The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Xavier I. Alexander.

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Present law defines the "practice of law". Provides that nothing in present law shall prohibit any person from attending to or caring for his own business, claims, or demands. Further provides that any partnership, corporation, or other legal entity can assert or defend any claim, not exceeding $5,000, on its own behalf in the courts of limited jurisdiction or on its own behalf through a duly authorized partner, shareholder, officer, employee, or duly authorized agent, or representative.

Proposed law changes above amount from $5,000 to $25,000 and retains remainder of present law.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 37:212(C))