

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 357 by Senator Reese

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete "R.S. 13:72.1 and 74," and insert "R.S. 13:72.1, 74,
3 76, and 353(B)"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 3, after "repeal" delete "R.S. 13:75," and insert "R.S. 13:75 and 353(C),"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 1, line 7, after "power;" insert "to provide relative to security for the courts of
8 appeal;"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 1, line 8, after "residence;" insert "to provide relative to filing, case management,
11 and related technology;"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 5

13 On page 1, line 13, after "personnel;" insert "to provide for an effective date;"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 6

15 On page 1, line 15, after "Section 1." delete "R.S. 13:72.1 and 74" and insert "R.S. 13:72.1,
16 74, 76, and 353(B)"

17 AMENDMENT NO. 7

18 On page 2, after line 29, insert the following:

19 ** * *
20 §76. ~~Facsimile~~ **Filing, case management, and related** technology in state courts;
21 uniform plan
22 The supreme court may provide for the development of a comprehensive and
23 uniform plan for the use of ~~facsimile~~ **filing, case management, and related**
24 technology by and in the courts of this state. In exercising this authority, the court
25 may appoint advisory committees **or working groups** with members representing
26 judges, clerks of court, practicing attorneys in civil and criminal law, law
27 enforcement, researchers and other users of court records, and others whose expertise
28 and experience will assist in the preparation of the plan. The court may provide for
29 the implementation of the plan through recommended legislation."

30 AMENDMENT NO. 8

31 On page 3, line 7, delete "**fiscal year**" and insert "**year**,"

32 AMENDMENT NO. 9

33 On page 3, line 8, after "**claimed**" insert the following:

1 AMENDMENT NO. 16

2 On page 4, after line 1, insert the following:

3 "Section 4. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the
4 provisions of R.S. 13:103.1 shall not prohibit a justice of the supreme court from having a
5 district office located anywhere within a parish from which the justice has been previously
6 elected.

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8 Section 5. Sections 1, 3, 4 and 5 of this Act shall become effective upon signature
9 by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to
10 become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the
11 Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the
12 legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval. Section 2
13 of this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2027."