## SLS 16RS-546

## ENGROSSED

2016 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 463

BY SENATOR BISHOP

COURTS. Provides relative to Judicial Building Fund for Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans. (8/1/16)

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 13:996.67(D), relative to the judicial building fund for the Civil
3	District Court for the parish of Orleans; to provide relative to conditions and dates
4	for certain activity; and to provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 13:996.67(D) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
7	§996.67. Judicial building fund
8	* * *
9	D. If by August 15, 2016 2021, neither public bids have been let for
10	construction nor a lease agreement executed for a privately constructed facility for
11	use as a courthouse, then the authority provided in this Section to levy the additional
12	costs and charges shall terminate and be null and void. Thereafter, no costs or
13	charges authorized in this Section shall be imposed or collected. If the authority to
14	levy such costs and charges terminates as set forth herein, all funds collected and
15	deposited in the separate account as provided in this Section shall be used solely for
16	capital improvements to the facility then housing the Civil District Court for the
17	parish of Orleans.

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The original instrument was prepared by Benjamin A. Huxen, II. The following digest, which does not constitute a part of the legislative instrument, was prepared by Martha Hess.

## DIGEST 2016 Regular Session

Bishop

<u>Proposed law</u> relative to the judicial building fund for the Orleans Civil District Court extends the <u>present law</u> deadline from August 15, 2016, to August 15, 2021, for public bids to be let for construction and a lease agreement to be executed for a privately constructed facility for use as a courthouse, therefore maintaining the authority to levy the additional costs and charges authorized under present law.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 13:996.67(D))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to the original <u>bill</u>

1. Extended the deadline <u>from</u> 2017 to 2021.