Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

Will meet at: UPON ADJOURNMENT Date: May 19, 2004

Location: Committee Room 5

Remarks:

SB 432  C D JONES  WORKERS’ COMPENSATION: Changes the amount of attorney fees on workers’ compensation awards to twenty percent of the recovered amount. (gov sig)

SB 488  HEITMEIER  WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Defines "owner operator" as regards motor carriers. (gov sig)

SB 692  BARHAM  EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS: Requires employers of first responders to homeland security emergencies to maintain the employment, pay rate levels, pensions, and benefits for those first responders. (gov sig)

SB 771  CRAVINS  CONTRACTORS: Places requirements on contractors and related parties concerning the employment of aliens not entitled to lawfully reside or work in the U.S. and provides for license suspension or revocation for violation. (gov sig)

SB 851  NEVERS  STUDENTS: Provides scholarships for students of technical and community colleges from Incumbent Worker Training Program funds. (gov sig)

HB 1054  RICHMOND  EMPLOYMENT/WAGES: Creates a civil cause of action for basing wages upon an employee's gender or race

HB 1667  GALLOT  WORKERS COMPENSATION: Provides for jurisdiction over claims and disputes

HB 1673  JEFFERSON  LABOR: Use unemployment funds to help dislocated workers start business

HCR 166  WALKER  MENTAL HEALTH: Creates the Louisiana Commission on Employment of Mental Health Consumers to study and develop a plan to address barriers that prevent persons with mental illness from seeking, obtaining, and maintaining employment

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