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**SIXTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Twenty-third Regular Session of the Legislature**  
**Under the Adoption of the**  
**Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives  
 State Capitol  
 Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, April 22, 1997

The House of Representatives was called to order at 1:30 P.M., by the Honorable H. B. "Hunt" Downer, Jr., Speaker of the House of Representatives.

**Morning Hour**

**ROLL CALL**

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezaire
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero
Baylor	Hill	Rousselle
Bowler	Holden	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Brun	Hudson	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Shaw
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Johns	Stelly
Copelin	Kennard	Strain
Crane	Kenney	Theriot
Curtis	Lancaster	Thomas
Damico	Landrieu	Thompson
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Deville	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Dupre	McMains	Welch
Durand	Michot	Weston
Farve	Mitchell	Wiggins

Faucheux	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Morrish	Windhorst
Forster	Murray	Winston
Frith	Odinet	Wright
Fruge	Perkins	
Total—104		

ABSENT

Jenkins  
 Total—1

The Speaker announced that there were 104 members present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Rep. Kenney.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Rep. Willard-Lewis led the House in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

**Reading of the Journal**

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the Journal of April 21, 1997, was adopted.

**Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau**

April 21, 1997

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the following report:

Senate Bill No. 1392  
 Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

JIMMY N. DIMOS  
 Chairman

**Petitions, Memorials and Communications**

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

**Message from the Senate**

**SENATE BILLS**

April 22, 1997

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has finally passed the following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill Nos. 892, 901, 921, 1074, and 1161

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III  
 Secretary of the Senate

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the rules were suspended in order to take up the bills contained in the message at this time.

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading**

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on first reading were taken up, read, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

**SENATE BILL NO. 892—**  
BY SENATOR JORDAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1891(A), relative to a class trust; to authorize the creation of class trusts in favor of some or all of a persons direct or collateral descendants; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 901—**  
BY SENATOR JORDAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3259.1(D) and (E) and to enact R.S. 9:3259.1(B)(8), relative to lessors' rights; to provide for a lien and privilege to lessors for unpaid rent, certain expenses, and the costs of the removal of abandoned or destroyed mobile homes or manufactured housing; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 921—**  
BY SENATOR ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732, relative to civil jury trials; to repeal the prohibition against jury trials in suits on admiralty or general maritime claims in state court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1074—**  
BY SENATORS ELLINGTON AND SHORT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:102.1(B) and to enact R.S. 3:2093(9) and R.S. 14:102(7) through (9), relative to animals; to prohibit tampering with livestock; to require the Louisiana State Livestock Sanitary Board to adopt rules to monitor compliance; to define terms; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1161—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2419, relative to scrap metal recycling; to prohibit the knowing and intentional delivery of certain scrap to a scrap metal collection and recycling facility; to require persons delivering scrap to these facilities to certify that certain prohibited materials have been removed; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent**

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 131—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND LEBLANC  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To adopt the remaining four years of the five-year capital outlay program.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1408—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:51(A)(19), relative to assistant district attorneys; to provide for additional assistant district attorneys for the Nineteenth Judicial District; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2334—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND MCCALLUM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:312(2) and 312.1(B), relative to courts of appeal; to provide election sections for the election of judges to the second district of the Court of Appeal for the Second Circuit; to provide for the assignment of judges to election sections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2335—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:196, relative to the care of minor children; to authorize a natural tutor to act on behalf of a minor in matters involving less than seven thousand five hundred dollars without qualifying for the office of tutor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**Report of the Committee on Environment**

April 22, 1997

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Environment to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 383, by Holden  
Reported with amendments. (11-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1817, by Holden  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1844, by Holden  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1874, by Perkins  
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

N. J. DAMICO  
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on Commerce**

April 22, 1997

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Commerce to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 149, by Rousselle  
Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 372, by Morrell  
Reported favorably. (13-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 469, by Green  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 481, by Doerge  
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 502, by Weston  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1602, by Donelon  
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1607, by Green  
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1724, by Wiggins  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2108, by Donelon  
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2262, by Willard-Lewis  
Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2298, by Pinac  
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

JOHN D. TRAVIS  
Chairman

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 25—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

A RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to directly involve the members of the Joint Committee on Prioritization of Highway Projects in the final selection of projects included in the highway priority program.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 26—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

A RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to prepare and present a list of qualified engineering consultants to the Joint Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works for final choice of consultant when such consultants are required for projects.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 124—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST AND CLARKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the initial paragraph of LAC 70:I.503 of the rules of the Department of Transportation and Development to redesignate the transit lanes of the Crescent City Connection Bridge in New Orleans.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 127—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Louisiana delegation to the United States Congress to seek and provide exemptions and waivers from federal requirements for lead paint removal in order to minimize the cost of repainting the Crescent City Connection Bridge in New Orleans.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 129—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to directly involve the members of the Joint Committee on Prioritization of Highway Projects in the final selection of projects included in the highway priority program.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 130—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to prepare and present a list of qualified engineering consultants to the Joint Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works for final choice of consultant when such consultants are required for projects.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—**

BY SENATOR GREENE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to coordinate a statewide system of providing braille books to visually impaired students by tracking the braille books already available and supplying funding for those books which are needed.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—**

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To designate September as "American Alligator Resource Month".

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Powell, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1013—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON

**AN ACT**

To repeal R.S. 33:1967.3 and 1972(E), relative to certain fire protection districts in St. Tammany Parish; to repeal provisions relative to operation of firefighting equipment and the supervision and structure of such departments.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1014—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 11:430, relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the purchase of service credit if member is covered by the settlement of "United

States v. Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, et al."; to provide with respect to employee and employer contributions relative thereto; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Retirement.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1015—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ILES

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1481(2), relative to the Assessors' Retirement Fund; to provide with respect to definitions, compensation, contributions, funds and funding, the computation and distribution of benefits and tax qualified status; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Retirement.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1016—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:558(D), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to expense allowances, average compensation, and the calculation of benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Retirement.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1407—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.1, relative to district judges; to provide for an additional judgeship for the First Judicial District Court; to provide for compensation of the additional judge; to provide for the election and term of office and those of the successors in office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1655—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9102(B) and to enact Part V of Chapter 31 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9131.5, relative to the Franklin Parish Communications District; to provide relative to the purposes of the district; to provide relative to enhancement of emergency telecommunications service; to provide relative to the service charges collected by the district including provisions relative to use of the proceeds from such charges, the rate of such charges, and the collection and enforcement of such charges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1656—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Sec. 3(11) and Sec. 4(a) of the Charter of Abbeville, Louisiana, a special legislative charter granted by Act No. 103 of the 1850 Session of the Legislature, as amended, relative to the authority of the chief of police; to authorize the chief of police to appoint, discipline, and discharge police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1903—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:201 and 2103(A) and (C), relative to port commissions; to provide for the boundaries of the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District and the West Calcasieu Port, Harbor and Terminal District; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2122—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:72.1, relative to the municipal school system in Baker, Louisiana; to create an interim school board for the system; to provide for board membership, including number of members, method of appointment, qualifications, terms of office, and vacancies; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the board; to provide limitations; to provide for applicability of certain statutory provisions relative to open meetings and public records; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Education.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2195—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9102(B) and to enact Part V of Chapter 31 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9131.5, relative to the Richland Parish Communications District; to provide relative to the purposes of the district; to provide relative to enhancement of emergency telecommunications service; to provide relative to the service charges collected by the district including provisions relative to use of the proceeds from such charges, the rate of such charges, and the collection and enforcement of such charges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2326—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:844(A)(12) and (H), 855(11) and (13), and 856(1) and to repeal R.S. 22:844.2, relative to investments of domestic insurers; to repeal the use of investments in certain open-end or closed-end management type investment companies; to remove the limitations of certain percentages; to repeal the use of investments in data processing equipment by certain insurers; to permit the use of goodwill by an insurer under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2327—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2018, relative to public hearings by the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for certain issues; to provide for environmental assessment statements; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Environment.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2328—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:3012(A), relative to self-insurers; to provide for examinations of self-insurers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2329—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1907, relative to census data; to create the Advisory Commission for Census 2000; to provide for the members, powers, and duties of such commission; to provide for the termination of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2330—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE THERIOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1421(C), relative to deferred compensation plans; to provide for participation by sheriffs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2331—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.46, relative to motor vehicle registration; to provide for Special Olympics prestige license plates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2332—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS AND PERKINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2053(4), (5), (6), and (7) and 2055.1, relative to noise pollution and nuisance actions; to exempt sport shooting ranges from noise and nuisance actions; to provide for definitions; to provide for limits and exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2333—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 433(A)(2) and 434(C) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 434(D), relative to grand jury proceedings; to provide that testimony of certain parties before grand jury investigation can be used to impeach testimony in criminal proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions  
Reported by Committees**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions reported by committees were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 8—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
A RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to erect signs on both the northbound and southbound lanes of I-10 at exits 206 and 209 in LaPlace to notify the public that the exits provide lodging, food, gas, and a hospital.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to erect signs on both the northbound and southbound lanes of I-10 at exits 206 and 209 in LaPlace to notify the public that the exits provide lodging, food, gas, and a hospital.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development to conduct the requisite study and make a determination as to the necessity of installing a traffic light at the intersection of the Cannatas Supermarket driveway and Berwick Road in Berwick, Louisiana.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to provide funding for construction of an interchange on Interstate 10 near Reserve, Louisiana, in St. John the Baptist Parish.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to erect large signs to warn motorists approaching a location recognized for very strict enforcement of speed limits on highways and the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism to include a listing of those locations recognized for very strict enforcement of speed limits in its literature available to tourists.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to submit a study which evaluates the hazardous road conditions on LA Hwy. 150 from the Ruston city limits on the west and the Simsboro city limits on the east and to suggest improvements which might alleviate the existing dangerous conditions.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 111—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to install "Slow-School Zone" signs on Louisiana Highway 73 (Old Jefferson Highway) near Oak Grove Elementary School in Ascension Parish.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on  
Second Reading Reported by Committees**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading reported by committees were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 18—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE

**A JOINT RESOLUTION**

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 7(C) and Article IV, Sections 6, 14, and 15 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the lieutenant governor to be president and presiding officer of the Senate; to include the president pro tempore of the Senate in the line of succession to fill a vacancy in the office of governor; to provide for the president pro tempore of the Senate to discharge the duties of lieutenant governor if a vacancy occurs in that office; to provide for effective dates; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 198—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, R. ALEXANDER, CLARKSON, DEVILLE, DEWITT, FLAVIN, MICHOT, PERKINS, PINAC, JACK SMITH, THOMPSON, AND WIGGINS AND SENATORS BEAN AND SHORT

**AN ACT**

To enact Chapter IV of Code Title XV of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3889 through 3897, relative to real estate transactions; to provide relative to dual agents; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 198 by Representative Travis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 8, line 20, delete "July 1" and insert in lieu thereof "March 1"

On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 200—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 37: 1455(A)(21) and 1467, relative to real estate agency disclosure; to provide that licensees shall provide parties to a real estate transaction with an agency disclosure form or pamphlet; to provide that the Louisiana Real Estate Commission may prescribe such forms or pamphlets; to provide for causes for censure, suspension, or revocation of license, registration, or certification; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 200 by Representative Travis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "37:" insert 1455(A)(21) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after the semi-colon ";" insert "to provide for causes for censure, suspension, or revocation of license, registration, or certification;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "37:" insert 1455(A)(21) and" and after "1467" delete "is" and insert in lieu thereof "are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 9 and 10 insert the following;

"§1455. Causes for censure, suspension, or revocation of license, registration, or certification

A. The commission may censure a licensee, registrant, or certificate holder or conditionally or unconditionally suspend or revoke any license, registration, or certificate issued under this Chapter, or impose continuing education requirements on licensees, registrants, or certificate holders if, in the opinion of the commission, a licensee, registrant, or certificate holder is performing or attempting to perform or has performed or has attempted to perform any of the following acts:

\* \* \*

(21) Failure of a licensee to provide the parties to a real estate transaction with an agency disclosure informational pamphlet and, where applicable, a dual agency disclosure form.

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AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 4, after "disclosure" delete "form or pamphlet." and insert "informational pamphlet, and where applicable, a dual agency disclosure form as required by law."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 5, after "such" and before "forms" insert "agency disclosure"

On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 287—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROUSSELLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1437(C)(6)(c)(iv), relative to real estate brokers and salespersons; to permit brokers and salespersons who have been on inactive status to cumulate continuing education hours; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 294—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:127(C) and to enact R.S. 13:3733.1(J), relative to financial institutions; to provide for the admissibility into evidence of promissory notes and certain other records which contain signatures which are created and stored by electronic or digital means; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 384—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JETSON  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide with respect to extraordinary sessions of the legislature; to provide that the legislature may legislate generally or specifically with respect to any object included in the proclamation convening the session, including any additional or alternative approach to any such object; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 391—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE AND SENATOR DEAN  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VI, Section 38(A)(3) and (4) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide that the legislature may abolish a levee district or levee and drainage district; to provide for the transfer of the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the board of commissioners; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Engrossed House Bill No. 391 by Representative Triche

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 19, after "abolish" and before "levee" insert "certain"

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered reengrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.



**HOUSE BILL NO. 456—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:278(D), relative to the commissioner of alcoholic beverage control and his agents; to grant them ex officio notary public status for limited purposes relating to applications for permits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 456 by Representative Toomy

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, delete "notary publics" and insert "notaries public" and after "their" and before "territorial" insert "respective"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14 "permits" and before "to" insert "required of the office of alcohol beverage control"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 12 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(2) All acts performed by such an ex officio notary public authorized by this Subsection shall be performed without charge or other compensation and without the necessity of giving bond.

"(3) The commissioner may suspend or terminate the authority of an agent to act as an ex officio notary at any time, and separation from the employ of the office of alcohol beverage control shall automatically terminate the powers of such an ex officio notary public."

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 461—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIMOS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3509(B)(2), 4331.1(A), and 4770, and R.S. 10:9-102(1), 9-105(1)(h), and 9-201, relative to commercial transactions; to define "goods", provide for the effect of a security agreement, provide for applicability of provisions governing secured transactions and preference of ranking rules under Chapter 9 of the Louisiana Commercial Laws; to provide for the sale of promissory notes; to clarify the rate of interest applicable to certain commercial, business, or agricultural loans after declaration of default; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 461 by Representative Dimos

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "9:3509(B)(2)" delete the remainder of the line and insert a comma "," and "4331.1(A), and 4770, and R.S. 10:9-102(1), 9-105(1)(h),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "agreement, provide for" and before "preference" insert "applicability of provisions governing secured transactions and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 5, after the semicolon ";" add "to provide for the sale of promissory notes;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 10, after "9:3509(B)(2)" and before "and" insert a comma "," and "4331.1(A),"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"§4331.1. Sale of promissory notes, other evidence of indebtedness or other obligations without delivery by mortgage companies, finance companies, and other lenders

A. As a limited exception to the Civil Code Articles on Sales, and provided that all of the following conditions are satisfied, there shall be no requirement that promissory notes or other evidences of indebtedness or other obligations, be delivered physically to and retained by the transferee or its agent, or that the debtors thereunder be notified of such sale, in order for the sale to be complete and perfected for all purposes and with respect to third persons:

(1) The sale shall be made pursuant to a written sales agreement signed by the parties. The promissory notes or other evidences of indebtedness or other obligations subject to sale need not be specifically described in detail. A reasonable description of the notes, other written evidences of indebtedness, or other obligations shall be sufficient. When the sale is made pursuant to a continuing arrangement between the parties, the sales agreement may provide for future sales of similar notes or instruments other evidences of indebtedness or other obligations without further description.

