

2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 903

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 35:626(B) and to enact R.S. 35:626(C), relative to notaries; to
3 provide relative to remote online notarization; to provide relative to execution of
4 certain notarial acts; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 35:626(B) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 35:626(C) is
7 hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §626. Location of notary, parties, and witnesses; location of remote online notarial
9 act

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11 B. A remote online notarial act is deemed to be executed in any parish of this
12 state where ~~any party is physically located at the time of the remote online~~
13 ~~notarization. If no party was physically located in this state at the time of the remote~~
14 ~~online notarization, the remote online notarial act is deemed to be executed in the~~
15 ~~parish where~~ the notary public is physically located at the time of the remote online
16 notarization if the notary public has jurisdiction in that parish.

17 C. An action on a contract that is a remote online notarial act may be brought
18 in any parish in which a party was physically located at the time of the remote online
19 notarization.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____