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Reynolds HB No. 347

Abstract: Dedicates 20% of the state's mineral income from activity in and adjacent to Lake Bistineau to operation, management, and improvements to the lake.

<u>Proposed law</u> dedicates 20% of the state's leases, royalties, bonuses, and rights-of-way from activity in and adjacent to Lake Bistineau, after constitutional allocations, to operation, management, and improvements to the lake by the Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries. Creates the Lake Bistineau Management Account in the Conservation Fund. Requires approval by the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources each year of the department's plan for expenditure of monies appropriated from the account.

(Adds R.S. 56:10.2)