4. The appropriate DOTD headquarters personnel examine the utility's records and inform the appropriate district utility specialist of the utility's eligibility for assistance.

5. If the utility is eligible for assistance, agreements are executed between the owner of the utility and the department as necessary to comply with the terms of this Section and facilitate the utility relocation.

6. If federal aid is anticipated for the project, the Federal Highway Administration is advised that the utility is approved for assistance pursuant to this Section.

7. If the utility owner does not qualify for assistance pursuant to this section, the utility owner may request a second certification review. The department, at its sole discretion, will determine if a second certification review will be granted. The request for the second review should be addressed to the appropriate district utility specialist.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 48:381(C).

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Transportation and Development, Office of Management and Finance, LR 42:2195 (December 2016).

Shawn Wilson, Ph.D. Secretary

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RULE

Department of Transportation and Development Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board

Re-Examinations (LAC 46:LXI.1315)

Under the authority of the Louisiana professional engineering and land surveying licensure law, R.S. 37:681 et seq., and in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq., the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board has amended its rules contained in LAC 46:LXI.1315.

This is a technical revision of existing rules under which LAPELS operates. The revision limits applicants to seven examination attempts on certain examinations.

Title 46

PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL STANDARDS

Part LXI. Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors Chapter 13. Examinations

§1315. Re-Examinations

A. Except as otherwise provided in Subsections B and C, an individual who fails an examination is eligible to apply to retake the examination. A request for re-examination must be submitted in writing prior to the deadline for scheduling of the examination.

B. After an individual has failed a principles and practice of engineering examination, principles and practice of land surveying examination or Louisiana laws of land surveying examination in any and all jurisdictions for the seventh time, he/she is no longer eligible for licensure.

C. After an individual has failed a principles and practice of engineering examination, principles and practice of land surveying examination or Louisiana laws of land surveying examination, he/she may be required to appear before the board, or a committee of the board, for an oral interview/oral examination.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 37:688.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Transportation and Development, Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, LR 2:353 (November 1976), amended LR 4:516 (December 1978), LR 5:114 (May 1979), LR 7:647 (December 1981), LR 12:692 (October 1986), LR 16:774 (September 1990), LR 19:57 (January 1993), amended by the Department of Transportation and Development, Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board, LR 27:1031 (July 2001), LR 30:1715 (August 2004), LR 32:1620 (September 2006), LR 35:1909 (September 2009), LR 36:1034 (May 2010), LR 39:2283 (August 2013), LR 42:2196 (December 2016).

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RULE

Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Office of Fisheries Wildlife and Fisheries Commission

Removal of Abandoned Crab Traps (LAC 76:VII.367)

In accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq., and through the authority granted in R.S. 56:332(N), the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission has amended LAC 76:VII.367 to temporarily close a portion of state inside waters to the use of crab traps in order to facilitate the removal of abandoned crab traps in these waters.

The Wildlife and Fisheries Commission has amended the provisions in LAC 76:VII.367 governing the locations of temporary crab trap closures to address problems in portions of state waters resulting from large numbers of abandoned and derelict crab traps (*Louisiana Register*; Volume 30, Number 1; Volume 31, Number 1; Volume 32, Number 2; Volume 33, Number 1; Volume 34, Number 1; Volume 36; Number 1; Volume 38, Number 1; Volume 38, Number 1; Volume 40, Number 1; Volume 41, Number 1; Volume 42, Number 1). The Wildlife and Fisheries Commission amended the provisions to describe a new portion of state waters to be temporarily closed to the use of crab traps for the purpose of conducting a crab trap cleanup.

Title 76

WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES

Part VII. Fish and Other Aquatic Life Chapter 3. Saltwater Sport and Commercial Fishery

§367. Removal of Abandoned Crab Traps

A. The use of crab traps shall be prohibited from 12 a.m., Monday, February 20, 2017 through 11:59 p.m. Tuesday, March 7, 2017 within that portion of Jefferson Parish, Lafourche Parish, Orleans Parish, Plaquemines Parish, St. Bernard Parish, St. Charles Parish, St. John the Baptist, St. Tammany Parish, and Tangipahoa Parish, as described below:

1. areas seaward out to the inside/outside shrimp line from a point originating at the intersection of Interstate 10 at the Mississippi/Louisiana state line westward along Interstate 10 to its intersection with Interstate 12. Thence