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Existing law provides for the territorial jurisdiction of the West Jefferson Levee District.

New law changes the territorial boundary lines for the West Jefferson Levee District.

Existing law provides for the reorganization and creation of the Lafitte Area Independent Levee District.

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New law changes the territorial boundary lines of the levee district and further provides that the lands and property are not exempt from taxation.

New law requires the transfer of any books, records, documents, movable property, lands or immovable property owned by the West Jefferson Levee District but are situated in and pertain to the operations in the jurisdiction of the Lafitte Area Independent Levee District to be transferred to the Lafitte Area Independent Levee District without the necessity of any other act, instrument, or deed.

Existing law authorizes the SLFPA-East to sell, lease, or otherwise transfer any of the non-flood assets and perform any and all things necessary to carry out the objects of existing law, also provides that any sale or transfer be for full and adequate consideration and any proceeds therefrom be used to pay outstanding debts.

New law deletes the requirement that any proceeds from the sale of non-flood assets be used to pay outstanding debts.

New law provides that after payments are made by the Orleans Levee District pursuant to existing law, \$700,000 of the 1983 Special Levee Improvement Fund Tax, shall be paid to the Authority for purposes of operation and maintenance of Lakeshore Drive on or before the thirtieth day of July beginning in the year 2011 and on or before the fifteenth day of April thereafter.

New law further provides that funds shall be allocated for purposes of maintaining an OLD Police force to be made of not less than 24 police officers who shall provide security for Lakeshore Drive and other flood property located within the jurisdiction of the OLD. Further provides that the provisions of new law shall sunset on December 31, 2012.

New law further provides that any proceeds be paid within 30 days following the sale or transfer in a ratio of 80% of the proceeds to the Authority and 20% of the proceeds to satisfy the outstanding debt of the Orleans Levee District pursuant to a judgment dated 12/11/00 and the settlement homologated therein.

Existing law requires the authority to first offer the non-flood asset to political divisions in the parish in which the property is located and state agencies conducting operations in that parish, other than levee districts, political subdivisions, or agencies responsible for flood control, and to evaluate any proposal submitted by those public entities. Further provides that if no such proposal is received, or if such proposals are not determined to be in the best interest of the authority, the property may be offered for sale or lease as otherwise provided by law.

New law retains existing law.

Existing law creates the Non-flood Protection Asset Management Authority within DOTD to manage and control any non-flood protection facility or improvement asset or function within a levee district within the jurisdiction of a flood protection authority and further provides for its composition of the board.

New law provides for the addition of one member to the board to be appointed by the state senators representing Senate Districts Nos. 3 and 4, and House District Nos. 94, 97, and 99, and the congressman representing Congressional District No. 1 and 2. Provides that at least one member shall be a lawyer, one member shall be a CPA, and one member shall be a realtor.

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New law provides for one member to be appointed to the Authority by each of the following: the secretary of DOTD, the Lake Pontchartrain Basin Foundation, and the board for the New Orleans City Park.

Effective upon signature of governor (June 29, 2011).

(Amends R.S. 38:291(R)(1) and (Y)(1), 330.8(B)(2), 330.12(B)(2) and 330.12.1(C) as added by Acts 2010, No. 1014, §2, of the 2010 R.S. and as amended by Acts 2010, No. 1014, §4 of the 2010 R.S.; Adds R.S. 38:291(Y)(7))