
DIGEST

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HB No. 426

Abstract: Provides for venue in justice of the peace courts.

Present law provides for general rules, exceptions to, and waiver of objections to venue. Provides that rules of venue shall apply to jurisdiction of the justice of the peace courts.

Present law provides for exceptions to general venue rules including actions involving property, disavowal of filiation, custody, marriage of persons related by adoption, open accounts or promissory notes, adult adoption, and dissolution of a partnership.

Proposed law retains present law and makes present law provisions applicable to suits brought in justice of the peace courts.

(Amends C.C.P. Art. 4916)