
DIGEST

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Abstract: Allows for permitted withholdings for professional dues and authorizes an administrative fee of up to 3% of the amount withheld for certain payroll withholdings for public employees.

Present law allows permitted payroll withholdings for public employees for federal or state income, credit unions, garnishments, liens, union dues, savings bonds programs, United Way, insurance products provided by the Office of Group Benefits, and state participating contributions products sponsored by the Office of Group Benefits.

Proposed law retains present law and adds authorization for withholding dues for professional associations and organizations for public employees.

Proposed law authorizes an administrative fee of up to 3% of the amount withheld for public employees for the following permitted payroll withholdings:

- (1) Garnishments
- (2) Liens
- (3) Union dues
- (4) Professional dues
- (5) Qualified United Way entities
- (6) Products offered without state contributory participation evaluated and approved by the commissioner of administration
- (7) Donations to qualified nonprofit charities through La. Association of United Ways

Effective July 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 42:456(A)(1); Adds R.S. 42:456(C))