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## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Requires the installation of remote monitoring equipment on certain failing sewage lift stations.

Present law grants the secretary of the Dept. of Environmental Quality the duty to prepare and develop a general plan for the protection and control of the waters of the state, including the permitting of sewage treatment facilities.

Proposed law requires the issuance of a compliance order that requires the installation of remote monitoring equipment when the violation of present law resulted in a sewage overflow caused or substantially caused from a failure in the same lift station more than five times in a 12 month period.

Proposed law requires the order provide for a reasonable time for the installation of the required remote monitoring equipment.

Proposed law authorizes the secretary to adopt and promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with the APA necessary to implement the provisions of proposed law.

(Adds R.S. 30:2078)