

First Extraordinary Session, 2011

ACT No. 17

HOUSE BILL NO. 23

BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTON

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:90(B), relative to provisions of Title 14 (Louisiana Criminal Code) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 which are limited in applicability to certain political subdivisions or local areas based upon population classifications; to adjust population categories to retain applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 14:90(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§90. Gambling

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B. The conducting, or directly assisting in the conducting, as a business, of any game, contest, lottery, or contrivance on board a commercial cruiseship used for the international carriage of passengers whereby a person risks the loss of anything of value in order to realize a profit is not gambling and shall not be suppressed by any law enforcement officer of the state of Louisiana or any of its political subdivisions. This Subsection shall apply only to commercial cruiseships for the carriage of passengers which are sailing from a port outside the continental limits of the United States to a port in any ~~parish~~ municipality of this state having a population of more than ~~four hundred seventy-five~~ three hundred thousand or any such ship which is sailing from a port in such a ~~parish~~ municipality to a port outside the

1 continental limits of the United States, provided that the ship is not docked or
2 anchored but is navigating en route between such ports.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____