

## RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

**ACT 752 (SB 401)**

**2022 Regular Session**

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Prior law authorized the governing authorities of the parishes of St. Tammany and Washington to enact ordinances requiring the clerk of court to impose, collect, and remit to the parish for operational expenses of the judicial system and its related agencies an additional charge, not exceeding \$5, for the registration and recordation of any document in the mortgage and conveyance records.

New law authorizes the governing authorities to increase the fee provided for in prior law from \$5 to \$15.

Prior law authorized the clerk of court to impose, collect, and remit to the parish for operational expenses of the judicial system and its related agencies an additional charge not exceeding \$15, for the filing and recordation of adoptions, successions, and any other new civil suits and written motions for hearings filed in or with the clerk of court's office.

New law authorizes the governing authorities to increase the fee provided for in prior law from \$15 to \$25.

Prior law authorized the governing authorities to enact ordinances requiring the sheriff to impose, collect, and remit to the parish for operational expenses of the respective judicial system and its related agencies such additional charge, not exceeding \$5, for each tax certificate issued or filed by the sheriff of the parish.

New law authorizes the governing authorities to increase the fee provided for in prior law from \$5 to \$15.

New law provides that the increase in court costs or fees as provided for in prior law becomes effective if and when the Judicial Council provides a favorable recommendation in a Judicial Council Report to the Louisiana Legislature.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 33:1236(55)(a))