

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 341 (SB 154)

2016 Regular Session

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Prior law provided an exception to the general rule that no suit against a political subdivision of the state shall be tried by jury. Prior law provided that, except upon demand for jury trial timely filed in accordance with law by the city of Baton Rouge or the parish of East Baton Rouge or the plaintiff in a lawsuit against the city of Baton Rouge or the parish of East Baton Rouge, no suit against the city of Baton Rouge or the parish of East Baton Rouge shall be tried by jury.

New law repeals prior law exception that was declared unconstitutional by the La. Supreme Court in *Kimball v. Allstate Ins. Co.*, 712 So. 2d 46 (La. 1998).

Effective upon signature of the governor (June 2, 2016).

(Repeals R.S. 13:5105(C))