
DIGEST

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HB No. 402

Abstract: Increases civil jurisdiction for the City Court of Breaux Bridge to \$30,000.

Present law provides that, unless specified otherwise, generally the civil jurisdiction of a city court is concurrent with the district court in cases where the amount in dispute, or the value of the property involved, does not exceed \$15,000.

Present law provides that in the city courts of Crowley, Hammond, Jeanerette, Jennings, New Iberia, Monroe, Oakdale, Rayne, and Winnfield, the civil jurisdiction is concurrent with the district court in cases where the amount in dispute or the value of the property involved does not exceed \$30,000.

Proposed law adds the City Court of Breaux Bridge to those city courts having civil jurisdiction where the amount in dispute or the value of the property involved does not exceed \$30,000.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends C.C.P. Art. 4843(F))