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## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Authorizes the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the undersecretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals, airport authorities throughout the state, and the Board of Governors for the state prison systems to install solar energy farms on their property.

Proposed law authorizes the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the undersecretary of the Dept. of Health and Hospitals, airport authorities, to each establish or acquire and maintain solar farms in, on, and around any available property under their jurisdiction, to coordinate the development of solar farms; to facilitate the installation of solar panels in compliance with statutory installation requirements; and to facilitate the installation of solar panels before the federal and state tax credits sunset.

(Amends R.S. 2:604(5), 15:805(3), 17:6(A)(6), and 36:256(B))