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**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Original House Bill No. 562  
by Representative LaFleur

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, delete lines 11 through 13 in their entirety and insert the following:

3 "(w) In the Nineteenth Judicial District Court, court reporter fees shall be as  
4 follows:

5 (i) In all civil and non-indigent criminal cases, a fee not to exceed six dollars  
6 per thirty-two-line page transcript and not to exceed two dollars per page per  
7 certified copy reported and transcribed shall be charged by and paid to the court  
8 reporter who reported and transcribed the testimony.

9 (ii) In all criminal indigent cases, a fee not to exceed three dollars and fifty  
10 cents per thirty-two-line page transcript and not to exceed one dollar per page per  
11 certified copy reported and transcribed shall be charged by and paid to the court  
12 reporter who reported and transcribed the testimony.

13 (iii) When an expedited transcript is requested, the following expedited fees  
14 may be charged:

15 (a) For transcription within twenty-four hours, a court reporter may charge  
16 two times the allowable per page rate set pursuant to Subsubparagraph (w)(i) of this  
17 Paragraph.

18 (b) For transcription within forty-eight hours, a court reporter may charge  
19 an additional three dollars per page over the allowable per page rate set pursuant to  
20 Subsubparagraph (w)(i) of this Paragraph.

21 (c) For transcription within five days, a court reporter may charge an  
22 additional one dollar per page over the allowable per page rate set pursuant to  
23 Subsubparagraph (w)(i) of this Paragraph."