2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 632

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND

ENVIRONMENT/QUALITY: Provides relative to small refineries

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2004(19) and R.S. 47:301(31) and 818.2(74), relative to small refineries; to provide definitions applicable to the La. Environmental Quality Act; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 30:2004(19) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2004. Definitions

(19) "Small refinery" means a refinery for which the average aggregate daily crude oil throughput for a calendar year, as determined by dividing the aggregate throughput for the calendar year by the number of days in the calendar year, does not exceed seventy five thousand barrels.

Section 2. R.S. 47:301(31) and 818.2(74) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§301. Definitions

As used in this Chapter the following words, terms, and phrases have the meanings ascribed to them in this Section, unless the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words underscored are additions.
(31) "Small refinery" means a refinery for which the average aggregate daily crude oil throughput for a calendar year, as determined by dividing the aggregate throughput for the calendar year by the number of days in the calendar year, does not exceed seventy five thousand barrels.

§818.2. Definitions

As used in this Part, unless the context requires otherwise, the following terms have the meanings ascribed herein:

(74) "Small refinery" means a refinery for which the average aggregate daily crude oil throughput for a calendar year, as determined by dividing the aggregate throughput for the calendar year by the number of days in the calendar year, does not exceed seventy five thousand barrels.

Section 3. The Louisiana State Law Institute is hereby authorized and directed to arrange in alphabetical order and renumber the definitions provided in R.S. 30:2004, R.S. 47:301, and R.S. 47:818.2.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Defines "small refinery" as it relates to the Louisiana Environmental Quality Act.

Proposed law, for the purposes of the La. Environmental Quality Act, defines "small refinery" as a refinery for which the average aggregate daily crude oil throughput for a calendar year, as determined by dividing the aggregate throughput for the calendar year by the number of days in the calendar year, does not exceed 75,000 barrels.

(Adds R.S. 30:2004(19) and R.S. 47:301(31) and 818.2(74))