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:

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House Concurrent Resolution No. 133
Returned without amendments.
Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
April 23, 1997
To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:
I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted and asks your concurrence in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:
Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 21 and 81
Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. Romero, the rules were suspended in order to take up the resolution contained in the message at this time.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions
The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained in the message were taken up and acted upon as follows:
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81—
BY SENATOR ROMERO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend the staff and students of Iberia Middle School on their efforts in proposing, promoting and celebrating Peace Week.
Read by title.
On motion of Rep. Romero, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

Message from the Senate
SENATE BILLS
April 23, 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. 1162 and 1264
Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. Romero, 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. 1162—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 30:2153(1)(b)(iv), relative to the definition of solid waste; to exclude from the definition of solid waste automotive fluff from automobile shredding; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 1264—
BY SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 19-B of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:3151 through 3153, relative to the sale of animals; to provide for definitions; to provide for requirements relating to sale; to provide for a right of action; to provide for damages; 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. 134—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU AND DOWNER AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND EWING
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To invite the Honorable Newt Gingrich, Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and the Honorable M. J. "Mike" Foster, Jr., Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.
Read by title.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions
The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:
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.
Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.
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. 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.

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

**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.

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

**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.

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

**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.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**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.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2338**
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAUTREAUX
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.

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

**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.

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

**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.

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

**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.

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

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

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.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2344—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact 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.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2345—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE
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.

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

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:

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.

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

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.

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

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.

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

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.

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

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.

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

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 CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST AND CLARKSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To request the Federal Transit Administration through its regional administrator for Region VI to redesignate the transit lanes on the Crescent City Connection Bridge No. 2 from "high occupancy vehicle seven" (HOV 7) to "high occupancy vehicle two" (HOV 2).

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. 90—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST, CLARKSON, AND ROUSSELLE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to meet with certain agencies to seek solutions to minimizing the cost of repainting the Crescent City Connection Bridge.

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. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE AND FRITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.13, relative to the guidelines for the determination of child support; to provide for allocation of the federal and state tax dependency deductions in certain cases; 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. 41 by Representatives Riddle and Frith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 15, change "B." to "B.(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 16, change "seventy-five" to "fifty"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 1, after "finds" delete the remainder of the line and in lieu thereof insert "both of the following:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, between lines 1 and 2, insert the following:

"(a) No arrearages are owed by the obligor.
(b) The right to claim"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 4, after "party." delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, at the beginning of line 5, insert the following:

"(2) The child support order"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, at the beginning of line 6, change "(1)" to "(a)" and at the beginning of line 8, change "(2)" to "(b)"

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. 149—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROUSSELLE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 34:851.27(B)(7), relative to regulation of vessels and motorboats; to authorize and provide for the regulation of air boats in Plaquemines Parish and Jefferson Parish by the parish governing authority; to provide terms and conditions; to provide for the enforcement of such regulation; to provide for the effect of such regulation; 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. 149 by Representative Rousselle

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "Parish" and before "by" insert "and Jefferson Parish"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 2, change "authority" to "authorities"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 2, after "Parish" and before "shall" insert "and Jefferson Parish"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 3, after "within" and before "including" delete "the parish," and insert in lieu thereof "their respective parishes."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 11, after "Parish" and before "and" insert "and Jefferson Parish"

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. 284—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.12, relative to the guidelines for the determination of child support; to require the Department of Social Services and the Louisiana District Attorneys Association to assist the legislature in the federally mandated periodic review thereof; 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. 372—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 9:3520(D), relative to consumer credit sales; to prohibit a seller from charging a consumer a fee for sending him an initial billing statement; to authorize a fee for additional statements; 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. 378—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(R)(2) and 304(B) and to enact R.S. 38:304.2, relative to the West 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.

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 COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Environment to
Original House Bill No. 383 by Representatives Holden and Baudoin

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 9, after "incinerator" and before "in" insert ", as defined by the department as of the effective date of this Section,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 12, at the end of the line delete the period "." and insert in lieu thereof "as of January 1, 1997. This Section shall not apply to temporary, mobile incinerators authorized by the department."

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. 399—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:631 and to repeal R.S. 47:633(17), to repeal the severance tax on gravel; 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. 430—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:863.1(C)(1)(b), relative to penalties and fees for noncompliance with compulsory automobile security requirements; to permit reinstatement of registration without penalties for compliance within ten days of receipt of notice of noncompliance; 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. 469—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN**

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 10:4A-209(e), relative to banks; to prohibit banks from charging a beneficiary a fee for cashing a check; 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. 481—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:822(A)(8)(introductory paragraph), relative to telephonic sales; to include solicitations for telephonic sales within Louisiana in the definition of "telephonic seller"; 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. 481 by Representative Doerge

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "relative" delete "enact R.S. 45:822(A)(8)(d)," and insert in lieu thereof "amend and reenact R.S. 45:822(A)(8)(introductory paragraph),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 6, after "45:822(A)(8)" and before "is" delete "(d)" and insert in lieu thereof "(introductory paragraph)" and after "hereby" and before "to" delete "enacted" and insert in lieu thereof "amended and reenacted"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 13, after "occur" and before "which" insert "in which either the telephonic seller or the purchaser, or both, are located in Louisiana and"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 1, delete lines 16 through 18 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. 502—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1903, relative to law enforcement solicitations; to permit law enforcement entities to designate one benevolent organization as its "sanctioned benevolent organization"; to provide relative to disclosure and billing; 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. 589—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE FRUGE**

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 32:64.1, relative to speed limits; to provide for a minimum speed limit; to provide exceptions; to provide certain 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. 589 by Representative Fruge

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after the word and punctuation "exceptions;" and before "and" insert "to provide certain penalties;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 8, after "speed of" and before "miles" change "fifteen" to "twenty"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, at the beginning of line 10, before "vehicles carrying" add "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, at the end of line 11, after "such" change the period to a comma and insert the following words: "and (2) existing minimum speed limits established on interstate highways. Any person violating the provisions of this Section shall be punished by a fine not to exceed twenty-five dollars."

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. 631—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:63(D), relative to the examination, admission, commitment, and treatment of persons suffering from mental illness and substance abuse; to limit liability of certain acts of law enforcement officers; to provide with respect to the responsibilities of law enforcement; 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. 631 by Representative Windhorst

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 11, delete "and general immunity from" and insert "limitation of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, delete lines 4 through 8

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 9, change "(3)" to "(2)"

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. 660—
BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE, FRITH, FRUGE, KENNEY, MCCAIN, PIERRE, THORNHILL, AND WIGGINS AND SENATORS HINES, JORDAN, AND SMITH

AN ACT

To enact Chapters 1 and 2 of Code Title XIX of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:4101 through 4104 and 4111 through 4116, respectively; to redesignate existing Chapters 1 and 2 of Code Title XIX of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as Chapters 3 and 4 thereof, and to rename Code Title XIX thereof, all relative to alternative dispute resolution; to state policy regarding such alternatives; to provide for mediation and nonbinding arbitration; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2347   (Substitute for House Bill No. 660 by Representative Riddle, et al.)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE AND MCMAINS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 1 of Code Title XIX of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 9:4101 through 4112, to redesignate existing Chapters 1 and 2 of Code Title XIX of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as Chapters 2 and 3 thereof, and to rename Code Title XIX thereof, all relative to alternative dispute resolution; to provide for mediation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 2347 by Rep. Riddle, on behalf of the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure, as a substitute for House Bill No. 660 by Rep. Riddle.

Under the rules, lies over in the same order of business.

HOUSE BILL NO. 773—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the industrial tax exemption; to provide that the granting of the exemption be based upon the jobs created and retained; to provide for the determination of the exemption; 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 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. 773 by Representative Wilkerson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3 after the semicolon ";" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 4 and 5 in their entirety and insert the following:

"to provide that the granting of the exemption be based upon the jobs created and retained; to provide for the determination of the exemption; to provide for"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, delete lines 8 and 9 and insert the following:

"(2) The board shall, to the extent possible, grant exemptions based upon the jobs created or retained as a direct result of the granting of an exemption. To assure the most benefit to the citizens of the state in the granting of exemption contracts, the exemption shall be for a percentage of the ad valorem taxes determined by a fraction, the numerator of which is total Louisiana gross payroll for the manufacturing establishment and the denominator of which is total Louisiana capital for the manufacturing establishment. In no event shall the percentage be more than one hundred percent. At the election of the manufacturing establishment and with the approval of the board, the total of Louisiana gross payroll and Louisiana capital may be calculated by including all affiliates of the manufacturing establishment."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 8 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 3, line 10 after "continued" and before the period "." insert the following:

"and to provide for the determination of the amount of the exemption which may be granted based upon the ratio of payroll to capital"

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

Under the rules, the above bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 819—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1703.1(A), relative to registration of the homestead exemption; to require the assessor in St. James Parish to provide a form for the permanent registration of the homestead exemption; 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. 819 by Representative Faucheux

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "require" and before "to" delete "each assessor" and insert "the assessor in St. James Parish"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 11, after "assessor" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 12 through 17 in their entirety and insert the following:

"for the parishes of Acadia, Concordia, DeSoto, Catahoula, Caddo, Caldwell, LaSalle, Lincoln, East Baton Rouge, Lafourche, Rapides, St. John the Baptist, St. James, St. Martin, Terrebonne, St. Mary, St. Landry, Lafayette, Calcasieu, Iberia, Richland, East Carroll, Grant, Ouachita, Winn, Morehouse, West Carroll, Beauregard, Red River, Sabine, Union, Claiborne, Natchitoches, Allen, Vermilion, Iberville, St. Helena, Livingston, Ascension, Assumption, Bienville, Evangeline, East Feliciana, Jackson, Jefferson Davis, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Vernon, West Baton Rouge, West Feliciana, Pointe Coupee, Tensas, Franklin, Cameron, Avoyelles, St. Bernard, Washington, and Webster shall provide a form to property owners within the parish for permanent registration for the benefits of the homestead exemption provided for in R.S. 47:1703."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 8 in their entirety
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. 885 by Representatives Marionneaux and Thompson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "permit;" and before "and" insert "to provide for prohibitions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "agronomic" delete the remainder of the line and insert "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete line 9, and insert in lieu thereof "horticultural crops"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 12, after "agronomic" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "or horticultural"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, at the beginning of line 13 before "crops" delete "aquacultural"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 13, after "crops" and before the period "." insert "in their natural state"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, after line 5, insert:

"(5) Trucks permitted under the provisions of this Section shall be prohibited from traveling on the Interstate System."

