
DIGEST

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Establishes the Louisiana Commission on Climate Change Policy with membership to be appointed by the governor as follows:

- (1) The secretary of the Dept. of Environmental Quality or the secretary's designee.
- (2) The secretary of the Dept. of Natural Resources or the secretary's designee.
- (3) The secretary of the Dept. of Transportation and Development or the secretary's designee.
- (4) The secretary of the Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries or the secretary's designee.
- (5) The secretary of the Dept. of Economic Development or the secretary's designee.
- (6) The commissioner of the Dept. of Agriculture and Forestry or the commissioner's designee.
- (7) The chair of the Senate Committee on Natural Resources or the chair's designee.
- (8) The chair of the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality or the chair's designee.
- (9) The chair of the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment or the chair's designee.
- (10) The executive assistant of the Governor's Office of Coastal Activities, or the executive assistant's designee.
- (11) The executive director of the La. Recovery Authority or the executive director's designee.
- (12) Five members appointed by the governor from a list of professors nominated by the La. public and private colleges and universities. Each such institution, college, or university may nominate three professors who teach in at least one of the following subjects: agriculture, coastal studies, economics, energy studies, environmental studies, landscape planning, and natural resources.

Charges the commission with developing recommendations for climate change policy. Requires the commission to submit a report of their work and their findings, along with any recommendations for legislation, to the governor, the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment, the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality, and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources prior to the 2010 R.S.