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Constitution of 1974

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, June 10, 1997

The House of Representatives was called to order at 10:00 A.M.,
by the Honorable H. B. "Hunt" Downer, Jr., Speaker of the House of
Representatives.

Morning Hour
ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

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

Total—105

ABSENT

Total—0

The Speaker announced that there were 105 members present
and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Romero.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Durand led the House in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance
to the Flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

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

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, the Journal of June 9, 1997, was
adopted.

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

June 10, 1997

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

Senate Bill No. 264
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 319
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 1305
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 1354
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
JIMMY N. DIMOS
Chairman

Petitions, Memorials and
Communications

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

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 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 Nos. 3, 34, 35, 39, 42, 49, 57, 61, 73, 78, 82, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 106, 108, 109, 110, 115, and 135 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 CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 1997

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has concurred in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 220
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 223
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 224
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 225
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 226
Returned without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

June 9, 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. 666
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 689
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 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. 141, 142, and 144

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Vitter, the rules were suspended in order to take up Senate Concurrent Resolutions 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. 141—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Hans Schneider, husband, father, grandfather, businessman, interior decorator, musician, and civic leader.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 142—
BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend the members of the women’s track and field team at Louisiana State University for winning the 1997 National Collegiate Athletic Association Outdoor Track and Field Championship for an unprecedented eleventh consecutive year.

Read by title.

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

House and House Concurrent Resolutions

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 83—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX
A RESOLUTION
To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to install flashing lights and “No Passing” signs on a certain section of LA Hwy. 1 over the Morganza Spillway to improve safety on the roadway.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 219—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LONG
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, to enforce the provisions of the Motor Vehicle Inspection Law relative to windshield damage.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 221—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FARVE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to complete the Interstate 610 project in Jefferson Parish during the evening hours.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 227—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, CRANE, DANIEL, AND MCMAINS AND SENATOR DARDENNE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To provide for the creation of the Study Commission on the State Employees Group Benefits Program (SEGBP) to study the feasibility of enacting legislation to ensure that the SEGBP is providing quality and affordable services to its members.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 228—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to expedite the opening of the transit lanes on the Crescent City Connection due to the construction on the Huey P. Long Bridge as traffic will be further impeded from crossing the Crescent City Connection at the end of vacations and the opening of schools.

Read by title.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 140—  
BY SENATOR DARDEENNE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To urge and request the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to function as a joint committee to study possible modifications of the state's election process.  

Read by title.  

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

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. 1255—  
BY SENATORS JONES AND ELLINGTON  
AN ACT  
To enact R.S. 38:345, relative to levee districts; to require certain levee districts to develop a flood prevention plan; to require funding for such levee districts; and to provide for related matters.  

Read by title.  

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1262—  
BY SENATOR BAGNERIS  
AN ACT  
To enact R.S. 15:455.1 through 455.3, relative to evidence; to provide with respect to admissions and confessions; to provide for definitions; 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. 797—  
BY SENATORS BAGNERIS AND GUIDRY  
AN ACT  
To enact R.S. 44:36(E), relative to public records; to provide for retention of certain records by prosecuting agencies; to provide for effective date; and to provide for related matters.  

Called from the calendar.  

Read by title.  

Motion  

Rep. McCain moved that Senate Bill No. 797 be designated as a duplicate of House Bill No. 1749.  

Which motion was agreed to.  

Rep. McCain moved that Senate Bill No. 797 be amended to conform with House Bill No. 1749 and sent up the following floor amendments:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Conforming Amendments proposed by Representative McCain to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 797 by Senator Bagneris (Duplicate of H.B. No. 1749)

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, line 2, after "relative to" insert "the preservation of" and after "records;" delete the remainder of the line.

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 1, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert "to require a prosecuting agency to retain records of criminal prosecutions for three years;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 1, at the end of line 10 and the beginning of line 11, delete "and of criminal indigent defense attorneys," and insert a comma ","  

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 1, at the end of line 13, delete "the judgment" and delete lines 14 and 15 in their entirety and insert "on which a court of appeal affirms the conviction, the Louisiana Supreme Court denies writs, or the Louisiana Supreme Court makes its final ruling on the appeal, which occurs last."

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

Motion  

On motion of Rep. McCain, the above bill, as amended, was referred to the Legislative Bureau.

SENATE BILL NO. 803—  
BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDEENNE, EWING AND LAMBERT  
AN ACT  
To enact R.S. 33:1243(C), relative to penalties for the violation of parish ordinances; to provide for the maximum penalty to be imposed for violation of parish ordinances regulating the use of or discharge to publicly owned waste treatment works by non-domestic users; and to provide for related matters.  

Called from the calendar.  

Read by title.  

Motion  

Rep. Damico moved that Senate Bill No. 803 be designated as a duplicate of House Bill No. 1758.  

Which motion was agreed to.

Motion  

On motion of Rep. Damico, the above bill was referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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. 196—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Revenue and Taxation to suspend the application and enforcement of the provisions of R.S. 47:300.1 through 300.3 as enacted by Act No. 41 of the 1996 Regular Session of the legislature, applicable to taxable periods after December 31, 1996, and to continue enforcement of the provisions of Parts I and II of Chapter 1 of Title 47 as existed prior to enactment of Act No. 41 of the 1996 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

Senate Instruments on Second Reading
Returned from the Legislative Bureau

The following Senate Instruments on second reading, returned from the Legislative Bureau, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATOR GUIDRY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 49:1015(F), relative to employee drug testing; to require drug testing prior to the hiring of certain public employees; to require random drug testing of certain public employees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 58 by Senator Guidry

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 5, after “(3)” and before “For” insert “(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

“(b) For purposes of this Subsection, "public employer" shall mean the state.”

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 176—
BY SENATOR GUIDRY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1463(B), relative to election offenses; to prohibit the unauthorized use of a person’s photograph or likeness on any sample ballot, political campaign pamphlet or other political material which falsely alleges endorsement or support by another candidate or person; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 176 by Senator Guidry

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 15, after “no” and before “person” delete “natural”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 6, after “No” and before “person” delete “natural”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, delete lines 8 through 10 in their entirety and insert “unofficial sample ballot which falsely states, with”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, at the end of line 13 insert the following:

“This prohibition shall include the use of a photograph or likeness of any person used to falsely state, with an intent to misrepresent, support by that person.”

