AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1883(D)(1) and to enact R.S. 13:1883(D)(3), relative to certain marshals of city courts; to provide for the salary of the marshal of the city court of Shreveport; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 13:1883(D)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 13:1883(D)(3) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1883. Compensation of marshal

D.(1) The marshals of the city courts enumerated in Subsections A, B, and C of this Section, except the marshal of the City Court of Shreveport, shall also receive the same fees as are payable to constables of justice of the peace courts.

D.(3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, and in addition to the salary paid to him by the city of Shreveport, the marshal of the city court of Shreveport may receive the same fees as are payable to constables of justice of the peace courts, not to exceed fifty percent of the salary paid to the marshal by the city of Shreveport. The remainder of the fees and commissions collected shall be used to defray the operational and necessary related expenses of the office of the marshal.

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Abstract: Provides relative to the salary of the marshal of the city court of Shreveport.

Present law provides that the marshals of city courts, except the marshal of the city court of Shreveport, shall receive the same fees as are payable to constables of justice of the peace courts.

Proposed law removes the exception for the marshal of the city court of Shreveport.

Proposed law provides that in addition to the salary paid to him by the city of Shreveport, the marshal of the city court of Shreveport may receive the same fees as are payable to constables of justice of the peace courts, not to exceed 50% of the salary paid to the marshal by the city of Shreveport, and further provides that the remainder of the fees and commissions collected shall be used to defray the operational and necessary related expenses of the office of the marshal.

(Amends R.S. 13:1883(D)(1); Adds R.S. 13:1883(D)(3))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to the original bill:

1. Authorize the marshal of the city court of Shreveport to receive the same fees as are payable to constables of justice of the peace courts, not to exceed 50% of the salary paid to the marshal.

2. Provide that the remainder of the fees and commissions collected shall be used to defray the operational and necessary expenses of the office of the marshal.