
DIGEST

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HB No. 39

Abstract: Provides for administrative adjudication of certain ordinance violations in West Baton Rouge Parish.

Present law (R.S. 13:2575) authorizes municipalities and parishes to prescribe civil fines for violations of certain types of ordinances. Further authorizes any municipality or parish to establish an administrative adjudication hearing procedure, as outlined in present law, to handle such violations. Proposed law retains present law.

Proposed law (R.S. 13:2575.4) provides that in West Baton Rouge Parish the administrative adjudication hearing procedure authorized in present law may also be used for certain other West Baton Rouge Parish ordinance violations, including garbage, trash, and refuse, abandoned vehicles and junk, and nuisance ordinances.

Proposed law further authorizes present law administrative adjudication hearing procedure to be used in licensing, permits, or any ordinance violations as determined by the parish governing authority.

(Adds R.S. 13:2575.4)