

AGENDA

**House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice**

Wednesday, May 31, 2023

Committee Room 6

9:00 a.m.

Chairman: Joseph A. Marino, III  
Vice Chairman: Tony Bacala

Staff: Katie LeLeux, attorney  
Zachary Gonzalez, attorney  
Stephanie Weinman, committee administrative assistant

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

_____	<b>HR 168</b>	<b>SEABAUGH</b>	<b>CRIME</b> Creates a task force to study the effects of the Justice Reinvestment Initiative and the rise of violent crime in Louisiana
_____	<b>HR 174</b>	<b>FREEMAN</b>	<b>CORRECTIONS</b> Requests a study of the educational programs in the prisons and jails of this state
_____	<b>HR 194</b>	<b>VILLIO</b>	<b>CRIMINAL/SENTENCING</b> Requests the House Committee on the Administration of Criminal Justice to study sentencing transparency
_____	<b>HR 196</b>	<b>LANDRY</b>	<b>CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES</b> Recreates the Safe Alternatives to Segregation Task Force
_____	<b>SB 48</b>	<b>MORRIS, JAY</b>	<b>CRIMINAL PROCEDURE</b> Constitutional amendment to eliminate a judge's discretion to grant bail for certain offenses after conviction
_____	<b>SB 94</b>	<b>KLEINPETER</b>	<b>CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE</b> Adds certain substances to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substance Law
_____	<b>SB 107</b>	<b>SMITH, G.</b>	<b>CRIME/PUNISHMENT</b> Provides relative to definition of first degree murder and penalties.
_____	<b>SB 159</b>	<b>CATHEY</b>	<b>JUVENILE JUSTICE</b> Provides for the detention of seventeen year old juveniles under certain circumstances
_____	<b>SB 189</b>	<b>JACKSON</b>	<b>CHARITABLE GAMING</b> Provides relative to electronic or video bingo machines and licensed premises

_____	<b>SB 215</b>	<b>BARROW</b>	<b>CRIME/PUNISHMENT</b> Provides justification defense to domestic violence victim-defendants
_____	<b>SB 217</b>	<b>HENRY, CAMERON</b>	<b>CRIME/PUNISHMENT</b> Creates a state wide database for individuals convicted of child abuse/neglect

#### IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### V. 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.

NOTE: Statements emailed to [h-acrj@legis.la.gov](mailto:h-acrj@legis.la.gov) and received prior to noon on Tuesday, May 30, 2023, will be distributed to the committee members prior to the meeting.

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