

Regular Session, 2010

HOUSE BILL NO. 25

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

CIVIL/APPEALS: Exempts La. Citizens Property Insurance Corp. from posting bonds

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4581, relative to bonds; to provide an exemption for
3 Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation from posting bond; and to
4 provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 13:4581 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §4581. State, state agencies, political subdivisions, and public boards and
8 commissions not required to furnish bond

9 The state, state agencies, political subdivisions, parish, and municipal boards
10 or commissions exercising public power and functions, sheriffs, sheriffs'
11 departments, and law enforcement districts, the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty
12 Association, the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation, and the Patient's
13 Compensation Fund, or any officer or employee thereof, shall not be required to
14 furnish any appeal bond or any other bond whatsoever in any judicial proceedings
15 instituted by or brought against them, that arise from activities within the scope and
16 course of their duties and employment.

17 Section 2. The provisions of R.S. 13:4581 as provided for in this Act shall have
18 prospective application only.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Exempts La. Citizens Property Insurance Corp. from posting bonds.

Present law provides that the state, state agencies, political subdivisions, parishes, certain municipal boards or commissions, sheriffs, sheriffs' departments, and law enforcement districts, the La. Insurance Guaranty Association, and the Patient's Compensation Fund are not required to furnish any bond in any judicial proceedings arising from activities within the scope and course of their duties and employment.

Proposed law retains present law and adds La. Citizens Property Insurance Corp. to the exemption.

Provides that proposed law shall be prospective only.

(Amends R.S. 13:4581)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

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

1. Provided that proposed law shall be prospective only.