

Regular Session, 2012  
HOUSE BILL NO. 584

# ACT No. 403

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 32:706.2, relative to peace officers; to clarify who is qualified  
3 to perform inspections for vehicle identification number; to provide for rules and  
4 regulations; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 32:706.2 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §706.2. Requirements for vehicle identification number inspections

8 A.(1) Any physical inspection of a vehicle for the purpose of vehicle  
9 identification number verification shall be by a full-time ~~Peace Officer Standards~~  
10 ~~and Training (P.O.S.T.) certified law enforcement officer~~ peace officer, as defined  
11 by R.S. 40:2402(3)(a), who has been trained and certified by the Department of  
12 Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, to inspect motor vehicles.

13 (2) No peace officer shall conduct a physical inspection of a vehicle in which  
14 he has a fiduciary interest or an ownership interest, or is in the process of acquiring  
15 an interest through a company or entity in which he has a fiduciary interest.

16 B. The deputy secretary of public safety services of the Department of Public  
17 Safety and Corrections shall have authority to promulgate rules and regulations

1           regarding physical inspection certificates. The deputy secretary shall revoke the  
2           certification of any peace officer who fails to satisfy any of the requirements as  
3           promulgated.

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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

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