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Abstract: Provides for the appointment and compensation of a justice of the peace ad hoc.

<u>Present law</u> allows for anyone who meets the legal requirements of a justice of the peace to be appointed as a justice of the peace ad hoc. Additionally, requires a justice of the peace ad hoc to be paid the same compensation as the presiding justice of the peace.

<u>Proposed law</u> allows a justice of the peace currently elected from the same parish as the presiding justice of the peace to be appointed as an ad hoc. Authorizes but does not require an ad hoc justice of the peace to be compensated.

(Amends R.S. 13:2592(A))