

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 735 (HB 847)

2024 Regular Session

Orgeron

Existing law establishes the La. Wildlife and Fisheries Conservation Fund and provides for specific uses of accounts and monies in the fund.

New law creates the Marine Finfish Stock Enhancement Fund within the Conservation Fund.

New law requires that monies in the Marine Finfish Stock Enhancement Fund be used solely for the purpose of red drum conservation, restoration, and enhancement. Further provides that authorized uses may include the purchase, transportation, tagging, release, and monitoring of red drum; genetic testing; hatchery based production and stocking efforts; and academic research.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Adds R.S. 56:10(B)(19))