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35 ELECTIONS

La. R.S. 18:18

The form "Election Expense Manual for Clerks of Court and Parish Boards of Election Supervisors" is compliant with Louisiana law and is approved for printing and distribution.

Dear Secretary Ardoin:

The Secretary of State has requested this office's approval of the proposed changes to the Election Expense Manual for Clerks of Court and Parish Boards of Election Supervisors. These changes include:

1. Updating the compensation amounts in Section 3.02 to comply with Act 235 of the 2023 Louisiana Legislative Regular Session that increased pay rates;
2. Adding the updated list of official parish journals in Appendix A; and
3. Updating contact information for Elections Accounting.

The Attorney General's approval of this form is required by La. R.S. 18:18. We have reviewed the document, and it is the opinion of this office that the form is compliant with Louisiana law. As such, the form has been approved for printing and distribution. Please note this approval is limited to changes made to the form.

We hope that this opinion has adequately addressed the legal issues you have raised. If our office can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

With best regards,

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