2024 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 552

## BY REPRESENTATIVE BRAUD

## COURTS: Authorizes the Twenty-Fifth Judicial District Court to hold certain sessions of court west of the Mississippi River

1	AN ACT
2	To enact R.S. 13:501(B)(4), relative to district courts; to provide relative to the Twenty-Fifth
3	Judicial District; to authorize the Twenty-Fifth Judicial District Court to hear civil
4	and criminal matters under the jurisdiction of the court in Plaquemines Parish west
5	of the Mississippi River; and to provide for related matters.
6	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
7	Section 1. R.S. 13:501(B)(4) is hereby enacted to read as follows:
8	§501. Continuous sessions in districts of one parish
9	* * *
10	В.
11	* * *
12	(4) In the Twenty-Fifth Judicial District, the court may hold civil and
13	criminal sessions of court in Plaquemines Parish west of the Mississippi River.

## DIGEST

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Abstract: Authorizes the 25th JDC to hold civil and criminal sessions of court in Plaquemines Parish west of the Mississippi River.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes district judges to fix terms of court and hold sessions of court in accordance with the number of parishes in the district.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and permits the judge in the 25th JDC to hold civil and criminal sessions of court in Plaquemines Parish west of the Mississippi River.

(Adds R.S. 13:501(B)(4))