

House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice

Minutes of Meeting
2022 Regular Session
May 3, 2022

I. CALL TO ORDER

Representative Joseph A. Marino, III, chairman of the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice, called the meeting to order at 9:22 a.m. in Room 6, in the state capitol in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

II. ROLL CALL

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Representative Joseph A. Marino, III, chairman
Representative Tony Bacala, vice chairman
Representative Marcus Anthony Bryant
Representative Bryan Fontenot
Representative Raymond E. Garofalo, Jr.
Representative Jonathan Goudeau, I
Representative Vanessa Caston LaFleur
Representative C. Denise Marcelle
Representative Danny McCormick
Representative Nicholas Muscarello, Jr.
Representative Richard James Nelson
Representative Alan Seabaugh
Representative Debbie Villio

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Representative Valarie Hodges

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

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

ADDITIONAL ATTENDEES PRESENT:

Janet Anthony, sergeant at arms

Angela McKnight, sergeant at arms
Michael McCain, clerk

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

House Resolution No. 81 by Representative Carpenter

Representative Carpenter presented House Resolution No. 81, which requests the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to study the crime of first degree murder when the victim is the minor child of the offender.

Representative Villio offered a motion to report House Resolution No. 81 favorably. Without objection, House Resolution No. 81 was reported favorably by a vote of 12 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Bryant, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 7 in support. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 379 by Representative Muscarello

At the request of the author, Representative Garofalo offered a motion to voluntarily defer action on House Bill No. 379, which would provide relative to licenses for riverboat gaming. Without objection, action on House Bill No. 379 was voluntarily deferred by a vote of 12 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Bryant, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

House Bill No. 569 by Representative Emerson

This is a continuation of the discussion on House Bill No. 569 from a meeting held on April 27, 2022. Please check for the prior action to complete the record of discussion and motions on House Bill No. 569.

At the request of the author, Representative Garofalo offered a motion to voluntarily defer action on House Bill No. 569, which would provide for the forfeiture of property. Without objection, action on House Bill No. 569 was voluntarily deferred by a vote of 12 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Bryant, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

House Bill No. 908 by Representative Freiberg

At the request of the author, Representative Garofalo offered a motion to voluntarily defer action on House Bill No. 908, which would provide relative to information contained in pre-parole reports. Without objection, action on House Bill No. 908 was voluntarily deferred by a vote of 12 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Bryant, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

House Bill No. 728 by Representative Duplessis

Representative Duplessis presented House Bill No. 728, which provides relative to medical parole.

On behalf of the author, Representative Marino offered amendments to:

- (1) Make technical changes;
- (2) Delete present law that refers to parole eligibility; and
- (3) Remove the creation of the committee on medical release.

Representative Marino offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendments. Without objection, the amendments were adopted by a vote of 12 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Bryant, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Anjali Niyogi, 1118 Marais St., New Orleans, LA 70116, (504) 236-6417, spoke in support of House Bill No. 728.

Representative Nelson offered an amendment to retain present law that medical parole shall not be available to any offender serving a sentence for a conviction of first degree murder or second degree murder, or an offender who is awaiting execution. After discussion, Representative Nelson withdrew the amendment.

Representative Nelson offered an amendment to retain present law that medical parole shall not be available to an offender serving a sentence for a conviction of first degree murder or an offender who is awaiting execution. Representative Nelson offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendment. Without objection, the amendment was adopted by a vote of 11 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Bryant, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Loren M. Lampert, Louisiana District Attorneys Association, 2525 Quail Dr., Baton Rouge, LA 70808, (225) 343-0171, spoke in opposition to House Bill No. 728.

Representative Villio offered an amendment to add the crime of aggravated rape to the list of offenders not eligible for medical parole. Representative Villio offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendment. Without objection, the amendment was adopted by a vote of 10 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Norris Henderson, Voice of the Experienced, 4930 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 510-1007, spoke in support of House Bill No. 728.