(2) The seller writes, affixes, or otherwise stamps a notice on the face or reverse side of such notes or other written evidences of indebtedness or other obligations, or notes in its computer files or records, that such notes, other written evidences of indebtedness or other obligations are being sold to the transferee or will be sold to the transferee pursuant to a continuing arrangement without the necessity of description. The notice may take any form, provided the transferee is or may be reasonably identified.

(3) The sale is bona fide and not intended to defraud the rights of legitimate third party creditors of the seller.

(4) The seller is a bank, savings bank, savings and loan association, credit union, or corporation, partnership, trust, or association that is regularly engaged in the business of making or purchasing loans and notes, whether made on a secured or unsecured basis, as a mortgage company, consumer or commercial finance company, or other type of lender. The seller may also be a subsidiary of any of the foregoing, or a subsidiary of a subsidiary of any of the foregoing, whether or not such subsidiary is regularly engaged in the business of making or purchasing loans or notes.

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AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 19, after "includes" and before "standing" insert "the vendee's interest in"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 20, after "a" and before "conveyance" insert "properly recorded act of"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 20, after "sale" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"of standing timber to such vendee; however, the standing timber will become "goods" only after the conveyance or contract for sale, in proper form, has been recorded in the conveyance records of the parish in which the standing timber is located."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, at the beginning of line 21, insert """Goods" also includes"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 21, after "crops" change the semicolon ";" to a period "." and add the following:

"As used herein, a conveyance or contract for sale of standing timber shall be in proper form only if it includes the name(s) of the record owner(s) of the immovable property upon which the standing timber is located, the name and tax identification number of the vendee (who has the right to cut the standing timber), and contains a legal description of the immovable property (on which the standing timber is located) adequate for purposes of conveying such immovable property. It is further provided that the standing timber ceases to be "goods", if the standing timber is not actually cut and removed by the vendee (or his assignee) under the recorded conveyance or contract for sale within the time period provided for in the conveyance or contract for sale, and any security interest granted in the standing timber by the vendee (under the conveyance or contract of sale) will automatically terminate, if the standing timber is not timely cut and removed in accordance with the recorded conveyance or contract of sale;"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, after line 10, add the following:

"Section 3. R.S. 10:9-102(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§9-102. Policy and subject matter of Chapter

(1) Except as otherwise provided in R.S. 10:9-104 on excluded transactions, this Chapter applies:

(a) to any transaction (regardless of its form) which is intended to create a security interest in personal property or fixtures including goods, documents, instruments, general intangibles, chattel paper or accounts;

(b) to any sale of accounts or chattel paper, provided that the application of this Chapter to the sale of accounts or chattel paper is not to recharacterize the sale of accounts or chattel paper as a transaction to secure indebtedness but to protect purchasers of accounts or chattel paper by providing a notice filing system; and also

(c) to consignments.

For all purposes, in the absence of a finding of fraud or intentional misrepresentation, the parties' characterization of a transaction as a sale of accounts or chattel paper shall be conclusive that the transaction is a sale and is not a secured transaction and that title, legal and equitable, has passed to the party characterized as the purchaser of the accounts or chattel paper, regardless of whether the secured party has any recourse against the debtor, whether the debtor is entitled to any surplus, or any other term of the parties' agreement.

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Section 4. Section 3 of this Act is intended to clarify existing law and applies to prior sales of accounts and chattel paper consummated on and after January 1, 1990."

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 553—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2156.1(D)(3), relative to the licensure of contractors; to provide for ineligibility of service as a qualifying party for any person found cheating on a board examination; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 553 by Representative Travis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "has" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 13 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"engaged in deceptive practices when taking or attempting to take any board examination, such person shall"

On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 554—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150.1(7), relative to contractors; to provide for definition of "person"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 555—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150.1(4), relative to contractors; to provide for definition of "contractor"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 556—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2152(A)(3)(a) and (4)(a), relative to State Licensing Board for Contractors; to provide for appointments from the field of mechanical construction; to provide for appointments from the field of electrical construction; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 557—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2153(F), relative to contractors; to provide for powers of the State Licensing Board for Contractors; to allow for delegation of powers and duties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 558—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2156.1(C) and (D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c), relative to licensure of contractors; to provide for requirements for issuance of a license; to provide for qualification as a qualifying party; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 559—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2162(A) and (I), relative to violations of the provisions regulating contractors; to provide for payment of litigation expenses; to provide for assessment of penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 560—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2158(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 37:2158(A)(8) and (9), relative to contractors; to provide relative to revocation, suspension, and renewal of license; to provide for issuance of cease and desist orders; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 561—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2163(E), relative to contractors; to provide for hearings and imposition of fines by the board for violations of bid procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 561 by Representative Travis

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## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 2, after "who" and before "violates" insert "intentionally"

On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 562—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2167(D), relative to licensure as a residential building contractor; to eliminate provisions for the waiver of examination requirements in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 562 by Representative Travis

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, after line 9, insert the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective on January 1, 1998."

On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 563—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150 and 2150.1(7), relative to contractors; to provide for inclusion of certain public construction projects; to provide for definition of "person"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 563 by Representative Travis

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "of" and before "public" insert "certain"

## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, after "projects" and before "to" insert ", except those projects undertaken by those state entities with expressed statutory authority to construct."

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 12, after "subdivision" and before "performing" insert ", except those state entities with expressed statutory authority to construct."

On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 825—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES QUEZAIRE AND BAUDOIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2014.2, relative to environmental impact statements; to provide for permits; to provide for requirements; to provide for exemptions; to provide for risk assessment; to provide for rules; to provide for public comment; to provide for review; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Environment.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Environment to Original House Bill No. 825 by Representatives Quezaire and Baudoin

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 15 in insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A. The department shall not grant or issue a permit applied for that will authorize any of the activities provided for herein unless the requirements of Subsection C of this Section have first been met. The activities subject to these requirements are as follows:

(1) The emission by a new facility of toxic air pollutants which would classify the facility as a major source under R.S. 30:2060.

(2) The discharge by a new facility of water pollutants sufficient enough to classify the facility as a major source of water pollutants under the rules of the department.

(3) The release by a new facility to on-site land or into an injection well of more than ten thousand pounds annually of toxic chemicals that are reportable in Louisiana's Toxic Release Inventory."

## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 1, 2, and 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B. This Section shall not apply to existing facilities or to new units inside existing facilities."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, after line 3, insert the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided in Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

On motion of Rep. Damico, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Damico, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 871—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIMOS  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 1-A of Subtitle XXII of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:5252 through 5259, relative to certain real estate transactions; to create the Good Funds Settlement Act; to provide relative to the duty of the settlement agent and the duty of the lender, purchaser, or seller in certain real estate transactions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 896—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARVE (BY REQUEST)  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article IV, Section 5(E)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the granting of reprieves, pardons, and remissions of fines by the Board of Pardons; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Engrossed House Bill No. 896 by Representative Farve

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 20, delete "To authorize the Board of Pardons" and insert in lieu thereof "To transfer the authority"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 21, after "fines" and before "and" insert "to the Board of Pardons"

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 901—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:191(H), relative to notaries public; to authorize a notary appointed and qualified in Caddo, Bossier, Bienville, Claiborne, DeSoto, or Webster Parish to exercise notarial functions in all such parishes, without additional bonding or further application or examination; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 974—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON, DEVILLE, FLAVIN, FRUGE, HEBERT, JOHNS, MICHOT, SCALISE, AND WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 2534, relative to the contract of sale and the action for redhibition; to provide for the prescriptive period within which to institute a claim in redhibition against "good faith" sellers of commercial immovable property; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1020—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1580(B)(4), relative to assessment and collection procedures; to suspend the running of prescription for taxes in bankruptcy cases; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1022—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1565(A), 1566(B), and 1568, relative to assessment and collection procedures; to allow notices to be

mailed to an address other than that on the last report filed; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 1022 by Representatives Alario and DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, after "obtainable" and before the period "." insert "from the United States Postal Service or from United States Postal Service certified software"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 10, after "obtainable" and before the period "." insert "from the United States Postal Service or from United States Postal Service certified software"

On motion of Rep. Alario, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1023—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1578, relative to the collection of taxes owed to the state; to provide for the authority of the secretary of the Department of Revenue and Taxation to compromise a judgment for taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 1023 by Representatives Alario and DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 6, after "that" and before the colon ":" insert "any of the following apply"

On motion of Rep. Alario, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1026—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.85(B), to correct an incorrect statutory reference as to the alternative minimum tax; to provide for the applicability and effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1035—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2420(A), relative to interest estate transfer taxes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1037—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1580(C) and to repeal R.S. 47:1580(A)(5), to provide that the failure to file any return reporting any state income tax shall interrupt the running of prescription until the subsequent filing of that return; to provide for applicability of these provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 1037 by Representative Alario

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "state" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 4 delete "interest, penalty, or other charge" and insert "income tax"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 11, after "state" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 12 delete "excise, interest, penalty, or other charge" and insert "income tax required to be filed by this Subtitle"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 13, after "prescription" and before "until" insert "and prescription shall not commence to run again"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 13, at the end of the line, insert "Once prescription commences to run, the tax, license, excise, interest, penalty, or other charge which is reported on such return shall prescribe in three years after the thirty-first day of December of the year of the filing of the return."

On motion of Rep. Alario, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1039—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1519, relative to payment of taxes; to provide for the use of credit or debit cards; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1040—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1562, 1563, and 1564, to change the procedure for determining tax liability and the time period allowed for taxpayer response to proposed assessments for certain taxpayers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1041—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1516(B) and (G) and to enact R.S. 47:1516(H), (I), and (J), to authorize the secretary of the Department of Revenue and Taxation to enter into contracts with outside debt collection agencies for the collection of tax liabilities for which the department's statutory collection efforts have been exhausted and that have been deemed to be uncollectible; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 1041 by Representatives Alario and DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "and (G)" delete the comma "," and insert "and to enact R.S. 47:1516(H), (I), and (J),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 9, insert "and R.S. 47:1516(H), (I), and (J) are hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"H. A contract for collection of a tax obligation may be entered into five years after the due date of the applicable tax return.

I. The provisions of this Section shall not be construed as granting authorization to the secretary to transfer any income tax obligation due to the state to any other party.

J. The provisions of this Section shall not apply if any payment arrangement has previously been made with the department for satisfaction of any tax obligation due the state."

On motion of Rep. Alario, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1166—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1925.1 and 1925.2(A)(1); to create an assessment district in East Feliciana Parish to fund the office of the assessor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1167—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1908(A)(19) and (C)(1), relative to the assessor's expense account in East Feliciana Parish; to provide for an increase in such account; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1181—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 2:605.1, relative to airport operators; to provide airport operators the option of collecting rentals, fees, and other charges from customers of tenant auto rental companies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 1181 by Representative Montgomery

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "to airport" change "authorities" to "operators"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, change "authorities" to "operators"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, change "authority" to "airport operator"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 15, after "for an" change "authority" to "airport operator"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 15, after "if an" change "authority" to "airport operator"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 17, after "the" change "authority" to "airport operator"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 7, change "authority's" to "airport operator's" and change "terminal" to "facilities"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the beginning of line 10, insert "customarily" before "paid"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 10, after "by the" and before "customers" insert "rental car"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 10, after "on the" and before "contract" insert "automobile rental"

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1184—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1201.3(A), relative to the payment of workers' compensation benefits; to provide that judicial interest on a hearing officer's award shall run from the date the workers' compensation payment was due; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

On motion of Rep. Forster, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1270—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE AND FRITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:863.1(C)(1)(b), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for the seizure and sequestration of vehicles which are operated without proof of insurance; to provide for the redemption of those vehicles; to provide for the disposition of vehicles which are not redeemed; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 1270 by Representatives Triche and Frith

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 14, after "within" and before "working" change "ten" to "five"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 21, after "sticker" and before "cause" change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 27, after "officer" and before "cause" change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 2, after "criminal" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 through 6 in their entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:



"sanctions for noncompliance of the Compulsory Motor Vehicle Liability Security Act, if any, have been successfully resolved; that the owner has complied with the security requirements of R.S. 32:861, provided, however, that if the vehicle is covered by an automobile liability policy, the owner shall provide proof of a prepaid insurance policy effective for a minimum of six months; that the owner show proof of ability to pay any damages caused by the vehicle while the vehicle was not covered by insurance or security; and that the owner pay all costs"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, at the end of line 11, insert the following:

"The Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, subject to the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, shall adopt rules and regulations governing the issuance of a clearance letter to be issued to the owner of a vehicle impounded pursuant to this Subparagraph and the setting of the rates for the towing and storage of the vehicles impounded pursuant to this Subparagraph."

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1307—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1783, relative to trusts and trustees; to provide for what persons and entities may serve as trustees of a trust; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 1307 by Representative Travis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 17 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A. ~~★ Only the following persons or entities may serve as a trustee must be of a trust established pursuant to this Code:~~

~~(1) a natural person enjoying full capacity to contract who is a citizen; or resident alien; of the United States;~~

~~(2) or a bank or trust company~~ A federally insured depository institution organized under the laws of Louisiana, another state, or of the United States domiciled in this state, subject only to the restrictions applicable to national banks or a trust company organized under the laws of Louisiana.

