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Champagne HB No. 1156

Abstract: Requires that funds received as a result of lawsuits filed for damages to the coastal wetlands of the state be deposited to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires that any funds received by a levee district as a result of claims brought by that levee district for damage to the coastal wetlands of the state shall be deposited to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund. Requires that any funds deposited be used to fund coastal restoration or protection projects in the geographical area of the levee district.

(Adds R.S. 38:301(G))