Representative Villio offered an amendment to provide that medical parole shall not be available to any offender serving a sentence for a conviction of first degree murder or first degree rape, or an offender who is awaiting execution. Representative Villio offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendment, to which Representative Marcelle objected. The administrative assistant called the roll, and the amendment was adopted by a vote of 11 yeas and 2 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea. Representatives Bryant and Marcelle voted nay.

Checo Yancy, Voice of the Experienced, 251 Florida St., # 201, Baton Rouge, LA 70801, (225) 270-5245, spoke in support of House Bill No. 728.

Haki Sekou, Voice of the Experienced, 4930 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 510-1007, spoke in support of House Bill No. 728.

Anna Garcie, 11th Judicial District Court district attorney's office, P.O. Box 1557, Many, LA 71449, (318) 256-6246, spoke in opposition to House Bill No. 728.

Representative Marcelle offered a motion to report House Bill No. 728 with amendments, to which Representative Bacala objected. The administrative assistant called the roll, and the motion failed to pass by a vote of 4 yeas, 8 nays, and 1 abstention. Representatives Bryant, LaFleur, Marcelle, and Nelson voted yea. Representatives Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, McCormick, Muscarello, Seabaugh, and Villio voted nay. Representative Marino abstained.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 17 in support and 4 in opposition. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

Statements submitted in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee are as follows: 3 in support. Copies of these statements are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 877 by Representative Wilford Carter

Representative Wilford Carter presented House Bill No. 877, which provides relative to factors in fixing the amount of bail and modifications of bail.

On behalf of the author, Representative Marino offered amendments to:

- (1) Remove proposed law which provides that the determination of substantial financial hardship on the defendant and his family for a defendant charged with a nonviolent offense shall be considered when fixing the amount of bail; and
- (2) Provide that when a motion to reduce the amount of bail is filed, the motion is required to be heard no later than 30 days after the motion is filed.

Representative Marino offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendments. Without objection, the amendments were adopted by a vote of 8 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Representative Marcelle offered a motion to report House Bill No. 877 with amendments. Without objection, House Bill No. 877 was reported with amendments by a vote of 8 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, Marcelle, McCormick, Muscarello, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 10 in support. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 904 by Representative Phelps

Representative Phelps presented House Bill No. 904, which provides relative to malfeasance in office committed by volunteers and contract workers of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections.

Representative Villio offered a motion to report House Bill No. 904 favorably. Without objection, House Bill No. 904 was reported favorably by a vote of 8 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, Marcelle, McCormick, Muscarello, and Villio voted yea.

House Bill No. 726 by Representative Lyons

Representative Lyons presented House Bill No. 726, which provides relative to the financial obligations of criminal offenders.

On behalf of the author, Representative Marino offered an amendment to specify the types of offenses to which proposed law is applicable. Representative Marino offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendment. Without objection, the amendment was adopted by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, Marcelle, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Villio voted yea.

Peter Robins-Brown, Louisiana Progress Action, 650 N. 6th St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802, (504) 256-8196, spoke in support of House Bill No. 726.

Alexis Yeboah-Kodie, Justice and Accountability Center, 4035 Washington Ave., Ste. 203, New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 576-1434, spoke in support of House Bill No. 726.

Representative Bacala in the chair.

Representative Marcelle offered a motion to report House Bill No. 726 with amendments. Without objection, House Bill No. 726 was reported with amendments by a vote of 10 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, Marcelle, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 17 in support. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

Statements submitted in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee are as follows: 1 in support. Copies of these statements are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 620 by Representative Stefanski

Representative Stefanski presented House Bill No. 620, which provides relative to the authority of private nonprofit elementary or secondary schools and public elementary or secondary schools to conduct certain games of chance.

