
DIGEST

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HB No. 437

Abstract: Gives the official of any municipality, parish, or school board responsible for the preparation and recordation of official proceedings 20 days rather than 10 days to accomplish such task.

Present law provides that parishes, municipalities, and school boards must publish all minutes, ordinances, resolutions, budgets, and other official proceedings in the official journal of such entity, as selected pursuant to present law. Proposed law retains present law.

Present law provides that the parish, municipal, or school board official responsible for preparing and recording such official proceedings must do so within 10 days of the meeting at which such proceedings occurred. Failure of the official to accomplish this task shall result in prescribed monetary fines, imprisonment, or both, under the provisions of present law.

Proposed law retains present law but changes the number of days which the official has to publish the official proceedings from 10 to 20.

(Amends R.S. 43:144)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to the original bill.

1. Changed the proposed change in the number of days which the official has to publish official proceedings of the political subdivision from 30 to 20.