
DIGEST

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Garofalo

HB No. 332

Abstract: Provides for an increase in court costs collected by a justice of the peace for certain filings in civil matters.

Present law provides for a justice of the peace to demand and receive certain amounts for filings and services in civil matters.

Proposed law provides for an increase in court costs collected by a justice of the peace for certain filings and services in civil matters.

Proposed law provides for an increase of \$10 in court costs for each additional defendant on certain filings in civil matters.

(Amends R.S. 13:2590(A)(1)-(21) and (25); Adds R.S. 13:2590(A)(32))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to the original bill.

1. Changed the fee for new suit filings from \$10 to \$20 per additional defendant.
2. Made technical amendments.