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2017 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 472

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BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES

FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS: Increases individual sewage fees imposed by the office of public health

AN ACT

2	To amend and reenact R.S. 40:31.32(B), (D), and (E), relative to individual sewage fees; to
3	provide for an increase in such fees; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for
4	related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 40:31.32(B), (D), and (E) are hereby amended and reenacted to read
7	as follows:
8	§31.32. Individual sewage fees
9	* * *
10	B. The department shall charge and collect a one-time fee of one hundred
11	fifty dollars for each individual-type sewerage system installed for residential use.
12	Such fee shall be payable by the manufacturer or, if authorized by the department,
13	manufacturer-authorized system distributor, franchise, sale, or agent thereof.
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15	D.(1) For each sewerage installer license issued to a person who installs
16	sewage treatment systems, the department shall charge and collect an annual fee of
17	one hundred <u>fifty</u> dollars payable by the individual seeking licensure.
18	(2) For each sewerage maintenance license issued to a person who maintains
19	or services sewage treatment systems, the department shall charge and collect an
20	annual fee of one hundred <u>fifty</u> dollars payable by the individual seeking licensure.

CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words <u>underscored</u> are additions.

1	(3) For each combination installer and maintenance license issued to a
2	person who installs and maintains or services sewage treatment systems, the
3	department shall charge and collect an annual fee of one hundred fifty dollars
4	payable by the individual seeking licensure.
5	E.(1) The department shall charge and collect an inspection fee of one
6	hundred fifty dollars for each sewerage treatment and interrelated systems inspection
7	or related request associated with loanmaking procedures for existing residential and
8	commercial properties. The fee shall be payable by the individual requesting such
9	inspection or related activity.
10	(2) The provisions of Paragraph (E)(1) of this Section shall not be effective
11	unless the department complies with the provisions of R.S. 40:1154 40:1281.13.
12	* * *
13	Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
14	signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
15	by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
16	vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
17	effective on the day following such approval.

DIGEST

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HB 472 Original

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Gaines

Abstract: Increases the amount of the individual sewage fees imposed by the office of public health.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the department shall charge and collect a one-time fee of \$100 for each individual-type sewerage system installed for residential use. <u>Proposed law</u> increases the fee $\underline{\text{from}}$ \$100 $\underline{\text{to}}$ \$150.

<u>Present law</u> provides that for each sewerage installer license issued to a person who installs sewage treatment systems, the department shall charge and collect an annual fee of \$100 payable by the individual seeking licensure. <u>Proposed law</u> increases the fee <u>from</u> \$100 to \$150.

<u>Present law</u> provides that for each sewerage maintenance license issued to a person who maintains or services sewage treatment systems, the department shall charge and collect an

annual fee of \$100 payable by the individual seeking licensure. <u>Proposed law</u> increases the fee from \$100 to \$150.

<u>Present law</u> provides that for each combination installer and maintenance license issued to a person who installs and maintains or services sewage treatment systems, the department shall charge and collect an annual fee of \$100 payable by the individual seeking licensure. <u>Proposed law</u> increases the fee <u>from</u> \$100 to \$150.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the department shall charge and collect an inspection fee of \$100 for each sewerage treatment and interrelated systems inspection or related request associated with loanmaking procedures for existing residential and commercial properties. <u>Proposed law</u> increases the fee <u>from</u> \$100 to \$150.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the provisions of <u>present law</u> shall not be effective unless the department complies with the provisions of <u>present law</u> (R.S. 40:1154). <u>Proposed law</u> maintains <u>present law</u> but provides that the provisions of <u>present law</u> shall not be effective unless the department complies with the provisions of <u>present law</u> (R.S. 40:1281.23).

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 40:31.32(B), (D), and (E))