

## **RÉSUMÉ DIGEST**

**ACT 28 (SB 70)**

**2019 Regular Session**

**Donahue**

New law provides that the justice of the peace courts in St. Tammany Parish shall have concurrent jurisdiction with district courts over property standards and nuisance violations except in Ward 9, which shall be prosecuted in City Court of Slidell, and in Ward 8, City Court of Slidell, and Ward 8 Justice of the Peace Court.

New law provides that the constable of the justice of the peace court in St. Tammany Parish or his deputy may, if authorized, act as a prosecutor to adjudicate property standards and nuisance violations.

New law provides that the justice of the peace courts and constable offices in St. Tammany Parish shall be reimbursed for handling property standards and nuisance violations.

Effective upon signature of the governor (May 30, 2019).

(Adds R.S. 13: 2586(C)(6), 2587.3, and 2589(D))