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Abstract: Changes a judgment dismissing an action regarding service and waiver of service <u>from</u> without prejudice <u>to</u> with prejudice.

<u>Present law</u> dismisses an action without prejudice as to a named defendant if service is not requested within the time prescribed by <u>present law</u> (C.C.P. Art. 1201(C)).

<u>Present law</u> dismisses actions rendered for defendants who waive service under <u>present law</u> (C.C.P. Art. 3955) as without prejudice.

<u>Proposed law</u> changes the dismissal provided by <u>present law</u> (C.C.P. Arts. 1201(C) and 3955) <u>from</u> without prejudice <u>to</u> with prejudice.

(Amends C.C.P. Art. 1672(C))