

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE BILL NO. 274

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5401(B)(3)(b) and to enact R.S. 13:5401(C)(5) and (6),  
3 relative to reentry courts; to require certain notification by the court to the defendant;  
4 to authorize the creation of a reentry division of the Twenty-Sixth and First Judicial  
5 District Courts; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 13:5401(B)(3)(b) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S.  
8 13:5401(C)(5) and (6) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §5401. District courts; reentry courts; subject matter

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11 B. Participation in the workforce development sentencing program as  
12 authorized by the provisions of this Section shall be subject to the following  
13 provisions:

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15 (3) In offering a defendant the opportunity to request the program, the court  
16 shall advise the defendant of the following:

17 \* \* \*

18 (b) The court may impose any conditions reasonably related to the  
19 rehabilitation of the defendant, including ordering the defendant to participate and  
20 complete a substance abuse treatment program.

21 \* \* \*

22 C. The following district courts may assign certain divisions of the court as  
23 a reentry division of court in accordance with the provisions of this Section:

24 \* \* \*

CODING: Words in ~~struck through~~ type are deletions from existing law; words underscored are additions.

1                    (5) The Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court.

2                    (6) The First Judicial District Court.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_