

New law provides that parish or municipal governing authorities may adopt ordinances regulating the backwashing and drainage of residential and commercial swimming pools into the street.

New law further provides that any ordinance which restricts the practice of backwashing or draining a swimming pool into the street shall be subject to judicial review on the grounds of abuse of discretion, unreasonable exercise of police powers, excessive use of the power herein granted, or the denial of the right of due process. However, the right of judicial review of such ordinances shall not be limited by the provisions of this new law.

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(Adds R.S. 33:4883)