

Regular Session, 2013  
HOUSE BILL NO. 430  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

# ACT No. 316

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 49:222(B)(1)(b), (c), and (g), (2)(a) and (d), (3)(a), (b), and (e),  
3 (5)(b), and (12)(c), relative to fees chargeable by the secretary of state; to authorize  
4 the secretary of state to increase certain fees; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 49:222(B)(1)(b), (c), and (g), (2)(a) and (d), (3)(a), (b), and (e),  
7 (5)(b), and (12)(c) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §222. Fees chargeable by secretary of state

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10 B. The secretary of state is authorized to collect the following fees:

11 (1) Domestic corporations and limited liability companies.

12 \* \* \*

13 (b) ~~Sixty~~ Seventy-five dollars for filing and recording articles of  
14 incorporation, amended articles of incorporation, dissolution proceedings,  
15 termination of dissolution proceedings, reinstatement proceedings, merger  
16 proceedings, conversions, and certificates of correction.

17 (c) ~~Seventy-five~~ One hundred dollars for filing and recording articles of  
18 organization, amended articles of organization, dissolution proceedings, termination  
19 of dissolution proceedings, reinstatement proceedings, merger proceedings, and  
20 certificates of correction.

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22 (g) ~~Twenty-five~~ Thirty dollars for annual reports.

23 (2) Nonprofit corporations. (a) ~~Sixty~~ Seventy-five dollars for filing and  
24 recording articles of incorporation, amended articles of incorporation, dissolution  
25 proceedings, termination of dissolution proceedings, reinstatement proceedings,  
26 merger proceedings, conversions, and certificates of correction.

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1 (d) ~~Five~~ Ten dollars for annual reports.

2 (3) Foreign corporations and limited liability companies. (a) One hundred  
3 twenty-five dollars for filing and recording applications for authority on  
4 corporations, amended applications, withdrawal proceedings, termination of  
5 withdrawal proceedings, reinstatement proceedings, merger proceedings, and  
6 certificates of correction.

7 (b) One hundred ~~twenty-five~~ fifty dollars for filing and recording  
8 applications for authority on limited liability companies, amended applications,  
9 withdrawal proceedings, termination of withdrawal proceedings, reinstatement  
10 proceedings, merger proceedings, and certificates of correction.

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12 (e) ~~Twenty-five~~ Thirty dollars for annual reports.

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14 (5) Trade names, trademarks, and service marks.

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16 (b) ~~Fifty~~ Seventy-five dollars for registering, renewing, or terminating a  
17 trade name, trademark, or service mark.

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19 (12) Special fees.

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21 (c) There shall be a ~~twenty-five~~ fifty dollar fee for receipt of service of  
22 process or other instruments.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_