~~B. or in the case of a trust for mixed private and charitable purposes, ca~~ A nonprofit corporation or trust for educational, charitable, or religious purposes that is designated as income or

principal beneficiary may serve as trustee of a trust for mixed private or charitable purposes."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 10 in their entirety

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1351—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 1 of Code Title III of Code Book I of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:151 through 181, relative to the uniform disposition of unclaimed property; to define certain terms; to provide for various presumptions of abandonment of property; to provide for proceeds derived in class actions; to provide for limitations on dormancy charges; to provide for the burden of proof when the unclaimed obligation is evidenced by negotiable instruments; to provide various penalties for noncompliance; to provide for attorney fees in litigated enforcement actions; to provide for rules of confidentiality; to provide for limitations on agreements to locate property; to provide for the periods of time after which abandonment will be presumed for corporate stock, gift certificates, and for certain life insurance obligations; to provide for issuance of duplicate certificates and provide for liability respecting the property delivered; to authorize the Department of Revenue and Taxation to retain a certain percentage of the total unclaimed property collections for each year for administrative expenses; to provide for the statute of limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 1351 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, line 11, change "five" to "seven"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 16, between lines 13 and 14, add the following:

"C. If there has been no response from the owner of the property within one hundred eighty days after publication of the notice, the administrator shall notify the owner in writing, United States regular postage prepaid, at his last known address that the property of the owner is in the protective custody of the administrator."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 20, line 7, after "is" and before "entitled" delete "not"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 20, line 9, after "administrator" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete line 10

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1375—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:804 and to enact R.S. 22:1113(B)(4), relative to professional law corporations; to provide that a professional law corporation or any limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or partnership may be licensed as a title insurance agency; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 1375 by Representative Donelon

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "12:804" and before the comma "," insert "and to enact R.S. 22:1113(B)(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "corporation" and before "may" insert "or any limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or partnership"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, after line 13, add the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 22:1113(B)(4) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1113. Requirements; general license; penalties; validity of contracts

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(4) Any professional law corporation formed pursuant to R.S. 12:801 et seq. or any limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or partnership formed for the practice of law, as authorized by R.S. 37:213, may be licensed as a title insurance agent or title insurance agency.

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On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1453—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FORSTER AND DONELON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2252, 2253(2) and (4) and 2254(A) and R.S. 51:2231, 2232(3), 2235(16)(a), 2236(A), 2237(2), 2246, and 2257(H)(2)(b), to enact Chapter 3-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 23:301 through 354, and R.S. 51:2232(12) and (13), to repeal R.S. 23:892 and 893 and Parts IV, VII and VIII of Chapter 9 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 23:971 through 975, 1001 through 1004, and 1006 through 1008, R.S. 46:2253(7), (8), (9), and (19), and 2254(B), (C), (D), and (E), and R.S. 51:2232(4), (5), and (7), and 2242, 2243, 2244, and 2245, relative to employment discrimination; to consolidate employment discrimination provisions of law into one Chapter of law; to provide relative to age discrimination; to provide relative to disability discrimination; to provide relative to race, color, religion, sex, and national origin discrimination; to provide relative to pregnancy, childbirth, and related medical conditions discrimination; to provide relative to sickle cell trait discrimination; to remove references to employment discrimination in other Sections of law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to Original House Bill No. 1453 by Representatives Forster and Donelon

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 19, change "to" to "the" and delete lines 20 through 21 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof "procurement of employees for an employer or the procurement of opportunities for employees to work for an employer."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 8, after "entity," insert "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 10, after "and" insert a comma "," and after "return" insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 11, delete "to"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 12, after "individual" delete the comma "," and after "way" delete the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 14, after "employment opportunities" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 23, after "membership" delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, line 12, change "to" to "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 16, after "E" delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, line 17, after "plan" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 6, line 1, after "seeking" delete "compensatory damages,"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, line 16, after "entity," insert "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 6, line 18, after "and" insert a comma " , " and after "return" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 7, delete lines 6 through 10 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(3) "Disabled person" means any person who has a physical or mental impairment which substantially limits one or more of the major life activities, or has a record of such impairment, or is regarded as having such an impairment."

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 7, line 19, after "employer," insert "may" and after "not" delete "to"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 7, line 20, change the semicolon " ; " to a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 7, line 21, change the semicolon " ; " to a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 9, line 1, after "employment" delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 9, line 9, after "refuse to" change "hire, or promote" to "hire or to promote"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 9, line 17, after "specific" change "job or are" to "job, or which are"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 9, line 19, after "refuse to" change "hire, or promote" to "hire or to promote"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 10, line 2, after "elicits" insert a comma " , " and after "elicit" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 10, line 5, after "information" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 10, line 6, after "information" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 10, line 16, after "against" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 10, line 25, after "or" change "of" to "as"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 11, line 2, after "apprenticeship," change "on the job" to "on-the-job"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 11, line 19, after "necessity" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 11, at the beginning of line 24, delete "the individual" and insert in lieu thereof "himself"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 12, line 4, delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 12, line 5, delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 12, line 7, after "against" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 12, line 21, after "entity," insert "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 12, line 23, after "and" insert a comma " , " and after "return" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 14, line 7, delete "to"

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 14, line 8, delete "to"

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## AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 14, line 11, delete "to"

## AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 14, line 12, after "individual" delete the comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 14, line 14, after "opportunities" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 14, line 23, after "programs" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 15, line 4, after "publish" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 15, line 5, after "published" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 15, line 12, after "discrimination" delete the comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 16, line 9, after "classify" delete the comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 16, line 14, after "program" delete the comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 16, line 17, change "to" to "for"

## AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 17, line 5, after "compensation" delete the comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 17, line 8, after "production" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 17, line 13, after "test" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 18, line 15, after "origin" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 19, line 4, after "entity," insert "or"

## AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 19, line 6, after "and" insert a comma "₂" and after "return" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 21, line 20, after "association," insert "or"

## AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 21, line 21, after "and" insert a comma "₂" and after "return" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 22, line 5, after "opportunities" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 22, line 18, delete "to"

## AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 22, line 19, after "individual" delete the comma "₂" and on line 20, after "way" delete the comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 22, at the end of line 21, after "opportunities" insert a comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 23, line 3, after "membership" delete the comma "₂"

## AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 26, at the beginning of line 20, after "forty years of age" delete the remainder of the line

## AMENDMENT NO. 61

On page 30, line 4, delete "1997; if" and insert in lieu thereof "1997. If"

On motion of Rep. Forster, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Forster, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1500—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:451(C) and 458(B) through (E) and to enact R.S. 36:458(F), relative to the Department of Revenue and Taxation; to provide for the areas of responsibility for the offices within the department; to add the office of legal affairs and to provide for the supervision and management of the office; to provide for the functions and responsibilities of the office; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1516—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2365.1, relative to hazardous materials; to provide for storage; to provide for railroads and switching yards; to provide for penalties; to provide for liability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Environment.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Environment to Original House Bill No. 1516 by Representative Guillory

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, at the end of the line add the following:

"The provisions of this Section shall not apply to railroad facilities that are located within the boundaries of a chemical manufacturing or processing plant."

On motion of Rep. Damico, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Damico, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1609—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1103(D), relative to workers' compensation; to provide that an insurer shall grant a credit to an employer for recovery on a lien in a third party matter; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to Original House Bill No. 1609 by Representative Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, after "insured a" insert "net"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 11, and insert in lieu thereof "which shall be applied to the insured's experience ratio calculation, for"

On motion of Rep. Forster, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Forster, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1639—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3143(1) and (3), 3144(B)(4)(a) and (c) and (16), and 3145, relative to the New Home Warranty Act; to provide for the definitions of "builder" and "home"; to provide for exclusions to warranties; to provide for required notice; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 1639 by Representative Schneider

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, insert "and" and after "3145," and before "relative" delete "and 3150,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 5 and at the beginning of line 6, delete "to provide for the exclusiveness of the provisions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 9, insert "and" and after "3145" and before "are" delete", and 3150"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 27, after "after" and before "manifestation" insert "knowledge of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete lines 5 through 12 in their entirety

On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1696—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FORSTER, DOWNER, AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1271(A)(3), relative to workers' compensation; to authorize parties to waive expiration of six months before settling certain claims; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

On motion of Rep. Forster, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1744— BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1504(C), relative to transportation of hazardous materials; to provide for inspection of rail cars transporting hazardous materials; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Environment.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Environment to Original House Bill No. 1744 by Representative Guillory

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 9, after "the" and before "inspection" insert "periodic"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 11, after "from" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 12, and insert in lieu thereof

"a railroad switching yard located outside of the property boundaries of chemical manufacturing or processing plants."

On motion of Rep. Damico, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Damico, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1821— BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Art. 2375(A) and (C) and R.S. 9:2801(1)(a) and (2), relative to community property; to provide retroactive effect of termination of the community property regime to the date of filing of the original petition in certain cases; to clarify the time within which a party must file or traverse a sworn detailed descriptive list; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 1821 by Representative McCain

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after "within" and before "a" insert "which"

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1943— BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2799(A), relative to offenses and quasi offenses; to limit the liability of food banks and donors of wild game for distribution to on-premises feeding programs; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1956— BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:863.1(C)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 32:863.1(F), relative to motor vehicle security; to allow a law enforcement officer to issue a traffic citation to an owner of a motor vehicle registered in another state for lack of liability security; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 1956 by Representative Martiny

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "and (G)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, after "(F)" delete "and (G) are" and insert in lieu thereof "is"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 5 through 14 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"F. (1) Every owner or lessee of a self-propelled motor vehicle registered in another state which is involved in a traffic accident or collision in Louisiana shall provide one of the documents comparable to those listed in Subsection A evidencing that the motor vehicle is covered by a valid policy of automobile insurance. If the operator of the motor vehicle is unable to show such proof, a notice of noncompliance shall be issued."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the beginning of line 15, delete "G.(1)" and insert "(2)" and after "If" delete "an" and insert "the" and after "operator of" delete "a" and insert "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 16, after "noncompliance" delete "and the vehicle is registered in another state"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 19, after "proof that" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the beginning of line 20, delete "vehicle was registered or"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the beginning of line 22, change "(2)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, at the beginning of line 23, change "G(1)" to "(2)"

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2022—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:863.2(A)(1) and (2), relative to compulsory automobile insurance; to provide for notification of issuance and cancellation of insurance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 2022 by Representative Frith

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 17, after "security" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "within 30 days from"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, after "security" and before "issued" delete "is" and insert "was"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 7, after "ineffective" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "within thirty days of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 8, after "security" and before "ineffective" delete "becomes" and insert in lieu thereof "became"

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2047—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:862(G)(3), relative to proof of insurance; prohibits persons from presenting altered or counterfeited proof of insurance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2056—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1415, relative to family courts; to provide family courts with exclusive jurisdiction over actions for partition of property acquired pursuant to a matrimonial regime, actions seeking a termination or modification of a matrimonial regime, and actions for the settlement and enforcement of claims and for enforcement of judicial or contractual settlements related to matrimonial regimes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 2056 by Representative McCain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "regime" and before "actions" delete "and" and insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "regime" and before "and to " change the semicolon ";" to a comma "," and insert "and actions for the settlement and enforcement of claims and for enforcement of judicial or contractual settlements related to matrimonial regimes;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, after "actions" and before "for" insert "between spouses or former spouses"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 17, insert the following:

"(3) All actions between spouses or former spouses for the settlement and enforcement of claims arising from a matrimonial regime or the establishment thereof.

(4) All actions between former spouses seeking the enforcement of a judicial or contractual settlement of the type of claims provided in this Section."

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2103— BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:393(B), relative to ex officio notaries for the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to authorize gaming auditors to administer oaths and receive sworn statements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 2103 by Representative DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 13, delete "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, after "affairs," and before "the gaming" insert "or gaming investigations."

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2106 — BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2361, 2363, 2364(introductory paragraph), (4), and (8), 2366(B), 2367(B)(2), 2368(B)(1) and (D), 2369(A) and (B)(1), 2370(E)(6) and (F), 2371, 2372(A), 2373(A), (B)(1) and (2), and (C)(1), (2), and (4), 2374(A) and (B), 2376(B), 2377(introductory paragraph), 2378, and 2379(B), to enact R.S. 30:2364(9) and (10), 2365(A)(6), 2366(C) and (D), 2369(E)(3), 2373(C)(3), (D), and (E), 2374(B)(4), and 2380, and to repeal R.S. 30:2370(E)(1), relative to the Hazardous Materials Information Development, Preparedness, and Response Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for procedures; to provide for reporting and notifications; to provide for fees; to provide for trade secrets; to provide for penalties; to provide for the Right-To-Know Fund; to provide for limitations and uses of the funds; to provide for the

Louisiana Chemical Network; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Environment.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Environment to Original House Bill No. 2106 by Representative DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, change "2368(B)" to "2368(B)(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, change "2366(C)" to "2366(C) and (D)" and delete "2370(I),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 18, change "2368(B)" to "2368(B)(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 3, change "2366(C)" to "2366(C) and (D)" and delete "2370(I),"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 23, after "circumstances," delete the remainder of the line and delete line 24 in its entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6 line 27 after "Hospitals" delete the period "." and insert in lieu thereof the following:

" , which shall coordinate such information with the Louisiana Regional Poison Control Center."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 7, lines 6 and 7, delete ", where possible,"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 7, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"D. Upon development of the one-call state notification system for emergency release notifications, proper notification to the department of a release shall satisfy all emergency reporting obligations of the person making the notification, including all emergency reporting obligations of such person to the Department of Environmental Quality, other state agencies, and local response agencies."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 8, line 5, after "costs." delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 6 through 16, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"The charges for the said costs shall be the same as the charges authorized for copies of public records as provided for in R.S. 44:32."



AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 8, delete lines 17 through 20, both inclusive and in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 11, delete lines 1 through 7, both inclusive and in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 16, delete line 27 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"upon first conviction shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars or imprisoned for not more than six months, or both. Upon second or subsequent conviction of a violation of R.S. 30:2373(E)(1), said person, owner, operator, or facility shall be fined not less than five hundred dollars nor more than ten thousand or imprisoned with or without hard labor for not less than six months nor more than ten years."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 17, line 27, change "\$250" to "\$300"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 18, line 1, change "\$300" to "\$500"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 18, delete lines 6 through 13 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Any facility required to pay a fee pursuant to this Section shall not be required to pay an additional fee to the local emergency planning committee other than the fees already imposed by the local emergency planning committee for the collection of information required by this Chapter."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 18, line 21, after "dollars" delete the remainder of the line and in lieu thereof insert a period "." and delete line 22 in its entirety and on page 17 delete lines 1 through 3.

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 20, line 8, delete "and 2374"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 20, line 17, delete "and 2374(B)(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 21, line 5, after "functions" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof a period "." and on line 6, delete "personnel."

