

## RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

**ACT 92 (HB 540)**

**2017 Regular Session**

**DeVillier**

Existing law, applicable to most Lawrason Act municipalities, provides that the elected police chief makes recommendations to the mayor and board of aldermen regarding the appointment, promotion, discipline, and dismissal of police personnel. Provides that the mayor and aldermen are responsible for taking these actions with regard to police personnel.

New law, applicable to Eunice, provides that the board of aldermen may, by resolution, authorize the police chief to appoint, discipline, and discharge police personnel subject to the budgetary limitations of the mayor and board of aldermen pertaining to the number of allotted positions.

Effective August 1, 2017.

(Adds R.S. 33:423.27)