

Bail Recovery Agent

- Licenses are required for bounty hunters. All recovery agents must be licensed by DOI. Out-of-state recovery personnel must contract with a bail agent licensed in Louisiana. Recovery personnel are required to wear apparel identifying the bail bond company during the apprehension or surrender in a private residence. For apprehension in a private residence, notification of local law enforcement is required. (LAC title 37, Part XIII, Ch. 49, Reg 65, Sec. 4901 et seq.)

**LOUISIANA STATUTES ANNOTATED LOUISIANA REVISED STATUTES TITLE 22.
INSURANCE CHAPTER 1. INSURANCE CODE PART XXXIV. BAIL ENFORCEMENT
AGENTS § 1514.1. Definitions**

- “Bail enforcement” means the apprehension or surrender of a person who is released on bail or who has failed to appear at any stage of the proceedings to answer the charge before the court in which he may be prosecuted.
- “Bail enforcement agent” means a person who engages in bail enforcement