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 176 by Senator Guidry

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, following “unauthorized” delete the remainder of the line and insert “printing, distribution, transportation, or transmission of”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 4, following “ballot” delete the remainder of the line and on line 5, delete “material”

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

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the bill, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 251—
BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:56(D) and to enact R.S. 46:56(N), relative to records and reports regarding children; to provide access to records and reports on child abuse or neglect, foster care, and child welfare services to the legislature; to provide for the confidentiality of such records; to provide for the manner in which such records and reports may be used; to provide for the authority of the legislature and certain committees and subcommittees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 251 by Senator Hines

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, at the end of line 10, insert "For the purposes of this Act, "department" means the Department of Health and Hospitals, the Department of Social Services, and the adult protection agency as provided in R.S. 14:403.2(D)(3)."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 394—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:1921(C), relative to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to provide for optional membership for persons fifty-five years of age or older who have forty quarters credit in Social Security; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 394 by Senator Heitmeier

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, between "To" and "enact" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 11:1921(A)(3)(b), and to"

On page 1, at the end of line 4, add "provide an option for school board members to terminate participation; to provide regarding refunds; to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 8, between "Section 1." and "R.S. 11:1921(C)" insert R.S. 11:1921(A)(3)(b) is hereby amended and reenacted and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, between line 9 and 10 insert:

"A. The membership of this system shall be composed of all employees not specifically excluded by the provisions of this Part, as follows:

* * *

(3)

* * *

(b)(ii) Membership for members of school boards, who are not eligible for membership in any other public retirement system in this state, shall be optional, and they shall have one year after taking the oath of office to elect to become members, provided they are otherwise eligible. No credit shall be given for any prior school board service. Members of school boards shall be eligible to purchase prior service credit on an actuarial basis and subject to the provisions of R.S. 11:158.

(ii) From August 15, 1997, to January 15, 1998, any public school board member who is a member of this system shall have the option of terminating membership in this system. This option shall not be available after January 15, 1998. Each member who elects to terminate membership in this system shall provide thirty days written notice to the system of that election. Each person who elects to withdraw from this system shall receive a refund of the contributions paid by that member."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 425—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:181(A) and to repeal R.S. 11:182, relative to state and statewide retirement systems; to provide for the composition of the governing boards of state systems; to provide that the chairman of the Senate Committee on Retirement serve as ex officio member of such boards; to provide for per diem paid for board members to attend meetings; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

The committee amendments were read as follows:
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 425 by Senator Heitmeier

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, between "R.S. 11:181(A)" and the comma "," delete "and to repeal R.S. 11:182"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, delete line 1 in its entirety, and on page 3, at the beginning of line 2, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.
On motion of Rep. Stelly, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. Stelly, the bill, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 426—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2253(A)(1), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to membership in the system; to establish a membership age limit; to provide for re-employment of a retiree without suspension of benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.
The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 426 by Senator Heitmeier

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the end of line 4, delete "re-", and on page 1, delete line 5 in its entirety

Amendment NO. 2
On page 1, line 16, between the comma "," and "shall" insert "and who has not yet attained age fifty,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 16, between "member" and "as" insert "of this system"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 1, after "employment" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete the remainder of the line, and on page 2, delete lines 2 through 6 in their entirety, and add:

"However, no person who has attained age fifty or over shall become a member of the system, unless the person becomes a member by reason of a merger."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.
On motion of Rep. Stelly, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. Stelly, the bill, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 427—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2260(A)(7), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide for computation of cost-of-living adjustments; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.
The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 427 by Senator Heitmeier

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

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.
On motion of Rep. Stelly, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. Stelly, the bill, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 449—
BY SENATOR JORDAN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 18:1472, relative to election offenses; to create the crime of "unauthorized opening of voting machines"; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.
The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 449 by Senator Jordan

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "create the" and before "of" delete "crime" and insert "offense"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 10, insert a comma "," after "designee"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 10, after "person" delete the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, delete line 13 and insert "R.S. 18:573(A) unless ordered to do so by a court of competent jurisdiction."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 15, after "imprisoned" delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 16, delete "hard labor."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 763—
BY SENATOR SHORT
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 27-A of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9039.1 through 9039.4, relative to the East Florida Parishes Retirement District; to create the district; to provide for a board of directors to implement the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the district; to authorize the district, with voter approval, to grant certain sales and use tax refunds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 828—
BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE AND EWING
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:291, relative to the Louisiana Data Base Commission; to provide for membership; to provide for qualification of members; to provide for term of membership; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 828 by Senator Hainkel, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, delete "R.S. 39:291," and insert "R.S. 39:291(C)(8) and to enact R.S. 39:291(C)(11),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 3 and 4, and insert the following:

"Commission; to add a member to the commission; to provide for the qualifications of a certain member; and to provide for"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, delete line 7 and insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 39:291(C)(8) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 39:291(C)(11) is hereby enacted to read as"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
Delete page 2 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 10 and insert the following:

"*          *          *"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 3, delete lines 15 through 27 and on page 4, delete lines 1 through 8 and insert the following:

"*          *          *

(11) The governor, or his designee."

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 828 by Senator Hainkel

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, between lines 9 and 10, insert three asterisks "***"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 4, between lines 8 and 9, insert three asterisks "***"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 832—
BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE AND EWING
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 49:149, 149.1, 149.2, 149.3, 149.4, and
149.5(A) and (C), relative to the capitol police; to rename the
capitol police; to change the court jurisdiction relative to certain
parking and traffic violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and
Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and
Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 832 by Senator
Hainkel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "rename the capitol police" and before the
semi-colon ";" insert "and to change their jurisdiction"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 2, after "grounds," delete "and" and at
the beginning of line 3, delete "on" and insert "excluding"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 19, after "grounds" and before "the" delete "or" and
insert "excluding"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, at the end of line 8, after "grounds," delete "or on" and
insert "excluding"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 17, after "city" insert a comma "," and insert "parish;"

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 832 by Senator Hainkel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 2 and 7, following "149.1" and before the comma "," insert "(A)"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 907—
BY SENATOR JORDAN (BY REQUEST)
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:66(M), relative to dual officeholding; to provide
that a police officer or deputy sheriff may hold the elected
position of ward constable or city marshal; and to provide for
related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and
Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and
Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 907 by Senator
Jordan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "R.S. 42:66(M)," and insert "R.S. 42:63(G)
and 66(M),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "officeholding;" delete the remainder of the
line and delete lines 3 and 4, and insert the following:

"to prohibit a person holding the elective office of justice of the
peace, ward constable, or city marshal from holding any other public
office or employment; to provide for certain exceptions; and to
provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, delete "R.S. 42:66(M) is" and insert "R.S.
42:63(G) and 66(M) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"§63. Prohibitions

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G. No person holding the elective office of justice of the peace,
ward constable, or city marshal shall at the same time hold another
elective office, appointive office, or employment in any of the
branches of state government or of a political subdivision or
employment in the government of a foreign country, in the
government of the United States, or in the government of another
state, unless such person was initially elected to the office of justice
of the peace, ward constable, or city marshal prior to June 1, 1997.

