

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 116

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

COASTAL COMMISSION: Authorizes and directs the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority to promulgate rules and guidelines for their contracting authorities

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.6.2(A) and to enact R.S. 49:191(11)(a), relative to the
3 Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority; to authorize and direct the Coastal
4 Protection and Restoration Authority to issue rules, regulations, or guidelines for the
5 implementation of their existing contracting authority; and to provide for related
6 matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 49:214.6.2(A) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S.
9 49:191(11)(a) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

10 §191. Termination of legislative authority for existence of statutory entities;
11 phase-out period for statutory entities; table of dates

12 Notwithstanding any termination dates set by any previous Act of the
13 legislature, the statutory entities set forth in this Section shall begin to terminate their
14 operations on July first of each of the following years, and all legislative authority
15 for the existence of any statutory entity, as defined in R.S. 49:190, shall cease as of
16 July first of the following year, which shall be the termination date:

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18 ~~(9)~~ (11) July 1, ~~2020~~2023:

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DIGEST

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HB 116 Reengrossed

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Abstract: Authorizes and directs the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority to issue rules, regulations, or guidelines for the implementation of their existing contracting authority and provides for sunset review of the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Present law authorizes the executive director of the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority (CPRA) to use his contracting authority, or the contracting authority of any state department or agency, for the operation and maintenance of an integrated coastal protection project. Specifies that the contracting authority includes construction management at risk, operation and maintenance, design-build, design-build-operate and maintain, design-build-finance-operate and maintain, outcome-based performance contracts, or any combination of design, construction, finance, and services.

Proposed law requires the CPRA to promulgate, through the Administrative Procedure Act, rules, regulations, or guidelines for the implementation of the contracting authority.

Proposed law requires sunset review of the CPRA and the CPRA Board for July 1, 2023. Further provides for a sunset review every six years thereafter to coincide with the review and adoption of the comprehensive master plan for coastal restoration.

(Amends R.S. 49:214.6.2(A); Adds R.S. 49:191(11)(a))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Require sunset review of the CPRA and the CPRA Board for July 1, 2023.
2. Provide for a sunset review every six years to coincide with the review and adoption of the comprehensive master plan for coastal restoration.
3. Make technical changes.