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. 906—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:383.1, relative to loads on motor vehicles; to provide that loads of loose materials on all trucks must be covered; 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. 906 by Representative Rodney Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "that" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "loads of loose materials on all trucks must be covered; and to provide for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 10 and insert in lieu thereof:

"A. Any load of loose material as defined in R.S. 32:383(C)"

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. 934—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:261.1, relative to state highway maintenance; to provide for the establishment of the Highway Maintenance Program; to provide for implementation and termination of the program; to provide for the funding of the program; 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. 934 by Representative Hebert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 11, after "maintenance" delete the period "," and insert "and shall be based on that parish's total miles of state highways in proportion to the total miles of state highway in that district."

E. The governing authority of each parish shall adopt a resolution to undertake the responsibility of maintaining its state highways, and a majority of the legislative delegation from that parish shall agree in writing with the resolution, before the function of maintaining state highways shall be transferred from the department to the parishes.

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. 1028—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT**
**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1576(A), relative to taxes paid under protest; to provide that a refund to a claimant for taxes paid under protest shall bear interest from the date the funds were received or from the due date of the tax return, whichever is later; to provide for the applicability of that provision; 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. 1028 by Representatives Alario and DeWitt

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 4, after "received" delete the remainder of the line and insert "or from the due date of the" and on line 5 after "return" and before the comma"," delete "was filed"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, line 8, after the words "or the" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"due date, determined without regard to extensions, of the tax return, whichever"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 11, at the end of the line insert:

"There shall be no penalty for underpayments of estimated tax with regard to amounts paid under protest and such amounts paid under protest are not required to be paid until the due date of the return determined without regard to extensions."

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. 1064—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS**
**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 1103(5), 1137, 1138, and 1143 and to enact Children's Code Art. 1103(6), all relative to the surrender of parental rights; to provide a definition of "parental fitness"; to provide for the opposition to an adoption by the alleged or adjudicated father and notice; to delete provisions on proof of establishment of parental relationship; to provide for representation of the child, a contradictory hearing and notice thereof, testing to determine paternity, the hearing on an alleged or adjudicated father's opposition to an adoption, the father's establishment of parental rights, acknowledgment, proof of substantial commitment, the termination of rights of the unsuccessfully opposing father, the award of custody to the successfully opposing father, and the costs of medical treatment; to provide an expedited time within which to request a rehearing or file an application for certiorari to the supreme court and to provide with respect to the time that a judgment becomes final and definitive for purposes of appeal; 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:

"Section 2. Any action to annul a final decree of adoption rendered prior to August 15, 1997, but after July 9, 1987, for any reason, shall be instituted before January 1, 1998 or the date on which such right would have prescribed under applicable law in effect prior to August 15, 1997, whichever occurs first, and any suit not instituted within that time and any claims relating thereto shall be forever barred. The provisions hereof do not create any additional right or grounds to annul an adoption.

Section 3. In accordance with Joint Rule No. 10 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, the Louisiana State Law Institute is hereby urged and directed to include and revise comments, consistent with the comments provided in the source bill for this Act, House Bill No. 1671 of the 1995 Regular Session, and the provisions of this Act."

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. 1072—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCALLUM AND JOHNS**
**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 1103(5), 1137, 1138, and 1143 and to enact Children's Code Art. 1103(6), all relative to the surrender of parental rights; to provide a definition of "parental fitness"; to provide for the opposition to an adoption by the alleged or adjudicated father and notice; to delete provisions on proof of establishment of parental relationship; to provide for representation of the child, a contradictory hearing and notice thereof, testing to determine paternity, the hearing on an alleged or adjudicated father's opposition to an adoption, the father's establishment of parental rights, acknowledgment, proof of substantial commitment, the termination of rights of the unsuccessfully opposing father, the award of custody to the successfully opposing father, and the costs of medical treatment; to provide an expedited time within which to request a rehearing or file an application for certiorari to the supreme court and to provide with respect to the time that a judgment becomes final and definitive for purposes of appeal; 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. 1072 by Representative McCallum and Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "1137," and before "1138" delete "and" and after "1138" and before "and" insert a comma "," and "and 1143"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, after "treatment;" and before "and" to insert "to provide an expedited time within which to request a rehearing or file an application for certiorari to the supreme court and to provide with respect to the time that a judgment becomes final and definitive for purposes of appeal;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page line 1, line 16, after "1137," and before "1138" delete "and" and after "1138" and before "are" insert a comma "," and "and 1143"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, after line 2, insert the following:

Art. 1143. Appeal

A. Appeals from An appeal from or application for a rehearing on any order or judgment rendered in accordance with this Chapter relative to a provision of this Title shall be in accordance with the provisions of this Article to the extent that the provisions hereof conflict with the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure.

B. An appeal from an order of judgment of a district, family, or juvenile court shall be to the court of appeal on both law and fact. The court shall fix the return date of the appeal no more than twenty days after the day the estimated costs are paid. Emergency supplemental court reporting services may be applied for with the judicial administrator. The court of appeal shall hear and decide the appeal within twenty days after the lodging of the record on appeal.

C.(1) Within seven days after the mailing of the notice of the judgment and opinion of the court of appeal, a party may apply to the court of appeal for a rehearing. Within ten days after the mailing of the notice of the judgment and opinion of the court of appeal, a party may apply to the supreme court for a writ of certiorari. The judgment of a court of appeal becomes final and definitive if neither an application for rehearing nor an application to the supreme court for a writ of certiorari is timely filed.

(2) If any party files a timely application to the court of appeal for a rehearing, then the time within which any other party may apply to the supreme court for a writ of certiorari shall be extended until ten days after the mailing of the notice of a denial of rehearing.

(3) If a timely application for rehearing has been filed in the court of appeal and the court of appeal denies the application, the judgment becomes final and definitive unless an application for writ of certiorari to the supreme court is filed within ten days after the mailing of the notice of a denial of rehearing.

(4) If an application for certiorari to the supreme court is timely filed, a judgment of the court of appeal becomes final and definitive when the supreme court denies the application for certiorari. The supreme court may stay the execution of the judgment of the court of appeal pending a timely application for certiorari or an appeal to the United States Supreme Court.

D.(1) Within seven days after the mailing of the notice of judgment in the supreme court, a party may apply to the court for a rehearing.

(2) A judgment of the supreme court becomes final and definitive when the delay for application for rehearing has expired and no timely application therefor has been made.

(3) When an application for rehearing has been applied for timely, a judgment of the supreme court becomes final and definitive when the application is denied. The supreme court may stay the execution of the judgment pending a timely application for certiorari or an appeal to the United States Supreme Court.

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. 1129—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:451, 453, 454(B)(1)(b), 456(A) and (B), 457(A), 458(A), (C), and (D), and 459(B) through (F), to change the name of the Department of Revenue and Taxation to the Department of Revenue; 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. 1172—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:135(A), relative to disposition of proceeds of sale of public lands; to exempt the board of commissioners of the Orleans Levee District from the provisions requiring the sheriff to forward the net proceeds of the sale to the Department of Natural Resources for deposit into the state treasury; to authorize the sheriff to forward the balance of the net proceeds of the sale of Orleans Levee District property directly to that district; 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. 1173—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:336(B)(2), relative to levee districts;
to provide for two exceptions to the requirement that the Board
of Commissioners of the Orleans Levee District reserve and
dedicate forever a continuous strip of land for public parks,
parkways, boulevards, playgrounds, aviation fields, and places
of amusement along the entire frontage of Lake Pontchartrain;
to provide which areas will be the subject of the exceptions; 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. 1179—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.5, relative to the guidelines for the
determination of child support; to define "extraordinary medical
expenses"; 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. 1195—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WIGGINS, LONG, AND SALTER AND
SENATORS DYESS AND LANDRY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:387(C)(3)(f)(ii), relative to special
permits for motor vehicles; to provide for vehicles hauling
recyclable waste paper products; 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. 1196—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WIGGINS AND JOHNS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:387.8, relative to special permits; to provide for an
annual permit for trucks transporting logging equipment from
one job site to another; to provide for the weight limit; to
provide for fees; to provide for penalties; to provide for
prohibitions; 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. 1196 by
Representatives Wiggins and Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 5, after "penalties;" and before "and" insert "to
provide for prohibitions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, at the end of line 4, delete "on a" and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, delete lines 5 and 6 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, after line 13, insert:
"(5) Trucks permitted under the provisions of this Section shall
be prohibited from traveling on the Interstate System."

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. 1327—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 74.2(C) and (D)
74.2(E), Section 2 of Chapter 7 of Title II of Book V of the
Code of Civil Procedure, comprised of Articles 2785 through
2794, and Children's Code Art. 314.1, all relative to child
support; to provide with respect to venue and the transferring of
child support cases within this state; to provide a process to
register intrastate support orders; to provide for transfer of a
proceeding for subsequent enforcement and modification by the
district attorney; 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. 1327 by Representative
Thompson

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 5, change "2790," to "2794,"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, delete lines 6 through 12 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, at the beginning of line 13, change "(4)" to "(3)".

