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## DIGEST

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HR No. 156

Authorizes and directs the Louisiana Supreme Court to study extending liberative prescriptive periods to two years and to compile data relative to Louisiana's threshold for a civil jury trial

### Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to the original bill.

1. Changed entity authorized and directed to study from the Louisiana State Law Institute to the Louisiana Supreme Court.
2. Deleted language that stated that the Louisiana Legislature believes that the one year prescriptive period for delictual actions may be the cause of why some courts experience increased civil filings.
3. Added language that states that a benefit may exist for parties when there is a finality of knowing whether a potential claim exists against the party.