

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE BILL NO. 837

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD

LAW ENFORCE/OFFICERS: Provides relative to training requirements for municipal chiefs of police

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2345(B), relative to municipal chiefs of police; to provide for
3 training requirements for each municipal chief of police; to change the training hours
4 required relative to continuing education; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 33:2345(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §2345. Training

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9 B. Beginning January 1, ~~2004~~ 2015, each municipal chief of police shall be
10 required to complete ~~twenty-four~~ twelve hours of continuing education as approved
11 by the board within every ~~twenty-four-month period~~ calendar year.

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides for training requirements for each municipal chief of police.

Present law requires each municipal chief of police to complete 24 hours of continuing education approved by the board within every 24-month period, beginning Jan. 1, 2004.

Proposed law retains present law except it changes the hours of continuing education required from 24 hours in a 24-month period to 12 hours in every calendar year, beginning Jan. 1, 2015.

(Amends R.S. 33:2345(B))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to the original bill.

1. Changed the education requirements from 12 hours in a 12-month period to 12 hours every calendar year.