Representative Marcelle offered a motion to report House Bill No. 620 favorably. Without objection, House Bill No. 620 was reported favorably by a vote of 10 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, Marcelle, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 1 for information only. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 601 by Representative Hughes

Representative Hughes presented House Bill No. 601, which provides relative to immunity for certain actions involving drug-related overdoses.

Loren M. Lampert, Louisiana District Attorneys Association, 2525 Quail Dr., Baton Rouge, LA 70808, (225) 343-0171, spoke for information only on House Bill No. 601.

On behalf of the author, Representative Bacala offered amendments to:

- (1) Remove proposed law which provides that a person acting in good faith who seeks medical assistance for an individual experiencing a drug-related overdose may not be arrested;
- (2) Remove proposed law which provides relative to informal exchange of amounts indicative of personal use;
- (3) Provide that persons seeking medical assistance for a drug-related overdose may not be charged, prosecuted, or penalized for possession of drug paraphernalia rather than possession with intent to use drug paraphernalia;
- (4) Remove proposed law relative to the enforcement for a violation of a permanent or temporary protective order or restraining order;
- (5) Provide that persons seeking medical assistance for a drug-related overdose shall not be subject to sanctions for a violation of a condition of pretrial release, condition of probation, or condition of parole and civil forfeiture as related to the incident which required medical assistance; and
- (6) Remove proposed law which provides that the maximum number of individuals that may claim immunity for any one incident is three.

Representative Bacala offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendments. Without objection, the amendments were adopted by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Villio voted yea.

Bruce Reilly, Voice of the Experienced, 4930 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 758-9420, spoke in support of House Bill No. 601.

Logan Kinamore, 511 S. Cortez St., New Orleans, LA 70119, (225) 362-1072, spoke in support of House Bill No. 601.

Representative Villio offered a motion to report House Bill No. 601 with amendments. Without objection, House Bill No. 601 was reported with amendments by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 22 for information only. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

Statements submitted in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee are as follows: 1 in support. Copies of these statements are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 913 by Representative Muscarello

Representative Muscarello presented House Bill No. 913, which provides relative to elections for riverboat gaming.

Wade Duty, Louisiana Casino Association, P.O. Box 3801, Baton Rouge, LA 70821, (225) 344-0037, spoke in opposition to House Bill No. 913.

Representative Muscarello offered a motion to report House Bill No. 913 favorably. Without objection, House Bill No. 913 was reported favorably by a vote of 8 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Bacala, Fontenot, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 2 in support and 1 in opposition. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 517 by Representative Selders

Representative Selders presented House Bill No. 517, which creates and provides for the Medical Advisory Council within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections. Representative Selders provided three handouts, Exhibits A, B, and C, which are included in the committee records.

Norris Henderson, Voice of the Experienced, 4930 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 510-1007, spoke in support of House Bill No. 517, and provided a handout, Exhibit D, which is included in the committee records.

On behalf of the author, Representative Bacala offered amendments to:

- (1) Make technical changes; and

- (2) Replace "advice and consent" with "recommendations".

Representative Bacala offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendments. Without objection, the amendments were adopted by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Villio voted yea.

On behalf of the author, Representative Bacala offered amendments to:

- (1) Delete language that references the hiring of a statewide department medical director;
- (2) Change the membership of the advisory council from thirteen members of various medical disciplines or associations to the medical directors from each state prison facility and the department medical director;
- (3) Change the time period of the council's meetings from "annually" to "quarterly"; and
- (4) Require the council to submit a quarterly report to the state health officer within the Louisiana Department of Health.

Representative Bacala offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendments. Without objection, the amendments were adopted by a vote of 10 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Anthony Hingle, Jr., Voice of the Experienced, 4930 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 510-1007, spoke in support of House Bill No. 517.

Bruce Reilly, Voice of the Experienced, 4930 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 758-9420, spoke in support of House Bill No. 517.

Anjali Niyogi, 1118 Marais St., New Orleans, LA 70116, (504) 236-6417, spoke in support of House Bill No. 517.

