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HOUSE BILL NO. 1543

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1236.13(A)(3)(a) and 1236.14, relative to automated external
3 defibrillators; to authorize the use of automated external defibrillators by private
4 security personnel; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 40:1236.13(A)(3)(a) and 1236.14 are hereby amended and reenacted
7 to read as follows:

8 §1236.13. Persons in possession of AED's; training, testing, and notification
9 requirements; manufacturer responsibility

10 A. In order to ensure public health and safety, any person or entity that
11 possesses an AED shall ensure that:

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13 (3)(a) Expected AED users regularly, on the premises of a particular entity,
14 such as a work site or users who carry an AED in a private security patrol vehicle,
15 receive appropriate training in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and in the use
16 of an AED by the American Heart Association or by from any other nationally
17 recognized course in CPR and AED use.

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19 §1236.14. Limitation of liability

20 In addition to the civil immunity provided to persons rendering emergency
21 assistance as provided by law, including R.S. 9:2793, R.S. 37:1731, 1732, and 1735,
22 and R.S. 40:1231.2, any prescribing advanced practice registered nurse or physician
23 who authorizes the purchase of the AED, any physician or advanced practice
24 registered nurse involved in the possessor's program, any individual or entity which
25 provides training in cardiopulmonary resuscitation and in the use of an AED, any