

Regular Session, 2012

HOUSE BILL NO. 361

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI AND SENATOR WALSWORTH

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 35:191(A)(2), relative to notaries; to provide for parish
3 commissioned notary jurisdiction; and to provide for related matters.

4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

5 Section 1. R.S. 35:191(A)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

6 §191. Appointment; qualifications; examination

7 A.

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9 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (A)(1) or Subsection C of
10 this Section, a person validly appointed notary public in the parish of his residence
11 may exercise any and all of the functions of a notary public in ~~an adjacent parish~~
12 which has all adjacent parishes that have a population of less than ~~thirty-five~~ forty
13 thousand and in which he or his employer maintains an office, without additional
14 bonding or further application or examination; ~~but shall file with the office of the~~
15 ~~secretary of state an affidavit giving the location of his office. Additionally, the~~
16 ~~applicant shall obtain a dual commission by complying with the procedures~~
17 ~~established by the office of the secretary of state.~~

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____