
DIGEST

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HB 428 Engrossed

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Bourriaque

Abstract: Re-creates the La. Dept. of Transportation and Development.

Present law (sunset) provides that the Dept. of Transportation and Development (DOTD) and all the statutory entities made a part of the department by law must begin to terminate their operations on July 1, 2025, and that all legislative authority for such entities shall cease as of July 1, 2026, unless the legislature enacts a bill recreating the DOTD, and its statutory entities prior thereto.

Proposed law provides for the general re-creation of the DOTD and its statutory entities, effective June 30, 2025, in accordance with "sunset" law.

Proposed law supersedes the provisions of the "sunset" law which set out the procedure for review and re-creation and requires a separate bill to re-create each statutory entity within the department along with additional provisions.

Proposed law makes July 1, 2026 the new termination date and provides that termination begins July 1, 2025, unless the department is re-created again.

Effective June 30, 2025.

(Adds R.S. 49:191(1)(o); Repeals R.S. 49:191(4)(a))