

2021 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 396

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER

COURTS/COURT COSTS: Provides relative to fees for services by constables and marshals

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5807.5(introductory paragraph), relative to certain costs and  
3 fees for services by marshals and constables; to provide relative to the fees of office  
4 of city marshals and constables; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 13:5807.5(introductory paragraph) is hereby amended and reenacted  
7 to read as follows:

8 §5807.5. Fees and costs

9 Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 13:5807, ~~the marshal of the City~~  
10 ~~Court of Ruston~~ and the marshal of the city of Houma shall be entitled to the  
11 following fees of office and no more in civil matters:

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DIGEST

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HB 396 Engrossed

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**Abstract:** Changes the fees collected by the marshal of the city of Ruston by placing the marshal within the general fee schedules of marshals and constables and by removing the authority of the city marshal of the city of Ruston to collect certain fees and costs under a separate authority.

Present law places the marshal of the city of Ruston under a separate fee schedule.

Proposed law changes the fees collected by the marshal of the city of Ruston by placing the marshal within the general fee schedules of marshals and constables (R.S. 13:5807) and by removing the authority of the city marshal of the city of Ruston to collect certain fees and costs under a separate authority (R.S. 13:5807.5).

(Amends R.S. 13:5807.5(intro. para.))