Committee on Health and Welfare

Will meet at:  9:30 A.M.  

Date:  May 19, 2004

Location:  Committee Room 5

Remarks:

HCR 37  MORRELL  

MEDICAID:  Amends the Medicaid rule prohibiting mental health rehabilitation agencies from admitting new clients during the appeals process

HB 956  DURAND  

CHILDREN:  Authorizes the creation of an early intervention pilot program for at-risk children and their families in certain parishes

HB 1282  TOWNSEND  

NURSES:  Repeals the requirement that a registered nurse be under a physician or dentist when administering anesthetics

HB 1290  TOWNSEND  

NURSES:  Provides for authority of certified registered nurse anesthetists to select and administer anesthetics

HB 1391  THOMPSON  

HEALTH/DHH:  Increases the initial licensing fees for health care providers licensed by the Department of Health and Hospitals

HB 1534  MORRISH  

LICENSING:  Provides relative to the licensing of naturopathic physicians

HB 1569  J D SMITH  

HEALTH CARE:  Authorizes the establishment of community-based health care access programs for the low-income uninsured

HB 1611  DORSEY (TBA)  

EXCEPT PERSON/DEV DISABLE:  Revises the developmental disabilities law (Subject to rule suspension)

HB 1634  GRAY  

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION:  Creates the Office of the Child Advocate, under the administration of the child advocate, and provides for the powers and duties of the office and the child advocate

SB 58  BARIHAM  

HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT:  Requires Louisiana nursing homes to provide notice of availability of their latest Department of Health and Hospitals annual inspection survey results to applicants at the time of admission.

SB 132  HOLLIS  

CHIROPRACTORS:  Amends requirements for the license of chiropractors in the state of Louisiana. (gov sig)

SB 484  HINES  


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Chairman