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Abstract: Provides that a remote online notarial act is deemed to be executed in any parish where the notary is physically located.

<u>Present law</u> provides that a remote online notarial act is deemed to be executed in any parish of this state where any party is physically located at the time of the remote online notarization.

<u>Present law</u> provides that if no party is physically located in this state at the time of the remote online notarization, the remote online notarial act is deemed to be executed in the parish where the notary public is physically located at the time of the remote online notarization.

<u>Proposed law</u> changes <u>present law</u> and provides that a remote online notarial act is deemed to be executed in the parish where the notary public is physically located at the time of the remote online notarization. <u>Proposed law</u> requires the notary public to have jurisdiction in the parish of execution in order for the act to be executed.

(Amends R.S. 35:626(B))