AGENDA

House Committee on Commerce

Tuesday, May 9, 2023 Committee Room 1 9:30 a.m.

Chairman: Paula P. Davis Vice Chairman: Stephanie Hilferty

Staff: Victoria Kelley, legislative analyst
Kathryn Vigrass, legislative analyst
Sharell Steven, committee administrative assistant

I. CALL TO ORDER			
II. ROLL CALL			
III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION			
	HB 415	AMEDEE	BANKS/BANKING Provides relative to central bank digital currency
	HB 469	AMEDEE	PLUMBERS Provides relative to licensure for plumbers
	HB 531	MIGUEZ	ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT Provides for the Louisiana Department of Economic Development to establish and administer the Louisiana Industrial Product Certification Program
_	HB 567	ST. BLANC	TRANSPORTATION Provides relative to gross vehicle weight for certain vehicles transporting specified construction materials
	HB 585	ECHOLS	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Provides relative to economic development
	HB 602	DESHOTEL	UTILITIES Provides relative to broadband
	HB 606	JORDAN	HOUSING Provides relative to safe housing
	HB 640	STEFANSKI	RACING/HORSE Provides relative to historical horse racing fees
	HR 39	MIGUEZ	ENVIRONMENT Memorialize Congress to enact a trade policy that supports United States businesses and workers while penalizing global polluters

BANKS/BANKING Urges the United States Congress to not support any legislation or efforts to adopt a central bank digital currency

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IV. OTHER BUSINESS

Discussion regarding implementation of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) freeboard standards as recommended by the ASCE-24 Freeboard Task Force and adopted by the LA State Uniform Construction Code Council.

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT

Any person who does not feel comfortable giving testimony in person may submit a prepared statement in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee:

A. Any interested person or any committee member may file with the committee a prepared statement concerning a specific instrument or matter under consideration by the committee or concerning any matter within the committee's scope of authority, and the committee records shall reflect receipt of such statement and the date and time thereof.

B. Any person who files a prepared statement which contains data or statistical information shall include in such prepared statement sufficient information to identify the source of the data or statistical information. For the purposes of this Paragraph, the term "source" shall mean a publication, website, person, or other source from which the data or statistical information contained in the prepared statement was obtained by the person or persons who prepared the statement.

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