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AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 12 and insert the following:

"M. Nothing in this Part shall be construed to prohibit a police
officer or a deputy sheriff from holding the elective office of justice
of the peace, ward constable, or city marshal provided that such
person was initially elected to such office prior to June 1, 1997. In
addition, nothing in this Part shall be construed to prohibit any
Lafayette Parish. Election section three shall consist of Precincts 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 20, 21, 53, and 55 of Lafayette Parish. Election section two shall consist of Precincts 14B, 14A, 15A, 15B, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 19, 22, 23, 24, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 61, 62, 64, 65, and 60 of Lafayette Parish. Election section four shall consist of Precincts 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 20, 21, 53, and 55 of Lafayette Parish. Election section five shall consist of Vermilion Parish.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 908—
BY SENATOR JORDAN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.15, relative to district courts; to provide for an additional judgeship in the fifteenth judicial district; to provide for the election and term of office; to provide for qualifications; to provide relative to compensation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 908 by Senator Jordan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" and before the comma "," delete " R.S. 13:621.15 " and insert in lieu thereof " R.S. 13:477(15) and 621.15"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." and before "hereby" delete " R.S. 13:621.15 is " and insert in lieu thereof " R.S. 13:477(15) and 621.15 are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

"§477. Judicial districts

There shall be forty judicial districts in the state, the parish of Orleans excepted, and each district shall be composed as follows:

* * *

(15) The parishes of Acadia, Lafayette, and Vermilion shall compose the Fifteenth District. The district shall consist of five election sections. Election section one shall consist of Precincts 6-16, 1-3A, 1-11, 1-7, 1-6, 1-4, 1-13, 6-3B, 6-3A, 6-5, and 6-6 of Acadia Parish; and Precincts 14B, 14A, 15A, 15B, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 19, 22, 23, 24, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 61, 62, 64, 65, and 60 of Lafayette Parish. Election section two shall consist of Precincts 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 20, 21, 53, and 55 of Lafayette Parish. Election section three shall consist of Precincts

85A, 85B, 32, 33, 34A, 34B, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 60, 66, 69, 70, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, and 106 of Lafayette Parish. Election section four shall consist of Precincts 7-2, 4-1, 7-3, 4-6, 7-4, 7-1, 2-4, 3-6, 3-5, 3-2, 3-7, 3-1, 3-3A, 3-4, 3-3B, 3-6A*, 3-6B*, 4-5, 4-4, 4-2, 4-3, 2-5, 2-2, 1-1, 2-1, 5-1B, 5-1A, 5-5, 5-3, 5-4, 6-12, 6-4, 6-7, 6-15, 5-2B, 5-2A, 5-6, 6-10, 1-3B, 1-2A, 1-2B, 1-5B, 1-5A, 6-14, 1-4A, 1-4B, 1-9, 6-2, 6-8, 6-9, and 1-10 of Acadia Parish, and Precincts 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 35, 36, and 37 of Lafayette Parish. Election section five shall consist of Vermilion Parish.

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 11, after "judges." insert "Two judges shall be elected from election section one, one judge shall be elected from election section two, four judges shall be elected from election section three, three judges shall be elected from election section four, and two judges shall be elected from election section five."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 1, after "Section 3." delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete lines 2 through 5 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"The individual to be elected to the additional judgeship created by this Act for the Fifteenth Judicial district shall be elected as provided by Article V, Section 22 of the Constitution of Louisiana, and shall serve a term which shall begin on January 1, 1998, and which shall expire at the same time as is provided by law for the other judges of the court. Thereafter, the successors to the judge provided for in this Act for the Fifteenth Judicial District shall be elected at the same time and in the same manner and shall serve the same term as is now or may be provided hereafter for other judges of the court."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1020—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:2016, relative to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to provide for the recovery of money owed the system, plus interest thereon; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 1070—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:1457 and 1939.1 and to repeal R.S. 11:154(D), relative to Assessors’ Retirement Fund and the Parochial Employees’ Retirement System; to provide relative to qualified plan status under the Internal Revenue Code; to provide for direct rollover of funds from a qualified retirement plan to a certain eligible plan; to repeal provision requiring income tax withholdings pending certain rulings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1082—
BY SENATOR JOHNSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4753.1, relative to the authority of the city of New Orleans to adopt certain ordinances relative to property which endangers the public health, welfare or safety or is unsanitary; to authorize the city of New Orleans to require that community service be performed by persons who allow weeds, grass or other noxious growths to accumulate on their property in disregard of the health and safety of others; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1082 by Senator Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "enact" change "R.S. 33:4753.1," to "R.S. 33:2740.35 and 4753.1."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "relative to" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 3 through 8 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"the promotion and beautification of municipal areas for economic development; to authorize the creation of special taxing districts in municipalities having a population in excess of four hundred and seventy-five thousand persons and provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of such districts including the promotion and marketing of municipal areas for economic development activities; to provide for imposition of certain taxes upon approval of the municipal governing authority to assist in funding the activities of the district; to authorize the city of New Orleans to adopt certain ordinances regarding property that endangers the public health, welfare, and safety; to provide for imposition of penalties of community service activities by owners of property which is detrimental to the public health, welfare, and safety of municipal residents; to provide penalties for violations of such ordinances; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

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

"Section 1. R.S. 33:2740.35 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2740.35. Economic development districts; creation, composition, and powers; preparation of plans; levy of ad valorem taxes and issuance of bonds

A. (1) There shall be, and there hereby is, created a special taxing district within any municipality with a population of four hundred and seventy-five thousand or more persons comprised of the territory located within the boundary of Almonaster Avenue, one mile north of Hayne Boulevard/Lake Pontchartrain, the Industrial Canal, and the St. Tammany-Orleans Parish line.

(2) The special taxing district shall be known as, and is hereby designated "The New Orleans East Development District" hereinafter referred to as the "district", said creation to be effective January 1, 1998.

B. The governing authority exercising the legislative powers of the city hereinafter referred to, collectively, as the "city council," shall have such power and control over, and responsibility for, the functions, affairs and administration of the district as are prescribed.