On motion of Rep. Damico, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Damico, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2203—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FLAVIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1431(4), (5), (7) and (20), 1436(A), (B) and (D), 1437(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1), (B)(1), (C)(1) and (2) and (6)(a), 1437.2(A) through (E), 1437.3(C) and (E), 1439(B) and (C), 1443(1)(a) and (b), 1449(C) and (D), 1456(A)(1), (2) and (4), 1457, 1462(A), 1463(A)(1) and (E), and 1466(H) and to enact R.S. 37:1431(32), 1439(F), 1441(C), 1446(F) and (G), 1449(E), and 1456(A)(5) and (6), relative to licensure of real estate sales persons; to provide definitions; to provide relative to application for a license; to provide relative to the licensing of corporations and partnerships; to provide for fees; to provide for commissions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 2203 by Representative Flavin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 10, delete "is" and insert "means" and at the beginning of line 11, insert "licensed"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 12, after "a" and before "corporation" insert "licensed"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 17, after "other" and before "entity" insert "legal"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, line 6, after "No" insert "individual real estate"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 23, delete "regulatory"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 10, at the end of line 21, insert the following: "However, any applicant who has continued to obtain continuing education in the required areas during the period that he is in inactive status may cumulate those hours and be eligible to reactivate his license at any time."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 11, line 11, after "to" and before "broker" delete "the" and insert the following "and kept in the custody and control of the individual real estate"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 11, line 11, after "broker" and before "by" insert the following "or designated qualifying broker"

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**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

On page 11, line 12, after "sponsored" insert a period ".", and delete the remainder of the line and delete line 13 in its entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**

On page 12, line 22, after "days" and before "of" insert the following "following the effective date"

On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2317—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, FORSTER, HUDSON, SCALISE, TRAVIS, FRITH, AND MURRAY

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2162(I) and to enact R.S. 37:2162(J), relative to contractors; to provide for fines for violations to be transferred to a special contractor's educational trust fund to be used for educational purposes; to provide relative to civil penalties collected upon a finding that a person is acting as a contractor without a valid license; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on third reading and final passage were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**Regular Calendar**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1095—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES GREEN AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:315.1(A), relative to banks and banking; to provide for the transfer of small deposits to the surviving spouse or heirs upon the death of an intestate depositor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Green moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pierre
Alario	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Glover	Powell
Ansardi	Green	Pratt
Barton	Guillory	Quezaire

Baudoin	Hammett	Riddle
Baylor	Heaton	Romero
Bowler	Hebert	Rousselle
Bruce	Hill	Salter
Brun	Holden	Scalise
Bruneau	Hopkins	Schneider
Carter	Hudson	Shaw
Chaisson	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Iles	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Johns	Stelly
Crane	Kenney	Theriot
Curtis	Lancaster	Thompson
Damico	Landrieu	Thornhill
Deville	LeBlanc	Toomy
DeWitt	Long	Travis
Diez	Marionneaux	Triche
Dimos	Martiny	Vitter
Doerge	McCain	Walsworth
Donelon	McCallum	Warner
Dupre	McDonald	Welch
Durand	McMains	Weston
Farve	Michot	Wiggins
Faucheux	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Morrish	Windhorst
Forster	Murray	Winston
Frith	Odinet	Wright

Total—96

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Alexander, R.—13th	Jetson	Perkins
Daniel	Kennard	Strain
Jenkins	Mitchell	Thomas
Total—9		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Green moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1107—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To repeal Part XVII of Chapter 2 of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 9:3575.1 through 3575.10, relative to refund anticipation loans; to repeal the Refund Anticipation Loan Act.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Frith	Odinet
Alario	Fruge	Perkins
Alexander, A.—93rd	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alexander, R.—13th	Glover	Pinac
Ansardi	Guillory	Powell

Barton	Hammett	Pratt
Baudoin	Heaton	Quezairé
Baylor	Hebert	Riddle
Bowler	Hill	Romero
Bruce	Holden	Rousselle
Brun	Hopkins	Salter
Bruneau	Hudson	Scalise
Carter	Hunter	Schneider
Chaisson	Iles	Shaw
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Copelin	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Kenney	Stelly
Curtis	Lancaster	Theriot
Damico	Landrieu	Thompson
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Deville	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Vitter
Dimos	McCain	Walsworth
Doerge	McCallum	Warner
Donelon	McDonald	Welch
Dupre	McMains	Weston
Durand	Michot	Wiggins
Farve	Mitchell	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Montgomery	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Morrell	Windhorst
Fontenot	Morrish	Winston
Forster	Murray	Wright
Total—99		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Green	Jetson	Thomas
Jenkins	Strain	Triche
Total—6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1119—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:548(A), (B), (C), and (G), relative to interest rate parity; to provide that Louisiana creditors may charge the same interest rates and fees as nonresident creditors charge; to provide for the filing of an affidavit to assess rates and fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Travis, the bill was returned to the calendar subject to call.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1120—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, MURRAY, AND FRITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:793(B)(1), relative to audit reports of savings and loan associations; to require annual audits to be verified by independent certified public accountants; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezairé
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero
Baylor	Hill	Rousselle
Bowler	Holden	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Brun	Hudson	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Shaw
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Johns	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Kennard	Stelly
Copelin	Kenney	Theriot
Crane	Lancaster	Thompson
Curtis	Landrieu	Thornhill
Damico	LeBlanc	Toomy
Daniel	Long	Travis
Deville	Marionneaux	Triche
DeWitt	Martiny	Vitter
Diez	McCain	Walsworth
Dimos	McCallum	Warner
Doerge	McDonald	Welch
Donelon	McMains	Weston
Dupre	Michot	Wiggins
Durand	Mitchell	Wilkerson
Farve	Montgomery	Willard-Lewis
Faucheux	Morrell	Windhorst
Flavin	Morrish	Winston
Fontenot	Murray	Wright
Forster	Odinet	
Frith	Perkins	
Total—100		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Fruge	Jetson	Thomas
Jenkins	Strain	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1121—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, FRITH, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3535, relative to multiple agreements; to prohibit the division of credit transaction into multiple agreements for purposes of obtaining additional fees and charges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pierre
Alario	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Glover	Powell
Ansardi	Green	Pratt
Barton	Guillory	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hammett	Romero
Baylor	Heaton	Rousselle
Bowler	Hebert	Salter
Bruce	Hill	Scalise
Brun	Hopkins	Schneider
Bruneau	Hudson	Shaw
Carter	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Johns	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Kenney	Stelly
Copelin	Lancaster	Theriot
Crane	Landrieu	Thompson
Curtis	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Damico	Long	Toomy
Daniel	Martiny	Triche
Deville	McCain	Vitter
DeWitt	McCallum	Walsworth
Diez	McDonald	Warner
Dimos	McMains	Welch
Donelon	Michot	Weston
Dupre	Mitchell	Wiggins
Durand	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Morrish	Windhorst
Fontenot	Murray	Winston
Forster	Odinet	Wright
Frith	Perkins	

Total—92

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Alexander, R.—13th	Jenkins	Strain
Doerge	Jetson	Thomas
Farve	Kennard	Travis
Holden	Marionneaux	
Iles	Riddle	

Total—13

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1123—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, FRITH, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:791(A), relative to savings associations; to provide relative to records which must be kept by savings associations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Guillory	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Hammett	Pratt
Baudoin	Heaton	Quezaire
Baylor	Hebert	Riddle
Bowler	Hill	Romero
Bruce	Holden	Rousselle
Brun	Hopkins	Salter
Bruneau	Hudson	Scalise
Carter	Hunter	Shaw
Chaisson	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Kennard	Stelly
Crane	Kenney	Theriot
Curtis	Lancaster	Thomas
Damico	Landrieu	Thompson
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Deville	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Durand	McMains	Welch
Farve	Michot	Weston
Faucheux	Montgomery	Wiggins
Flavin	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Morrish	Windhorst
Forster	Murray	Winston
Frith	Odinet	Wright
Gautreaux	Perkins	

Total—95

**NAYS**

Schneider  
Total—1

**ABSENT**

Ansardi	Fruge	Mitchell
Barton	Jenkins	Strain
Dupre	Jetson	Wilkerson

Total—9

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1127—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.46 and R.S. 56:10(B)(8), relative to motor vehicle registration; to provide for special prestige license plates for Ducks Unlimited; to provide for fees; to provide for the disposition of those fees; to provide for the establishment of an account in the Conservation Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Wright moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Odinet
Alario	Gautreaux	Perkins
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pierre
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pinac
Ansardi	Hammett	Powell
Baudoin	Heaton	Pratt
Baylor	Hebert	Quezaire
Bowler	Hill	Riddle
Bruce	Holden	Romero
Brun	Hopkins	Rousselle
Bruneau	Hudson	Salter
Carter	Hunter	Scalise
Chaisson	Iles	Schneider
Clarkson	Jetson	Shaw
Copelin	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Curtis	Kenney	Theriot
Damico	Lancaster	Thomas
Daniel	Landrieu	Thornhill
Deville	LeBlanc	Travis
DeWitt	Long	Triche
Diez	Marionneaux	Vitter
Dimos	Martiny	Walsworth
Doerge	McCain	Warner
Donelon	McCallum	Welch
Dupre	McDonald	Weston
Durand	McMains	Wiggins
Farve	Michot	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Mitchell	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Montgomery	Windhorst
Fontenot	Morrell	Winston
Forster	Morrish	Wright
Frith	Murray	
Total—98		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Barton	Stelly	Toomy
Glover	Strain	
Jenkins	Thompson	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Wright moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1147—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:956(F)(2), relative to retail installment contracts; to provide relative to the premium rates charged for credit life insurance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Murray moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alario	Green	Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd	Hammett	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Heaton	Quezaire
Ansardi	Hebert	Riddle
Barton	Hill	Romero
Baudoin	Holden	Rousselle
Baylor	Hopkins	Salter
Bowler	Hudson	Scalise
Bruce	Hunter	Schneider
Brun	Iles	Shaw
Bruneau	Jetson	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter	Johns	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson	Kennard	Strain
Clarkson	Kenney	Theriot
Copelin	Lancaster	Thomas
Crane	Landrieu	Thompson
Curtis	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Damico	Long	Toomy
Daniel	Marionneaux	Travis
Deville	Martiny	Triche
DeWitt	McCain	Vitter
Diez	McCallum	Walsworth
Dimos	McDonald	Warner
Donelon	McMains	Welch
Dupre	Michot	Weston
Durand	Mitchell	Wiggins
Farve	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Morrish	Windhorst
Fontenot	Murray	Winston
Forster	Odinet	Wright
Frith	Perkins	
Fruge	Pierre	
Total—100		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Doerge	Guillory	Stelly
Glover	Jenkins	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Murray moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1156—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, FRITH, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:254(A)(introductory paragraph), relative to authority of state banks; to provide relative to approval of and notice to commissioner of issuance of rights and options; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pinac
Alario	Gautreaux	Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Quezairé
Ansardi	Hammett	Riddle
Barton	Heaton	Romero
Baudoin	Hebert	Rousselle
Baylor	Holden	Salter
Bowler	Hopkins	Scalise
Bruce	Hudson	Schneider
Brun	Hunter	Shaw
Bruneau	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter	Johns	Strain
Chaisson	Kennard	Theriot
Clarkson	Kenney	Thomas
Copelin	Lancaster	Thompson
Crane	Landrieu	Thornhill
Curtis	LeBlanc	Toomy
Damico	Long	Travis
Daniel	Martiny	Triche
Deville	McCain	Vitter
DeWitt	McCallum	Walsworth
Diez	McDonald	Warner
Dimos	McMains	Welch
Donelon	Michot	Weston
Dupre	Mitchell	Wiggins
Durand	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Farve	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Faucheux	Morrish	Windhorst
Flavin	Murray	Winston
Fontenot	Odinet	Wright
Forster	Perkins	
Frith	Pierre	
Total—97		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Doerge	Jenkins	Smith, J.R.—30th
Glover	Jetson	Stelly
Hill	Marionneaux	
Total—8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Jetson, the rules were suspended to limit the author or proponent handling the legislative instrument to ten minutes for opening remarks and all subsequent speakers on the instrument to five minutes.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1157—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, FRITH, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:261, relative to capital, surplus, and dividends; to provide for the allocation of consideration received upon initial issuance of shares; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pierre
Alario	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Glover	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Green	Quezairé
Ansardi	Guillory	Riddle
Barton	Hammett	Romero
Baudoin	Heaton	Rousselle
Baylor	Hebert	Salter
Bowler	Hill	Scalise
Bruce	Holden	Schneider
Brun	Hopkins	Shaw
Bruneau	Hudson	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter	Hunter	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson	Iles	Stelly
Clarkson	Jetson	Strain
Copelin	Johns	Theriot
Crane	Kennard	Thomas
Curtis	Kenney	Thompson
Damico	Lancaster	Thornhill
Daniel	Landrieu	Toomy
Deville	LeBlanc	Travis
DeWitt	Long	Triche
Diez	Marionneaux	Vitter
Dimos	Martiny	Walsworth
Doerge	McCain	Welch
Donelon	McCallum	Weston
Dupre	McMains	Wiggins
Durand	Michot	Wilkerson
Farve	Mitchell	Willard-Lewis
Faucheux	Morrell	Windhorst
Flavin	Morrish	Winston
Fontenot	Murray	Wright
Forster	Odinet	
Frith	Perkins	
Total—100		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Jenkins	Montgomery	Warner
McDonald	Powell	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 713—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:409.1(A)(2)(d)(viii) and 410(A)(3)(a)(i) and (viii) and to repeal R.S. 32:409.1(A)(2)(d)(vi) relative to drivers' licenses; to delete the requirements that an applicant for a license shall furnish his social security number and that the number shall appear on the face of the license; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Brun moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezaire
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero
Baylor	Hill	Rousselle
Bowler	Holden	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Brun	Hudson	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Shaw
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Johns	Stelly
Copelin	Kennard	Strain
Crane	Kenney	Theriot
Curtis	Lancaster	Thomas
Damico	Landrieu	Thompson
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Deville	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Dupre	McMains	Welch
Durand	Michot	Weston
Farve	Mitchell	Wiggins
Faucheux	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Morrish	Windhorst
Forster	Murray	Winston
Frith	Odinet	Wright
Fruge	Perkins	
Total—104		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Jenkins  
Total—1

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Brun moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1182—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.23(B) and 463.30, relative to prestige license plates for professional firefighters; to provide for an initial fee; to provide for the revocation of such plates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Guillory	Powell
Ansardi	Hammett	Pratt
Barton	Heaton	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hebert	Riddle
Baylor	Hill	Romero
Bowler	Holden	Rousselle
Bruce	Hopkins	Salter
Brun	Hudson	Scalise
Bruneau	Hunter	Schneider
Carter	Iles	Shaw
Chaisson	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Kenney	Stelly
Crane	Lancaster	Theriot
Curtis	Landrieu	Thomas
Damico	LeBlanc	Thompson
Daniel	Long	Thornhill
Deville	Marionneaux	Toomy
DeWitt	Martiny	Travis
Diez	McCain	Triche
Dimos	McCallum	Vitter
Donelon	McDonald	Walsworth
Dupre	McMains	Warner
Durand	Michot	Weston
Farve	Mitchell	Wiggins
Faucheux	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Forster	Morrish	Windhorst
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Odinet	Wright
Gautreaux	Perkins	
Total—98		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Alexander, R.—13th	Jenkins	Welch
Doerge	Jetson	
Fontenot	Strain	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Montgomery moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1189—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2017, relative to public hearings by the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for local citizen participation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Quezaire sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Quezaire to Engrossed House Bill No. 1189 by Representative Quezaire

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, after "B." and before "Regarding" insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 8 insert the following:

"(2) Prior to the first hour of the hearing provided for in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the presiding officer shall provide for an introductory presentation of fifteen minutes by the applicant to discuss and explain the proposed permit."