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"(4) If the person awarded support is no longer domiciled in the state, the proceeding for modification of support may be brought in any of the following:

(a) the parish where the other person is domiciled,
(b) or in the parish where the support award was rendered.
(c) where the support order was last confirmed pursuant to the provisions of Article 2785 et seq."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 17, after "state" and before the comma "," insert "for modification."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 25, change "2790," to "2794,"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, line 2, delete "CHILD" and at the end of the line insert "FOR MODIFICATION AND ENFORCEMENT."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, at the end of line 8, delete the period "." and insert in lieu thereof "for Article 2793(A)(2), (A)(3), or (B)."

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, line 14, after "means" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 15 and 16 and insert in lieu thereof "judgment, decree, or order, whether temporary, final, or subject to modification, for the benefit of a child, a spouse, or a former spouse, which provides for monetary support, health care, arrearages, or reimbursement, and may include related costs and fees, interest, income withholding, attorney fees, and other relief."

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, at the end of line 17, insert "for modification.

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 3, line 19, after "registered" and before "in" insert "for modification.

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 4, delete lines 3 and 4 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 5, change "(d)" to "(e)"

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 4, at the end of line 14, delete "and verified" and at the beginning of line 15, delete "statement of support.

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 5, line 2, delete "other than the amount of arrearages alleged to be owed."

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 5, line 5, delete "other than the amount of arrearages alleged to be owed."

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 5, delete lines 8 through 12 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 5, at the end of line 14, delete "the amount of" and delete line 15 in its entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 5, line 19, delete "has exclusive," and insert in lieu thereof "shall have" and delete "over" and insert in lieu thereof "to modify."

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 6, line 2, after "jurisdiction" and before "unless" insert "to modify the support order."

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 7, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"Art. 2791. Registration of support orders for enforcement only

A. A support order rendered by a court of this state may be registered for enforcement in another court of this state.

B. An obligee of a support order seeking to register a support order pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall transmit to the clerk of the registering court all of the following:

(1) A certified copy of the support order.

(2) A verified statement of support, signed by the obligee of the support order, indicating all of the following:

(a) The name and street address of the obligee.
(b) The name, last known place of residence, and post office or street address of the obligor.
(c) The total amount of arrearages owed pursuant to the support order which have not been reduced to a judgment.
(d) A list of all the jurisdictions in which the order is registered.

C. Upon receipt of these documents, the clerk of court shall:

(1) Treat the documents as if they were a petition seeking relief relative to a family law matter by assigning a docket number and, if applicable, designate a division to which the matter is allotted."
(2) Register the support order by stamping or making a notation thereof on the certified copy of the support order in substantially the following form: "REGISTERED by the Clerk of the [District, Family, or Juvenile] Court in and for the Parish of [name of parish] on [date]."

(3) Send a copy of the registered support order and verified statement of support, by certified or registered mail, to the obligor at the address provided in the verified statement of support.

D. The filing of a support order in compliance with the provisions hereof constitutes registration of the support order for purposes of this Section.

Art. 2792. Objections to registration of support order

An objection to the registration of the support order for any purpose must be filed by the obligor with the registering court within twenty days from the date of mailing of the notice required in Article 2791(C)(3).

Art. 2793. Confirmation of registered support order

A. If the obligor files a timely objection and, after a hearing, the court finds:

(1) There exists a legitimate basis for objecting to the registration, other than the amount of arrearages alleged to be owed, the court shall issue an order vacating the registration of the support order.

(2) There exists no legitimate basis for objecting to the registration, other than the amount of arrearages alleged to be owed, the court shall issue an order confirming the registration of the support order.

(3) There exists no legitimate basis for objecting to the registration and there is no dispute as to the amount of arrearages owed as stated in the verified statement of support, the court shall issue an order confirming the registration of the support order and render a judgment making the arrearages executory.

B. If the obligor fails to file a timely objection, the registered support order is confirmed by operation of law and the amount of arrearages alleged to be owed in the verified statement of support becomes executory in all respects.

Art. 2794. Confirmed registered support order; enforcement

A. When confirmed, the registered support order shall be treated in the same manner and have the same effect as a support order issued by the registering court. Additionally, the confirmed registered support order is subject to the same procedures, defenses, and proceedings for modifying, vacating, or staying as a support order of the rendering court, and may be enforced and satisfied in a like manner.

B. At a hearing to enforce a confirmed registered support order, the obligor may present matters that would be available to him as defenses in an action to enforce the support order in the rendering court. If he shows to the court that an appeal from the order is pending or will be taken or that a stay of execution has been granted, the court shall stay enforcement of the order until the appeal has been concluded, the time for appeal has expired, or the stay order has been vacated, upon satisfactory proof that the obligor has furnished security for payment of the support ordered as required by the rendering court. If he shows to the court any ground upon which he is entitled to vacate the order, other than the amount of arrearages alleged to be owed, the court shall issue an order vacating the registration of the support order.

if the obligor furnishes the security for payment of the support ordered that is required by law.

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 7, at the end of line 9, delete "If" and delete lines 10 through 14 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 7, line 24, delete "motion of" and delete "attorney" and insert "attorney's motion to transfer;"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 7, line 25, delete "amended to change the payee" and insert in lieu thereof "payable" and delete "under this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 7, line 26, change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 8, line 2, delete "amended." and insert in lieu thereof "rendered or last registered."

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 8, line 14, delete "motion of" and delete "attorney" and insert in lieu thereof "attorney's motion to transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 8, line 16, change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 8, at the beginning of line 18, delete "within the parish"

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. 1328—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT
To enact Code of Evidence Art. 902(10) and R.S. 13:3712.1, relative to the introduction of labor reports in a child or spousal support proceeding; to provide for admissibility and for self-authentication of copies of such reports; to provide prima facie proof of their contents; 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. 1329—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Civil Code Art. 3497.1 and to enact Civil Code Art. 3501.1, relative to liberative prescription; to change the prescriptive period in which to bring an action for arrearages in child support from five to ten years; 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. 1392—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:374(B), relative to community property; to authorize the court to award to one spouse the possession and use of the community family home and other community property subsequent to filing a petition for separation of property during the marriage; 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. 1530—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:820.5(B)(2), relative to the uses of toll revenues from the Greater New Orleans Mississippi River Bridges; to provide for additional projects that may be funded by excess revenues; 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. 1532—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2180(A), relative to collection of ad valorem taxes; to provide for notice of delinquency; to provide that a taxpayer may designate an additional person to be notified of delinquent 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. 1532 by Representative Bruce

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3 after the semicolon ";" and before "to provide" insert "to provide for notice of delinquency;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 9 after "A.(1)" and before "On" insert "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, after line 17, insert the following:

"(b) On the second day of January of each year, or as soon thereafter as possible, in each year following the year in which the original notice of delinquency is made pursuant to Paragraph (1) hereof, the tax collector shall address to each taxpayer who has not paid all the taxes which have been assessed to him on immovable property a written notice in the manner provided herein. The notice shall specify the property upon which the taxes are delinquent, the amount of taxes due, and the manner in which the property may be redeemed. The notice shall be made each year until the property is no longer redeemable as provided in Article VII, Section 25 (B) of the Constitution of Louisiana. The cost of mailing the notice shall be considered cost for purposes of redemption."

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. 1533—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAISSON
AN ACT
To repeal R.S. 47:1961.2, relative to ad valorem taxes on inventories; to repeal provisions providing for monthly collection on motor vehicles, boats, outboard motors, and boats with motors which are held for collection.

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. 1538—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRUGE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:387.8, relative to steering axle permits; to provide for travel on interstate highways by vehicles which require steering axle permits; 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:
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 1538 by Representative Fruge

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the end of line 10, after "permit" delete the period "." and insert in lieu thereof a comma "," and the words "provided the single axle vehicles requiring such permit do not exceed twenty-four thousand pounds in weight.

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. 1607—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 12:204.1 and R.S. 51:281.2 and 1905.1, relative to deceptive practices in charitable solicitations; to provide for injunctive relief; to prohibit the unauthorized use of the name of any public park, play-ground, or other public facility; 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. 1619—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:820.5(B)(4), relative to the use of toll revenues derived from the Greater New Orleans Mississippi River Bridges; to provide for the use and limitations on the use of excess toll revenues; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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. 1620—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:820.5(B)(2), relative to the use of toll revenues from the Greater New Orleans Mississippi River Bridges; to provide for certain restrictions and limitations of such toll revenues; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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. 1685—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 34:1(B)(2)(g), relative to appointments to the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans; to provide for the nominating agencies for the appointment of the member from Jefferson Parish; 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. 1724—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 34:851.27(A) and to repeal R.S. 34:3269(13), relative to wildlife and fisheries; to provide relative to regulation of water traffic by the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; to repeal certain authority of the Cane River Waterway District to regulate water traffic; 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. 1746—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:386.1, relative to special permits for motor vehicles; to provide for a blanket oversize yearly permit; to provide for fees; 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. 1746 by Representative Hudson

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the beginning of line 12, before "and the" delete "and six inches," and insert in lieu thereof "and four inches, a length not to exceed ninety feet,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13, after "be" and before "hundred" delete "two" and insert "five"

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

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. 1817—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 30:2153(1)(b)(iv), relative to solid waste; to provide for definitions; to provide for exemptions; to provide for automobile fluff; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Environment.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1844—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2419(A), (B), and (C), relative to recycling scrap metal; to prohibit the recycling of certain items; to provide for lead acid batteries; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Environment.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1874—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PERKINS, ALEXANDER, BAUDOIN, CARTER, CRANE, DURAND, FLAVIN, FONTENOT, GUIDRY, HOLDEN, JENKINS, JETSON, KENNEY, McMAINS, MORRISH, RIDDLE, ROMERO, TRAVIS, WELCH, AND WESTON AND SENATORS BRANCH, DARDENNE, FIELDS, AND GUIDRY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 30:2282, relative to waste sites; to provide for certain lakes; to provide for remediation; to provide for legal proceedings; 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. 1874 by Representative Perkins, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, delete lines 17 through 22 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"C. Not later than November 1, 1997, the department shall complete the assessment necessary to determine what remediation of the lakes is required, and not later than forty-five days thereafter, if no agreement has been reached by the department and the parties determined by the department to be potentially responsible to proceed with remediation, the department shall institute such legal proceedings as are appropriate to determine the responsibility of such persons and to impose on such persons the requirements for remediation authorized under this Subtitle. If such proceedings have not been instituted by the department by January 15, 1998, thereafter the office of the attorney general shall have a right of action and shall institute and prosecute such legal actions.

D. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, all cost to the state for the institution and prosecution of such legal actions provided for in this Section shall be paid from the Hazardous Waste Site Cleanup Fund, R.S. 30:2205. The responsible persons shall be liable for the reimbursement of the funds expended for such legal action. If the attorney general institutes or prosecutes such legal
action, the costs shall be paid from the fund upon the warrant of the attorney general accompanied by detailed, itemized account of the cost.

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. 1881—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3945(F) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3945(G), relative to orders of temporary child custody; to clarify the exceptions thereto; to provide for allocation of custody upon denial of an order for temporary custody; 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. 1881 by Representative Green

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "3945(F)" and before the comma "," insert "and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3945(G)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "thereof;" and before "and" insert "to provide for allocation of custody upon denial of an order for temporary custody;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"F. In the event an ex parte order of temporary custody is denied, the court shall specifically allocate between the parents the time which the child shall spend with each parent, unless immediate and irreparable injury will result to the child."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 11, change "F." to "G."

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. 1949—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4532(A), relative to the Public Belt Railroad; to authorize the city of New Orleans, through the Public Belt Railroad Commission to transport and convey trains over the Huey P. Long Bridge, its approaches and appurtenances, and the tracks of the Public Belt Railroad system and to contract with any railroad for their use; 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. 1949 by Representative Forster

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 23, after "and" and before "of" insert "for the use"

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. 2108—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:1(7) and (26), 72(A), 76, 78, 452, 456, 463(1), 501, 505, and 506 and to enact R.S. 8:1(41), 456.1, 502.1, 502.2, 505.1, and 505.2, relative to cemeteries; to provide for definitions; to provide for regulatory charges for a certificate of authority; to provide for the sale or transfer of cemetery authority and late charges; to provide for exemptions from regulation; to provide for certification of trust fund in articles of incorporation and amendments; to provide for an annual account by trustee and a final accounting; to provide for resignation of trustee and orderly transfer of trust fund; to provide for records available for examination; to provide for examination by the board and the expenses for examination; 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. 2262**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD-LEWIS, FRITH, HILL, MORRISH, MURRAY, TRAVIS, AND WESTON**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:1166(F), relative to telephone services; to prohibit the transferring of long distance services without the authorization of the customer; 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. 2262 by Representative Willard-Lewis, et al.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "the" and before "authorization" delete "written"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, delete lines 14 through 16 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"until the order has first been confirmed in accordance with one of the following procedures:

(1) The long distance service provider has obtained the customer's written authorization on forms prescribed by the Public Service Commission.

(2) The long distance service provider has obtained the customer's electronic authorization, place from the telephone number or numbers on which the primary interexchange carrier is to be changed, to submit the order that confirms the information to confirm the authorization.

(3) An appropriately qualified and independent third party operating in a location physically separate from the telemarketing representative has obtained the customer's oral authorization to submit the long distance provider's change order that confirms and includes appropriate verification data, including but not limited to the customer's date of birth or social security number.

(4) Within three business days of the customer's request for a long distance provider change, the provider must send each new customer an information package by first class mail containing at least the following information concerning the requested change:

(a) The information is being sent to confirm a telemarketing order placed by the customer within the previous week.

(b) The name of the customer's current long distance provider.

(c) The name of the newly requested long distance provider.

(d) A description of any terms, conditions, or charges that will be incurred.

(e) The name of the person ordering the change.

(f) The name, address, and telephone number of both the customer and the soliciting long distance provider.

(g) A postpaid postcard which the customer can use to deny, cancel or confirm a service order.

(h) A clear statement that if the customer does not return the postcard the customer's long distance service will be switched within fourteen days after the date the information package was mailed to the customer.

(i) The name, address, and telephone number of a contact point at the Public Service Commission for consumer complaints.

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. 2298**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC**

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B of Part VIII of Chapter 1 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:361 through 363, and to repeal Subpart B of Part VIII of Chapter 1 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:361 through 371, relative to unfair trade; to provide for the regulation of pyramid schemes; to provide definitions; to provide for violations and penalties; 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. 2298 by Representative Pinac

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 18, after "use" and before "consumption" change "and" to "or"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, at the end of line 18, change the period "." to a comma "," and insert "including products used or consumed by participants in the plan."

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.

Regular Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 583—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMOS, ANSARDI, AND MCMAINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 6, 925, 1671, 2002, and 5091(A)(4); R.S. 13:1704(A)(3); R.S. 34:807, and Children's Code Articles 644(B) and 1024(B) and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Article 7, relative to personal jurisdiction; to repeal the general appearance by a party in all proceedings; to repeal the implied waiver of objections by general appearance; to provide that objection to jurisdiction is waived unless a declinatory exception is timely filed; 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. 583 by Representative Dimos, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 27, following "of" and before "defendant" insert "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 6, line 26, following "and" and before "further" change "provide" to "provided"

On motion of Rep. Dimos, 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 Glover Pierre Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Pinac
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Bowler Hopkins Romero
Bruce Hudson Rousselle
Brun Hunter Salter
Bruneau Iles Scalise
Carter Jenkins Schneider
Clarkson Jetson Shaw
Copelin Johns Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane Kenney Smith, J.R.—30th
Deville LeBlanc Thomas
DeWitt Long Thompson
Diez Marionneaux Toomy
Dimos Martiny Travis
Doerge McCain Triche
Donelon McDonald Vitter
Dupre McDonald Walsworth
Durand Michot Warner
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. 584—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMOS, ANSARDI, AND MCMAINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 72, 82, 123(A), 928(A), 9 29, 9 64, and 9 67, all relative to the continuous revision of the Code of Civil Procedure; to provide for the effect of judgments in certain actions involving property, venue in actions to partition community property, transfer of venue, time of pleading and trial of exceptions, motions to strike, and the use of affidavits of expert witnesses in motions for summary judgment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Alario to Engrossed House Bill No. 585 by Representative Dimos, et al.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "5091.2" insert "and" and at the end of line 3 and the beginning of line 4, delete "and R.S. 22:655(B)(1)(introductory paragraph)"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 12, after "proceedings" delete "'non-resident'" and insert "'nonresident'" and after "jurisdiction" change the comma "," to a semicolon ";'" and delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 13, delete "direct action proceedings;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 9, delete lines 13 through 27, and on page 10, delete lines 1 through 7

On motion of Rep. Alario, 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:

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Chaisson, McCallum, Thornhill

Curtis, Theriot

Total—5

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. 586—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMOS, ANSARDI, AND MCMAINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1001, 1003, 1004, 1007, 1009, 1015, 1019, 1020, and 1031 through 1038 and to enact Children's Code Articles 1001.1, 1025.1, 1025.2, 1025.3, 1025.4, 1036.1, and 1037.1, all relative to the judicial certification of children for adoption; to provide for the continuous revision of Title X of the Children's Code; to provide for the purpose thereof; to provide for the priority of docketing, definitions, filing and contents of the petition, records, disclosure, grounds, notice, appearance to answer, stipulation, failure to appear and its effect, pre-hearing conferences, hearings, continuances, evidence and examination of witnesses, burden of proof, proof of parental misconduct, proof of a prior child in need of care judgment, termination judgments, continued contact with biological relatives, and the effect of a termination judgment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representatives Thomas and Dimos to Engrossed House Bill No. 586 by Representative Dimos, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, between "1020," and "1031" delete "and" and after "1038" and before "and to" insert ", 1243(A)(2), and 1245(B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 4, delete "and" and at the end of the line insert "1243(C), and 1244(D),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 14, after "judgment;" and before "and to" insert "to provide with respect to intrafamily adoptions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 2, between "1020," and "1031" delete "and" and after "1038" and before "are" insert ", 1243(A)(2), and 1245(B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, delete "and" and after "1037.1" and before "are" insert ", 1243(C), and 1244(D)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 36, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

"* * *"

Art. 1243. Persons who may petition for intrafamily adoption

A. The following persons may petition for an intrafamily adoption:

"* * *"
(2) A single grandparent, or married grandparents, or aunt or uncle, of a child, provided all the following exist:

(a) The parent through whom the grandparent, aunt, or uncle is claiming the right to petition is a parent recognized as having parental rights in accordance with Article 1193.

(b) The child has been in the grandparent’s home of the grandparent, aunt, or uncle for six months prior to the filing of a petition for adoption.

C. For purposes of this Chapter:

(a) "Aunt" or "uncle" means a sibling of a parent of the child.

(b) "Grandparent" includes a great grandparent.

Art. 1244. Consent of parent

D. No surrender of parental rights pursuant to Title XI, including the requirements thereunder, is required for a valid consent under the provisions of this Chapter.

Art. 1245. Parental consent not necessary

B. When a grandparent, aunt, or uncle has been granted custody of the child by a court of competent jurisdiction and any one of the following conditions exist:

(1) A parent has refused or failed to comply with a court order of support for a period of one year.