C. In order to provide for the orderly planning, development, acquisition, construction, and effectuation of the services, improvements, and facilities to be furnished by the district, and to provide for the representation in the affairs of the district of those persons and interests immediately concerned with and affected by the purposes and development of the district, there is hereby created a board of commissioners for the district hereinafter referred to as the "board."

D. (1) The board shall be composed of eleven members who shall have their principal place of business in or own property in the New Orleans East Development District. Such members shall be appointed as follows:

(a) Three members shall be appointed by the New Orleans East Economic Development Foundation, or its successor.

(b) Three members shall be appointed by the New Orleans East Business Association, or its successor.

(c) Two members shall be appointed by the New Orleans and River Region Chamber of Commerce ---- East Division, or its successor.

(d) One member shall be appointed by All Congregations Together, New Orleans East Churches.

(e) One member shall be appointed by the UNITE organization.

(f) One member shall be appointed by the Louisiana Business League, New Orleans Metro Chapter.

(2) The members of the board initially appointed shall be appointed as follows: three members for one year each, three members for two years each, three members for three years each, and two members for four years each, the length of the term for each
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1410(A)(2) and (3) and to enact R.S. 11:233(A)(4) and (D), 1402(8), 1404, 1444, 1457, and 1484, relative to local finance; to prohibit municipal corporations from engaging in unreasonable competition; to exclude municipal owned utility services and garbage collection services; and to provide for related matters.

R.S. 39:1358, to be comprised of R.S. 39:1358, relative to local finance; to prohibit municipal corporations from engaging in unreasonable competition; to exclude municipal owned utility services and garbage collection services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENA TE BILL NO. 1138—
BY SENATOR DEAN

To enact Chapter 9-C of Subtitle II of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:1358, relative to local finance; to prohibit municipal corporations from engaging in unreasonable competition; to exclude municipal owned utility services and garbage collection services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1142—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1410(A)(2) and (3) and to enact R.S. 11:233(A)(4) and (D), 1402(8), 1404, 1444, 1457, and 1484, relative to the Assessors’ Retirement Fund; to provide for
qualified plan status under Internal Revenue Code Section 415; to provide for earnable compensation applicable to certain qualified plans; to provide for annual compensation limits; to define "actuarial equivalent"; to provide relative to amendment of provisions governing the fund; to delete age restrictions on membership; to provide for limitation on payment of benefits; to provide for computation of retirement benefits; to prohibit the reversion of funds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1278—
BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE AND EWING
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 25:2(A) and 3, relative to the board of commissioners of the State Library of Louisiana; to provide for the board's composition, duties, and functions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1278 by Senator Hainkel, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "R.S." change "25:2(A) and 3," to "25:2(A),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the beginning of line 4, delete "board’s composition, duties, and function;" and insert "membership of the board;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 7, after "R.S." change "25:2(A) and 3 are" to "25:2(A) is"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 12, after "composed of" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 13, delete "congressional district" and insert "seven members"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 2, delete "Their successors shall each" and insert "Members of the board shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, delete lines 6 through 15, and insert the following:

"Section 2. Each member of the board of commissioners of the State Library of Louisiana serving on August 15, 1997, shall serve for the remainder of the term to which he was appointed. The two additional members of the board of commissioners of the State Library of Louisiana as provided in this Act to be appointed in 1997, shall be appointed for five year terms."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1296—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:721.1, relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for membership eligibility; to provide membership is optional in the system for certain persons employed by certain associations of persons involved in education; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1296 by Senator Dardenne

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 12, after "have" and before "option" delete "the" and insert "a one-time irrevocable"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, at the end of line 15, insert the following:

"Any employee who has retired from the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana shall be governed by all laws applicable to retirees returning to work."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1450—
BY SENATOR GUIDRY
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 13-B of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:4720.25 through 4720.33, all relative to the sale and donation of abandoned or blighted
housing in municipalities and parishes; to provide for a redemptive period; to provide for post-adjudication notices; to provide for liability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the consent calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1469—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 18:1505.2(M), relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to prohibit contributions by foreign nationals; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1469 by Senator Hainkel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 15, after "country" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert "unless authorized and qualified to do business in Louisiana"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1474—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4575.1(A) and (C), and to enact R.S. 33:4575.3(20), relative to recreational facilities; to provide with respect to the East St. Tammany Events Center District; to provide for board membership and terms of office; to authorize the levying of a hotel occupancy tax; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1501—
BY SENATOR ROMERO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1632(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 11:1631(B)(3), relative to the District Attorneys Retirement System; to authorize eligibility for certain retirement benefits at age sixty or older with ten years of creditable service; to provide relative to eligibility for certain benefits in such system; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1501 by Senator Romero

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and add "R.S. 11:1631(B)(2) and 1632(A)(2),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 10 in its entirety and insert "R.S. 11:1631(B)(2) and 1632(A)(2) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 15 and 16 in their entirety, and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 4 in their entirety, and add:

"§1631. Retirement benefits; application; eligibility requirements

1. Any person who was a member of the system prior to July 1, 1990, shall be eligible for and on the date such rate is adopted and who is eligible to receive benefits as specified in R.S. 11:1632 shall be eligible for and receive benefits as specified in R.S. 11:1632 prior to January 1, 1994 within ninety days of the adoption of such rate."

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1501 by Senator Romero
AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, delete lines 11 through 14 in their entirety
On motion of Rep. Stelly, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. Stelly, the bill, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1504—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS
AN ACT
To enact Subpart B-11 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.301 through 130.307 and to repeal R.S. 33:130.361 through 130.369, R.S. 33:130.491 through 130.497, Act 693 of the 1986 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act 616 of the 1991 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act 1008 of the 1993 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Act 897 of the 1995 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to St. Landry Parish; to consolidate the St. Landry Parish Economic Inducement District, the St. Landry Parish Economic and Industrial Development District and the St. Landry Parish Industrial District into one district; to provide relative to the board of commissioners and their powers, duties and functions; to provide relative to economic plans and projects; to provide relative to the issuance of bonds; to provide relative to powers of the district, including the power of taxation, with voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.
The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1504 by Senator Cravins

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 4, line 24, change "and a secretary-treasurer," to "a secretary, and a treasurer"
Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.
On motion of Rep. Weston, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. Weston, the bill, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the consent calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 1523—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:2335.1, relative to mutual aid between local police departments; to provide for aid to be provided to a requesting agency; to provide for the authority of law enforcement personnel; to define "emergency"; to provide for liability; to provide that no charge shall be made for services rendered; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary.
The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1523 by Senator Schedler

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 5, after "emergency" and before the semicolon ";" insert "and "special event"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 11, after "emergency" and before "and" insert "or a special event"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 14, after "emergency" and before the comma "," insert "or special event"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 6, after "emergency" and before "the personnel" insert "or special event"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:
"(3) "Special event" means an actual or potential situation that poses or may pose a threat to life or property because of the number of people involved, and exceeds the capability of the requesting agency to counteract successfully."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 3, after "incident" and before the comma "," insert "or special event"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**Senate Bills on Second Reading Reported by Committees**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 320—**

By Senators Lentini, Schedler, Barham, Bean, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Dardenne, Dean, Dwyess, Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Short, Smith, Tarver, and Ullo

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 18(A) and to add Article VII, Section 18(G) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to creating a special assessment level for homestead exempt property of persons sixty-five years of age or older; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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 Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 320 by Senator Lentini, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 8 and 9 in their entirety, and insert the following:

"(c) That owner or such surviving spouse continues to claim the special assessment level and does not notify the assessor otherwise."

