

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2024 Second Extraordinary Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to
Original House Bill No. 1 by Representative Bacala

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 6, after "the" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 7,
3 delete "of a website or" and insert "transmission to the"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 7, after "online" and before "to provide relative" change "portal;" to "portal
6 maintained by the Louisiana Clerks' Remote Access Authority;"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 2, line 11, after "for" and before "a" delete "the creation of"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 2, line 20, after "each" and before "clerk" insert "district"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 5

12 On page 2, line 22, after "Each" delete the remainder of the line and insert "district clerk of
13 court responsible for maintaining criminal records shall provide the"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 6

15 On page 2, line 24, after "court" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 25 in its
16 entirety and insert "for any case filed on or after January 1, 2020, by transmission to the
17 online portal maintained by the Louisiana Clerks' Remote Access Authority pursuant to R.S.
18 13:754."

19 AMENDMENT NO. 7

20 On page 2, line 27, after "be" and before "in" change "produced" to "transmitted"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 8

22 On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, change "(2)" to "(2)(a)"

23 AMENDMENT NO. 9

24 On page 3, line 2, after "each" delete the remainder of the line and insert "district clerk of
25 court and the clerk of the Juvenile Court for the Parish of Orleans as defined in R.S.
26 13:1587.1 who is responsible for"

27 AMENDMENT NO. 10

28 On page 3, line 3, after "shall" and before "all" change "submit to the Department of Justice"
29 to "transmit to the online portal maintained by the Louisiana Clerks' Remote Access
30 Authority pursuant to R.S. 13:754"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 11

2 On page 3, at the beginning of line 5, change "matters involving" to "cases involving
 3 juveniles accused of committing a crime of violence as defined in R.S. 14:2(B) and cases
 4 involving offenses committed by"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 12

6 On page 3, line 6, after the period "." and before "No" insert the following:

7 "Such cases and records shall remain open to the public thereafter unless
 8 sealed by a court of competent jurisdiction or unless and until such record is
 9 expunged."

10 AMENDMENT NO. 13

11 On page 3, line 7, after "be" and before "in" change "produced" to "transmitted"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 14

13 On page 3, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

14 "(b) The provisions of this Paragraph shall be applicable only to cases filed
 15 on or after January 1, 2024.

16 AMENDMENT NO. 15

17 On page 3, line 9, after "if" and before the colon ":" change "available" to "provided to the
 18 clerk of court"

19 AMENDMENT NO. 16

20 On page 3, line 10, after "information" and before "regarding" change "available" to
 21 "provided to the clerk of court"

22 AMENDMENT NO. 17

23 On page 3, line 25, after "agents" and before "shall" delete "identified in Subsection B of this
 24 Section" and insert a comma "," and insert the following:

25 "the Louisiana Clerks' Remote Access Authority, including its board
 26 members, employees, and agents, and any other state or local entity or political
 27 subdivision that is responsible for providing information to the clerks of court"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 18

29 On page 3, line 26, after "immune from" and before "arising" change "suits" to "liability"

30 AMENDMENT NO. 19

31 On page 3, line 28, after "immunity" and before the period "." insert "available to public
 32 officials or public entities"

33 AMENDMENT NO. 20

34 On page 4, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

1 AMENDMENT NO. 21

2 On page 4, line 7, after "enforceable" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 8 in its
3 entirety and insert "on March 1, 2024."

4 AMENDMENT NO. 22

5 On page 4, delete lines 9 through 17 in their entirety and insert the following:

6 "B. On or before August 1, 2024, the Louisiana Clerks' Remote Access
7 Authority, or its duly authorized representative, shall submit a written report to the
8 speaker of the House of Representatives, the president of the Senate, and the
9 governor, which sets forth all of the following:

10 (1) Specific information detailing the progress made by it and the clerks of
11 court towards compliance with the duties and obligations set forth in this Chapter.

12 (2) Specific information detailing any anticipated work to be completed to
13 meet the duties and obligations set forth in this Chapter.

14 (3) Specific information detailing any anticipated dates that all remaining
15 clerks of court are expected to be able to meet pursuant to the duties and obligations
16 set forth in this Chapter.

17 C. Such written report shall be required to be submitted by the Louisiana
18 Clerks' Remote Access Authority, or its duly authorized representative at least every
19 one hundred and twenty days thereafter until such time as all clerks of court achieve
20 compliance with the duties and obligations of this Chapter."

21 AMENDMENT NO. 23

22 On page 4, line 27, after "on" and before the period "." change "May 1, 2024" to "March 1,
23 2024."