Haki Sekou, Voice of the Experienced, 4930 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 510-1007, spoke in support of House Bill No. 517.

Ronald Marshall, Voice of the Experienced, 4930 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 547-5704, spoke in support of House Bill No. 517.

Natalie Laborde, Department of Corrections, 504 Mayflower St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802, (225) 342-6740, spoke for information only on House Bill No. 517.

On behalf of the author, Representative Bacala offered amendments to:

- (1) Delete language that references the Administrative Procedure Act relative to the council's advice to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections on departmental policies; and
- (2) Delete language that requires the council to provide advisement and approval pertaining to a health electronic records system.

Representative Bacala offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendments. Without objection, the amendments were adopted by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Villio voted yea.

Representative LaFleur offered a motion to report House Bill No. 517 with amendments. Without objection, House Bill No. 517 was reported with amendments by a vote of 11 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 10 in support. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

Statements submitted in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee are as follows: 1 in support. Copies of these statements are included in the committee records.

Representative Marino in the chair.

House Bill No. 996 by Representative Bryant

Representative Bryant presented House Bill No. 996, which provides relative to the operation of charitable bingo.

Representative Muscarello stated that he had a potential conflict of interest and recused himself from voting on House Bill No. 996.

Representative Bryant offered amendments to:

- (1) Require a member of the licensed charity to be present only during call bingo games;
- (2) Provide that sales of progressive mega jackpot bingo on an Electronic Bingo Card Dabber Device shall not exceed 30 games per hour rather than six games per hour and remove the prohibition that the sales shall not exceed the gross sales of bingo and pulltabs in a single reporting quarter for any organization;

- (3) Relative to the definition of a session, remove the present law minimum of 12 hours between sessions, authorize a licensee to operate at no more than five premises for the purpose of charitable gaming activities, and provide that a session is limited to eight consecutive hours rather than six consecutive hours when the licensee possesses a special license; and
- (4) Repeal present law which requires at least one electronic dabber device to be used as a back up in the event a device in play malfunctions.

Representative Bryant offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendments. Without objection, the amendments were adopted by a vote of 8 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bryant, Fontenot, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Don Caffery, Association of Charitable Supporters, 543 Spanish Town Rd., Baton Rouge, LA 70802, (337) 280-6687, spoke in support of House Bill No. 996.

Luke Morris, deputy secretary, Louisiana Department of Revenue, 617 N. Third St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802, (225) 219-4059, spoke for information only on House Bill No. 996.

Heather Templet, Louisiana Department of Revenue, 617 N. Third St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802, (225) 219-5184, spoke for information only on House Bill No. 996.

Representative Villio offered a motion to report House Bill No. 996 with amendments. Without objection, House Bill No. 996 was reported with amendments by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Bryant, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 4 in support. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 629 by Representative Bryant

Representative Bryant presented House Bill No. 629, which provides relative to a search without a warrant of a person's place of residence for the odor of marijuana. Representative Bryant provided a handout, Exhibit E, which is included in the committee records.

Peter Robins-Brown, Louisiana Progress Action, 650 N. 6th St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802, (504) 256-8196, spoke in support of House Bill No. 629.

Tony Landry, Louisiana Veterans for Medical Cannabis, 213 Case Ln., Lafayette, LA 70506, (337) 412-2836, spoke in support of House Bill No. 629.

Representative Bryant offered a motion to report House Bill No. 629 favorably, to which Representative Bacala objected. The administrative assistant called the roll, and House Bill No. 629 was reported favorably by a vote of 7 yeas and 2 nays. Representatives Marino, Bryant, Fontenot, LaFleur, McCormick, Nelson, and Villio voted yea. Representatives Bacala and Seabaugh voted nay.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 18 in support and 1 in opposition. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

Statements submitted in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee are as follows: 2 in support. Copies of these statements are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 774 by Representative Glover

Representative Glover presented House Bill No. 774, which provides relative to expungements for certain amounts of possession of marijuana. Representative Glover provided a handout, Exhibit F, which is included in the committee records.

