

# ACT No. 286

2016 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 181

BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 49:191(9)(b) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(6)(c), relative to the Department of  
3 Natural Resources, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the  
4 Department of Natural Resources and the statutory entities made a part of the  
5 department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory  
6 authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related  
7 matters.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. Pursuant to R.S. 49:193, the Department of Natural Resources and the  
10 statutory entities made a part of the department by law shall be re-created effective June 30,  
11 2016, and all statutory authority therefor is continued in accordance with the provisions of  
12 Part XII of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950.

13 Section 2. All statutory authority for the existence of the Department of Natural  
14 Resources and the statutory entities made a part of the department as re-created by Section  
15 1 of this Act shall cease as of July 1, 2021, pursuant to R.S. 49:191. However, the  
16 Department of Natural Resources may be re-created prior to such date in accordance with  
17 the provisions of Part XII of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950.

18 Section 3. The provisions of R.S. 49:193 are hereby superseded to the extent that  
19 those provisions are in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

20 Section 4. R.S. 49:191(9)(b) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