On motion of Rep. Quezaire, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Diez sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Diez to Engrossed House Bill No. 1189 by Representative Quezaire

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, before "facilities" add "new"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 3, after "live" add "or work"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 5, after "live" add "or work"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 6, delete the words "Thereafter, each hour" and insert the words "Once those given preference have spoken, the remaining portion"

Rep. Diez moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Quezaire objected.

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Alexander, R.—13th	Donelon	Perkins
Barton	Durand	Pinac
Bowler	Faucheux	Powell
Brun	Flavin	Scalise
Bruneau	Fontenot	Shaw
Chaisson	Fruge	Stelly
Clarkson	Gautreaux	Strain
Crane	Hammett	Thomas
Damico	Lancaster	Travis
Daniel	Long	Vitter
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Windhorst
Diez	McMains	Winston
Dimos	Michot	
Total—38		

**NAYS**

Mr. Speaker	Iles	Romero
Alexander, A.—93rd	Jetson	Rousselle
Ansardi	Johns	Salter
Baudoin	Kenney	Schneider
Baylor	Landrieu	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruce	LeBlanc	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Martiny	Theriot
Curtis	McCain	Thompson
Deville	McCallum	Thornhill
Doerge	McDonald	Toomy
Dupre	Montgomery	Walsworth
Farve	Morrell	Warner
Frith	Morrish	Welch
Guillory	Murray	Weston
Heaton	Odinot	Wiggins
Hebert	Pierre	Wilkerson
Holden	Pratt	Willard-Lewis
Hudson	Quezaire	Wright
Hunter	Riddle	
Total—56		

**ABSENT**

Alario	Green	Kennard
Carter	Hill	Mitchell
Forster	Hopkins	Triche
Glover	Jenkins	
Total—11		

The amendments were rejected.

Rep. Quezaire moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alario	Guillory	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Hammett	Pratt
Ansardi	Heaton	Quezaire
Barton	Hebert	Riddle
Baudoin	Holden	Romero
Baylor	Hudson	Rousselle
Bruce	Hunter	Scalise
Brun	Iles	Schneider



Bruneau	Jetson	Shaw
Clarkson	Johns	Theriot
Copelin	Kennard	Thompson
Crane	Kenney	Thornhill
Curtis	Landrieu	Toomy
Damico	LeBlanc	Travis
Daniel	Long	Vitter
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Walsworth
Dimos	Martiny	Warner
Doerge	McCain	Welch
Donelon	McCallum	Weston
Dupre	McDonald	Wiggins
Durand	McMains	Wilkerson
Farve	Montgomery	Willard-Lewis
Faucheux	Morrell	Windhorst
Flavin	Morrish	Winston
Frith	Murray	Wright
Fruge	Odinet	
Total—80		

NAYS

Alexander, R.—13th	Diez	Perkins
Bowler	Fontenot	Powell
Chaisson	Lancaster	Salter
Deville	Michot	Smith, J.D.—50th
Total—12		

ABSENT

Carter	Hopkins	Strain
Forster	Jenkins	Thomas
Glover	Mitchell	Triche
Green	Smith, J.R.—30th	
Hill	Stelly	
Total—13		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Quezairé moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1215—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 970(A), (B), and (C), relative to the motion for judgment on an offer of judgment; to provide for time for service of the offer, inadmissibility in other proceedings, and exclusion of attorney fees in the assessment of costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. McMains moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Perkins
Alario	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pinac
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Powell
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezairé
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero

Bowler	Hill	Rousselle
Bruce	Holden	Salter
Brun	Hopkins	Scalise
Bruneau	Hudson	Schneider
Carter	Hunter	Shaw
Chaisson	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Johns	Stelly
Crane	Kennard	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Theriot
Damico	Lancaster	Thomas
Daniel	Landrieu	Thompson
Deville	LeBlanc	Thornhill
DeWitt	Long	Toomy
Diez	Marionneaux	Travis
Dimos	Martiny	Triche
Doerge	McCain	Vitter
Donelon	McCallum	Walsworth
Dupre	McDonald	Warner
Durand	McMains	Weston
Farve	Michot	Wiggins
Faucheux	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Morrish	Windhorst
Forster	Murray	Winston
Frith	Odinet	Wright
Total—99		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Baylor	Jenkins	Pratt
Glover	Mitchell	Welch
Total—6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. McMains moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. McCallum, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect him as voting yea.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1228—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, AND VITTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1561 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 253.2, relative to transfer, reassignment, and consolidation of pending cases in the same court; to provide for procedures for consolidation of actions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Brun sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Brun to Engrossed House Bill No. 1228 by Representative McMains, et al.

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## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, after "court," insert "unless agreed to by all parties, or"

On motion of Rep. Brun, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. McMains moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### **YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pinac
Alario	Gautreaux	Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Quezaire
Ansardi	Hammett	Riddle
Barton	Heaton	Romero
Baudoin	Hebert	Rousselle
Baylor	Hill	Salter
Bowler	Holden	Scalise
Bruce	Hopkins	Schneider
Brun	Hudson	Shaw
Bruneau	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson	Jetson	Stelly
Clarkson	Johns	Strain
Copelin	Kennard	Theriot
Crane	Kenney	Thomas
Curtis	Lancaster	Thompson
Damico	Landrieu	Thornhill
Daniel	LeBlanc	Toomy
Deville	Long	Travis
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Triche
Diez	Martiny	Vitter
Dimos	McCain	Walsworth
Doerge	McCallum	Warner
Donelon	McDonald	Welch
Dupre	McMains	Weston
Durand	Michot	Wiggins
Farve	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Murray	Windhorst
Fontenot	Odinet	Winston
Forster	Perkins	Wright
Frith	Pierre	
Total—101		

#### **NAYS**

Total—0

#### **ABSENT**

Glover	Mitchell
Jenkins	Morrell
Total—4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. McMains moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1230—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 966(C) and (E) and 1915 and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Art. 966(F) and (G), relative to motions for summary judgment; to establish and allocate the burden of proof; to authorize partial summary judgments; to provide with respect to renditions of partial summary judgments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Dimos, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

### **HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 1230 by Representatives McMains and DeWitt

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, following "the" and before "is" change "mover" to "movant"

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

### **Motion**

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was returned to the calendar subject to call.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1263—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY AND MICHOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2782(B) and (C)(1), relative to the fees charged for checks that are dishonored for nonsufficient funds; to increase the fee from fifteen dollars to thirty dollars; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Dimos, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

### **HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 1263 by Representatives Martiny and Michot

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, before "fee" insert "allowable"

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

### **Point of Order**

Rep. Travis asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether House Bill No. 1263 levies a fee increase and therefore would require the favorable vote of two-thirds of the elected members to finally pass the House.

### **Ruling of the Chair**

The Chair ruled that the fee increase is not imposed by the state or its agencies, therefore does not require a two-thirds of the elected members to finally pass the House.

Rep. Martiny moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Alexander, A.—93rd	Gautreaux	Rousselle
Ansardi	Hebert	Scalise
Barton	Hill	Schneider
Bruce	Iles	Shaw
Brun	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Lancaster	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Landrieu	Stelly
Damico	LeBlanc	Strain
Deville	Martiny	Thomas
Dimos	McCallum	Thompson
Donelon	McDonald	Thornhill
Dupre	McMains	Triche
Durand	Michot	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Wiggins
Fontenot	Perkins	Winston
Forster	Pinac	
Frith	Powell	
Total—49		

**NAYS**

Mr. Speaker	Guillory	Pratt
Alario	Hammett	Quezaire
Alexander, R.—13th	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Holden	Romero
Baylor	Hopkins	Salter
Bowler	Hudson	Theriot
Chaisson	Hunter	Toomy
Copelin	Jetson	Travis
Curtis	Kennard	Vitter
Daniel	Kenney	Warner
DeWitt	Long	Welch
Diez	Marionneaux	Weston
Doerge	McCain	Wilkerson
Farve	Montgomery	Willard-Lewis
Faucheux	Murray	Windhorst
Fruge	Odinet	Wright
Green	Pierre	
Total—50		

**ABSENT**

Bruneau	Glover	Mitchell
Carter	Jenkins	Morrell
Total—6		

The Chair declared the above bill failed to pass.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill failed to pass, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1267—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SALTER AND THORNHILL  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 32:411(B)(1)(b), relative to taking of a driver's license upon issuance of a traffic citation; to repeal certain exceptions to the prohibition on such taking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Salter moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pinac
Alario	Green	Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd	Guillory	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Hammett	Quezaire
Ansardi	Heaton	Riddle
Barton	Hebert	Rousselle
Baudoin	Hill	Salter
Baylor	Holden	Scalise
Bowler	Hopkins	Schneider
Bruce	Hudson	Shaw
Brun	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruneau	Iles	Smith, J.R.—30th
Carter	Jetson	Stelly
Chaisson	Johns	Strain
Copelin	Kennard	Theriot
Crane	Kenney	Thomas
Curtis	Lancaster	Thompson
Damico	Landrieu	Thornhill
Daniel	LeBlanc	Toomy
Deville	Long	Travis
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Triche
Diez	Martiny	Vitter
Dimos	McCain	Walsworth
Doerge	McCallum	Warner
Donelon	McDonald	Welch
Dupre	McMains	Weston
Durand	Michot	Wiggins
Faucheux	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Morrish	Windhorst
Forster	Murray	Winston
Frith	Odinet	Wright
Fruge	Perkins	
Gautreaux	Pierre	
Total—100		

**NAYS**

Farve	Romero
Total—2	

**ABSENT**

Clarkson	Jenkins	Mitchell
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Salter moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1334—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1236(47) and 1651, relative to the parish of St. Tammany; to provide relative to the location of the main administrative facility of the parish; to provide for location of such facility outside of the parish seat; to provide relative to housing of certain parish officials at such facility; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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Rep. Dimos, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

## HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 1334 by Representative Winston

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, following "St. Tammany" and before "shall be" insert "Parish"

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Winston moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

## ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Powell
Alario	Green	Pratt
Alexander, A.—93rd	Hammett	Quezairé
Alexander, R.—13th	Heaton	Riddle
Ansardi	Hebert	Romero
Barton	Hill	Rousselle
Baudoin	Holden	Salter
Baylor	Hopkins	Scalise
Bowler	Hudson	Schneider
Bruce	Hunter	Shaw
Brun	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruneau	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson	Johns	Stelly
Clarkson	Kennard	Strain
Copelin	Kenney	Theriot
Crane	Lancaster	Thomas
Curtis	Landrieu	Thompson
Damico	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Daniel	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneau	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Dupre	McMains	Welch
Durand	Michot	Weston
Farve	Montgomery	Wiggins
Faucheux	Morrell	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Murray	Windhorst
Forster	Odiné	Winston
Frith	Perkins	Wright
Fruge	Pierre	
Gautreaux	Pinac	
Total—100		

### NAYS

Total—0

### ABSENT

Carter	Guillory	Mitchell
Deville	Jenkins	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Winston moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on her own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 1363—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, FRITH, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 6:121.3, R.S. 9:3556.2, R.S. 37:1806.1, and R.S. 51:1929.1 and 2389.1, relative to advisory opinions of the commissioner; to provide that advisory opinions shall not be considered as rules subject to the provisions of the Louisiana Administrative Procedure Act; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

## ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alario	Glover	Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Quezairé
Barton	Hammett	Riddle
Baudoin	Heaton	Romero
Baylor	Hebert	Rousselle
Bowler	Hill	Salter
Bruce	Holden	Scalise
Brun	Hopkins	Schneider
Bruneau	Hudson	Shaw
Carter	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Iles	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Jetson	Stelly
Copelin	Johns	Strain
Crane	Kennard	Theriot
Curtis	Kenney	Thomas
Damico	Lancaster	Thompson
Daniel	Landrieu	Thornhill
Deville	LeBlanc	Toomy
DeWitt	Long	Travis
Diez	Marionneau	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Dupre	McMains	Welch
Durand	Michot	Weston
Farve	Montgomery	Wiggins
Faucheux	Morrell	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Murray	Windhorst
Forster	Odiné	Winston
Frith	Perkins	Wright
Fruge	Pierre	
Total—101		

### NAYS

Total—0

### ABSENT

Ansardi	Martiny
Jenkins	Mitchell
Total—4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1440—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:259(BB)(3) and R.S. 40:5.11, relative to fluoridation of certain public water systems; to create the Fluoridation Advisory Board in the Department of Health and Hospitals and provide for the composition, powers, duties, functions, and compensation thereof; to establish a water fluoridation program in the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of public health, and provide for the functions thereof; to authorize rulemaking related to the fluoridation of public water systems; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Rodney Alexander, the bill was returned to the calendar subject to call.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1529—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WARNER  
AN ACT

To designate that portion of Louisiana Highway 46 in St. Bernard Parish as the "St. Bernard Veterans Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Warner moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alario	Glover	Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Quezairé
Ansardi	Hammett	Riddle
Barton	Heaton	Romero
Baudoin	Hebert	Rousselle
Baylor	Hill	Salter
Bowler	Holden	Scalise
Bruce	Hopkins	Schneider
Brun	Hudson	Shaw
Bruneau	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson	Jetson	Stelly
Clarkson	Johns	Strain
Copelin	Kennard	Theriot
Crane	Lancaster	Thomas
Damico	Landrieu	Thompson
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Deville	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth

Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Dupre	McMains	Welch
Durand	Montgomery	Weston
Farve	Morrell	Wiggins
Faucheux	Morrish	Wilkerson
Flavin	Murray	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Odinot	Windhorst
Forster	Perkins	Winston
Frith	Pierre	Wright

Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis	Jenkins	Michot
Fruge	Kenney	Mitchell
Total—6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Warner moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1535—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, R. ALEXANDER, BARTON, DIMOS, DUPRE, FLAVIN, JOHNS, LEBLANC, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, TRICHE, WIGGINS, ALARIO, CRANE, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DEWITT, DONELON, HEBERT, JETSON, LONG, AND RIDDLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading to Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 39:54(B), 91, 92(A), and 93 and to enact R.S. 39:91(B)(3), relative to the expenditure of state funds; to provide for certain allowable uses of nonrecurring revenues; to restructure and rename the "Revenue Stabilization/Mineral Trust Fund" within the state treasury; to establish certain accounts within the fund; to provide for deposit of certain monies into the fund; to provide for allowable uses of monies in the fund; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the bill was returned to the calendar subject to call.