Alexis Yeboah-Kodie, Justice and Accountability Center, 4035 Washington Ave., Ste. 203, New Orleans, LA 70125, (504) 576-1434, spoke in support of House Bill No. 774.

Peter Robins-Brown, Louisiana Progress Action, 650 N. 6th St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802, (504) 256-8196, spoke in support of House Bill No. 774.

Elijah Crawford, Louisiana Progress, 650 N. 6th St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802, (971) 340-9907, spoke in support of House Bill No. 774.

Kevin Caldwell, Marijuana Policy Project, 2370 Champlain St. NW, Washington, DC 20009, (504) 914-1406, spoke in support of House Bill No. 774.

Tony Landry, Louisiana Veterans for Medical Cannabis, 213 Case Ln., Lafayette, LA 70506, (337) 412-2836, spoke in support of House Bill No. 774.

Anna Garcie, Sabine Parish district attorney's office, P.O. Box 1557, Many, LA 71449, (318) 256-6246, spoke in opposition to House Bill No. 774.

Debbie Hudnall, Louisiana Clerks of Court, 10202 Jefferson Hwy., Bldg. A., Baton Rouge, LA 70809, (225) 719-1115, spoke in opposition to House Bill No. 774.

On behalf of the author, Representative Marino offered an amendment to remove proposed law relative to the exemption of expungement fees for persons convicted of a misdemeanor offense

involving the possession of marijuana. Representative Marino offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendment. Without objection, the amendment was adopted by a vote of 10 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Bridget Hanna, Ascension Clerk of Court, 607 E. Worthey St., Gonzales, LA 70737, (225) 715-9298, spoke in opposition to House Bill No. 774.

Representative Bacala offered an amendment to provide that a person may file a motion to expunge a record of arrest and conviction for certain convictions of possession of marijuana after 180 days from the date of conviction. Representative Bacala offered a motion to adopt the proposed amendment. Without objection, the amendment was adopted by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Fontenot, Garofalo, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, and Seabaugh voted yea.

Representative Nelson offered a motion to report House Bill No. 774 with amendments. Without objection, House Bill No. 774 was reported with amendments by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Garofalo, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Nelson, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 19 in support and 4 in opposition. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

Statements submitted in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee are as follows: 6 in support. Copies of these statements are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 775 by Representative Glover

Representative Glover presented House Bill No. 775, which provides relative to the definition of drug paraphernalia.

Francis Dorsey, USA Sgt. Ret., Louisiana Cannabis Retailers Association, 413 Everett St., New Iberia, LA 70563, (337) 789-3986, spoke in support of House Bill No. 775.

Representative Bacala offered a motion to report House Bill No. 775 favorably. Without objection, House Bill No. 775 was reported favorably by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 16 in support and 1 for information only. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

Statements submitted in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee are as follows: 2 in support. Copies of these statements are included in the committee records.

House Bill No. 1028 by Representative Glover

Representative Glover presented House Bill No. 1028, which provides relative to penalties for possession or use of marijuana drug paraphernalia. Representative Glover provided a handout, Exhibit G, which is included in the committee records.

Representative Muscarello offered a motion to report House Bill No. 1028 favorably. Without objection, House Bill No. 1028 was reported favorably by a vote of 10 yeas and 0 nays. Representatives Marino, Bacala, Bryant, Garofalo, Goudeau, LaFleur, McCormick, Muscarello, Seabaugh, and Villio voted yea.

Witness cards submitted by individuals who did not speak are as follows: 20 in support. Witness cards are included in the committee records.

Statements submitted in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee are as follows: 1 in support. Copies of these statements are included in the committee records.

IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no announcements.

V. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 1:42 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Chairman Joseph A. Marino, III
House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice