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Fiscal Note

Fiscal Note On: HB 103 HLS 12RS 623
Bill Text Version: REENGROSSED
Opp. Chamb. Action:
Proposed Amd.:
Sub. Bill For.:

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Dept./Agy.: Various Parish Clerks of Court Analyst: Glenda Leblanc
Subject: Automobile Expense Allowances

CLERKS OF COURT RE +\$57,000 LF EX See Note Page 1 of 1
Authorizes an automobile expense allowance for the East Feliciana, West Feliciana and St. Landry Parish clerk of court

Purpose of Bill: The proposed legislation provides for automobile expense allowances for the East Feliciana, West Feliciana and St. Landry Parish Clerks' of Court equal to 15% of the clerks' annual salaries, provided that the clerks maintain automobile insurance in the amount of \$300,000 per accident for bodily injury and \$100,000 per accident for property damage. Additionally, the purchase of an automobile would not require the approval of the governing authority of each of the respective parishes.

The expense allowances shall come from surplus funds in each of the clerks offices and at no additional expense to the state or local governing authority.

Table with 7 columns: EXPENDITURES, 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17, 5 -YEAR TOTAL. Rows include State Gen. Fd., Agy. Self-Gen., Ded./Other, Federal Funds, Local Funds, and Annual Total.

Table with 7 columns: REVENUES, 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17, 5 -YEAR TOTAL. Rows include State Gen. Fd., Agy. Self-Gen., Ded./Other, Federal Funds, Local Funds, and Annual Total.

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

Local governmental expenditures may increase by \$57,000 annually as a result of this measure.

According to officials with East Feliciana, West Feliciana and St. Landry Parish Clerks of Court, the automobile expense allowances, which are payable to the clerks, may increase expenditures of each respective clerks' office by approximately \$19,000 each year.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

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

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13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H} 6.8(F)1 >= \$500,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S}
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}
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