Technical Revocation Options for the Sentencing Courts

If an offender is eligible for a technical revocation according to the following checklist, the following options are available:

(Offender is NOT ELIGIBLE if the answer to any of the following is YES)		
Each period of supervision is counted separately.		
Do the violations include an allegation of a criminal act that is subsequently proven to be a felony?	□ YES	□ ио
2. Do the violations include an allegation of a criminal act that is subsequently proven to be an intentional misdemeanor directly affecting the person? (i.e. Simple Battery. Battery of a Police Officer, Battery of a School Teacher, Battery of a School or Recreation Athletic Contest Official. Battery of a Correctional Facility Employee, Battery of a Bus Operator, Simple Battery of a Child Welfare Worker, Simple Battery of the Infirm, Domestic Abuse Battery, Aggravated Assault, Unlawful Use of a Laser on a Police Officer, Simple Assault, Assault on a School Teacher, Assault on a Child Welfare Worker, Negligent Injuring, Vehicular Negligent Injuring, Unitimidation by Officers, Cyberstalking, Defamation, Stalking and Violation of a Protective Order)	□ YES	□ ио
3. Do the violations include an allegation of a criminal act that is subsequently proven to be a violation of a protective order, pursuant to R.S. 14:79, issued against the offender to protect a family member or household member as defined by R.S. 14:35.3, or a dating partner as defined by R.S. 46:2151?	□ YES	□ ио
4. Do the violations include being in possession of a firearm or other prohibited weapon?	☐ YES	□ ио
5. Do the violations include absconding from the jurisdiction of the court or committee on parole by leaving the state without prior approval of the court, committee on parole or the probation and parole officer?	□ YES	□ NO
6. Is the offender currently under supervision for any of the following: a sex offense as defined in R.S. 15:541, a crime of violence listed in R.S. 14:2(B), not guilty by reason of insanity, a sentence of home incarceration under C.Cr.P. Art 894.2, an incoming interstate compact case or medical furlough?	□ YES	□ №

(1) Don Francois Alternative Treatment Center (male and female)

90 day custodial substance abuse treatment and other rehabilitative programs in Concordia Parish for technical violators.

<u>Sentencing language:</u> "Probation is being revoked via Technical Revocation for 90 days to be served in the Don Francois Alternative Center."

An alternative to this program only would be: "In lieu of revocation, the offender is being ordered to serve 90 days in the Don Francois

Alternative Center." This option would allow the offender to serve the full 90 days in the program.

(2) Steve Hoyle Intensive Substance Abuse Program (male only)

90 day intensive custodial substance abuse treatment in Bossier Parish for technical violators.

<u>Sentencing language:</u> "Probation is being revoked via Technical Revocation for 90 days to be served in the Steve Hoyle Intensive Substance Abuse Program."

(3) Louisiana Transitional Center for Women (women only)

90 day custodial rehabilitative programs in Madison Parish for technical violators.

<u>Sentencing language:</u> "Probation is being revoked via Technical Revocation for 90 days to be served in the Louisiana Transitional Center for Women."

- It's worth noting that the offender shall be given credit toward service of his sentence for time spent in actual custody prior to the revocation hearing while being held for a technical violation.
- The probation officer will send the court minutes or uniform commitment order to DOC Headquarters.

DOC Notification Requirement After Program Referral:

DOC must be notified of the referral by email at: activityreportissues@doc.la.gov

This report is updated annually and is subject to change to reflect current program status and availability. Please check the DOC website at http://www.doc.la.gov for the most current version. Dated 2/19/2018.