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HOUSE BILL NO. 282

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LORUSSO, STOKES, AND TALBOT AND SENATORS APPEL AND MARTINY

PARISH/JEFFERSON: Provides relative to appeals of certain administrative adjudication
hearings in Jefferson Parish

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 13:2575.1(C), relative to administrative adjudications in Jefferson Parish; to
3 provide relative to appeals of administrative adjudication decisions regarding
4 immovable property; and to provide for related matters.

5 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published
6 as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of
7 Louisiana.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. R.S. 13:2575.1(C) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

10 §2575.1. Additional administrative adjudication procedures in Jefferson Parish

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12 C. In the parish of Jefferson, any person or any officer, department,
13 commission, board, bureau, district, or any other agency of a municipality or the
14 parish may appeal to the appropriate district court a determination of a hearing
15 officer made pursuant to this Chapter.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Authorizes appeals by persons and local entities of administrative adjudications of public health, housing, fire code, historic district, and environmental violations.

Present law (R.S. 13:2575) authorizes any municipality or parish to prescribe civil fines for violation of public health, housing, fire code, environmental, and historic district ordinances. Further authorizes any municipality or parish to establish an administrative adjudication hearing procedure for violations of such ordinances. Proposed law retains present law.

Present law (R.S. 13:2575.1) establishes additional, supplemental definitions and procedures relative to present law exclusively for Jefferson Parish. Proposed law retains present law.

Present law (R.S. 13:2575(H)) authorizes any person found in violation of a public health, housing, fire code, environmental, or historic district ordinance by a hearing officer to appeal the decision to the appropriate district court.

Proposed law for Jefferson Parish retains present law and further authorizes a political subdivision or any instrumentality of a political subdivision to appeal a decision of a hearing officer under present law. Requires such appeal to be filed in the appropriate district court.

(Adds R.S. 13:2575.1(C))