

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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Prior law provided that a remote online notarial act was deemed to be executed in any parish of this state where any party was physically located at the time of the remote online notarization.

Prior law provided that if no party was physically located in this state at the time of the remote online notarization, the remote online notarial act was deemed to be executed in the parish where the notary public was physically located at the time of the remote online notarization.

New law changes prior law 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. New law requires the notary public to have jurisdiction in the parish of execution in order for the act to be executed.

New law provides that the venue for contracts that are remote online notarial acts may be in any parish in which a party was physically located at the time of the remote online notarization.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 35:626(B); Adds R.S. 35:626(C))