

2015 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 780

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

COURTS/COURT COSTS: Authorizes a fee increase in recording fees for the East Baton Rouge Parish Clerk of Court

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 13:844(F), relative to recordation fees in district courts; to authorize an
3 increase in recordation fees collected by the clerk of court for the Nineteenth Judicial
4 District; to provide for the collection and use of fees; and to provide for related
5 matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 13:844(F) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §844. Fees of ex officio recorders

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10 F. In addition to the fees provided in Subsection A of this Section, the clerk
11 of the Nineteenth Judicial District for the parish of East Baton Rouge may demand
12 and receive additional fees in an amount not to exceed sixty dollars. The funds so
13 derived by the clerk shall be deposited into the Nineteenth Judicial District Court's
14 building fund and expended exclusively for the payment of bond indebtedness.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Authorizes the clerk of court for the 19th JDC to increase recordation fees in an amount not to exceed \$60 to be used for the payment of bond indebtedness.

Present law authorizes clerks of the district courts as ex officio recorders to charge certain fees relative to the filing and recording of certain documents.

Proposed law retains present law and authorizes the clerk of the 19th JDC to charge an additional fee not to exceed \$60 to be deposited into the court's judicial building fund and used solely to pay bond indebtedness.

(Adds R.S. 13:844(F))