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Abstract: Eliminates the requirement of clerks of court to maintain records of all the proceedings regarding the drainage districts and sub-drainage districts as well as the requirement to maintain an alphabetical index of all persons filing certificates with regard to assumed business names.

<u>Present law</u> requires that the clerks of court in several parishes exercising the powers and duties of recorder of mortgages keep a record of all proceedings affecting any drainage district or sub-drainage district organized under the drainage laws of La.

<u>Present law</u> requires the register of conveyances of Orleans Parish and clerks of court to keep an alphabetical index of all persons filing certificates with regard to assumed business names and charge a filing fee as well as a fee for the issuance of certified copies.

<u>Present law</u> further provides that a copy of a duly certified certificate shall be presumptive evidence of the facts contained on it.

Proposed law repeals present law.

(Repeals R.S. 38:1501 and R.S. 51:282)