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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 relative to civil appeals, provides that the clerk shall send notice of cost by certified mail immediately after the order of appeal is granted. Further provides that within 20 days of mailing of notice, appellant shall pay estimated costs to the clerk.

Proposed law provides that within 30 days after receipt of the notice of estimated costs the appellant shall pay the estimated costs to the clerk or file a written redesignation of appellate record.

Proposed law provides that each party shall be responsible for costs of that portion of the record which the party designates.

Present law provides that within three days, exclusive of holidays, after taking an appeal, the appellant may designate in writing, filed with the court, portions of the record which he desires to constitute the record on appeal.

Proposed law provides that within 30 days, exclusive of holidays, after receipt of notice of the estimated costs of appeal, the appellant may designate in writing, filed with the court, portions of the record which he desires to constitute the record on appeal.

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

(Amends C.C.P. Arts. 2126(A)-(D) and 2128)