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**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Reengrossed House Bill No. 940 by Representative Abramson

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, delete line 2 through 5 and insert

3 "To enact R.S. 13:2575.6 and 2575.7, relative to certain adjudication procedures; to  
4 provide relative to certain adjudication procedures in the city of New Orleans and  
5 certain parishes; to authorize the adoption of certain ordinances, including nuisance  
6 ordinances relative to sanitation and litter violations; to provide for certain  
7 administrative adjudication proceedings; to provide certain terms, conditions,  
8 procedures, requirements, and effects; to provide for certain notice and procedures  
9 for the administrative"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 2

11 On page 1, line 12, delete "is" and insert "and 2575.7 are"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 3

13 On page 1, delete line 16 and insert

14 "nuisance, sanitation and litter ordinances on immovable property pursuant to the  
15 procedures for"

16 AMENDMENT NO. 4

17 On page 1, line 18, delete "an ordinance" and insert "ordinances"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 5

19 On page 1, at the end of line 19, delete the period and insert

20 "to enforce violations of nuisance, sanitation and litter ordinances by the owners of  
21 immovable property or their agents, tenants, or representatives noticed via the  
22 issuance of a sanitation ticket."

23 AMENDMENT NO. 6

24 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 and insert

25 "Each ordinance shall provide a reasonable time period for a hearing under the  
26 provisions of this Chapter, which in no event shall be less than fifteen days from  
27 sanitation ticket issuance. The"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 7

29 On page 2, delete lines 10 through 14 and insert

30 "located. The ordinance shall provide that the City bears the burden of proving by  
31 a preponderance of the evidence that the person receiving the sanitation ticket is  
32 responsible for the sanitation or litter violation."

33 AMENDMENT NO. 8

34 On page 2, line 15, after "The" insert "sanitation"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 9

2 On page 2, line 16, after "issuing the" insert "sanitation"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 10

4 On page 2, line 19, after "original" insert "sanitation"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 11

6 On page 2, delete line 25 and insert

7 "who received the sanitation ticket may present any relevant evidence and"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 12

9 On page 3, delete line 2 and insert

10 "who received the sanitation ticket is liable for a violation of the nuisance, sanitation,  
11 or litter ordinance at the property and the"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 13

13 On page 3, line 5, after "privilege" insert "against the property"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 14

15 On page 3, at the end of line 11, insert

16 "No fine shall exceed a maximum of five hundred dollars per violation."

17 AMENDMENT NO. 15

18 On page 3, line 12, delete "person" and insert

19 "owner of immovable property or their agents, tenants, or representatives"

20 AMENDMENT NO. 16

21 On page 3, after line 22, insert

22 §2575.7. Additional administrative adjudication procedures; certain parishes  
23 A. In any parish with a population of not less than thirty-five thousand five  
24 hundred persons and not more than thirty-six thousand persons, according to the  
25 most recent federal decennial census, the term "housing violation" as used in this  
26 Chapter shall also encompass violations of building codes, zoning, vegetation, and  
27 nuisance ordinances.  
28 B. In any parish with a population of not less than thirty-five thousand five  
29 hundred persons and not more than thirty-six thousand persons, according to the  
30 most recent federal decennial census, the procedures for administrative adjudication  
31 provided in this Chapter may also be utilized in matters involving licensing and  
32 permits and any other ordinance violations that may be determined by the municipal  
33 governing authority."