

**ROLL CALL AND RECORD VOTE****Committee:** Natural Resources and Environment**Location:** Room 4**Date/Time:** 04/28/21 9:00 a.m.**Staff:** Robin Stalder, Attorney  
Tyler Bosworth, Legislative Analyst  
Trinicia Bryant, Committee Administrative Assistant  
Angela McKnight, Sergeant at Arms**Roll Call:** 15**Convened:** 09:11 AM**Number of Members:** 15**Adjourned:** 02:01 PM**Quorum:** 10

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Present
Bourriaque, Ryan	Present
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Present
Carrier, R. Dewith	Present
Cormier, Mack	Present
DeVillier, Phillip	Present
Geymann, Brett F.	Present
Kerner, Timothy P.	Present
Landry, Mandie	Present
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Present
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Present
Riser, Neil	Present
Romero, Troy D.	Present
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Present
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Present

**HB174 by HUVAL**

Provides relative to the Louisiana Municipal Natural Gas Purchasing and Distribution Authority

**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 10-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 1:50:34 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

**HB174 by HUVAL****Final Action:** Reported favorably. (10-0)**HB246 by COUSSAN**

Provides relative to the storage of hydrogen in underground reservoirs and salt domes

**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 10-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 1:52:14 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

**HB246 by COUSSAN****Final Action:** Reported favorably. (10-0)

**HB331 by BOURRIAQUE**

(Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes the state to enter into certain agreements with landowners concerning boundaries between state claimed and privately claimed water bottoms

**Amendment:** HCAHB331 3941 1747

**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

**Vote:** 10-0

**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 12:09:18 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Bourriaque, Ryan

**Motion:** With Amendments

**Vote:** 9-3

**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 1:46:58 PM

**Objection by:** Kerner, Timothy P.

Coussan, Jean-Paul	
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Nay
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Nay
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Nay

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**HB331 by BOURRIAQUE**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (9-3)

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**HB399 by CARRIER**

Allows state and private landowners to enter into boundary agreements concerning disputed property

**Amendment:** HCAHB399 3941 1749

**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

**Vote:** 11-0

**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 2:00:06 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**HB399 by CARRIER**

Allows state and private landowners to enter into boundary agreements concerning disputed property

**Amendment:** Concept Amendment**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 2:00:32 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Carrier, R. Dewith**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 2:00:48 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**HB399 by CARRIER****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (11-0)**HB537 by ROMERO**

Provides relative to solid waste permitted capacity

**Amendment:** HCAHB537 3209 1762**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 10-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 1:54:03 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Romero, Troy D.**Motion:** By Substitute**Vote:** 9-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 1:56:46 PM**Recused:** Schamerhorn, Rodney

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**HB537 by ROMERO****Final Action:** Reported by substitute. (9-0)

**HB572 by MALINDA WHITE**

Provides relative to the Carbon Dioxide Geologic Storage Trust Fund

**Amendment:** HCAHB572 3209 1818**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 15-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 10:29:35 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**Motion made by:** Romero, Troy D.**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 15-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 10:35:32 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**HB572 by MALINDA WHITE****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (15-0)**HB617 by MCCORMICK**

Establishes Louisiana as a fossil fuel sanctuary state

**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**Motion:** Defer Voluntary**Vote:** 15-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 10:09:49 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**HB617 by MCCORMICK****Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (15-0)

**HB626 by GAROFALO**

Authorizes flood protection authority spending across various levee districts

**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**Motion:** Defer Voluntary**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 2:01:12 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

**HB626 by GAROFALO****Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)**HB630 by HORTON**

Provides relative to the Cypress Black Bayou Recreation and Water Conservation District

**Amendment:** HCAHB630 3941 1636**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 15-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 10:37:45 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

**Amendment:** HCAHB630 3209 1832**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 12:03:08 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

**HB630 by HORTON**

Provides relative to the Cypress Black Bayou Recreation and Water Conservation District

**Motion made by:** Cormier, Mack

**Motion:** With Amendments

**Vote:** 13-0

**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 12:05:36 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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**HB630 by HORTON**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (13-0)

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**Motion made by:** Wheat Jr., William "Bill"

**Motion:** Adjourn

**Vote:** 12-0

**Vote Date:** 4/28/2021 2:01:28 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Bourriaque, Ryan	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

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