RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 17 (HB 470)

2015 Regular Session

Miguez

<u>Prior law</u> required the clerk for the 16th JDC to collect additional fees as determined by the judges sitting en banc, not to exceed \$15 from every person filing any type of civil suit or proceeding and a fee not to exceed \$5 against every defendant who is convicted after trial or after he pleads guilty or who forfeits bond.

New law retains prior law but increases the fee limits $\underline{\text{from}}$ \$15 $\underline{\text{to}}$ \$35 in the civil cases and $\underline{\text{from}}$ \$5 $\underline{\text{to}}$ \$25 in all criminal cases.

Effective August 1, 2015.

(Amends R.S. 13:996.37(A))