(2) A parent is a nonresident of this state and has failed to support the child for a period of one year after a judgment awarding custody to the grandparent, aunt, or uncle.

(3) A parent has refused or failed to visit, communicate, or attempt to communicate with the child without just cause for a period of two years.

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 36, after line 29, insert the following:

"Section 3. In accordance with Joint Rule No. 10 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, the Louisiana State Law Institute is hereby urged and directed to include and revise comments consistent with the provisions of this Act."

On motion of Rep. Thomas, 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:

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NAYS

Farve Murray Windhorst
Jenkins Perkins
Jetson Welch
Total—7

ABSENT

Diez Iles Shaw
Faucheux Rousselle Thornhill
Total—6

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. 601—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:2471, relative to port commissions; to provide with respect to the appointment and confirmation of the members of the South Louisiana Port Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Faucheux moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:
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. 627—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE**

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:157(C), relative to the Sunshine Bridge; to provide for student toll exemption hours; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Quezaire moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Quezaire 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. 637—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1672(A), relative to the dismissal of civil actions; to authorize the trial judge to dismiss an action for failure of the parties to appear at trial; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Bruneau, the bill was returned to the calendar subject to call.
HOUSE BILL NO. 648—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH

AN ACT
To enact R.S. 34:851.20(M), relative to registration of motorboats and sailboats; to require inspection of homemade boats; to provide for the fee for such registration; 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. 648 by Representative Frith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 13, following "issue" and before "and" delete "to"
On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

Point of Order
Rep. Morrell asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether House Bill No. 648 levies a fee or increases an existing fee 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 the bill did levy a fee or increases an existing fee and therefore would require the favorable vote of two-thirds of the elected members to finally pass the House.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Frith to Engrossed House Bill No. 648 by Representative Frith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "registration;" insert "to provide relative to notification of receipt of certain aluminum boats upon sale for salvage or scrap; and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 9, between "M." and "Any" insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, after line 2, add:

"(3) Any proprietor of a scrap or salvage yard who is in receipt of an aluminum boat which does not have a hull identification number affixed thereto shall notify an agent associated with the nearest regional office of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to obtain verification of ownership thereof prior to payment of any value for the receipt of the boat, unless proper ownership can be verified by registration."

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

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker Fruge Pinac
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Frith  Pierre

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NAYS

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Deville  Perkins  Toomy
Hopkins  Total—7

ABSENT

Alexander, R.—13th  Kennard  Mitchell
Jetson  McCain  Thornhill

Total—6

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 667—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU AND WINDHORST
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article I, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to right to bail; to provide that a defendant is not bailable if after a hearing a judge determines that he may flee or poses a danger to others; to provide for the termination of the mandate and of the authority of the mandatary; to provide for the application of this Act to existing mandates and procurations; to provide for an administrative procedure to resolve all controversies related to representation, mandate, and procuration; to provide for the application of this Act to existing mandates and procurations; to provide for exceptions; to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 707—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARTON
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Louisiana, to amend Article VIII, Sections 5, 6, and 7 and to add Article VIII, Section 16 of the Constitution of Louisiana, all to provide with respect to the administration of education, including governing; to provide for the membership of the Board of Regents, including appointment, confirmation, terms of office, and vacancies; to provide for initial implementation of membership provisions; to provide that the Board of Regents shall plan, coordinate, and have budgetary responsibility for public institutions of higher education offering a baccalaureate level degree or higher and that the board shall supervise and manage all such institutions and their programs; to provide additionally for the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the Board of Regents relative to public institutions of higher education offering a baccalaureate level degree or higher; to provide that the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors of University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, and the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities shall be advisory boards to the Board of Regents on matters within the Board of Regents' jurisdiction; to provide for enacting law applicable to a public education institution or the governing authority of such institution, or both, relative to the transfer and acceptance of course credits between public educational institutions, the establishment of nonresident attendance fees and charges at public educational institutions and the authority to waive such fees and charges, the offering of remedial education courses, and the applicability of the Administrative Procedure Act; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 708—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BARTON, BAUDOIN, BRUN, CRANE, POWELL, KENNEY, AND WINSTON
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Louisiana to amend Article VIII, Sections 2, 3, 4, 5(D)(introductory paragraph), 9(B), 10(A), and 13(A) and (B) and to add Article VIII, Section 16 of the Constitution of Louisiana, all to provide with respect to the administration of education, including governance and funding; to provide for the creation, function, appointment, and membership of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education as an advisory board; to transfer certain powers, duties, and functions of the board to the state superintendent, including the powers and functions of the board related to the Louisiana Quality Education Support Fund; to authorize the state superintendent to develop and propose annually to the legislature a minimum foundation program formula; to provide for the establishment of the qualifications and duties of parish superintendents by law; to provide exceptions; to provide for implementation; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 716—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMOS, ANSARDI, AND MCMAINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Title XV of Book III of the Civil Code, presently comprised of Civil Code Articles 2985 through 3034, to be comprised of Civil Code Articles 2985 through 3032, all relative to representation, mandate, and procuration; to provide for representation, mandate, and procuration; to provide for the rights and obligations of the principal, the mandatory, and third persons; to provide for the termination of the mandate and of the authority of the mandatory; to provide for the application of this Act to existing mandates and procurations; to provide for an effective date; 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:
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.

Speaker Pro Tempore Bruneau in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 776—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to sessions of the legislature; to provide for annual general sessions of the legislature; to provide limitations; to provide deadlines for certain legislative action; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Windhorst to Reengrossed House Bill No. 776 by Representative Windhorst

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "Section 2(A)" and before "of" delete "and Article XIII, Section 1(A)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 19, after "legislature." insert "Notwithstanding any provision of Article XIII, Section 1 to the contrary, a joint resolution may be introduced or considered at any regular session only if it is prefiled no later than five o'clock in the evening of the Thursday before the first day of such regular session."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 17, after "instrument." and before "levying" delete "No measure" and insert in lieu thereof "Notwithstanding any provision of Article XIII, Section 1 to the contrary, No no measure, including a joint resolution,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, delete lines 22 through 26 and on page 5, delete lines 1 through 22

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, at the beginning of line 23, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, at the beginning of line 1, change "Section 4." to "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, delete line 12, and insert in lieu thereof "for convening and procedural deadlines for adjournment and"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, at the end of line 13, delete "and" and insert ")" and delete line 14 in its entirety
On motion of Rep. Windhorst, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Downer to Reengrossed House Bill No. 776 by Representative Windhorst

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, at the end of line 10, delete "During the time" and delete lines 11 through 16 in their entirety, and on line 17 delete "instrument."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 6, line 8, delete "and to set aside six", delete lines 9 and 10 in their entirety, and on line 11, delete "bond bill, and resolutions may be considered."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

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| The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

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

**Speaker Downer in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 872—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMOS, ANSARDI, AND MCMAINS**

**AN ACT**

To repeal Civil Code Article 3506(4), (6), (7), (9), (10), (11), (13) through (22), and (24) through (31), relative to the general definitions of "advertisements", "bulk", "certain", "uncertain", "contribution", "discretion", "failure", "fault", "gross fault", "slight fault", "very slight fault", "force", "superior force", "fortuitous event", "inofficious", "judge", "litigious rights", "notification", "notice", "obligee or creditor", "obligor or debtor", "onerous", "posteriety", "precarious", "solvency", "sons", "daughters", "such as", "tacit", and "thing adjudged."

Read by title.

Rep. Dimos moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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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. 637—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1672(A), relative to the dismissal of civil actions; to authorize the trial judge to dismiss an action for failure of the parties to appear at trial; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Hunter to Engrossed House Bill No. 637 by Representative Bruneau

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the end of line 14, delete "with or".

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

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Glover Perkins
Alario Green Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd Guillory Pinac
Alexander, R.—13th Hammett Powell
Ansardi Heaton Pratt
Barton Hebert Quezaire
Baudoin Hill Riddle

NAYS

Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

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. 667—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU AND WINDHORST
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article I, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to right to bail; to provide that a defendant is not bailable if after a hearing a judge determines that he may flee or poses a danger to others; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Green to Engrossed House Bill No. 667 by Representatives Bruneau and Windhorst

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "poses" delete "a" and insert in lieu thereof "an imminent"  

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**  
On page 2, line 7, after "poses" delete "a" and insert in lieu thereof "an imminent"  

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**  
On page 2, line 19, after "poses" delete "a" and insert in lieu thereof "an imminent"  

On motion of Rep. Green, the amendments were adopted.  
Rep. Bruneau moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.  

**ROLL CALL**  

The roll was called with the following result:  

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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. 991—**  
**BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCAIN AND BAUDOIN**  
**AN ACT**  
To enact R.S. 30:2157, relative to standards for landfills; to provide for emergency response; to provide for hazardous materials; to provide for medical care; to provide for permits; 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. 991 by Representatives McCain and Baudoin  

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**  
On page 2, line 6, before "able" change "they are" to "it is"  

On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.  
Rep. Dimos sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:  

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**  
Amendments proposed by Representative McCain to Engrossed House Bill No. 991 by Representatives McCain and Baudoin  

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**  
On page 2, line 7, after the word "shall" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 8 and 9, and insert the following:  

"identify in the permit application the closest fire department, emergency medical service and hospital that can provide the services listed in Subsection B above. The department shall review and consider these agencies and hospitals to be the emergency response agencies and medical care facilities to respond to a hazardous material incident at the facility as a condition of the permit."

On motion of Rep. McCain, the amendments were adopted.  
Rep. McCain moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.  

