CLERKS OF COURT. Provides relative to group insurance expenses for certain clerks of court. (8/1/18)

1   AN ACT

2   To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(F)(7), relative to clerks of court; to provide for the

3   payment of premium costs for retirees from certain clerk of court offices; to provide

4   for requirements; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

5   Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6   Section 1. R.S. 13:783(F)(7) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7   §783. Expenses of clerk's office

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9   F.(1)   *   *   *

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11   (7) In the parishes of Avoyelles, Bossier, Caddo, Caldwell, Cameron,

12   Franklin, Grant, **Iberia,** LaSalle, Ouachita, **Pointe Coupee, St. Martin,** Terrebonne,

13   Webster, **West Feliciana,** and Winn, the clerk of court shall pay, from the clerk's

14   salary fund, one hundred percent of the premium costs of the group life and

15   accidental death and dismemberment, group health, accident, dental, hospital,

16   surgical, or other medical expense insurance for any employee that retires from the

17   Avoyelles Parish clerk of court's office, Bossier Parish clerk of court's office, the

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1   Caddo Parish clerk of court's office, the Caldwell Parish clerk of court's office, the

2   Cameron Parish clerk of court's office, the Franklin Parish clerk of court's office, the

3   Grant Parish clerk of court's office, **the Iberia Parish clerk of court's office,** the

4   LaSalle Parish clerk of court's office, the Ouachita Parish clerk of court's office, **the**

5   **Pointe Coupee Parish clerk of court's office, the St. Martin Parish clerk of**

6   **court's office,** the Terrebonne Parish clerk of court's office, the Webster Parish clerk

7   of court's office, **the West Feliciana Parish clerk of court's office,** or the Winn

8   Parish clerk of court's office who is entitled to receive monthly benefits from the

9   Louisiana Clerks' of Court Retirement and Relief Fund, who has at least twenty years

10   of full-time service with the clerk of court's office in Avoyelles Parish, Bossier

11   Parish, Caddo Parish, Caldwell Parish, Cameron Parish, Franklin Parish, Grant

12   Parish, **Iberia Parish,** LaSalle Parish, Ouachita Parish, **Pointe Coupee Parish, St.**

13   **Martin Parish,** Terrebonne Parish, Webster Parish, **West Feliciana Parish,** or Winn

14   Parish, and who is at least fifty-five years of age. The provisions of this Paragraph

15   shall not apply to any other insurance, such as supplemental insurance, that an

16   employee may elect to purchase.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Ashley Menou.

DIGEST
SB 500 Original   2018 Regular Session   Mills

Present law provides that each of the clerks of court of the district courts is authorized to
contract separately or through the insurance committee that administers the clerk's insurance
fund to obtain insurance from any insurance company authorized to do business in
Louisiana. Further provides that such insurance may cover the clerk of court, the clerk's
employees, dependents of the clerk, and dependents of the clerk's employees.

Proposed law retains present law.

Present law provides that the clerk of court shall pay from the clerk's salary fund, 100% of
the premium costs of the group life and accidental death and dismemberment, group health,
accident, dental, hospital, surgical, or other medical expense insurance for any employee that
retires with at least 20 years of full-time service, is at least 55 years of age, and is eligible
to receive monthly benefits from the La. Clerk's of Court Retirement and Relief Fund.

Present law applies in the parishes of Avoyelles, Bossier, Caddo, Caldwell, Cameron,
Franklin, Grant, LaSalle, Ouachita, Terrebonne, Webster, and Winn.

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Proposed law adds Iberia Parish, Pointe Coupee Parish, St. Martin Parish, and West Feliciana Parish and otherwise retains present law.

Effective August 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 13:783(F)(7))