## **RÉSUMÉ DIGEST**

## ACT 706 (HB 552) 2024 Regular Session

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Existing law authorizes district judges to fix terms of court and hold sessions of court in accordance with the number of parishes in the district.

<u>New law</u> provides that in the interest of judicial efficiency and to promote access to affordable legal representation, the judge in the 25th JDC may hold civil and criminal sessions on non-jury matters and summary proceedings at a designated location in Plaquemines Parish west of the Mississippi River.

<u>New law</u> provides that the provisions of <u>new law</u> shall not be construed as legislative approval of the removal or relocation in any manner of the Plaquemines Parish courthouse.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Adds R.S. 13:501(B)(4))