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SB 205 Engrossed

DIGEST  
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Carter

Present law defines "wholesale dealer" as a dealer whose principal business is that of wholesaler to retail dealers for the purpose of resale, is a bona fide wholesaler, and requires 50% of total tobacco sales are to retail stores, other than its subsidiaries.

Proposed law changes the definition of "wholesale dealer" as a dealer whose principal business is that of wholesaler to retail dealers for the purpose of resale, is a bona fide wholesaler, and requires 50% of total tobacco sales are to retail stores, other than its subsidiaries or parent companies.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 26:901(34))

#### Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

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

1. Technical amendments to citations and title.
2. Removed from proposed law the exclusion of sales to affiliates in determining the 50% threshold.