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2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 60

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BY REPRESENTATIVES ZERINGUE AND HUGHES

JUDGES/DISTRICT: Provides relative to the termination of an existing judicial section of the Juvenile Court for Orleans Parish

AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1595(C), relative to Orleans Parish Juvenile Court; to abolish 3 specific judgeships upon vacancy in the Orleans Parish Juvenile Court; and to 4 provide for related matters. 5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 6 Section 1. R.S. 13:1595(C) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows: 7 §1595. Judges; criers and stenographers 8 9 C. The first judgeship becoming vacant by death, resignation, retirement, 10 disqualification from exercising any judicial function pursuant to order of the 11 Louisiana Supreme Court, or removal during the term of office shall be abolished the 12 following day at midnight of such day. 13

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**Abstract:** Provides relative to the removal of a judgeship in the Orleans Parish Juvenile Court upon vacancy.

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<u>Present law</u> requires the first judgeship that becomes vacant by death, resignation, retirement, or removal during the term of office on or after Dec. 31, 2015, to be abolished the following day.

Proposed law changes the vacancy day from the following day to midnight of such day.

(Amends R.S. 13:1595(C))