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

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

**Reconsideration**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 857—**

By Representative Murray

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 25(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to the sale of property for unpaid taxes in certain municipalities; to authorize sales with no minimum bid under certain conditions; to provide relative to proceeds of such sales and remaining liabilities on the property; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Murray, the vote by which the above House Bill failed to pass on the previous legislative day was reconsidered.

Returned to the calendar under the rules.

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions on third reading for final consideration were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 193—**

By Representative Hopkins

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House and Senate Committees on Education to study medical school practices at Louisiana State University and make recommendations to ensure that Louisiana State University Medical Center's School of Medicine in Shreveport seeks to influence students to become family practitioners after graduation.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Hopkins, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 210—**

By Representative Long and Senator Smith

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of the state museum to study the feasibility of making the Natchitoches Parish Old Courthouse Museum a part of the Louisiana State Museum and of making it the site of the Louisiana Purchase Hall of Fame and to report the findings of such study to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs, the Senate Committee on Education, and the division of administration.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Long, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 222—**

By Representative Forster

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Revenue and Taxation to grant to the Kiefer UNO Lakefront Arena an exemption from state sales and use taxes on admission tickets pursuant to R.S. 39:468.

Read by title.
On motion of Rep. Forster, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 121—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development, the Federal Highway Administration, and the St. John the Baptist Parish Council to enter into a joint-use agreement in order to construct a tourist information center at the I-10/I-55/US 61 intersection in LaPlace.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 186—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to use the mean or average of the range of spawning potential ratio for flounders.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Representative Faucheux to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 186 by Representative Faucheux

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, line 6, change "1315" to "1316"

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

By a vote of 86 yeas and 1 nay, the resolution, as amended, was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101—**
**BY SENATORS CAIN AND SMITH**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Senate Committee on Agriculture and House Committee on Agriculture to function as a joint committee to study the various aspects surrounding fire ant eradication.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. John Smith, the resolution was concurred in.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 128—**
**BY SENATORS CAIN AND COX**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) to investigate San Jacinto Port Corporation’s alleged practices of employing illegal aliens and if such allegations are true, to consider suspension or debarment of San Jacinto Port Corporation as a contractor in its PL-480 cargo unloading program.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. John Smith, the resolution was concurred in.

**House Concurrent Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments**
The following House Concurrent Resolutions returned from the Senate with amendments were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE AND THORNHILL**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize and direct the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to study and make recommendations with respect to the abolishment of levee districts and levee and drainage districts and the merging of the districts with a state agency.

Read by title.
The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 2 by Representative Triche

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "authorize and direct" to "urge and request"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 18, after "hereby" change "authorizes and directs" to "urges and requests"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 5, after "committee" change "shall" to "is requested to"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, line 8, after "shall" add ", after such study is completed,"

On motion of Rep. Triche, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE ROUSSELLE**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of state parks to study the feasibility of making Fort Jackson in Plaquemines Parish a state commemorative area and to report its findings to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and the Senate Committee on Education.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Natural Resources to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 15 by Representative Rousselle

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "Parish" insert "and Fort DeRussy in Avoyelles Parish"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 3, delete "a" and change "area" to "areas"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 5, change "Education" to "Natural Resources"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, line 17, change "the fort" to "Fort Jackson"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, line 21, after "classified" delete "the"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 2, line 22, change "fort" to "Fort Jackson"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 2, line 23, change "the fort" to "Fort Jackson"

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 2, line 24, change "area." to "area; and"

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

On page 2, between lines 24 and 25 insert the following:

"WHEREAS, Fort DeRussy was an earthen fort in Avoyelles Parish approximately three miles north of the town of Marksville built to defend the Red River during the Civil War; and

WHEREAS, Fort DeRussy was named after Colonel Lewis G. DeRussy of Natchitoches, who was a West Point graduate and a veteran of the Mexican War; and

WHEREAS, Colonel Lewis G. DeRussy was the engineering officer in charge of the construction of the first fortifications at Fort DeRussy; and

WHEREAS, Fort DeRussy was captured by Union troops twice during the Civil War and attempts were made to destroy the fort on both occasions; however, in spite of such attempts, a large portion of Fort DeRussy still exists; and

WHEREAS, in March of 1996, Fort DeRussy was purchased by La Commission des Avoyelles, the Avoyelles Parish historical society; and

WHEREAS, the Friends of Fort DeRussy was organized as a subgroup of La Commission for the purpose of preserving Fort DeRussy; and

WHEREAS, the Friends of Fort DeRussy received a gift from the Myles DeRussy family which included Colonel Lewis DeRussy's dress sword and a thirty-two caliber rimfire dog's head cane gun, both being very rare and valuable artifacts in the United States; and

WHEREAS, both the Friends of DeRussy and the descendants of Colonel Lewis DeRussy have recognized the significance of Fort DeRussy; and

WHEREAS, the Friends of Fort DeRussy intend to establish the Fort DeRussy Battlefield Museum; and

WHEREAS, the exhibits planned for the museum will be based upon three classifications, including permanent exhibits, changing exhibits, and historic landscapes; and

WHEREAS, several different kinds of exhibits will be developed at the museum, including audio-visual, hands-on, re-created historic landscapes, and displays; and

WHEREAS, the audio presentation will be used to familiarize visitors with specific museum themes and features, the re-created historic landscapes which will consist of rifle pits, bombproofs, and artillery positioned in such a way as to mimic the original appearance
of Fort DeRussy which will provide visitors with a view of the way the fort was many years ago, and the hands-on and outdoor displays will encourage visitors to touch and physically experience the artifacts in some fashion; and

WHEREAS, the collections at the museum shall be limited only to information and artifacts concerning the museum's primary theme; and

WHEREAS, the significance of Fort DeRussy makes it a prime candidate for designation as a state commemorative area.”

