating the motor vehicle is in motion. Additionally, no retailer shall install a television receiver, screen, or other means of receiving a visual television broadcast or video signal that produces entertainment or business applications, in a motor vehicle ~~at any point forward of the back of the driver's seat or at any point which would make the device~~ moving images visible to the driver while ~~operating~~ the motor vehicle is in motion. The provisions of this Paragraph

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

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