

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 728 (HB 816)

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Wilford Carter

Existing law provides for the crime of residential contractor fraud and provides for penalties.

New law retains existing law.

New law provides that a person sentenced under the provisions of existing law (R.S. 14:202.1(C)(2), (3), or (4)) when the victim is 65 years of age or older, in addition to any other penalties imposed pursuant to existing law, shall be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for not more than five years, to be served consecutively with the sentence imposed.

New law provides that nothing in existing law shall preclude a victim from pursuing civil remedies pursuant to existing law (R.S. 9:4856) or any other applicable provision of law.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 14:202.1(D); Adds R.S. 14:202.1(E) and (F))