RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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<u>Prior law</u> provided that the secretary of the Dept. of Environmental Quality is responsible for the functions of environmental air quality assessment, water quality assessment, remediation services, and laboratory services and must assign each of these functions to either the office of environmental compliance or the office of environmental services.

New law repeals prior law.

New law creates the office of environmental assessment.

<u>New law</u> provides that the office of environmental assessment must provide for environmental air quality assessment and water quality assessment, and must administer underground storage tank service activities, all remediation services, and such duties as delegated by the secretary.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 36:231(C)(1); adds R.S. 30:2011(C)(1)(b) and 36:238(C); repeals R.S. 30:2011(D)(26))