**Speaker Pro Tempore Bruneau in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1628—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMOS AND MCMAINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact, Chapters 4, 5, 6, and 13 of Title I of Book III of the Civil Code, heretofore comprised of Articles 934 through 1074 and Articles 1415 through 1466, to comprise Articles 934 through 968 and Articles 1415 through 1429, Chapter 6 of Title II of Book III of the Civil Code, heretofore comprised of Articles 1570 through 1723, to comprise Articles 1570 through 1616, Civil Code Article 3506, Code of Civil Procedure Articles 427, 2825, 2826, 2852, 2856, 2891, 2932, 2951, 3001, 3004, 3031, 3228, 3301 through 3304, 3332, 3361, 3362, 3371, 3393, and 3394, R.S. 9:1521 and R.S. 9:2501; to enact R.S. 9:2441; to transfer and redesignate Civil Code Article 890.1 as R.S. 9:1400, and R.S. 9:1471 through 1474 as Code of Civil Procedure Articles 3295 through 3298 of Section 5 of Chapter

6 of Title III of Book VI; to redesignate Civil Code Article 1497 as Civil Code Article 1515; and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Articles 2887, 2933, and 3155.1, and R.S. 9:2442 through 2445, all relative to the revision of the law of successions; to provide for intestate successions and the usufruct of the surviving spouse; to provide for commencement of successions, loss of succession rights, acceptance and renunciation of successions, and payment of the debts of an estate; to provide for testamentary dispositions; to provide for probate procedure; to provide for public sale of succession property; to provide for transitional provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Dimos, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 1628 by Representatives Dimos and McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, following "Article" and before the comma "," change "3506" to "3506 (28)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, following "2951" and before ", 3001" insert "(A)(1) and (B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, following "9:" and before "; to" change "2441" to "2440"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 86, line 1, following "Art." and before "is" change "3506" to "3506 (28)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 86, line 18, following "2951" and before ", 3001" insert "(A)(1) and (B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 89, line 15 before "No" insert "A.(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 89, between lines 24 and 25, insert " \* \* \* "

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 89, line 25, before "In" insert "B."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 90, line 2, following "legacies" and before "or" insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 97, line 19, following "9:" and before "is" change "2441" to "2440"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 98, line 12, change "§2441" to "§2440"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 98, line 17, following "§2501." delete the remainder of the line and on line 18 change "construction" to "Construction"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 99, line 21, following "Title" and before "of" change "IV" to "III"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 99, line 22, following "2887," and before "and" change "2993" to "2933"

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Copelin sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Copelin to Engrossed House Bill No. 1628 by Representatives Dimos and McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 100, line 7, after "Section 11." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 8 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "The provisions of Sections 1 through 4 and 6 through 11 of this Act shall become effective on July 1, 1999.

Rep. Copelin moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Dimos objected.

By a vote of 68 yeas and 29 nays, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Riddle sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Riddle to Engrossed House Bill No. 1628 by Representatives Dimos and McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 54, line 12, delete "fourteen" and insert "sixteen"

On motion of Rep. Riddle, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Dimos moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pierre
Alario	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezaire
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero
Baylor	Hill	Rousselle
Bowler	Holden	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Brun	Hudson	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Shaw
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Johns	Stelly
Copelin	Kennard	Strain
Crane	Kenney	Theriot
Curtis	Lancaster	Thomas
Damico	Landrieu	Thompson
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Deville	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Travis
Diez	McCain	Triche
Dimos	McCallum	Vitter
Doerge	McDonald	Walsworth
Donelon	McMains	Warner
Dupre	Michot	Welch
Durand	Mitchell	Weston
Farve	Montgomery	Wiggins
Faucheux	Morrell	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Murray	Windhorst
Forster	Odinot	Winston
Frith	Perkins	Wright

Total—102

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Glover	Jenkins	Martiny
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Dimos moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1750—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:103(C)(1)(j) and 2536.3 and R.S. 40:401.10, relative to the compensation of members of certain boards in certain municipalities; to authorize payment of per diem to members of such boards for attendance at meetings and to provide otherwise relative to such per diem; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. McCain moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pierre
Alario	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezaire
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero
Baylor	Hill	Rousselle
Bowler	Holden	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Brun	Hudson	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Shaw
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Johns	Stelly
Copelin	Kenney	Strain
Crane	Lancaster	Theriot
Curtis	Landrieu	Thomas
Damico	LeBlanc	Thompson
Daniel	Long	Thornhill
Deville	Marionneaux	Toomy
DeWitt	Martiny	Travis
Diez	McCain	Triche
Dimos	McCallum	Vitter
Doerge	McDonald	Walsworth
Donelon	McMains	Warner
Dupre	Michot	Welch
Durand	Mitchell	Weston
Farve	Montgomery	Wiggins
Faucheux	Morrell	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Murray	Windhorst
Forster	Odinot	Winston
Frith	Perkins	Wright

Total—102

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Glover	Jenkins	Kennard
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. McCain moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on her own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1396—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE, DOWNER, GAUTREAUX, ROUSSELLE, AND TRICHE AND SENATORS ROBICHAUX AND SIRACUSA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(A)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph), 3342(A)(1) and (2), to enact R.S. 38:291(U) and 329, and to repeal R.S. 38:291(A)(2)(j), 331, and 3342(A)(4), and to repeal R.S. 38:3321 through 3330 and R.S. 38:3341 through 3347 and to provide for an effective date of those repeals, relative to levee districts; to remove Terrebonne Parish from the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners of the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District; to repeal the revenue allocations in Terrebonne Parish by the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District; to create a levee district consisting of Terrebonne Parish and designated as the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District;

to provide for the powers and duties of the board of commissioners of the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Dupre, and under a suspension of the rules, the above bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

Rep. Triche sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Triche to Engrossed House Bill No. 1396 by Representative Dupre, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 2, after the comma ",," insert and "F(1) and (2),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, after "date;" and before "and to" insert to remove Lafourche Parish from the limits of the Lafourche Basin Levee District;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 2 after "paragraph)," insert "and F(1) and (2),"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"§291. Naming; limits of districts; composition of boards

\* \* \*

F. Lafourche Basin Levee District. (1)(a) All the parishes or parts of parishes, except the parishes of Orleans, Jefferson, and Plaquemines, lying in a district between the Bayou Lafourche, the Mississippi River, and the Gulf of Mexico heretofore known as the Third Levee District, and comprising a portion of the following parishes: Ascension, St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Charles, and Assumption and Lafourche shall be embraced in the limits of a levee district to be known as the Lafourche Basin Levee District.

\* \* \*

(2) The governor shall appoint, in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 38:304, ~~ten~~ nine persons, one from each parish or part of a parish in the district, and four from the district at large, one of whom shall be appointed on the recommendation of the railroads of the district, to serve as levee commissioners.

\* \* \*"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 7, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"Section 5. The proceeds of all taxes, except as provided in R.S. 38:333(A), to be paid to the South Lafourche Levee District, collected for the calendar year 1997 on the effective date of this Act

and the proceeds of such taxes collected after such effective date on all properties taxed in Lafourche Parish by the Lafourche Basin Levee District shall be remitted to the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee, and Drainage District by the Board of Commissioners of the Lafourche Basin Levee District. Any state revenue sharing funds for Fiscal Year 1995-1996 payable and for the Fiscal Year 1996-1997 which are appropriated, allocated, or payable to the Lafourche Basin Levee District after the effective date of this Act shall be paid by the state treasurer and shall be available for use by the Board of Commissioners of the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee, and Drainage District.

Section 6. Not less than twenty-five per cent of the total value of any future settlements of any lawsuits pending on the effective date of this Act for the Lafourche Basin Levee District shall be transferred from the Lafourche Basin Levee District to the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee, and Drainage District."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 7, line 22, after "Section" and before "This" change "5." to "7."

**Point of Order**

Rep. McCain asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

**Ruling of the Chair**

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were not germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

On motion of Rep. Triche, the amendments were withdrawn.

Rep. Dupre moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Powell
Alario	Green	Pratt
Alexander, A.—93rd	Guillory	Quezaire
Ansardi	Hammett	Riddle
Barton	Heaton	Romero
Baudoin	Hebert	Rousselle
Baylor	Hill	Salter
Bowler	Holden	Scalise
Bruce	Hopkins	Schneider
Brun	Hudson	Shaw
Bruneau	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson	Johns	Stelly
Clarkson	Kenney	Strain
Copelin	Lancaster	Theriot
Crane	Landrieu	Thomas
Curtis	LeBlanc	Thompson
Damico	Long	Thornhill
Deville	Marionneau	Toomy
DeWitt	Martiny	Travis
Diez	McCain	Triche
Dimos	McCallum	Vitter
Doerge	McDonald	Walsworth
Donelon	McMains	Warner



Dupre	Michot	Welch
Durand	Mitchell	Weston
Farve	Montgomery	Wiggins
Faucheux	Morrell	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Murray	Windhorst
Forster	Odinot	Winston
Frith	Perkins	Wright
Fruge	Pierre	
Gautreaux	Pinac	
Total—100		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Alexander, R.—13th	Jenkins	Kennard
Daniel	Jetson	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Dupre moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1230—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND DEWITT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 966(C) and (E) and 1915 and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Art. 966(F) and (G), relative to motions for summary judgment; to establish and allocate the burden of proof; to authorize partial summary judgments; to provide with respect to renditions of partial summary judgments; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. McMains sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representatives McMains, Thornhill, and Murray to Engrossed House Bill No. 1230 by Representatives McMains and DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 22, insert "agreed to by the parties to the motion for summary judgment or partial summary judgment"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the beginning of line 23, delete "designated" and insert "or as ordered"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, at the end of line 15 delete "legislatively" and at the beginning line 16, delete "overrule all cases inconsistent with" and insert in lieu thereof "implement the rule in"

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. McMains moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Perkins
Alario	Glover	Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pinac
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Powell
Ansardi	Hammett	Pratt
Barton	Heaton	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hebert	Riddle
Baylor	Hill	Romero
Bowler	Holden	Rousselle
Bruce	Hopkins	Salter
Brun	Hudson	Scalise
Bruneau	Hunter	Schneider
Carter	Iles	Shaw
Chaisson	Jetson	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Kennard	Stelly
Crane	Kenney	Strain
Curtis	Lancaster	Theriot
Damico	Landrieu	Thomas
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thompson
Deville	Long	Thornhill
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Toomy
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Dupre	McMains	Welch
Farve	Michot	Weston
Faucheux	Mitchell	Wiggins
Flavin	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Fontenot	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Forster	Morrish	Windhorst
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Odinot	Wright
Total—102		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Durand	Jenkins	Travis
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. McMains moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Winston, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect her as voting yea.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1826—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2011.2, relative to environmental justice; to provide for studies; to provide for minority populations; to provide for toxic discharges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Fontenot sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Fontenot to Engrossed House Bill No. 1826 by Representative Quezaire

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, after line 8, add the following:

"C. The department shall not commence the study authorized in this Section until funds have been specifically approved for the study by the legislature. The department shall not divert existing funds or fees from other budgeted programs to fund this study but may provide in-kind services to match any federal grants received."

Rep. Fontenot moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Quezaire objected.

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Alario	Forster	Scalise
Alexander, R.—13th	Fruge	Shaw
Barton	Hopkins	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruce	Iles	Stelly
Brun	Lancaster	Strain
Bruneau	LeBlanc	Thomas
Crane	Martiny	Thornhill
Damico	McCallum	Travis
Daniel	McDonald	Triche
Deville	McMains	Vitter
DeWitt	Michot	Walsworth
Diez	Montgomery	Warner
Dimos	Morrish	Wiggins
Doerge	Perkins	Windhorst
Donelon	Pinac	Winston
Flavin	Powell	
Fontenot	Rousselle	
Total—49		

**NAYS**

Alexander, A.—93rd	Holden	Pratt
Ansardi	Hudson	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hunter	Riddle
Baylor	Jetson	Romero
Chaisson	Johns	Salter
Clarkson	Kennard	Theriot
Copelin	Kenney	Thompson
Farve	Landrieu	Toomy
Faucheux	Long	Welch
Frith	McCain	Weston

Green  
 Guillory  
 Heaton  
 Hebert  
 Hill  
 Total—43

Mitchell  
 Morrell  
 Murray  
 Odinet  
 Pierre

Wilkerson  
 Willard-Lewis  
 Wright

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker  
 Bowler  
 Carter  
 Curtis  
 Dupre  
 Total—13

Durand  
 Gautreaux  
 Glover  
 Hammett  
 Jenkins

Marionneaux  
 Schneider  
 Smith, J.R.—30th

The amendment was adopted.

Rep. Quezaire moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Green	Pierre
Alario	Guillory	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Hammett	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Heaton	Quezaire
Ansardi	Hebert	Riddle
Baudoin	Hill	Romero
Baylor	Holden	Rousselle
Bowler	Hopkins	Salter
Bruce	Hudson	Scalise
Brun	Hunter	Shaw
Bruneau	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Johns	Strain
Copelin	Kennard	Theriot
Crane	Kenney	Thomas
Damico	Lancaster	Thompson
Daniel	Landrieu	Thornhill
Deville	LeBlanc	Toomy
DeWitt	Long	Travis
Diez	Marionneaux	Triche
Dimos	Martiny	Vitter
Doerge	McCain	Walsworth
Donelon	McCallum	Warner
Durand	McDonald	Welch
Farve	McMains	Weston
Faucheux	Michot	Wiggins
Flavin	Mitchell	Wilkerson
Fontenot	Montgomery	Willard-Lewis
Forster	Morrell	Windhorst
Frith	Murray	Winston
Frige	Odinet	Wright
Glover	Perkins	
Total—95		

**NAYS**

Morrish  
 Total—2

Powell

**ABSENT**

Barton  
 Carter  
 Curtis  
 Total—8

Dupre  
 Gautreaux  
 Jenkins

Schneider  
 Stelly

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Quezairé moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On joint motion of Reps. Kennard and Fontenot, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect their voting yea.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1830—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH AND ROUSSELLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.3(A), 463.5(B), 463.6(B)(3), 463.9(B), 463.10, 463.12(B), 463.14(B), 463.15(C), 463.16(D), 463.22(B), 463.23(B), 463.24(B), 463.28(C), 463.30(B), 463.32(E), 463.33(B), 463.36(B), 463.37(B), 463.39(C), 463.40(C), 463.41(E), and 463.42(B) and to repeal R.S. 47:463.39(D) and 463.40(D) and (E), relative to motor vehicle registration; to repeal the fees for certain prestige license plates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Jack Smith moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Perkins
Alario	Glover	Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pinac
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Powell
Ansardi	Hammett	Pratt
Barton	Heaton	Quezairé
Baudoin	Hebert	Riddle
Baylor	Hill	Romero
Bowler	Holden	Rousselle
Bruce	Hopkins	Salter
Brun	Hudson	Scalise
Bruneau	Hunter	Shaw
Carter	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Johns	Stelly
Copelin	Kennard	Strain
Crane	Kenney	Theriot
Curtis	Lancaster	Thomas
Damico	Landrieu	Thompson
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thornhill
Deville	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Durand	McMains	Welch
Farve	Michot	Weston
Faucheux	Mitchell	Wiggins
Flavin	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Fontenot	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Forster	Morrish	Windhorst
Frith	Murray	Winston

Fruge	Odinet	Wright
Total—102		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Dupre	Jenkins	Schneider
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Jack Smith moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1861—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WRIGHT AND BRUCE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2531(D)(1), relative to littering offenses; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Wright moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pinac
Alario	Glover	Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Quezairé
Ansardi	Hammett	Riddle
Barton	Heaton	Romero
Baudoin	Hebert	Rousselle
Baylor	Hill	Salter
Bowler	Holden	Scalise
Bruce	Hopkins	Shaw
Brun	Hudson	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruneau	Hunter	Smith, J.R.—30th
Carter	Iles	Strain
Chaisson	Kennard	Theriot
Clarkson	Kenney	Thomas
Copelin	Lancaster	Thompson
Crane	Landrieu	Thornhill
Curtis	LeBlanc	Toomy
Damico	Long	Travis
Deville	Marionneaux	Triche
DeWitt	Martiny	Vitter
Diez	McCallum	Walsworth
Dimos	McDonald	Warner
Doerge	McMains	Welch
Donelon	Michot	Weston
Durand	Mitchell	Wiggins
Farve	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Murray	Windhorst
Forster	Odinet	Winston
Frith	Perkins	Wright
Fruge	Pierre	
Total—95		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Daniel	Jetson	Schneider
Dupre	Johns	Stelly
Fontenot	McCain	
Jenkins	Morrish	
Total—10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Wright moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1958—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:381(A) and (B), 386(D), 404(A)(1), 426, and 441(B) and to enact R.S. 33:406(A)(3), relative to Lawrason Act municipalities; to provide relative to the authority of the mayor and the board of aldermen on matters including revenues and debt, the adoption of resolutions, oversight of the street commissioner, and the appointment of a municipal magistrate; to provide relative to terms of certain municipal officials; to provide relative to other positions which mayors and aldermen may hold; to provide relative to limits on the authority of the mayor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Dimos, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 1958 by Representative Pinac

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, following "R.S." and before "381(A)" insert "33:"

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Toomy sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Toomy to Engrossed House Bill No. 1958 by Representative Pinac

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 2., delete "426, and" and at the beginning of line 3 delete "441(B)" and insert "and 426"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "resolutions" insert "and" and after "commissioner" change the "," to a semicolon ";" and delete "and the" and on line 7, delete "appointment of a municipal magistrate;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, change "426, and 441(B)" to "and 426"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, delete lines 4 through 17 in their entirety.

