## **RÉSUMÉ DIGEST**

**ACT 566 (HB 528)** 

**2024 Regular Session** 

Egan

<u>Existing law</u> provides that the Dept. of Veterans Affairs may have a deputy secretary who is appointed by the secretary and confirmed by the Senate.

<u>Existing law</u> also provides that the deputy secretary serves at the pleasure of the secretary who determines the deputy secretary's salary and duties.

<u>New law</u> establishes a new position of director of medical services within the department which can be served concurrently by a deputy secretary. <u>New law</u> also describes the duties of the position and authorizes the secretary to set the salary for that position.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 36:785)