**ROLL CALL**  

The roll was called with the following result:
YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Murray
Alario Gautreaux Odinet
Alexander, A.—93rd Glover Pierre
Alexander, R.—13th Green Pinac
Ansardi Guilford Powell
Barton Hummett Pratt
Baudoin Heaton Quezaire
Baylor Hebert Riddle
Bowler Hill Romero
Bruce Holden Rousselle
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Carter Hunter Schneider
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Dupre McDonald Wiggins
Durand McMain Wilkerson
Farve Michot Willard-Lewis
Faucheux Mitchell Windhorst
Flavin Montgomery Winston
Forster Morrell Wright
Frith Morrish
Total—98

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Fontenot Smith, J.R.—30th Weston
McCain Strain
Perkins Thornhill
Total—7

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. 668—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU AND WINDHORST

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Arts. 330 and 332(B) and (C) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 330.1, relative to bail; to provide for denial of bail after contradictory hearing if defendant is a flight risk or poses a danger to others; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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 Gauthreaux Pinac
Alario Glover Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th Guillory Quezaire
Ansardi Hammett Riddle
Barton Heaton Romero
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Fontenot Morrish Winston
Frith Perkins Wright
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Total—97

NAYS

Copelin Holden Strain
Farve Hunter Murray
Total—6

ABSENT

Strain Thornhill
Total—2

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. 1254—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST, DEWITT, CLARKSON, FRUGE, JOHNS, McCALLUM, MCMAINS, WIGGINS, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact Part XVI of Chapter 7 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:1181 through 1190, relative to suits by prisoners; to enact the Prison Litigation Reform Act, providing for civil actions with respect to prison conditions, the remedies or relief that may be granted and conditions and restrictions thereon, the effects of consent decrees and private settlement agreements, the appointment of
experts, the award of attorney fees, and the assessment, disposition, and consequences of actions that are malicious, frivolous, groundless, or otherwise lacking in merit; to provide for the payment of filing fees and costs and for the use of compensatory damages to pay outstanding restitution orders; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Windhorst to Engrossed House Bill No. 1254 by Representative Windhorst, et al.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 6, line 12, after "settled," delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 13 and 14 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 7, between lines 21 and 22 insert:

"D. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, the compensation to be allowed to an expert shall not be greater than the hourly rate established for payment of court-appointed counsel, plus costs reasonably incurred by the expert. Such compensation and costs shall be paid with funds available to the court."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 8, between lines 17 and 18 insert:

"D. To the extent practicable, in any action brought with respect to prison conditions pursuant to the provisions of this Section, or any other law, by a prisoner confined in any prison, pretrial proceedings in which the prisoner's participation is required or permitted shall be conducted by telephone, video conference, or other communications technology without removing the prisoner from the facility in which he is confined. Subject to agreement by the state or local entity of government with custody over the prisoner, hearings may be conducted at the facility in which the prisoner is confined. To the extent practicable, the court shall allow counsel to participate by telephone, video conference, or other telecommunications technology in any hearing held at the facility."

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 8, at the beginning of line 18, delete "D." and insert "E."

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 12, line 16, after "been" and before "if" delete "earned," and insert "vested,"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Jetson to Engrossed House Bill No. 1254 by Representative Windhorst, et al.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, change "1190" to "1189"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 15, change "1190" to "1189"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 7, delete lines 23 through 25 in their entirety.

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 8, line 1, change "B." to "A."

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 8, line 10, change "C." to "B."

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 8, delete lines 18 through 20 in their entirety.

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 11, delete lines 8 through 15 in their entirety.

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 11, line 16, change "$1188" to "$1187"

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

On page 12, line 1, change "$1189" to "$1188"

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**

On page 12, line 13, change "$1190" to "$1189"

**AMENDMENT NO. 11**

On page 12, at the end of line 16, delete "on its own"

**AMENDMENT NO. 12**

On page 12, delete lines 17 through 21 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof "the court finds that the claimant testifies falsely or otherwise knowingly presents false evidence or information to the court."

Rep. Jetson asked for and obtained a division of the question.


By a vote of 48 yeas and 51 nays, the amendments were rejected.


By a vote of 45 yeas and 50 nays, the amendment was rejected.

Rep. Jetson moved adoption of Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, and 10.

By a vote of 45 yeas and 48 nays, the amendments were rejected.

On motion of Rep. Jetson, Amendment Nos. 11 and 12 were withdrawn.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Morrell to Engrossed House Bill No. 1254 by Representative Windhorst, et al.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 12, line 13, after “credit” delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "or privileges"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 12, at the beginning of line 16, delete "earned a good time credit" and insert in lieu thereof "privileges"

Rep. Morrell moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 42 yeas and 56 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

| Mr. Speaker | Alario | Alexander, R.—13th | Ansardi | Barton | Bowliver | Bruce | Brun | Bruneau | Chaissen | Clarkson | Crane | Damico | Daniel | Deville | DevWitt | Diez | Dimos | Doeger | Donelon | Dupre | Durand | Faucheux | Flavin | Fontenot | Forster | Total—77 |
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**NAYS**

| Alexander, A.—93rd | Baudoin | Baylor | Carter | Chaisson | Clarkson | Crane | Curtis | Damico | Daniel | DeVilt | DuPre | Durand | Faucheux | Flavin | Fontenot | Forster | Total—4 |
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| Pierre | Pratt | Quezaire | Heaton | Hebert |Holden |Hopkins |Hudson | Hunter |Iles |Iles |Kenard |Kenard |Lancaster |Landrieu |LeBlanc |Long | Martiny |McCain |Mccallum |McDonald |McMais |Michot |Montgomery |Winston |Wright |       |

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Windhorst 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 Pro Tempore Bruneau in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1277—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND AND SENATOR DYESS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.8, relative to motor vehicles and motorcycles; to provide for license plates for antique motor vehicles and motorcycles; to provide for collector plates for special interest motor vehicles; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Durand moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

| Mr. Speaker | Alario | Alexander, R.—13th | Ansardi | Barton | Bowliver | Bruce | Brun | Bruneau | Chaissen | Clarkson | Crane | Damico | Daniel | Deville | DevWitt | Diez | Dimos | Doeger | Donelon | Dupre | Durand | Faucheux | Flavin | Fontenot | Forster | Total—77 |
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| Frith | Fruge | Gautreaux | Hammett | Hebert | Hill | Hopkins | Iles | Johns | Kenard | Kenney | Lancaster | Landrieu | LeBlanc | Long | Marionneaux | Martiny | McCain | Mccallum | McDonald | McMais | Michot | Montgomery | Morrish | Odinet | Perkins |         |

**NAYS**

| Alexander, A.—93rd | Baudoin | Baylor | Carter | Chaisson | Clarkson | Crane | Curtis | Damico | Daniel | DeVilt | DuPre | Durand | Faucheux | Flavin | Fontenot | Forster | Total—4 |
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| Pierre | Pratt | Quezaire | Heaton | Hebert |Holden |Hopkins |Hudson | Hunter |Iles |Iles |Kenard |Kenard |Lancaster |Landrieu |LeBlanc |Long | Martiny |McCain |Mccallum |McDonald |McMais |Michot |Montgomery |Winston |Wright |       |


By a vote of 42 yeas and 56 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Rep. Windhorst moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

| Mr. Speaker | Alario | Alexander, A.—93rd | Alexander, R.—13th | Ansardi | Barton | Baudoin | Baylor | Bowliver | Bruce | Brun | Bruneau | Chaissen | Clarkson | Crane | Damico | Daniel | Deville | DevWitt | Diez | Dimos | Doeger | Donelon | Dupre | Durand | Faucheux | Flavin | Fontenot | Forster | Total—77 |
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**NAYS**

| Alexander, A.—93rd | Baudoin | Baylor | Carter | Chaisson | Clarkson | Crane | Curtis | Damico | Daniel | DeVilt | DuPre | Durand | Faucheux | Flavin | Fontenot | Forster | Total—4 |
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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Windhorst 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.
A. With respect to a precomputed consumer credit transaction, the parties before or after default may agree in writing to a deferral of all or part of one or more unpaid installments, and the extender of credit may make and collect a charge not exceeding the rate previously stated to the consumer calculated without regard to differences in the lengths of months, but proportionately for a part of a month, counting each day as one-thirtieth of a month. A deferral charge may be collected at the time it accrues or at any time thereafter, provided that written notice of such delinquency charge is provided to the consumer on or before fifteen days after the date of assessment. The notice shall state the amount of the delinquency charge and shall state that an amount, not exceeding fifteen dollars, that is five percent of the unpaid amount of the installment or other regular payment has been assessed and similar charges may be assessed in the future in the event of delinquency. Only one such notice shall be required during the life of the transaction. No such delinquency charge may be collected on an installment or other regular payment that is paid in full within ten days after its scheduled due date or within an applicable grace period. Provided, however, nothing herein shall be construed to prohibit the extender of credit from assessing and collecting any delinquency charge on a payment when the only delinquency is attributable to late fees or delinquency charges assessed on earlier installments, and the payment is otherwise a full payment for the applicable period and is paid on its due date or within an applicable grace period. Provided, however, nothing herein shall be construed to prohibit the extender of credit from assessing and collecting a deferral charge on any sums not paid when due. Such deferral charges shall not exceed the contract rate charged on the consumer transaction.

