

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 459 (SB 109)

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Existing law provides for the membership of the La. Emergency Medical Services Commission within the La. Dept. of Health.

Existing law provides for 12 voting members appointed by the governor.

Existing law provides for two members that are emergency medical services administrators, including one representing the private sector and one representing the public sector.

New law retains existing law and requires the emergency medical services administrator members to be nominated by the La. Ambulance Alliance.

Existing law provides for two licensed paramedics and one licensed emergency medical technician who are approved as emergency medical services educators by the bureau, with at least one of the members appointed by the La. Fire Chiefs Association.

New law retains existing law and removes the requirement for the members to be approved as emergency medical services educators by the bureau.

Existing law provides for one member who is, at a minimum, a state-certified emergency medical technician nominated by the La. Municipal Association.

New law retains existing law and requires the member to be state-licensed instead of state-certified.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Amends R.S. 40:1133.3(B)(1)(a), (b), and (d))