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HOUSE BILL NO. 792 (Substitute for House Bill No. 343 by Representative Bacala)

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE: Provides relative to criminal adjudications

1 AN ACT 2 To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 388.1, relative to the initiation and 3 adjudication of criminal cases; to provide for the submission of reports; and to 4 provide for related matters. 5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 6 Section 1. Code of Criminal Procedure Article 388.1 is hereby enacted to read as 7 follows: 8 Art. 388.1. Information to be provided to supreme court; monthly reports 9 Beginning on January 1, 2025, each judicial district shall submit a monthly 10 report to the Louisiana Supreme Court containing the number of criminal cases 11 initiated and criminal cases adjudicated from the same month of the prior year. Such report shall be submitted on or before the final day of each month and shall be 12 13 included in the annual report of the supreme court.

## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Provides relative to the reporting of criminal cases to the La. Supreme Court.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that beginning on Jan. 1, 2025, each judicial district shall submit a monthly report to the La. Supreme Court containing the number of criminal cases initiated and criminal cases adjudicated from the same month of the prior year.

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(Adds C.Cr.P. Art. 388.1)