§3528. Maximum deferral charges

C. A delinquency charge may be collected only once on an installment or other payment however long it remains delinquent. No such delinquency charge may be collected if the installment or other payment has been deferred and a deferral charge has been paid or incurred, provided that the deferred payment is paid within ten days of its deferred date. Such a delinquency charge may be collected at the time it accrues or at any time thereafter, provided that written notice of such delinquency charge is provided to the consumer on or before fifteen days after the date of assessment. The notice shall state the amount of the late charge or shall state that an amount, not exceeding fifteen dollars, that is five percent of the unpaid amount of the installment or other regular payment has been assessed and similar charges may be assessed in the future in the event of delinquency. Only one such notice shall be required during the life of the transaction. No such delinquency charge may be collected on an installment or other regular payment that is paid in full within ten days after its scheduled due date or within an applicable grace period. Provided, however, nothing herein shall be construed to prohibit the extender of credit from assessing and collecting any delinquency charge on a payment when the only delinquency is attributable to late fees or delinquency charges assessed on earlier installments, and the payment is otherwise a full payment for the applicable period and is paid on its due date or within an applicable grace period. Provided, however, nothing herein shall be construed to prohibit the extender of credit from assessing and collecting a deferral charge on any sums not paid when due. Such deferral charges shall not exceed the contract rate charged on the consumer transaction.

§3527. Maximum delinquency charges

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Durand 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. 1364—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3516(26) and to enact R.S. 9:3516(39), relative to consumer loan transactions; to define "cash advance"; to revise the definition of "prepaid finance charges"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Travis to Engrossed House Bill No. 1364 by Representative Travis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2 after "3516" and before ")26)" insert ")23)(a)(i)
and" and after ")26)" insert ",3527(C) and 3528 (A)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after the semi-colon ";" insert "to provide relative to maximum delinquency charges and maximum deferral charges;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "3516"and before ")26)" insert ")23)(a)(i)
and" and after ")26)" insert ",3527(C) and 3528(A) are" and delete "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"(23)(a) "Loan finance charge" means the sum of the following:

(i) All charges payable directly or indirectly by the consumer and imposed directly or indirectly by the lender as a requirement of the extension of credit, including any of the following types of charges that are applicable: interest or any amount payable under a point, discount, or other system of charges, however denominated;
On motion of Rep. Travis, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Wilkerson to Engrossed House Bill No. 1364 by Representative Travis

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "9:3516(39)" and before the comma ",," insert "and 3524.1"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 4, after "charges;" and before "and" insert "to provide relative to the issuance of cash advances in any gaming establishment;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, after line 7, insert the following:

"*          *          *
§3524.1 Restrictions on cash advances

No cash advances shall be made under a lender credit card account in the official gaming establishment, or the premises used for temporary gaming operations pursuant to R.S. 27:241(A) and (J), or a designated docking facility of a riverboat licensed to conduct gaming activities or gaming operations pursuant to Chapter 4 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950."

**Point of Order**

Rep. Copelin 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. Wilkerson, the amendments were withdrawn.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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| Frith Winston |
| Fruge Wright |

**ABSENT**

| Total—3 |
| Clarkson Mitchell Thornhill |

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. 1388—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 634, 663(D), 672, 674, 675, 677, 682, 702, 702, 731, 1413, 1461, and 1463(D)(2) and to enact Children's Code Article 616.1, all relative to the continuous revision of the Children's Code; to provide for children in need of care, the correction of records, contents of the petition, suspension of evidentiary privileges, custody assignment to the Department of Social Services or other public agencies or institutions, filing, contents and review of the case plan, removal of the child from the parent's custody, judgment of disposition, and dispositional review; to provide for the complaint in families in need of services proceedings; to provide for mental health proceedings, the time for the hearing, and advice of rights; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. McMains moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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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. 1420—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:203(C), relative to the authority to perform marriage ceremonies; to authorize certain former justices of the peace to perform marriage ceremonies; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1437—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:296.1, relative to the individual income tax; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Revenue and Taxation to simplify the income tax filing requirements for certain resident individual taxpayers by providing a no-return option; to require employers to withhold income taxes at special rates from employees that properly elect a no-return option; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations, subject to legislative oversight; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Alario 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 Quezair
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Barton Heaton Romero
Baudoin Hebert Rousselle
Baylor Hill Salter
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Doerge McCain Walsworth
Dupre McCallum Warner
Durand McDonald Welch
Farve McAlins Weston
Fauchex Michot Wiggins
Flavin Montgomery Wilkerson
Fontenot Morrell Willard-Lewis
Forster Morish Windhorst
Fruge Murray Winston
Fruge Odinet Wright
Total—97

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Donelon Mitchell Thornhill
Total—3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.
The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Alario 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. 1480—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE AND THORNHILL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 38:313, relative to levee and levee and drainage districts; to provide that a district shall cease to exist if the district has not completed the construction of a protection levee within five years of the district's creation; 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. 1480 by Representatives Triche and Thornhill

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 10, following "1974" and before "which" delete "and"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Triche to Engrossed House Bill No. 1480 by Representatives Triche and Thornhill

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 13, after "abolished" delete "on" and on line 14, delete "August 15, 1997" and insert in lieu thereof "upon certification of the legislative auditor as provided in Subsection B."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 19, delete "of" and insert "after"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 7, after "objectives" , delete the remainder of the line and line 8 and insert "listed as conservation, levee, and drainage districts."

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Faucheux to Engrossed House Bill No. 1480 by Representatives Triche and Thornhill

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the end of line 2, change the period "." to a comma "," and add "as certified by the Louisiana secretary of state"

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

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

Speaker Downer in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 1491—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:5.9(C), relative to civil actions to enforce drinking water regulations; to authorize the court to appoint a receiver to a defendant public water system; to provide for the powers of the state health officer relative to establishment of the receivership; to provide for powers and duties of an appointed receiver; to provide for dissolution of the receivership; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Fontenot moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Perkins
Alario Gautreaux Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd Glover Powell
Alexander, R.—13th Green Pratt
Ansardi Hammett Quezaire
Barton Heaton Riddle
Baudoin Hebert Romero
Baylor Hill Rousselle
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Forster Murray Wright
Frith Odinet

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1492—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT, DEWITT, AND BAUDOIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:4(A)(8) and 5.8, relative to the State Sanitary Code; to require the state health officer to provide for a strategy for public water systems to comply with federal and state drinking water regulations; to define types of public water systems; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representatives Jetson and Holden to Engrossed House Bill No. 1492 by Representative Fontenot, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, after line 3, insert the following:

"The state health officer shall not commence the capacity development strategy authorized by this paragraph until funds have been specifically approved for the strategy by the legislature. The state health officer shall not divert existing funds or fees from other budgeted programs to fund this strategy but may provide in-kind services to match any federal grants received."

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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Carter
Chaison
Clarkson
Copelin
Crate
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Damos
Damico
Daniel
Deville
DeWitt
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Doerge
Donelon
Dubre
Durand
Farve
Faucheux
Flavin
Forster
Frit
Gautreaux

Total—95

NAYS

Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter
Chaison
Clarkson
Copelin
Crate
Currie
Donelon
Dubre
Durand
Farve
Faucheux
Flavin
Forster
Frit
Gautreaux

Total—0

ABSENT

Barton
Diez
Fontenot
Fruge
Gautreaux

Total—10

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Fontenot 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. 1528—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3561.1(F)(1) and 3565(C), relative to the Louisiana Consumer Credit Law; to provide relative to notification and fees sent to the commissioner of financial institutions by a person engaged in making consumer credit sales or consumer loans and to a person who takes assignments of and undertakes direct collection of payments from or enforcement of rights against debtors arising from these sales or loans; and to provide for related matters.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander, A.—93rd
Alexander, R.—13th
Ansardi
Baudoin
Baylor
Bowser
Bruce
Brun

Glover
Guillory
Hunter
Mitchell
Plante
Romero

Powell
Quezair
Riddle
Schneider
Shaw

Total—95

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander, A.—93rd
Alexander, R.—13th
Ansardi
Baudoin
Baylor
Bowser
Bruce
Brun

Glover
Guillory
Hunter
Mitchell
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Powell
Quezair
Riddle
Schneider
Shaw

Total—95

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.
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. 1592—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3572.1, 3572.2(A)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and (1), 3572.3(A), 3572.4, 3572.5(A)(introductory paragraph), (1)(g) and (h), (2)(g), (h), and (i), and (B)(2)(introductory paragraph), 3572.6, 3572.7, 3572.8(A), 3572.9, 3572.10, 3572.11, 3572.12(B) through (D) and (E)(1), relative to loan brokers; to provide a definition; to provide for exceptions to licensing and bond requirements; to provide relative to licensing procedure; to provide relative to records and examination by the commissioner; to provide relative to violations; 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:

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Mr. Speaker Gautreaux Powell
Alario Glover Pratt
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Quezaire
Alexander, R.—13th Hammett Riddle
Ansardi Heaton Romero
Barton Hebert Rousselle
Baudoin Hill Salter
Baylor Hopkins Scalise
Bowl Wake Schneider
Bower LeBlanc Smith, J.D.—50th
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Bowler Donald Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruce Donald Smith, J.R.—30th
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Fontenot Murray Windhorst
Forster Odinet Wright
Frisch Perkins Wright
Gautreaux Pinac
Total—95

NAYS
Total—0

ABSENT

Baudoin Guilory Pierre
Doerge Jenkins Thornhill
Durand Long
Frisch Mitchell
Total—10

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. 1670—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:463.46, relative to motor vehicle registration; to provide for prestige license plates for members of Louisiana Realtors Associations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Flavin, the bill was returned to the calendar subject to call.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1687—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI AND MCMAINS
AN ACT
To enact Subpart B of Part II of Chapter 2 of Code Title XXI of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 9:4881 through 4889, relative to oil and gas wells; to provide for a privilege in favor of an operator and non-operator over certain described property; to provide for how the privilege is established and extinguished, its effect as to third persons, and its extinction as to certain movable property; to provide for how the privilege is enforced, the information that must be included in a statement of privilege, the ranking of privileges, and the enforcement of privileges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1762—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2039(A) and to enact R.S. 30:2039(F), relative to solid waste; to provide for notice and recordation; to provide for waivers; to provide for evidence; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Damico to Engrossed House Bill No. 1762 by Representatives Damico and DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 14, change "cause" to "record"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Holden to Engrossed House Bill No. 1762 by Representatives Damico and DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 15, after "where" and before "solid" insert "one ton or less of"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Glover Pierre  Pierre
Alario  Green  Pinac
Alexander, R.—13th  Guillory  Powell
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Durand  McMains  West
Farve  Michot  Wiggins
Flavin  Montgomery  Wilkerson
Fontenot  Morrell  Willard-Lewis
Forster  Morrish  Windhorst
Frith  Murray  Winston
Fruge  Odinet  Wright
Gautreaux  Perkins