On motion of Rep. Toomy, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Walsworth sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Walsworth to Engrossed House Bill No. 1958 by Representative Pinac

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, after line 17, insert the following:

"However, no term shall end in any of these offices until a successor has been appointed and confirmed."

Rep. Walsworth moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Pinac objected.

By a vote of 36 yeas and 62 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Frith	Pierre
Alario	Fruge	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Gautreaux	Powell
Ansardi	Glover	Pratt
Barton	Green	Quezaire
Baudoin	Guillory	Riddle
Baylor	Hammett	Romero
Bowler	Heaton	Rousselle
Bruce	Hebert	Salter
Brun	Hill	Scalise
Bruneau	Holden	Schneider
Carter	Hopkins	Shaw
Chaisson	Hudson	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Iles	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Johns	Stelly
Crane	Kennard	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Theriot
Damico	Lancaster	Thomas
Daniel	Landrieu	Thompson
Deville	LeBlanc	Thornhill
DeWitt	Long	Toomy
Diez	Marionneaux	Travis
Dimos	Martiny	Triche
Doerge	McDonald	Vitter
Donelon	McMains	Warner
Dupre	Michot	Welch
Durand	Montgomery	Wiggins
Farve	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Faucheux	Morrish	Windhorst
Flavin	Murray	Winston
Fontenot	Odinot	Wright
Forster	Perkins	
Total—95		

NAYS

Alexander, R.—13th    McCallum                    Wilkerson  
 Hunter                    Walsworth  
 Total—5

ABSENT

Jenkins                    McCain                        Weston  
 Jetson                    Mitchell  
 Total—5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pinac moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**Speaker Downer in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2073—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4570.11, to create a recreation and park commission in certain parishes; to provide for the composition, operation, powers, and duties of such commission which powers shall include, subject to voter approval, the incurrence of debt and the levy of ad valorem taxes; to provide for a recreation director, who shall be an employee of the board, and his duties and responsibilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Faucheux sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Faucheux to Engrossed House Bill No. 2073 by Representative Faucheux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 5 through 12 and insert the following:

"(a) Two shall be appointed by the parish president or the police jury president, subject to approval of the parish council or police jury, from a list of four nominations submitted by the Chamber of Commerce active in the parish.

(b) Two shall be appointed by the parish president or the police jury president, subject to approval of the parish council or police jury, from a list of four nominations submitted by the principals and athletic directors of public high schools in the parish.

(c) One shall be appointed by the parish president or the police jury president, subject to approval of the parish council or police jury, from a list of two nominations submitted by the parish sheriff.

(d) Four shall be appointed by the parish president or the police jury president, subject to approval of the parish council or police jury, from a list of nominations compiled from one nomination from each member of the parish council or police jury.

(e) Any vacancy which is not filled within sixty days after the occurrence of the vacancy shall be filled by appointment of the governor from nominations submitted by the parish delegation in the

Louisiana House of Representatives and subject to approval of the parish delegation in the Louisiana Senate."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 14, between "of" and "members" change "two" to "three"

On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Faucheux moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guillory	Powell
Alario	Hammett	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Heaton	Quezaire
Barton	Hill	Riddle
Baudoin	Holden	Romero
Baylor	Hopkins	Rousselle
Bowler	Hudson	Salter
Bruce	Hunter	Scalise
Brun	Iles	Schneider
Bruneau	Jetson	Shaw
Chaisson	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Kenney	Stelly
Crane	Lancaster	Strain
Damico	Landrieu	Theriot
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thomas
Deville	Long	Thompson
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Thornhill
Diez	Martiny	Toomy
Dimos	McCain	Travis
Doerge	McCallum	Triche
Donelon	McDonald	Vitter
Dupre	McMains	Walsworth
Durand	Michot	Warner
Farve	Mitchell	Welch
Faucheux	Montgomery	Weston
Flavin	Morrell	Wiggins
Fontenot	Morrish	Wilkerson
Forster	Murray	Willard-Lewis
Frith	Odinet	Windhorst
Fruge	Perkins	Winston
Gautreaux	Pierre	Wright
Green	Pinac	
Total—98		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Alexander, A.—93rd	Curtis	Jenkins
Ansardi	Glover	
Carter	Hebert	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Faucheux moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2245—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:404.1 and 405(G) and to repeal R.S. 33:405(H), relative to the compensation of municipal officials; to provide relative to the compensation of aldermen; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Quezairé
Alario	Guillory	Riddle
Alexander, A.—93rd	Hammett	Romero
Alexander, R.—13th	Heaton	Rousselle
Ansardi	Hill	Salter
Barton	Holden	Scalise
Baudoin	Hopkins	Schneider
Baylor	Hunter	Shaw
Bowler	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruce	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Bruneau	Lancaster	Stelly
Clarkson	Landrieu	Theriot
Copelin	LeBlanc	Thomas
Curtis	Marionneaux	Thompson
Damico	Martiny	Thornhill
Deville	McCain	Toomy
Diez	McDonald	Travis
Doerge	McMains	Triche
Durand	Michot	Warner
Farve	Montgomery	Welch
Faucheux	Morrell	Weston
Flavin	Morrish	Wiggins
Fontenot	Murray	Wilkerson
Forster	Odinet	Willard-Lewis
Frith	Pierre	Windhorst
Früge	Pinac	Wright
Gautreaux	Powell	
Glover	Pratt	
Total—82		

NAYS

Brun	Dimos	Perkins
Chaisson	Donelon	Vitter
Crane	Iles	Walsworth
Daniel	Kenney	Winston
Total—12		

ABSENT

Carter	Hudson	McCallum
DeWitt	Jenkins	Mitchell
Dupre	Jetson	Strain
Hebert	Long	
Total—11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pinac moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2293 (Substitute for House Bill No. 24 by Representative Flavin, et al.) —**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FLAVIN, A. ALEXANDER, CLARKSON, DIEZ, DIMOS, DOWNER, DUPRE, FONTENOT, FRITH, FRUGE, GUILLORY, HEATON, HILL, HUDSON, ILES, JOHNS, MARTINY, McDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MITCHELL, ODINET, PIERRE, ROUSSELLE, SALTER, SHAW, STELLY, STRAIN, AND TRICHE AND SENATORS BARHAM, BEAN, COX, DEAN, HAINKEL, ROBICHAUX, SCHEDLER, AND SHORT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 219, relative to agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation; to grant the agents qualified immunity under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Copelin sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Copelin to Engrossed House Bill No. 2293 by Representative Flavin, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, after "to" and before "relative" delete "amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 219" and insert in lieu thereof "enact R.S. 9:2793.1(C)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and on line 8 delete "reenacted" and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 9:2793.1(C) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 14 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, before line 1, insert the following:

"§2793.1. Immunity from liability for public entities; fire department; law enforcement agency; public emergencies; F.B.I. agents

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AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the beginning of line 1, change "B." to "C."

Rep. Copelin moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Flavin objected.

By a vote of 66 yeas and 30 nays, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Flavin moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Guillory	Powell
Ansardi	Hammett	Pratt
Barton	Heaton	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hebert	Riddle
Baylor	Hill	Romero
Bruce	Holden	Rousselle
Brun	Hopkins	Salter
Bruneau	Hudson	Scalise
Chaisson	Hunter	Schneider
Clarkson	Iles	Shaw
Copelin	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Curtis	Kenney	Stelly
Damico	Lancaster	Theriot
Daniel	Landrieu	Thomas
Deville	LeBlanc	Thompson
DeWitt	Long	Thornhill
Diez	Marionneaux	Toomy
Dimos	Martiny	Travis
Doerge	McCain	Triche
Donelon	McCallum	Vitter
Durand	McDonald	Walsworth
Farve	McMains	Warner
Faucheux	Michot	Welch
Flavin	Mitchell	Weston
Fontenot	Montgomery	Wiggins
Forster	Morrell	Wilkerson
Frith	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Fruge	Murray	Winston
Gautreaux	Odinet	Wright
Total—96		

NAYS

Alexander, R.—13th	Perkins
Bowler	Windhorst
Total—4	

ABSENT

Carter	Jenkins	Strain
Dupre	Jetson	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Flavin moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 9—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2796(A), relative to offenses and quasi offenses; to limit liability of krewes conducting parades held on streets or waterways, or in buildings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Bruneau moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezaire
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero
Baylor	Hill	Rousselle
Bowler	Holden	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Brun	Hudson	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Shaw
Chaisson	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Johns	Stelly
Crane	Kennard	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Theriot
Damico	Lancaster	Thomas
Daniel	Landrieu	Thompson
Deville	LeBlanc	Thornhill
DeWitt	Long	Toomy
Diez	Martiny	Travis
Dimos	McCain	Triche
Doerge	McDonald	Vitter
Donelon	McMains	Walsworth
Durand	Michot	Warner
Farve	Mitchell	Welch
Faucheux	Montgomery	Weston
Flavin	Morrell	Wiggins
Fontenot	Morrish	Wilkerson
Forster	Murray	Willard-Lewis
Frith	Odinet	Windhorst
Fruge	Perkins	Winston
Total—99		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter	Jenkins	McCallum
Dupre	Marionneaux	Wright
Total—6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Bruneau moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 15—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUN  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to legislative sessions; to remove certain authority of the governor to call the legislature into extraordinary session; to provide relative to the objects of extraordinary sessions called upon legislative petition; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Brun moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alexander, A.—93rd	Faucheux	Odinet
Ansardi	Green	Perkins
Barton	Hill	Pratt
Baudoin	Holden	Riddle
Bowler	Hopkins	Scalise
Bruce	Lancaster	Schneider
Brun	Landrieu	Shaw
Bruneau	Marionneaux	Theriot
Chaisson	McCain	Thornhill
Clarkson	Michot	Travis
Crane	Mitchell	Welch
Curtis	Montgomery	Wiggins
Dimos	Morrell	Windhorst
Doerge	Murray	Wright
Total—42		

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Romero
Alario	Guillory	Salter
Alexander, R.—13th	Heaton	Smith, J.D.—50th
Baylor	Hudson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Hunter	Stelly
Damico	Iles	Strain
Daniel	Johns	Thomas
Deville	Kennard	Thompson
DeWitt	Kenney	Toomy
Diez	LeBlanc	Triche
Donelon	Long	Vitter
Durand	Martiny	Warner
Flavin	McDonald	Weston
Fontenot	McMains	Wilkerson
Forster	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Frith	Pierre	Winston
Fruge	Pinac	
Gautreaux	Powell	
Total—52		

ABSENT

Carter	Hebert	Quezaire
Dupre	Jenkins	Rousselle
Farve	Jetson	Walsworth
Hammett	McCallum	
Total—11		

The chair declared the above bill, not having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, failed to pass.

Rep. DeWitt moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On joint motion of Reps. LeBlanc and Triche and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect their voting nay.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 293—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3559(A) and 3564(A)(7), relative to consumer loans; to provide that those presently licensed to make supervised loans shall be licensed to make consumer loans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Frith	Powell
Alario	Fruge	Pratt
Alexander, A.—93rd	Gautreaux	Quezaire
Alexander, R.—13th	Green	Riddle
Ansardi	Guillory	Romero
Barton	Heaton	Rousselle
Baudoin	Hill	Salter
Baylor	Hopkins	Scalise
Bowler	Hudson	Schneider
Bruce	Hunter	Shaw
Brun	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruneau	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Carter	Kenney	Stelly
Chaisson	Lancaster	Strain
Clarkson	Landrieu	Theriot
Copelin	LeBlanc	Thomas
Crane	Long	Thompson
Curtis	Marionneaux	Thornhill
Damico	Martiny	Toomy
Daniel	McCain	Travis
Deville	McDonald	Triche
DeWitt	McMains	Vitter
Diez	Michot	Walsworth
Dimos	Mitchell	Warner
Doerge	Montgomery	Welch
Donelon	Morrell	Weston
Durand	Morrish	Wiggins
Farve	Murray	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Odinet	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Perkins	Windhorst
Fontenot	Pierre	Winston
Forster	Pinac	Wright
Total—96		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Dupre	Hebert	Jetson
Glover	Holden	Johns
Hammett	Jenkins	McCallum
Total—9		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 306—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:411(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 32:393(H) and 398(I), relative to drivers' licenses; to require law enforcement officers to take certain actions when it is determined that a driver who has been involved in an accident or is charged with a traffic violation has a medical condition which could result in possible suspension or revocation of his driver's license; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.