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 2, line 27, between "Parish" and "state" delete "a" and insert in lieu thereof "and Fort DeRussy in Avoyelles Parish as"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 2, line 27, change "area" to "areas"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 3, line 1, change "Education" to "Natural Resources"

On motion of Rep. Rousselle, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and direct all state and statewide public retirement systems to furnish the office of the legislative actuary with a quarterly report and a consolidated annual report of all investments in derivative products held in the systems portfolio during the pertinent reporting periods.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Retirement to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 17 by Representative Wilkerson

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, delete "a quarterly report and a" and on line 4 delete "consolidated" and insert "an"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 20, delete "a quarterly report" and on line 21 delete "and a consolidated" and insert "an"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 25, change "quarterly" to "annual"

On motion of Rep. Wilkerson, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to erect signs on both the northbound and southbound lanes of I-10 at exits 206 and 209 in LaPlace to notify the public that the exits provide lodging, food, gas, and a hospital.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 34 by Representative Faucheux

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "authorize and direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 17, after "hereby" change "authorize and direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 7, after "the" add "secretary of the"

On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PERKINS, AND KENNARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to erect signs on Blackwater Road in East Baton Rouge Parish to indicate the location of the Blackwater Methodist Church.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 38 by Representative Perkins

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "authorize and direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 16, after "hereby" change "authorize and direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 2, after "signs," insert "the legislature urges and requests that" and delete "shall"
On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to install a traffic light at the intersection of Louisiana Highway 31 and Governor Mouton Street in St. Martinville, Louisiana and at the intersection of Louisiana Highway 1 and St. Anne Street in Raceland, Louisiana.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 43 by Representative Durand

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "authorize and direct" to "urge and request"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 2, line 12, after "hereby" change "authorize and direct" to "urge and request"

On motion of Rep. Durand, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD-LEWIS**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request that the United States Congress condemn the practice of hazing cadets at military academies, potentially freeze federal funds to military academies where the practice of hazing has taken place until such time as there is a more open environment for all cadets, and form a congressional subcommittee to examine the issue and investigate specific incidents of hazing.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 109 by Representative Willard-Lewis

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, line 3, after "academies" delete the remainder of the line and on line 4, delete "military academies"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 2, line 5, delete "subcommittee to" and insert in lieu thereof, "and requests that the United States Congress"

On motion of Rep. Willard-Lewis, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 124—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST AND CLARKSON**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To amend the initial paragraph of LAC 70:1.503 of the rules of the Department of Transportation and Development to redesignate the transit lanes of the Crescent City Connection Bridge in New Orleans.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 124 by Representative Windhorst

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 2, at the end of line 5, delete the period "." and insert:
"provided that such redesignation is first approved by the appropriate federal agencies."

Rep. Windhorst moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

**ROLL CALL**
The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

- Mr. Speaker Glover Pinac
- Alario Green Powell
- Alexander, A.—93rd Guillory Pratt
- Alexander, R.—13th Hammett Quezaire
- Ansardi Heaton Riddle
- Barton Hebert Romero
- Baudoin Hill Rousselle
- Baylor Holden Salter
- Bowler Hopkins Scalise
- Bruce Hudson Schneider
- Brun Hunter Shaw
The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 157—
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the House Committee on Health and Welfare, the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, the House Committee on Appropriations, and the Senate Committee on Finance to investigate problems facing rural hospitals and to propose recommendations for solutions to such problems; to provide that such committees receive testimony and recommendations from representatives of the Louisiana Rural Hospital Coalition; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Casanova to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 157 by Representative Rodney Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 25, after "hospitals" delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 26, after "populations" change the period "." to a comma "," and insert the following:

"and shall investigate the utilization of alternative accrediting organizations for licensing and certification purposes, including but not limited to accreditation offered by the Internal Organization of Standardization."

On motion of Rep. Rodney Alexander, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, DEWITT, DUPRE, GAUTREAUX, JOHNS, RIDDLE, JACK SMITH, THORNHILL, AND VITTER AND SENATORS DYESS, ROBICHAUX, AND SCHEDLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals to implement a Medicaid Region III managed care pilot program, a Medicaid voucher program, a Medicaid center of excellence program, and a modified community care program.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 41 by Representative Downer

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 23, between "program" and the period "." insert the following:

"for the parishes of Calcasieu, Cameron, Allen, Beauregard, and Jefferson Davis that shall begin approximately at the same time as the Medicaid managed care pilot program provided in this Resolution and a modified community care program for the parishes of Caldwell, East Carroll, Franklin, Jackson, Lincoln, Madison, Tensas, Morehouse, Ouachita, Richland, Union, and West Carroll to begin as soon as feasible thereafter."

Rep. Rodney Alexander moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Murray
Alario Glover Odinet
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Pierre
Alexander, R.—13th Guillory Pinac
Ansardi Hammett Powell
Barton Heaton Pratt
Baudoin Hebert Quezaire
Bayor Hill Riddle
Bowler Holden Rousseau
Bruce Hopkins Salter
Brun Hudson Scalise
Bruneau Hunter Schneider
Carter Iles Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson Jetson Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin Johns Stelly
Crane Kennard Thomas
Curtis Kenney Theriot
Damico Lancaster Toomy
Daniel Landrieu Thompson
Deville LeBlanc Toomy

NAYS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Murray
Alario Glover Odinet
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Pierre
Alexander, R.—13th Guillory Pinac
Ansardi Hammett Powell
Barton Heaton Pratt
Baudoin Hebert Quezaire
Bayor Hill Riddle
Bowler Holden Rousseau
Bruce Hopkins Salter
Brun Hudson Scalise
Bruneau Hunter Schneider
Carter Iles Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson Jetson Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin Johns Stelly
Crane Kennard Thomas
Curtis Kenney Theriot
Damico Lancaster Toomy
Daniel Landrieu Thompson
Deville LeBlanc Toomy

Total—100

Total—0

ABSENT

Dupre Jenkins Smith, J.D.—50th
Gautreaux Perkins
Total—5
The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Forster, the rules were suspended in order to take up House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

Suspension of the Rules

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Regular Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 1221—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, AND VITTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5107(D) and Civil Code Art. 3463 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 7(A)(6), 1201(C), and 1672(C), relative to citation and service of process; to require service of citation to be requested and made within ninety days of commencement of the action or the filing of supplemental or amended pleadings in certain civil proceedings and in certain suits against the state, a state agency, or a political subdivision; to provide for involuntary dismissal of suit in certain cases and the effects thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

Rep. McMains moved that House Bill No. 1221 be designated as a duplicate of Senate Bill No. 566.

