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HB 44 Engrossed

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Bayham

**Abstract:** Provides for the jurisdiction of justice of the peace courts in St. Bernard Parish.

Proposed law provides that a justice of the peace court in St. Bernard Parish shall have concurrent jurisdiction over property standards and nuisance violations anywhere in the parish in which the court is situated. Provides further that a constable of a justice of the peace court in St. Bernard Parish may issue summons and serve subpoenas for such violations occurring anywhere within the territorial jurisdiction of the justice of the peace court.

(Adds R.S. 13:2586(C)(9))