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DIGEST

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Morrell

SB No. 294

Present law provides for minimum standards which apply while certain law enforcement officers and police employees are under administrative investigation.

Present law requires the superintendent of state police or the chief of police or his authorized representative to initiate an investigation when a formal and written complaint is made against any police employee or law enforcement officer.

Proposed law removes the requirement that the administrative complaint be in writing.

Effective August 1, 2014.

(Amends R.S. 40:2531(B)(7))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to the original bill

1. Removes provisions regarding the applicability of statute.
2. Removes requirement that the complaint be in writing.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

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

1. Provided that present law shall not limit any investigation of alleged criminal activity.