
DIGEST

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Abstract: Authorizes the governing authority of Sabine Parish to hold an election on whether to permit sports wagering.

Present law permits sports wagering in parishes that have elected to allow sports wagering within the parish. Provides that a parish must hold a referendum election and vote to approve certain forms of gaming before a law authorizing that form of gaming becomes effective in the parish.

Proposed law retains present law.

Proposed law authorizes the governing authority of Sabine Parish to hold an election on whether to permit sports wagering in the parish.

Proposed law provides for the timing of the election, and requires the governing authority of Sabine Parish to notify the Louisiana Gaming Control Board of the results of the election.

Proposed law provides that the election shall take place only once.

(Adds R.S. 18:1300.27)