

**ROLL CALL AND RECORD VOTE****Committee:** House and Governmental Affairs**Location:** Room 3**Date/Time:** 04/22/21 9:00 a.m.**Staff:** Patricia Lowrey-Dufour, Legislative Analyst  
Lorriane Lucas, Attorney  
Rosalie Ammersbach, Committee Administrative Assistant  
John Harrington, Clerk  
Vivian Hurst, Sergeant at Arms**Roll Call:** 16**Number of Members:** 18**Quorum:** 10**Convened:** 09:02 AM**Adjourned:** 11:54 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Present	
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Present	
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Present	
Deshotel, Daryl Andrew		Absent
Duplessis, Royce	Present	
Farnum, Les	Present	
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Present	
Hodges, Valarie	Present	
Horton, Dodie	Present	
Ivey, Barry		Absent
Jenkins, Sam	Present	
Johnson, Mike	Present	
LaCombe, Jeremy	Present	
Lyons, Rodney	Present	
Magee, Tanner	Present	
Newell, Candace N.	Present	
Thomas, Polly	Present	
White, Malinda	Present	

**HB27 by GREGORY MILLER**

Repeals certain adjudication, reporting, and notice requirements applicable to certain licensing boards and commissions

**Motion made by:** Stefanski, John M.**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 9:20:22 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

**HB27 by GREGORY MILLER****Final Action:** Reported favorably. (13-0)

**HB138 by FARNUM**

Provides for a supplemental annual canvass of registered voters

**Amendment:** Amendments distributed as 1125, 1439, and 1495**Motion made by:** Farnum, Les**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 9:33:50 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Thomas, Polly**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 14-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:24:06 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

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**HB138 by FARNUM****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (14-0)**HB139 by GADBERRY**

Requires specified members of the parish board of election supervisors to complete annual training relative to the preparation for and conduct of elections

**Amendment:** HCAHB139 4144 1496**Motion made by:** Thomas, Polly**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 14-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:49:32 AM

Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

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**HB139 by GADBERRY**

Requires specified members of the parish board of election supervisors to complete annual training relative to the preparation for and conduct of elections

**Motion made by:** Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"

**Motion:** With Amendments

**Vote:** 15-0

**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:50:06 AM

Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

**HB139 by GADBERRY**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (15-0)

**HB141 by STAGNI**

Requires persons conducting exit polls within six hundred feet of a polling place to register with the secretary of state

**Motion made by:** Hodges, Valarie

**Motion:** Favorably

**Vote:** 14-0

**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:46:43 AM

Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

**HB141 by STAGNI**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (14-0)

**HB167 by MIKE JOHNSON**

Provides for removal of deceased persons from voter registration rolls

**Amendment:** HCAHB167 4144 1442

**Motion made by:** Johnson, Mike

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

**Vote:** 14-0

**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:54:02 AM

Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

**HB167 by MIKE JOHNSON**

Provides for removal of deceased persons from voter registration rolls

**Motion made by:** Thomas, Polly**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 11:16:23 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea

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**HB167 by MIKE JOHNSON****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (13-0)**HB214 by CORMIER**

Provides relative to required orientation and training of new registrars of voters

**Amendment:** HCAHB214 4144 1261**Motion made by:** Stefanski, John M.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 10-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 11:49:02 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Jenkins, Sam**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 11:51:56 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea

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**HB214 by CORMIER****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (11-0)

**HB260 by GREGORY MILLER**

Provides for technical corrections and revision of provisions of Title 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes

**Amendment:** HCAHB260 3943 1187**Motion made by:** Stefanski, John M.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 14-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 9:22:45 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 9:29:00 AM

Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea

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**HB260 by GREGORY MILLER****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (11-0)**HB329 by LANCE HARRIS**

Changes age of a child who may accompany a parent or legal guardian into a voting machine

**Amendment:** HCAHB329 4144 1210**Motion made by:** Stefanski, John M.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 14-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:30:36 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

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**HB329 by LANCE HARRIS**

Changes age of a child who may accompany a parent or legal guardian into a voting machine

**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

**Motion:** With Amendments

**Vote:** 15-0

**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:33:27 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

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**HB329 by LANCE HARRIS**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (15-0)

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**HB330 by LANCE HARRIS**

Increases the number of commissioners for the presidential preference primary election

**Amendment:** HCAHB330 4144 1209

**Motion made by:** Stefanski, John M.

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

**Vote:** 15-0

**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:35:39 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Thomas, Polly

**Motion:** With Amendments

**Vote:** 15-0

**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:36:04 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

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**HB330 by LANCE HARRIS**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (15-0)

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**HB373 by BISHOP**

Establishes an exception to public records requirements for certain information by the secretary of state

**Motion made by:** Stefanski, John M.**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 11:53:12 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea

**HB373 by BISHOP****Final Action:** Reported favorably. (11-0)**HB388 by LANCE HARRIS**

Provides relative to the preparation and verification process of absentee and early voting ballots prior to election day

**Amendment:** HCAHB388 4144 1175**Motion made by:** Stefanski, John M.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 16-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:37:02 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beullieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

**Motion made by:** Hodges, Valarie**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 10:43:20 AM

Beullieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

**HB388 by LANCE HARRIS****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (13-0)

**HB581 by MIKE JOHNSON**

Makes revisions to the Louisiana Election Code

**Amendment:** HCAHB581 4144 1170**Motion made by:** Johnson, Mike**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 11:19:41 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea
White, Malinda	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Stefanski, John M.**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 11:23:16 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Hodges, Valarie	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea

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**HB581 by MIKE JOHNSON****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (12-0)**HR9 by ZERINGUE**

Provides for recommitment of any instrument with a specified fiscal impact to the Committee on Appropriations

**Motion made by:** Thomas, Polly**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/22/2021 11:47:33 AM

Stefanski, John M.	Yea
Beaulieu IV, Gerald "Beau"	Yea
Duplessis, Royce	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Horton, Dodie	Yea
Jenkins, Sam	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
Lyons, Rodney	Yea
Magee, Tanner	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Thomas, Polly	Yea

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**HR9 by ZERINGUE****Final Action:** Reported favorably. (12-0)



Adoption of minutes for committee meetings held on March 1 and June 21, 2016; September 30, October 1, October 7, October 14, October 20, 2020; and January 5, 2021

**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

<b>Motion:</b>	Adopt		
<b>Vote:</b>	11-0	Stefanski, John M.	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	4/22/2021 11:54:00 AM	Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
		Duplessis, Royce	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
		Hodges, Valarie	Yea
		Horton, Dodie	Yea
		Jenkins, Sam	Yea
		LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
		Lyons, Rodney	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

<b>Motion:</b>	Adjourn		
<b>Vote:</b>	11-0	Stefanski, John M.	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	4/22/2021 11:54:17 AM	Carter, Sr., Wilford	Yea
		Duplessis, Royce	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
		Hodges, Valarie	Yea
		Horton, Dodie	Yea
		Jenkins, Sam	Yea
		LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
		Lyons, Rodney	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea

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