Weekly Committee Schedule

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Ways and Means

Monday, June 6, 2005
Committee Room No. 6
9:30 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HCR 134 LAFONTA

REVENUE DEPARTMENT Directs the Department of Revenue to accept amended income tax returns for 2002, 2003, and 2004 and make refunds to reflect the appropriate amount of exemption for retirement income of certain persons sixty-five years or older

HB 173 BURNS

TAX/AD VALOREM TAX (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for changes in the special assessment level, the millage roll forward by the governing authority and for the legislature's ability to postpone the payment of taxes

HB 237 BURNS

ASSESSORS Enacts the Property Taxpayer Protection Act

HB 262 MARCHAND

TAX/TAXATION Authorizes income tax credits for certain brownfields investments

HB 420 MARCHAND

TAX/INCOME-CREDIT Establishes an income tax credit for the rehabilitation of residential structures in certain areas

HB 430 WHITE

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Expands definition of "new direct job" in Quality Jobs Program Act to include a contractor's employees in certain circumstances

HB 500 CARTER, K.

TAX/TAXATION Provides with respect to tax credits for certain biotechnology companies

HB 603 SCALISE

TAX CREDITS Provides for a digital interactive media production investor tax credit

HB 604 SCALISE

TAX CREDITS Provides for a digital interactive media employment tax credit

HB 631 CARTER, K.

TAX CREDITS Authorizes sound recording investor tax credits

HB 634 HEBERT

TAX/FUELS, SPECIAL Increases the special fuels tax refund for contract school bus drivers

HB 641 GALLOT

TAX/TAXATION Provides with respect to tax incentives for software developers

HB 656 BEARD

TAX/INCOME TAX Provides for the deductibility of certain federal itemized deductions

HB 660 BEARD

TAX/CORP INCOME Authorizes net loss transfers between qualified affiliates

HB 674 WALSWORTH

TAX/INCOME TAX To provide an income tax deduction to certain medical professionals for medicaid payments made to them
HB 726  MARCHAND  TAX/SALES-USE, STATE  Levies a sales and use tax on certain ammunition and dedicates the use of the avails of such tax to programs for prevention of juvenile violent crime

HB 739  WALSWORTH  ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT  Authorizes the Board of Commerce and Industry to enter into additional tax exemption contracts with certain entities

HB 765  GLOVER  TAX CREDITS  Provides for certain tax credits available to employers for new jobs created in the state

HB 772  GLOVER  TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT  Provides for a state and local sales tax holiday (exemption) for certain types of property for a limited period of time each year

HB 773  GLOVER  TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT  Provides for a sales tax holiday (exemption) applicable to state and local taxes

HB 803  MORRISH  TAX/SALES-USE, STATE  Provides for a state sales and use tax limitation on the sales price and cost price of natural gas

HB 804  MORRISH  TAX/SALES-USE, STATE  Phases in an exemption for sales tax on natural gas

HB 806  PINAC  FUNDS/FUNDING  Creates the Louisiana Capital Formation Act

HB 807  HAMMETT  TAX/TAXATION  Authorizes imposition or increase in certain fees and taxes by the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District

HB 808  HAMMETT  DISTRICTS/STADIUM  Authorizes Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District to levy an automobile rental fee

HB 809  HAMMETT  DISTRICTS/STADIUM  Authorizes the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District to increase certain taxes and to impose certain taxes and fees

HB 811  MORRISH  TAX/SALES-USE, STATE  Provides for a state sales and use tax limitation on the sales price and cost price of natural gas and to phase in the restoration of the sales tax exemption for natural gas

HB 812  HOPKINS  TAX/INCOME-CREDIT  Increases the credit against state individual income tax for newly licensed physicians in rural areas for full-time medical care and practice in that area

HB 813  HOPKINS  TAX/INCOME-INDIV/CREDIT  Provides an individual income tax credit to rural physicians with respect to medical malpractice insurance premiums

HB 828  HEATON  TAX CREDITS  Provides for the promotion of the music recording industry by providing for certain music tax credits

HB 830  GALLOT  TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL-EXEM  Provides state and local tax exemptions for adaptive driving equipment, motor vehicle modifications, and equipment specifically manufactured for the purpose of transporting wheeled mobility devices

HB 846  DARTEZ  FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS  Authorizes the imposition of certain fees and the dedication of the revenues derived from such fees relative to the Renewal Community Program
HB 860  BEARD  TAX/SALES & USE  Provides with respect to sales tax exemption for certain energy conservation property and alternative fuels

HB 861  BEARD  TAX/TAXATION  Provides a state tax exemption or credit for certain medical industries

HB 862  BURRELL  TAX/TAXATION  Establishes tax credits and rebates in order to provide for an urban revitalization program

HB 873  TOWNSEND  TAX/TAXATION  Exempts direct mail advertising

Tuesday, June 7, 2005
Committee Room 3
9:30 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

SB 27  MCPHERSON  TAX EXEMPTIONS  Exempts sickle cell disease organizations from state and local sales taxes. (7/1/05)

SB 73  GAUTREAUX, N.  TAX/TAXATION  Allows a taxpayer to take the credit of up to $1,000 against income or corporation franchise taxes for qualified donations made to qualified playgrounds for certain tax years between 1992 and 2001 if taken on an amended return filed by December 31, 2008. (gov sig)

SB 129  NEVERS  STUDENTS  Provides for expanded participation in the START program.

SB 131  BAJORIE  TAX/SALES  Grants an exclusion from state and local sales tax for non-profit organizations which donate toys to children. (7/1/05)

SB 138  MALONE  TAX/TAXATION  Provides for an innocent spouse rule for collection of taxes other than individual income taxes. (gov sig)

SB 142  THEUNISSEN  SEIZURES/SALES  Provides procedure for unredeemed commercial and residential property, and property that is subject to donation which is adjudicated to a municipality for five years or more, and for payment of certain costs upon redemption.

SB 180  MALONE  TRUSTS  Eliminates the exemption from public bid law requirements authorized for public trust contracts involving economic development facilities and activities.

SB 182  DUPRE  MINERALS  Creates Louisiana Royalty Relief Dry Hole Credit Program. (gov sig)

SB 201  BROOME  FUNDS/FUNDING  Creates the Louisiana Habitat for Humanity Loan Purchase Program within the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency. (7/1/05)

SB 216  DUPRE  MILITARY AFFAIRS  Creates Louisiana Military Family Assistance Fund and Louisiana Military Family Assistance Board, and provides for donations to fund and distribution of amounts. (gov sig)

SB 250  MOUNT  TAX/SALES  Repeals termination date of sales tax exclusion for certain purchases and sales by parochial and private schools.

SB 316  MOUNT  TAX/TAXATION  Limits the assessors who may be exempted from the requirement to provide ad valorem tax assessment information on the Internet and requires assessors who participated in the program as of 1/1/06
to provide additional information for Internet publication. (gov sig)

SB 322 FONTENOT TAX/TAXATION Authorizes a Brownfields Investor Tax Credit. (7/1/05)

SB 336 MALONE TAX EXEMPTIONS Exempts the sale of VEGF inhibitors and complex biologics from the sales tax of any political subdivision in any parish with a population between 230,000 and 300,000. (7/1/05)

SB 337 ELLINGTON TAX EXEMPTIONS Provides an exclusion from state sales tax for manufacturing machinery and equipment used to manufacture “unblended biodiesel” and for the use by manufacturers of “alternative substances” as fuel. (7/1/05)

SB 341 DUPLESSIS TAX/TAXATION Provides for a digital interactive media producer tax credit. (gov sig)

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