## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Abolishes the Health Education Authority of La. and transfers assets of the authority to the La. Public Facilities Authority.

<u>Present law</u> creates the Health Education Authority of Louisiana within the Dept. of Health and Hospitals a body corporate and public, constituting an instrumentality of the state and exercising public and essential governmental functions.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the purposes and functions of the authority include operating a cooperative and coordinated multi-institutional health care and health sciences education complex; acquiring or assisting in the acquisition of land and the planning, acquisition, construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, improvement, and development of facilities in the complex; and aiding in the development of health care and education programs.

<u>Proposed law</u> repeals <u>present law</u> in its entirety and transfers the assets of the authority to the Louisiana Public Facilities Authority, a public trust and public corporation organized and existing by, under, and pursuant to <u>present law</u> (R.S. 9:2341 et seq.).

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Repeals R.S. 17:3051-3060 and R.S. 36:259(B) and 804)