SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 130 2019 Regular Session Peacock

KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

LOCAL EMPLOYEES. Provides for an exception use of electronic or audio recordings by court reporters in New Orleans Civil District Court related to certain hearings. (8/1/19)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

- 1. Remove general authority of court reporters for Caddo Parish Juvenile Court to use electronic or audio recording.
- 2. Add authority for Orleans Parish Civil District Court to use electronic or audio recording in hearings pertaining to protection from abuse, sexual assault, or stalking.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

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<u>Present law</u> provides that any person employed on or before December 31, 2011, as an official court reporter or deputy official court reporter by a court that uses electronic or audio recording equipment shall be certified as long as he remains employed by that court in that capacity.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> with the exception that in Orleans Parish Civil District Court electronic or audio recording may be utilized in hearings regarding protection from abuse, sexual assault, and stalking.

(Amends R.S. 37:2554(B)(2))

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