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DIGEST

Donahue (SB 623)

<u>Present law</u> provides the Louisiana Standards for Water Works Construction, Operation, and Maintenance Committee (the committee) shall be created within the Department of Health and Hospitals (DHH) to develop standards to be placed in the state Sanitary Code for water works construction, operation, and maintenance.

<u>Present law</u> provides no later than August 1, 2014, the office of public health of DHH shall promulgate rules and regulations pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act implementing the standards developed by the committee.

<u>Proposed law</u> amends <u>present law</u> to provide the promulgated rules and regulations pursuant to <u>present law</u> shall not apply to a water system whose license is in good standing with the office of public health of DHH on the date such rules and regulations become effective.

Effective August 1, 2014.

(Adds R.S. 40:4.13(D)(10))