RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 190 (HB 72)

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Jackson

Existing law (R.S. 42:1124, 1124.2, and 1124.3) requires certain elected officials, certain public servants, and members of certain boards and commissions to file either a Tier 1, Tier 2, or Tier 3 financial disclosure statement with the Bd. of Ethics. The required filing tier is determined by the person's office or position.

Existing law (R.S. 18:1495.7) requires any person who becomes a candidate for an office requiring the filing of a Tier 1, Tier 2, or Tier 3 financial disclosure statement to file the required financial disclosure statement within three business days after the close of qualifying for that office.

<u>Prior law</u> provided that a candidate satisfied the filing requirement if he had previously filed the financial disclosure statement for the office for which he was a candidate.

<u>New law</u> instead provides that if the person holds an office or position that requires filing of the same disclosure required of him as a candidate, such filing as an officeholder satisfies his filing requirement as a candidate.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 18:1495.7(A)(1))