

Regular Session, 2010

HOUSE BILL NO. 1380

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS

1                                    AN ACT

2        To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1479(B), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Home  
3            Inspectors; to establish penalties for home inspectors who fail to renew their license  
4            within the twelve-month period after expiration; to establish penalties for home  
5            inspectors who fail to renew their license within the thirty-six-month period  
6            following expiration; and to provide for related matters.

7        Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8            Section 1. R.S. 37:1479(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

9            §1479. License issuance and renewal; appearance on documents

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11                    B. Any licensee who fails to timely renew his license may thereafter renew  
12                    by paying the appropriate renewal and delinquent fees, filing a renewal application,  
13                    and completing all continuing education requirements accruing during the period of  
14                    delinquency. The period for delinquent renewal of an expired license shall be  
15                    limited to the twelve-month period immediately following the expiration date of the  
16                    active license. Failure to renew an expired license during such twelve-month period  
17                    shall ~~result in forfeiture of renewal rights and shall require the former licensee to~~  
18                    ~~apply as an initial applicant and meet all requirements of an initial applicant.~~ require  
19                    the licensee to pass the board approved licensing examination in addition to paying  
20                    the appropriate renewal and delinquent fees, filing a renewal application, and  
21                    completing all continuing education requirements accruing during the period of  
22                    delinquency. Failure to renew an expired license within the thirty-six-month period  
23                    immediately following the expiration date of the active license shall, in addition to  
24                    the above requirements, require the licensee to retake and pass ninety hours of

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are additions.

1            classroom education as set forth in the rules and regulations of the board and to take  
 2            a standards of practice and code of ethics report writing seminar offered by the board  
 3            or an education provider approved by the board.

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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

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_