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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:414(A)(1)(c)(ii), relative to denial of driving privileges; to provide with respect to eligibility for a restricted license by persons convicted of certain crimes involving operating a vehicle while intoxicated; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 32:414(A)(1)(c)(ii) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§414. Suspension, revocation, renewal, and cancellation of licenses; judicial review

A.(1) * * *

(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subparagraphs (a) and (b) of this Paragraph, upon first or second conviction, or a plea of guilty or nolo contendere and sentence thereupon or forfeiture of bail of any person charged with the offense of driving while intoxicated when the offender had a blood alcohol concentration of 0.20 percent or more by weight based on grams of alcohol per one hundred cubic centimeters of blood, the following restrictions on suspension and issuance of a restricted driver's license shall apply:

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(ii) Upon second offense, if the offender has a blood alcohol concentration of 0.20 percent or greater, his driver's license shall be suspended for four years. The offender shall be eligible for a restricted license ~~during the entire four-year period of the suspension~~ **after a period of forty-five days of suspension for the remainder of the four-year period of suspension** after he has provided proof to the department that his motor vehicle is equipped with a functioning ignition interlock

1 device. A functioning ignition interlock device shall remain installed on his vehicle
2 during the first three-year period of the four-year period of the suspension of his
3 driver's license.

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5 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
6 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
7 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
8 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
9 effective on the day following such approval.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____