

ROLL CALL AND RECORD VOTE**Committee:** Judiciary**Location:** Room 1**Date/Time:** 03/12/20 9:00 am**Staff:** Sadie Becnel, Attorney
Diane Merritt, Committee Administrative Assistant
Myrtis Jarrell, Sergeant at Arms
Brayden Simmons, Clerk

Roll Call:	13	Convened:	09:02 AM
Number of Members:	14	Adjourned:	11:02 AM
Quorum:	8		

Gaines, Randal L.	Present	
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Present	
Carter, Robby		Absent
Edmonston, Kathy	Present	
Hughes, Jason	Present	
Johnson, Mike	Present	
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Present	
Jordan, Edmond	Present	
Landry, Mandie	Present	
Mack, Sherman Q.	Present	
Marino III, Joseph A.	Present	
Muscarello, Nicholas	Present	
Pressly, Thomas A.	Present	
Stefanski, John M.	Present	

Consideration and adoption of committee rules

Motion made by: Hughes, Jason**Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 9:13:32 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB53 by JEFFERSON

Provides relative to the election of judges for the 2nd JDC

Amendment: A change date to signature of the governor**Motion made by:** Mack, Sherman Q.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 9:15:54 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB53 by JEFFERSON

Provides relative to the election of judges for the 2nd JDC

Motion made by: Mack, Sherman Q.**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 9:17:53 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB53 by JEFFERSON**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (13-0)**HB58 by RISER**

Provides relative to premium costs for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs of the Catahoula Parish Sheriff's Office

Motion made by: Johnson, Mike**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 9:22:06 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB58 by RISER**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (13-0)**HB62 by WILFORD CARTER**

Provides relative to the election of judges in the 14th JDC

Amendment: HCAHB62 3944 1100**Motion made by:** Gaines, Randal L.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:47:55 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB62 by WILFORD CARTER

Provides relative to the election of judges in the 14th JDC

Motion made by: Jones, Frederick Douglass**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:48:20 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB62 by WILFORD CARTER**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (13-0)**HB66 by FARNUM**

Provides relative to the jurisdictional amount in dispute for the City Court of Sulphur

Motion made by: Mack, Sherman Q.**Motion:** Defer Voluntary**Vote:** 8-4-1**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:42:53 AM**Objection by:** Hughes, Jason

Gaines, Randal L.	Abstain
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Nay
Johnson, Mike	Nay
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Nay
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Nay

HB66 by FARNUM**Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (8-4-1)**HB73 by SCHAMERHORN**

Provides with respect to the definition of "first responders"

Motion made by: Pressly, Thomas A.**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:56:47 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB73 by SCHAMERHORN**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (13-0)

HB76 by WILFORD CARTER

Provides relative to the magistrate judge position of the 14th JDC

Amendment: HCAHB76 3944 1106**Motion made by:** Gaines, Randal L.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:50:23 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

Motion made by: Jordan, Edmond**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:50:47 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB76 by WILFORD CARTER**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (13-0)**HB80 by ROMERO**

Provides relative to group health insurance for retired district attorneys

Amendment: HCAHB80 3944 1013**Motion made by:** Mack, Sherman Q.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:25:04 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB80 by ROMERO

Provides relative to group health insurance for retired district attorneys

Motion made by: Stefanski, John M.**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:25:27 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB80 by ROMERO**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (11-0)**HB95 by GREEN**

Provides for an increase in commissioner fees in the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District Court

Motion made by: Marino III, Joseph A.**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 9:43:41 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB95 by GREEN**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (12-0)**HB113 by AMEDEE**

Provides relative to the use of facility dogs in court

Motion made by: Stefanski, John M.**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:59:13 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB113 by AMEDEE**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (12-0)

HB116 by COX

Provides relative to the use of court costs and fees for services by constables and marshals

Amendment: HCAHB116 3944 1057**Motion made by:** Gaines, Randal L.**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 9:31:12 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

Motion made by: Stefanski, John M.**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 9:36:22 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB116 by COX**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (12-0)**HB229 by ECHOLS**

Provides that the Gulf Fritillary butterfly, also referred to as the passion butterfly, shall be the official state butterfly

Motion made by: Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 3/12/2020 10:30:46 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB229 by ECHOLS**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (11-0)

HB265 by MUSCARELLO

Provides relative to certain recordkeeping by the clerks of court

Motion made by: Mack, Sherman Q.

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 3/12/2020 11:01:02 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB265 by MUSCARELLO

Final Action: Reported favorably. (12-0)

HB400 by GARY CARTER

Provides for an extension of court costs collected by the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans

Motion made by: Hughes, Jason

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 13-0

Vote Date: 3/12/2020 9:27:13 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB400 by GARY CARTER

Final Action: Reported favorably. (13-0)

HB404 by FARNUM

Provides relative to clerks of court

Motion made by: Mack, Sherman Q.

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 3/12/2020 10:33:03 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB404 by FARNUM

Final Action: Reported favorably. (12-0)

HB420 by BACALA

Provides relative to minimum training requirements for law enforcement officers

Motion made by: Edmonston, Kathy

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 11-0

Vote Date: 3/12/2020 9:55:14 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB420 by BACALA

Final Action: Reported favorably. (11-0)

HB584 by SELDERS

Provides relative to the authorized uses of funds in the Crime Victims Reparations Fund

Motion made by: Pressly, Thomas A.

Motion: Defer Voluntary

Vote: 13-0

Vote Date: 3/12/2020 10:22:26 AM

Gaines, Randal L.	Yea
Bagala, Reggie Paul "Bagala"	Yea
Edmonston, Kathy	Yea
Hughes, Jason	Yea
Johnson, Mike	Yea
Jones, Frederick Douglass	Yea
Jordan, Edmond	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mack, Sherman Q.	Yea
Marino III, Joseph A.	Yea
Muscarello, Nicholas	Yea
Pressly, Thomas A.	Yea
Stefanski, John M.	Yea

HB584 by SELDERS

Final Action: Defer Voluntary. (13-0)