Which motion was agreed to.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative McMains to Engrossed House Bill No. 1221 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, delete "and Civil Code Art. 3463"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after "1672(C)" and before ", relative" insert "and R.S. 9:5801"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 5, after "requested" and before "within" delete "and made"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 8, after the semicolon ';' and before "to" insert "to provide for waiver of such requirement;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 17, delete "and made"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 5, after the period "." and before "If" insert "This requirement may be expressly waived by the defendant in such action by any written waiver."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 6, delete "made" and insert "requested by the party filing the action"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, line 2, change "made" to "requested"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, line 6, delete "and made"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, line 9, delete "and made"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 3, line 10, after the period "," add ", The defendant may expressly waive the requirements of this Paragraph by any written waiver."

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 3, line 15, after "defendant" delete the remainder of the line and add "for whom service has not been requested"

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 3, at the beginning of line 16, delete "with citation"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, at the beginning of line 19, change "made" to "requested"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, line 21, after "Section 3." delete the remainder of the line and add "R.S. 9:5801 is hereby enacted to"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, delete lines 23 through 26 and insert the following:

"§5801. Involuntary dismissal; failure to timely request service of citation

Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 2324(C), interruption is considered never to have occurred as to a person named as a defendant who is dismissed from a suit because service of citation was not timely requested and the court finds that the failure to timely request service of citation was due to bad faith, nonetheless, as to any other defendants or obligors, an interruption of prescription as provided in Civil Code Article 3463 shall continue."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 4, delete lines 1 through 11

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 4, line 18, change "August 1, 1997" to "January 1, 1998", change the semicolon ";" to a period ".", delete the remainder of line 18, and delete lines 19, 20, and 21

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Doerge
Donelon
Dupre
Durand
Farve
Faucheux
Flavin
Fontenot
Forster
Frith
Fruge
Gautreaux
Total—102

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Alario
DeWitt
Powell
Total—3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 183—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:1162, relative to the Public Service Commission; to provide for an increase in the salaries of members; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative DeWitt to Engrossed House Bill No. 183 by Representative DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "45:1162," and before "relative" insert "and to enact R.S. 45:123.1, and to repeal R.S. 45:121 and 123,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "members;" and before "and" insert " to provide with respect to the jurisdiction of the public service commission over electric public utilities; to provide for anticipation of the deregulation of the electric utility industry;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, after line 12, insert the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 45:123.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§123.1 Regulations concerning service by electric public utilities"
(A) The Louisiana Public Service Commission shall adopt and fully implement a plan to provide Louisiana consumers with access to alternate suppliers of electricity. Such plan shall provide for full access to alternate suppliers such that all residential and commercial consumers shall have access to alternate supplies no later than September 1, 2000, and all other consumers shall have full access to alternate suppliers no later than January 1, 2001.

(B) Prior to December 31, 1997, the Louisiana Public Service Commission shall adopt regulations conforming to the provisions of R.S. 45:123 in effect on the date prior to the effective date of this Act. The Louisiana Public Service Commission may amend or repeal such regulations for the purpose of implementing the provisions of Subsection (A) hereof.

Section 4. R.S. 45:121 and 123 are hereby repealed in their entirety.

Section 5. Section 4 of this act shall be effective December 31, 1997."

On motion of Rep. DeWitt, the amendments were withdrawn. Rep. DeWitt moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gautreaux Pratt
Alario Glover Quezario
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Romero
Ansardi Guillory Rousselle
Barton Hamnett Salter
Bayor Heaton Scalise
Bowler Hill Shaw
Bruce Holden Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter Hudson Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson Hunter Stelly
Clarkson Jetson Strain
Copelin Johns Theriot
Curtis Lancaster Thomas
Damico Landrieu Thompson
Daniel LeBlanc Thornhill
Devile Long Toomy
De Witt Marionneaux Travis
Diez Martiny Triche
Dimos McCallum Walsworth
Doerge McMains Warner
Donelon Michot Welch
Dupre Mitchell Weston
Farve Montgomery Wiggins
Faucheux Morrell Wilkerson
Flavin Morrise Willard-Lewis
Fontenot Murray Windhorst
Forster Odet Wright
Frisch Pinac
Frugé Powell
Total—85

NAYS

Alexander, R.—13th Hebert McCain
Durand Kenndar Perkins
Total—6

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1220—
BY REPRESENTATIVES McMAINS AND DEWITT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.39(A)(4) and (7), (C), (D)(2), (E)(1), (F)(introductory paragraph) and (10), (G), and (L), and 1299.39.1(A)(1) and (2)(b), (B)(1)(a)(i) and (b), (2)(a), and (3), (D)(3) and (4), (G)(introductory paragraph), and (J), to enact R.S. 40:1299.39(O), and to repeal R.S. 40:1299.39.1(A)(3)(c), relative to medical malpractice liability for state services; to provide for definitions; to provide for the total amount recoverable for all malpractice claims, including but not limited to a survival or wrongful death action, or action for mental anguish; to provide for limitations on the recovery of future medical care and related benefits; to provide with respect to the payment of future medical care and related benefits through a reversionary trust; to provide for a court award of attorney fees from the state or the fund arising from disputes over future medical care and related benefits when warranted; to reduce the amount of future medical care and related benefits due a patient in a sum equal to the amount received by such patient from a collateral source; to provide relative to the state medical review panel; to provide for discovery; to provide for procedures for issuance of subpoenas and subpoenas duces tecum; to provide for notification of the opinion of the medical review panel; to provide for commencement of prescription; to require service of citation to be requested within ninety days after the initial pleading is filed; to repeal the requirement that a claim filed with the state medical review panel be forwarded to the supreme court; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative McMains to Engrossed House Bill No. 1220 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 5, delete "and (4),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6, line 2, after the period "." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 and 4 and insert "In"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 8, delete lines 16 through 26

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 9, delete lines 1 through 23
AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 9, at the beginning of line 24, change "(5)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 10, at the beginning of line 8, change "(6)" to "(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 10, at the beginning of line 16, change "(7)" to "(6)" and change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 11, line 15, after "thereof," and before the period "," delete "who has not been served" and insert "for whom service has not been requested"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 11, line 23, after "(D)(3)" and before "(G)" delete "and (4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 12, line 15, after "commissioner" insert "by certified or registered"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 12, at the beginning of line 16, before the period "." insert "mail"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 13, line 5, after the period "," and before "Either" insert the following:
"A copy of any such written stipulation extending the twelve-month period shall be forwarded to the commissioner of administration by the attorney chairman."

