

SENATE BILL NO. 580

BY SENATOR MURRAY

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 13:312.5, relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to courts  
3 of appeal; to provide relative to the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal; to provide  
4 relative to certain fees; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 13:312.5 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

7 **§312.5. Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal; fees**

8 **The Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal may charge a filing fee not to exceed**  
9 **fifty dollars for a civil motion not otherwise subject to any other fee. The fee**  
10 **amounts collected shall be used to defray operational and maintenance expenses**  
11 **of the court.**

12 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not  
13 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature  
14 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If  
15 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become  
16 effective on the day following such approval.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_