## HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
2024 Regular Session
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 483 by Senator Morris

1   AMENDMENT NO. 1

2   Delete the set of amendments by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure (#4178)

3   AMENDMENT NO. 2

4   On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 37:218(A)" and before the comma "," insert "and R.S.
5   9:5001(A),"

6   AMENDMENT NO. 3

7   On page 1, line 4, after "liens;" and before "and" insert "to provide privileges for fees;"

8   AMENDMENT NO. 4

9   On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

10  "Section 1.  R.S. 9:5001 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
11          §5001.  Privilege for fees
12              A.**(1)** A special privilege is hereby granted to attorneys at law for the amount
13      of their professional fees on all judgments obtained by them, and on the property
14      recovered thereby, either as plaintiff or defendant, to take rank as a first privilege
15      thereon superior to all other privileges and security interests under ~~Chapter 9 of the~~
16      ~~Louisiana Commercial Laws~~ **the Uniform Commercial Code–Secured**
17      **Transactions.**

18              **(2)  For the special privilege provided by this Section to be perfected and**
19      **attached to proceeds derived from a policy of insurance on immovable property,**
20      **all insured and loss payees named on a policy or their assignees shall consent in**
21      **writing to the terms of the contract between the attorney and client.**
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23                          *       *       *"

24  AMENDMENT NO. 5

25  On page 1, at the beginning of line 7, change "Section 1." to "Section 2."

26  AMENDMENT NO. 6

27  On page 1, at the beginning of line 10, change "A." to "**A.(1)**"

28  AMENDMENT NO. 7

29  On page 1, line 15, after "under" and before the period "." change "Chapter 9 of the
30  Louisiana Commercial Laws" to "**the Uniform Commercial Code–Secured Transactions**"

31  AMENDMENT NO. 8

32  On page 2, line 3, after the period "." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 4
33  through 6 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 7 delete "**immovable property, or**
34  **a contingency fee contract.**"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 9

2 On page 2, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

3        "**(2)  For the special privilege provided by this Section to be perfected**
4        **and attached to proceeds derived from a policy of insurance on immovable**
5        **property, all insured and loss payees named on a policy or their assignees shall**
6        **consent in writing to the terms of the contract between the attorney and client.**"

CODING:  Words in ~~struck through~~ type are deletions from existing law; words <u>underscored</u> are additions.