

1 ~~compensation shall be as provided by law.~~

2 ~~(C)~~**(B)** Vacancy. When a vacancy occurs in the office of tax assessor, the
3 duties of the office, until filled by election as provided by law, shall be assumed by
4 the chief deputy assessor, ~~except in Orleans Parish where the Board of Assessors~~
5 ~~shall appoint an interim assessor.~~

6 Section 2. Be it further resolved that this proposed amendment shall be submitted
7 to the electors of the state of Louisiana at the statewide election to be held on November 7,
8 2006.

9 Section 3. Be it further resolved that on the official ballot to be used at said election
10 there shall be printed a proposition, upon which the electors of the state shall be permitted
11 to vote FOR or AGAINST, to amend the Constitution of Louisiana, which proposition shall
12 read as follows:

13 To provide for a single tax assessor in Orleans Parish. (Amends Article VII,
14 Section 24)

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Todd Parker.

DIGEST

Duplessis (SB 141)

Present constitution provides for a tax assessor to be elected from each parish.

Present constitution provides for seven tax assessors for Orleans Parish to be elected one
from each municipal district of New Orleans. Provides for election dates, residency
requirements, and terms of office.

Proposed constitutional amendment deletes authorization for seven tax assessors in Orleans
Parish. Provides for a single tax assessor in Orleans Parish.

Specifies submission of the amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held on
November 7, 2006.

(Amends Const. Art. VII, Sec. 24)