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HB **400** HLS 20RS Fiscal Note On:

Bill Text Version: ENGROSSED

Opp. Chamb. Action: Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For .:

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Subject: Judical Building Fund COURTS/COURT COSTS

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Provides for an extension of court costs collected by the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans

PURPOSE: This measure extends the date to August 15, 2031 in which certain fees may be collected for the Orleans Civil District Court for the Judicial Building Fund.

EXPENDITURES	2020-21	2021-22	<u> 2022-23</u>	<u> 2023-24</u>	<u> 2024-25</u>	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0
REVENUES	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	
Annual Total						

## **EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure.

## **REVENUE EXPLANATION**

This bill does not increase fees to be charged by the Court, however, it will continue the collection of certain fees that will be deposited in to the Orleans Civil District Court's Judicial Building Fund.

According to an official with the Orleans Civil District Court, this measure extends the ability of the court to collect certain fees to be deposited into the Judicial Building Fund from August 2021 to August 2031. The fees are currently being collected and deposited into a fund to be used in the future for the construction of a building.

According to the 12/31/2018 audit report for the Judicial Court Building Commission, the Civil District Court collected approximately \$1.5 million in fees for 2018 with \$10 million in the fund balance.

Senate <u>Dual Referral Rules</u>	<u>House</u>	M. G. Battle
13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}	$6.8(F)(1) >= $100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}$	M. G. Battle
13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}	6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}	Michael G. Battle Manager, Advisory Services