
DIGEST

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HB 385 Engrossed

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Abstract: Provides that the oath or affirmation of a public official shall be recorded at no charge to the official.

Present law provides that all officers of the state be administered an oath or affirmation. Provides that the person administering the oath or affirmation be a certified commissioner. Provides that the oath or affirmation be deposited and recorded by the secretary of state.

Present law provides that oaths and affirmations for all parish officers be recorded by the clerk of court where the oath or affirmation was administered.

Present law provides that clerks of district courts charge a fee for filing and recording documents.

Proposed law provides that the oath or affirmation shall be recorded at no cost to the official taking the oath or affirmation.

(Amends R.S. 42:162(A))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to the original bill:

1. Make technical changes.