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

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Proposed law provides that no court exercising juvenile jurisdiction shall impose fines or other financial penalties in certain juvenile delinquency proceedings against any juvenile delinquent or defendant, or the parents or guardians of the juvenile delinquent or defendant, on behalf of any juvenile delinquent or defendant, as a disposition or to cover any operating expenses of certain agencies.

Proposed law provides that the imposition of fines or other financial penalties is not applicable to the enforcement of restitution in juvenile delinquency proceedings.

Proposed law requires the La. Supreme Ct. to distribute copies of proposed law to all courts exercising juvenile jurisdiction by July 1, 2024.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 13:1595.4)