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

DIGEST

Peacock (SB 81)

<u>Present law</u> provides no person shall undertake, offer to undertake, or agree to perform home improvement contracting services unless registered with and approved by the Residential Building Contractors Subcommittee (subcommittee) of the State Licensing Board for Contractors (board) as a home improvement contractor.

<u>Proposed law</u> adds exception providing that no individual shall undertake on his own property self-performed home improvement contracting services having a value in excess of \$7,500 unless registered with and approved by the subcommittee of the board as a home improvement contractor.

Effective August 1, 2013.

(Amends R.S. 37:2175.2(A)(1))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

<u>Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer</u> <u>Protection, and International Affairs to the original bill</u>

1. Revises language to provide that no individual shall undertake on his own property self-performed home improvement contracting services having a value in excess of \$7,500 unless registered and approved as a home improvement contractor.