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## DIGEST

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HB No. 891

**Abstract:** Eliminates the office of environmental assessment and transfers that office's functions to the secretary of the Dept. of Environmental Quality.

Present law provides for the office of environmental assessment within the Dept. of Environmental Quality which is charged with performing environmental air quality assessment, water quality assessment, and laboratory services, and administering all remediation services.

Proposed law eliminates the office of environmental assessment and transfers those functions to the secretary who shall assign each of these functions to the office of environmental compliance or the office of environmental services.

(Amends R.S. 36:231(C)(1); Adds R.S. 30:2011(D)(26); Repeals R.S. 30:2011(C)(1)(b) and R.S. 36:238(C))