Total—96

NAYS

Dupre  Faucheux  Marionneaux

Total—3

ABSENT

Alexander, A.—93rd  Johns  Thornhill
Donelon  Mitchell  Vitter

Total—6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Damico 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. 1764—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 22 of Subtitle II of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, consisting of R.S. 30:2561 through 2566, relative to environmental regulation; to provide for the Louisiana Environmental Regulatory Innovations Programs; to provide for regulatory flexibility; to provide for the Excellence and Leadership Program; to provide for criteria and requirements; to provide for regulations; to provide for demonstration projects; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Damico moved the final passage of the bill.
ROLL CALL

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| ABSENT |         | |
| Donelon | Thornhill | |
| Mitchell | Vitter | |
| Total—4 | | |

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Damico 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. 1790—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:74(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 30:74(A)(4), relative to abandoned oilfield waste sites; to provide for approval by the commissioner of conservation of sheriff’s sale of such property; to require and provide for recordation and enforcement of liens; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. DeWitt moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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 motion of Rep. Forster, the rules were suspended in order to take up House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments at this time.
House Bills and Joint Resolutions
Returned from the Senate with Amendments

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions returned from the Senate with amendments were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 491—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER AND SENATOR ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVES BARTON, BOWLER, CRANE, DEVILLE, HEBERT, HUNTER, LANCASTER, MICHOT, MURRAY, ODINET, POWELL, SCALISE, WIGGINS, WINSTON, ALARIO, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDE, BAUDON, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BRUN, CLARKSON, DANIEL, DEWITT, DIEZ, DIMOS, DOERGE, DONELON, DUPRE, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FONTENOT, FRITH, FRUGE, GAUTREAUX, GUESSIE, HAMMETT, HEATON, HILL, HOPKINS, ILES, JOHNS, KENNARD, KENNEY, LEBLANC, LONG, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MITCHEL, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PRATT, RIDDLE, ROMERO, ROUSSELLE, SCHNEIDER, SHAW, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRICHE, VITTER, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WILKerson, AND WILLARD-LEWIS AND SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1658, 1842(1), and 1843(A), R.S. 39:33(A), and R.S. 49:968(B)(21), to enact Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:71 through 76, and Chapter 15 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:2041 through 2192, and R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(f) and (14), and to repeal R.S. 36:309(C)(2) and (G) and Chapter 13 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 23:2021 through 2024, relative to workforce development; to create and provide relative to the Louisiana Workforce Commission; to provide for the appointment, terms, qualifications, and compensation of its members; to provide for the filling of vacancies; to provide for removal of members; to provide for the goals, authorities, duties, and responsibilities of the commission, including rulemaking; to provide relative to the chairman of the commission and his powers and duties; to provide for the domicile of the commission; to authorize the commission to enter into certain agreements; to provide relative to the preparation of certain reports; to provide for confidentiality and privacy of data; to provide for an Occupational Forecasting Conference; to provide that such conference shall be in the office of the governor; to provide relative to the delivery of workforce development programs; to provide for the abolition of certain advisory councils; to provide relative to placing the commission in the governor's office; to provide relative to effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. DeWitt, 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
SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
April 23, 1997
To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 41

and ask the Speaker of the House of Representatives to affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were signed by the Speaker of the House.

Message from the Senate
HOUSE BILLS
April 23, 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. 1162
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
SENATE BILLS
April 23, 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:

House Bill No. 1162
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
To amend and reenact Section 2(A) of Act No. 19 of the 1970 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 623 of the 1974 Regular Session, Act No. 629 of the 1979 Regular Session, Act No. 465 of the 1990 Regular Session, and Act No. 303 of the 1993 Regular Session, relative to the Shreveport-Bossier Convention and Tourism Commission; to provide relative to the composition of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1409—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARTON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Section 2(A) of Act No. 19 of the 1970 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 623 of the 1974 Regular Session, Act No. 629 of the 1979 Regular Session, Act No. 465 of the 1990 Regular Session, and Act No. 303 of the 1993 Regular Session, relative to the Shreveport-Bossier Convention and Tourism Commission; to provide relative to the composition of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1410—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1875(7), relative to city courts; to provide with respect to the practice of law by the judges of the City Court of Shreveport; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1657—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL
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 Beauregard 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 service charges collected by the district including provisions relative to use of the proceeds from such charges, the telecommunications service users liable for such charges, the rate of such charges, and the collection and enforcement of such charges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2348—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT
To enact Part VII-A of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:150.31, to provide relative to facilities of state and state-funded entities; to require state agencies and entities supported by state funds to locate new or expanded facilities in downtown commercial areas; to provide exceptions; to provide procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2349—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:56(F)(4)(a), relative to the confidentiality of case records pertaining to abuse or neglect of children; to authorize the head of a law enforcement agency originally reporting such case to receive information by telephone; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2350—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:1823, relative to the qualifications of elected chiefs of police; to require a candidate for chief of police to possess a college degree and disclose certain criminal history information to qualify for said office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2351—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JETSON
AN ACT
To enact Part IV-A of Chapter 6 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 34:1111 through 1120, and to repeal Part I of Chapter 6 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 34:991 through 1009, Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 34:1071 through 1079, and Part IV of Chapter 6 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 34:1101 through 1106, relative to pilots; to provide for a single board of review for all pilots; to provide for definitions; to provide for a state board of review; to provide for appointment thereto and its authority and duties; to provide for boards of examiners and appointment thereto; to provide procedure for neglect of duties; to confirm pilots; to provide relative to pilotage for acceptance into an apprenticeship program; to prohibit nepotism; to provide a procedure for commissioning additional pilots; to sanction pilot misconduct; to provide for pilot associations; to require certain vessels to take certain pilots; to provide for penalties for violations; to provide for pilotage fees and privilege therefor; to prohibit certain pilot activity; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2352—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1113, relative to the ethics code; to prohibit a public servant and certain other persons and entities from bidding on, entering into, or having an interest in certain transactions; 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 Administration of Criminal Justice

April 23, 1997

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 94, by Windhorst
Reported favorably. (7-0-1)

House Bill No. 11, by Bruneau
Reported favorably. (6-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 130, by Faucheux
Reported with amendments. (6-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 202, by Wiggins
Reported with amendments. (6-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 258, by Travis
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 388, by McCain
Reported with amendments. (6-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 507, by Ansardi
Reported with amendments. (6-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1430, by Schneider
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1429, by Schneider
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1421, by Schneider
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1419, by Schneider
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1409, by Schneider
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)
House Bill No. 1476, by Shaw
Reported with amendments. (6-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1643, by Vitter
Reported favorably. (5-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1647, by Windhorst
Reported favorably. (6-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1860, by Windhorst
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)

STEPHEN J. WINDHORST
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Natural Resources
April 23, 1997
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 101, by J.R. Smith
Reported favorably. (13-0)

House Bill No. 721, by Dupre
Reported with amendments. (14-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1276, by Dupre
Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1787, by DeWitt
Reported by substitute. (13-0)

House Bill No. 1986, by DeWitt
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1988, by DeWitt
Reported with amendments. (16-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2005, by DeWitt
Reported with amendments. (14-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2007, by DeWitt
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

JOHN R. SMITH
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Health and Welfare
April 23, 1997
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Health and Welfare to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 77, by Wilkerson
Reported favorably. (9-0)

House Bill No. 784, by Holden
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1707, by Riddle
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1718, by Thompson
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1719, by Thompson
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1747, by Jetson
Reported favorably. (7-2) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1831, by J. D. Smith
Reported with amendments. (7-2) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2066, by Rodney Alexander
Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 28, by Irons
Reported favorably. (9-0)

RODNEY ALEXANDER
Chairman

Report of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs
April 23, 1997
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

House Resolution No. 10, by Stelly
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 4, by Wright
Reported with amendments. (7-6)

House Bill No. 113, by Ansardi
Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 580, by Bruneau (Joint Resolution)
Reported with amendments. (14-0)

House Bill No. 581, by Bruneau
Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1387, by McMains
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

CHARLES D. LANCASTER, JR.
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Insurance
April 23, 1997
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 447, by Morrell
Reported favorably. (7-3) (Regular)

House Bill No. 949, by Odinet
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1314, by Holden
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)
House Bill No. 1373, by Donelon
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1590, by Perkins
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2025, by Donelon
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2027, by Donelon
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2111, by Donelon
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2219, by Landrieu
Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2228, by Donelon
Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)

JAMES DONELON
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. Alario, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 840.

HOUSE BILL NO. 840—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:532.1(A)(4) and (7), relative to public license tag agents; to delete the prohibition on advertising by such agents; to expand the authority of such agents to collect taxes on motor vehicle sales; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the above bill was recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 23, 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 Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 27—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD-LEWIS
A RESOLUTION
To remember the lifetime contributions of Joseph L. Hobbs, Jr. and to express the sincere condolences of the House of Representatives to his family upon his untimely death.

Respectfully submitted,
DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House 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. 402

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Landrieu, at 6:30 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Thursday, April 24, 1997, at 1:30 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:30 P.M., Thursday, April 24, 1997.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

C. Wayne Hays
Journal Clerk, Emeritus