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## DIGEST

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HB No. 16

**Abstract:** Updates applicability of provisions in Title 34 as a result of the 2010 census.

Proposed law, contained in Title 34 (Navigation and Shipping) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, legislates with regard to classifications of parishes, municipalities, or other political subdivisions or local areas according to population by amending local bills to limit the application of laws based upon specific classifications to one or more parishes, municipalities, or other political subdivisions or local areas, as follows:

CITATION/ TOPIC	EXISTING LAW	AFFECTED LOCATIONS	PROPOSED LAW
R.S. 34:851.27(B)(8)- Authorizes the regulation or prohibition on operating watercraft for recreational purposes in certain areas	Any parish with a population of 440,000+	Orleans and Jefferson parishes (1990, 2000 census)	Orleans and Jefferson parishes
R.S. 34:3521(A) - Provides for rights and powers of the board of commissioners of the Natchitoches Parish Port	Port authority whose boundaries are coterminous with parishes having a population between 39,000 - 40,000	Natchitoches Parish (2000 census)	Natchitoches Parish
R.S. 34:3522 -Authorizes the creation of a port authority in certain parishes	Any parish having a population of not more than 125,000	Rapides Parish (2000 census)	Rapides Parish

(Amends R.S. 34:851.27(B)(8), 3521(A), and 3522(A))