HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 525 2024 Regular Session Willard

SEWERAGE/NO WATER BD: Provides relative to billing for services by the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. Authorize billing that is not based on actual services if the customer is enrolled in a fixed billing program.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

<u>Present law</u> creates the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board to construct, control, maintain, and operate the public water system, the public sewerage system, and the public drainage system of the city of New Orleans. Provides for composition and powers and duties of the board.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires that any bill for services submitted by the board to a customer shall reflect the charge for actual services provided to the customer unless the customer is enrolled in a fixed billing program. Prohibits billing based on estimated services.

Effective January 1, 2025.

(Adds R.S. 33:4159.3)