

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 482

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 18:532.1(C)(4) and to enact R.S. 18:532(F), 532.1(C)(5), and
3 1922.2, relative to the review of local precinct and redistricting plans by the parish
4 registrar of voters and clerk of court prior to adoption; to provide for consultation
5 with a demographer; to provide for transmission of relevant data files; to provide for
6 criteria for review; and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 18:532.1(C)(4) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 18:532(F),
9 532.1(C)(5), and 1922.2 are hereby enacted to read as follows:

10 §532. Establishment of precincts

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12 F. Prior to the adoption of an ordinance to establish the boundaries of
13 precincts pursuant to this Section, the parish governing authority shall submit the
14 proposed precincts and boundaries to the clerk of court and registrar of voters to
15 confirm the ability to conduct an election utilizing the proposed boundaries.

16 §532.1. Changing boundaries

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18 C.

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20 (4) In addition to the requirements of Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, when
21 the proposed precinct change involves dividing a precinct, prior to the adoption of
22 the ordinance, the parish governing authority shall submit proposed changes to the
23 clerk of court and registrar of voters to confirm the ability to conduct an election
24 utilizing the proposed boundaries.