Rep. Diez sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Diez to Engrossed House Bill No. 306 by Representative Downer

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 2, after "R.S. 32:393(H)" delete "and" and insert in lieu thereof a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, after "398(I)," insert "and 414(N)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "license;" insert "to provide for the suspension of driver's licenses of persons who have issued dishonored checks to the office of motor vehicles;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 10, after "R.S. 32:393(H)" change "and" to a comma "," and after "398(I)" insert the words "and 414(N)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, after line 10, insert the following:

\*\* \* \*

§414. Suspension, revocation, and cancellation of licenses; judicial review

\* \* \*

N. The department may suspend the driver's license of any person who has paid taxes or fees to the office of motor vehicles with a check which has subsequently been dishonored for insufficient funds, if the person fails to redeem the check within ten days of notice that is has been dishonored. Any license so suspended shall remain suspended until all pending assessments against the person, including the reinstatement fee provided for in Subsection H of this Section, have been paid in cash."

**Point of Order**

Rep. Murray asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

**Ruling of the Chair**

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were not germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were withdrawn.

Rep. Diez moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Perkins
Alario	Glover	Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Pinac
Alexander, R.—13th	Hammett	Powell
Ansardi	Heaton	Quezaire
Barton	Hebert	Riddle
Baudoin	Hill	Romero
Baylor	Holden	Rousselle
Bowler	Hopkins	Salter
Brun	Hunter	Scalise
Bruneau	Iles	Schneider
Carter	Jetson	Shaw
Chaisson	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Kenney	Strain
Curtis	Lancaster	Theriot
Damico	Landrieu	Thomas
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thompson
Deville	Long	Toomy
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Dimos	McCain	Vitter
Doerge	McCallum	Warner
Donelon	McDonald	Weston
Durand	Michot	Wiggins
Farve	Mitchell	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Montgomery	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Morrell	Windhorst
Forster	Morrish	Winston
Frith	Murray	Wright
Fruge	Odinot	
Total—92		

NAYS

Copelin	Guillory	Pratt
Fontenot	Hudson	Welch
Total—6		

ABSENT

Bruce	McMains	Walsworth
Dupre	Stelly	
Jenkins	Thornhill	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Diez moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 343—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE AND THORNHILL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:308(A) and 310 and to enact R.S. 38:329, relative to boards of commissioners of levee and levee and drainage districts; to provide for payment of per diem and reimbursement of travel expenses; to provide for expenses of the board members as delegates to flood relief conventions; to prohibit participation in the State Employees Retirement System or any state health insurance programs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Triche, the bill was returned to the calendar subject to call.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 355—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEATON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:855.3(E) and (F), relative to personal watercraft safety; to require persons operating a personal watercraft to be of a certain age; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Heaton, the bill was returned to the calendar subject to call.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 487—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2531(D)(5), relative to penalties to be imposed for littering; to provide for the penalty to be imposed for littering on a Louisiana Byway; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Dimos, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 487 by Representative Weston

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, following "violation" and before "occurred" delete "has"

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Weston moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezaire
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero
Baylor	Hill	Rousselle
Bowler	Holden	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Brun	Hudson	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Shaw
Chaisson	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Johns	Stelly
Crane	Kennard	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Theriot
Damico	Lancaster	Thomas
Daniel	Landrieu	Thompson
Deville	LeBlanc	Thornhill
DeWitt	Long	Toomy

Diez	Marionneau	Travis
Dimos	Martiny	Triche
Doerge	McCain	Vitter
Donelon	McCallum	Warner
Dupre	McDonald	Welch
Durand	Michot	Weston
Farve	Mitchell	Wiggins
Faucheux	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Flavin	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Fontenot	Morrish	Windhorst
Forster	Murray	Winston
Frith	Odinot	Wright
Fruge	Perkins	

Total—101

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Carter	McMains
Jenkins	Walsworth

Total—4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Weston moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on her own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 514—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMOS, ANSARDI, AND MCMAINS  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3 of the Louisiana Code of Evidence, to be comprised of Articles 301 through 308, and to enact Louisiana Code of Evidence Article 804(B)(5), to repeal Civil Code Articles 1849, 1850, 1851, and 1852, and to provide for the redesignation of Louisiana Code of Evidence Articles 804(B)(5) and (6), all relative to evidence in civil proceedings; to provide for the definition, effect, and application of presumptions and prima facie evidence as used in legislation governing civil proceedings; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to conclusive and rebuttable presumptions; to provide for jury instructions; to provide for a residual hearsay exception when the declarant is unavailable to testify; to repeal certain Civil Code Articles relative to presumptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Dimos moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Heaton	Quezaire
Barton	Hebert	Riddle
Baudoin	Hill	Romero
Baylor	Holden	Rousselle
Bowler	Hopkins	Salter
Bruce	Hudson	Scalise

Brun	Hunter	Schneider
Bruneau	Iles	Shaw
Chaisson	Jetson	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin	Kennard	Stelly
Crane	Kenney	Strain
Curtis	Lancaster	Theriot
Damico	Landrieu	Thomas
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thompson
Deville	Long	Thornhill
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Toomy
Diez	Martiny	Travis
Dimos	McCain	Triche
Doerge	McCallum	Vitter
Donelon	McDonald	Walsworth
Dupre	McMains	Warner
Durand	Michot	Welch
Farve	Mitchell	Weston
Faucheux	Montgomery	Wiggins
Flavin	Morrell	Wilkerson
Fontenot	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Forster	Murray	Windhorst
Frith	Odinet	Winston
Fruge	Perkins	Wright

Total—102

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter	Hammett	Jenkins
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Dimos moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 542—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(D)(2) and 304(B) and to enact R.S. 38:304.2, relative to the East Jefferson Levee District; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners of the district; to provide for the appointment of an additional member; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Dimos, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 542 by Representative Martiny

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 4, following "appointment." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 5 and 6

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Martiny moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pinac
Alario	Gautreaux	Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd	Glover	Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th	Green	Quezaire
Ansardi	Guillory	Riddle
Barton	Hammett	Romero
Baudoin	Heaton	Rousselle
Baylor	Hebert	Salter
Bowler	Hill	Scalise
Bruce	Holden	Schneider
Brun	Hopkins	Shaw
Bruneau	Hudson	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter	Hunter	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson	Iles	Stelly
Clarkson	Johns	Theriot
Copelin	Kennard	Thomas
Crane	Kenney	Thompson
Curtis	Lancaster	Thornhill
Damico	Landrieu	Toomy
Daniel	LeBlanc	Travis
Deville	Long	Triche
DeWitt	Martiny	Vitter
Diez	McCallum	Walsworth
Dimos	McDonald	Warner
Doerge	McMains	Welch
Donelon	Michot	Weston
Dupre	Montgomery	Wiggins
Durand	Morrell	Wilkerson
Farve	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Faucheux	Murray	Windhorst
Flavin	Odinet	Winston
Forster	Perkins	Wright
Frith	Pierre	

Total—98

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Fontenot	Marionneaux	Strain
Jenkins	McCain	
Jetson	Mitchell	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Martiny moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 549—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE, A. ALEXANDER, CARTER, GUILLORY,  
MCCALLUM, AND THOMPSON  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VIII, Section 16 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize the legislature to provide by law for the operation and management of public hospitals and their programs by the Board of Regents or by any board having powers of management over public institutions of higher education; to exclude certain institutions and programs from such authorization; to provide for legislative oversight; to

provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Riddle moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gautreaux	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd	Green	Powell
Alexander, R.—13th	Guillory	Pratt
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezaire
Barton	Heaton	Riddle
Baudoin	Hebert	Romero
Baylor	Hill	Rousselle
Bowler	Holden	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Brun	Hudson	Shaw
Bruneau	Iles	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter	Jetson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson	Johns	Stelly
Clarkson	Kennard	Theriot
Copelin	Kenney	Thompson
Crane	Lancaster	Thornhill
Damico	Landrieu	Toomy
Daniel	LeBlanc	Travis
Deville	Long	Triche
DeWitt	Marionneaux	Vitter
Diez	Martiny	Walsworth
Doerge	McCain	Warner
Donelon	McCallum	Welch
Dupre	McDonald	Weston
Durand	McMains	Wiggins
Farve	Michot	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Montgomery	Willard-Lewis
Flavin	Morrell	Windhorst
Fontenot	Morrish	Winston
Forster	Murray	Wright
Frith	Odinet	
Fruge	Perkins	
Total—97		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Curtis	Jenkins	Strain
Dimos	Mitchell	Thomas
Hunter	Schneider	
Total—8		

The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Riddle moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. McCain, the rules were suspended in order to take up Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

**Petitions, Memorials and Communications**

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

**Message from the Senate**

**HOUSE BILLS**

April 22, 1997

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has finally passed the following House Bills:

House Bill No. 491  
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
MICHAEL S. BAER, III  
Secretary of the Senate

**Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent**

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 132—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES POWELL, FONTENOT, KENNARD, MCMAINS, PERKINS, AND TRAVIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend and congratulate the Albany High School Lady Hornets on their winning the 1997 state championship for Class 3A girls basketball.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Powell, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 133—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Carl Stewart, the legendary basketball coach of Southern University, and to record the tribute of the legislature for this remarkable man who has left a significant legacy to the state in the young people he guided and inspired.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Welch, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

### Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions

The following named members introduced the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2336—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.42(D), to enact R.S. 40:1300.42(A)(5), and to repeal R.S. 40:1300.43(E), relative to smoking in certain public places; to include restaurants in the list of public places where the smoking of tobacco in any form is prohibited; to prohibit the specific designation of a smoking area in a restaurant; to delete the provision which authorizes the owner, operator, or manager of a restaurant to maintain smoking and nonsmoking areas in the restaurant according to customer demand; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2337—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.41(A)(1) and 1299.45(A)(2), relative to the Medical Malpractice Act; to include certain corporations, partnerships, and limited liability companies within the definition of "health care provider"; to provide for malpractice coverage; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2338—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAUTREAU  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:427(A), relative to lease of waterbottoms for oyster production; to provide that applications for lease shall remain valid until a survey is made; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2339—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1602, to enable the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College to assess a student technology fee; to authorize the board to provide for the assessment of such fee at Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College; to provide for the use of the proceeds thereof; to provide for reports; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2340—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4861.27(C), relative to the Charitable Raffles, Bingo and Keno Licensing Law; to provide for changes in the specifications for electronic pull-tab devices; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2341—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4861.27(K), relative to the Charitable Raffles, Bingo and Keno Licensing Law; to authorize assessment of administrative fees by division of charitable gaming control; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2342—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1791, relative to rural enterprise zones; to provide for rural enterprise zones in certain parishes; to increase the parish population threshold to meet certain criteria; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2343—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYLOR  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2533(C), to provide for the expungement of records of complaints against law enforcement officers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2344—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2333, 2335(B), 2336(2), and 2337 and to repeal R.S. 51:2332(1), relative to the Workforce Development and Training Program within the Department of Economic Development; to provide for customized workforce training; to provide for eligibility; to provide for the application and procedure for funding; to repeal the definition of "corporation"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2345—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:277, relative to victims of sexual offenses; to prohibit the taking of polygraph and other similar examinations of such victims by the state; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 2346—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Arts. 871(B) and (C), relative to the affixing of fingerprints to the bill of indictment; to require that the fingerprints of persons convicted of certain misdemeanor crimes must be affixed to the bill of indictment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

### Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

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## **Report of the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure**

April 22, 1997

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 41, by Riddle  
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 284, by McCain  
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 631, by Windhorst  
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 660, by Riddle  
Reported by substitute. (7-2)

House Bill No. 1064, by Johns  
Reported with amendments. (8-2) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1072, by McCallum  
Reported with amendments. (11-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1179, by McMains  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1327, by Thompson  
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1328, by Thompson  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1329, by Thompson  
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1392, by Riddle  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1881, by Green  
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

F. CHARLES MCMAINS, JR.  
Chairman

## **Report of the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works**

April 22, 1997

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 84, by Windhorst  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 90, by Windhorst  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Bill No. 354, by Fruge  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 378, by Alario  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 430, by Weston  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 589, by Fruge  
Reported with amendments. (8-5) (Regular)

House Bill No. 885, by Marionneaux  
Reported with amendments. (9-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 906, by R. Alexander  
Reported with amendments. (9-3) (Regular)

House Bill No. 934, by Hebert  
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1172, by Forster  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1173, by Forster  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1195, by Wiggins  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1196, by Wiggins  
Reported with amendments. (7-4) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1530, by Windhorst  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1538, by Fruge  
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1619, by Windhorst  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1620, by Windhorst  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1685, by Alario  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1746, by Hudson  
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1949, by Forster  
Reported with amendments. (5-4) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1961, by Clarkson  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

JOHN C. DIEZ  
Chairman

## **Report of the Committee on Ways and Means**

April 22, 1997

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Ways and Means to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 399, by DeWitt  
Reported favorably. (9-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 773, by Wilkerson (Joint Resolution)  
Reported with amendments. (10-4) (Regular)

House Bill No. 819, by Faucheux  
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 839, by Martiny  
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1028, by Alario  
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1129, by Alario  
Reported favorably. (9-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1532, by Bruce  
Reported with amendments. (9-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1533, by Chaisson  
Reported favorably. (9-0-1) (Regular)

JOHN A. ALARIO, JR.  
Chairman

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on  
Second Reading to be Referred**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Landrieu, the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 1819.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1819—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1006.1, relative to discriminatory practices; to prohibit discriminatory practices because of actual or perceived sexual orientation; to provide for definitions; to provide for exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Landrieu, the above bill was recommitted to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on  
Second Reading to be Referred**

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of Senate Bill No. 746.

**SENATE BILL NO. 746—**  
BY SENATORS HAINKEL AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:1842(10) and 1844(Z) and the Louisiana Children's Code Arts. 116(29), 811.1(G) and 811.3(3), relative to juveniles; to provide with respect to the rights of victims; to provide for the rights of juvenile crime victims under the age of

seventeen years; to provide for confidentiality; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the bill was returned to the calendar subject to call.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

April 22, 1997

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Enrollment to submit the following report:

The following House Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 114—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To remember and to reflect on the life of Ennis William Cosby and the contributions that he made therein and to offer condolences to his family and friends.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 115—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Cathy Seal of Tara High School and Mimi Barton of Cedarcrest-Southmoor Elementary School in Baton Rouge for their work as media specialists and for being recognized by being awarded statewide honors.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 116—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate William C. Allred upon his selection as Louisiana State Assistant Principal of the Year and to recognize his dedication to the field of education.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 120—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES PRATT AND MURRAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Louisiana Legislature upon the death of Deaconess Edna Wilson Carter Foster of New Orleans.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD  
Chairman

The above House Concurrent Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk of the House and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Brun, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Education to add the following legislative instruments to its agenda without giving the notice required by House Rule 14.21(A).

House Bill No. 2243

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Appropriations to meet on adjournment on Wednesday, April 23, 1997.

**Leave of Absence**

Rep. Jenkins - 1 day

**Adjournment**

On motion of Rep. Landrieu, at 6:30 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, April 23, 1997, at 1:30 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:30 P.M., Wednesday, April 23, 1997.

ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House

C. Wayne Hays  
Journal Clerk, *Emeritus*