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 13, line 16, after "any" and before "or" delete "exceptions" and insert "exception available under Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure Article 927, except nonjoinder of a party needed for just adjudication"

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 13, at the end of line 17, after "9:5628" delete ", or as" and on line 18, delete "otherwise available under Louisiana law."

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 14, line 7, delete "Prior to the convening of the panel, the" and insert "The parties may conduct discovery allowed by and in accordance with the Code of Civil Procedure."

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 14, delete lines 8 through 25

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 15, delete lines 1 through 16

AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 15, line 21, after the period "," and before "After", insert the following:
"If at any time any member of the panel identifies an act or omission by any defendant health care provider which may not have complied with the appropriate standard of care and which had not been previously identified in the claim filed by the plaintiff as an issue in the deliberations of the panel, the attorney chairman shall, upon request of any defendant, continue the panel proceedings for such time as may be reasonably necessary for the defendant to evaluate and prepare a defense to the allegation."

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 16, line 2, insert ", together with written reasons for their conclusions:" On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

Speaker Pro Tempore Bruneau in the Chair
Rep. Johns sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Johns to Engrossed House Bill No. 1220 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 16, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:
"Section 4. The provisions of this Act shall not apply to any final judgment or to any compromise agreement subject to the provisions of the Malpractice Liability for State Services Act which is signed or entered into prior to the effective date of this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 30, line 16, change "4" to "5"
On motion of Rep. Johns, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Alexander, A.—93rd Glover Murray
Ansardi Green Perkins
Baudoin Guillory Pierre
Baylor Hill Pratt
Bruce Holden Quezaire
Brun Hopkins Riddle
Carter Hudson Rousselle
Chaisson Hunter Shaw
Copelin Iles Smith, J.D.—50th
Curtis Jenkins Theriot
The House refused to table the entire subject matter.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Windhorst and McCain to Engrossed House Bill No. 1220 by Representative McMains and DeWitt

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 16, at the beginning of line 4, change "J." to "J.(1)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

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

"(2) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, no attorney chairman in any calendar year shall serve as chairman on more than one hundred panels and no more than ten panels formed outside the parish where his principal office is located. Failure to comply with this requirement shall render any opinion rendered by the panel formed in violation in this Paragraph null and void."

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Faucheux and McMains to Engrossed House Bill No. 1220 by Representative McMains

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 23, delete "disclosure of confidential"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, delete line 24, and insert ", and any liability of"

**Motion**

Rep. Martiny moved that the bill, as amended, be returned to the calendar subject to call.


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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Alexander, A.—93rd   Glover   Murray
Ansardi   Green   Perkins
Baudoin   Guillory   Pierre
Baylor   Hill   Pratt
Bruce   Holden   Quezaire
Brun   Hopkins   Riddle
Carter   Hudson   Rousselle
Chaisson   Hunter   Shaw
Copelin   Iles   Smith, J.D.—50th
Curtis   Jenkins   Theriot
Dimos   Landrieu   Thornhill
Farve   Marionneaux   Wilkerson
Faucheux   Martiny   Willard-Lewis
Flavin   McCain   Winston
Frith   Morrell

Total—44

**NAYS**

Alario   Heaton   Salter
Alexander, R.—13th   Hebert   Scalice
Barton   Jetson   Schneider
Bowler   Johns   Smith, J.R.—30th
Bruneau   Kennard   Stelly
Clarkson   Kenney   Strain
Crane   Lancaster   Thomas
Damicco   LeBlanc   Thompson
Daniel   Long   Toomy
Deville   McCallum   Triche
DeWitt   McDonald   Vitter
Diez   McMains   Warner
Donelon   Michot   Welch
Fontenot   Morrish   Weston
Forster   Odinet   Wiggins
Fruge   Pinac   Windhorst
Hammett   Romero   Wright

Total—51

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker   Gautreaux   Travis
Doerge   Mitchell   Walsworth
Dupre   Montgomery
Durand   Powell

Total—10

The House refused to return the bill as amended to the calendar.
On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative McCain to Engrossed House Bill No. 1220 by Representative McMains

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 3, after "patient" delete "or any other individual or person"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 5, line 7, after "patient" delete "or any other individual or person"

**Motion**

Rep. Martiny moved the previous question be ordered on the entire subject matter.

As a substitute motion, Rep. Murray moved to end consideration of amendments.

Rep. Riddle objected.

The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

By a vote of 49 yeas and 47 nays, the House agreed to end consideration of amendments.

Rep. McCain moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 57 yeas and 39 nays, the amendments were adopted.

**Motion**

Rep. Copelin moved to table the bill.


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

**ROLL CALL**

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The House agreed to table the bill.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1550—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1992(A)(3), relative to assessment of property for ad valorem tax purposes; to require assessors to notify property owners of increases in assessments on immovable property; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Daniel to Engrossed House Bill No. 1550 by Representative Wright

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after ",(A)(3), and before the comma ",, insert ",(4)

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 4, after "property", and before "and" insert "to provide for effectiveness of increased assessment;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 7, after "(A)(3), and before "is" insert "and (4)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**
On page 1, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"(4) No increase in the assessed value of immovable property shall be effective unless the assessor complies with the notice provisions as provided in this Subsection."

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Heaton to Engrossed House Bill No. 1550 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after "require" insert "certain"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the end of line 15, insert the following:

"The provisions of this Paragraph shall not apply to any assessor of a parish with a population of more than four hundred twenty-five thousand."

Rep. Heaton moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Wright objected.

Rep. Copelin moved to table the amendments.

By a vote of 57 yeas and 26 nays, the amendments were tabled.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Alario to Engrossed House Bill No. 1550 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, delete lines 12 through 15 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(3) Each assessor shall notify each taxpayer of record as of January 1st of each year of an increase in the assessed value of immovable property owned by that taxpayer and assessed during the prior year. The notifications shall be made separately for each piece of property for which the assessed valuation has increased. Notice is not a prerequisite to contesting the correctness of an assessment. Failure to receive notice shall not extend the time during which the taxpayer must timely contest the correctness of his assessment. Regardless of the notice the taxpayer must still comply timely with Article VII, Section 18(E) of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974 as well with the requirements to test the correctness of an assessment provided in R.S. 47:1992, 1989, 1998, and 2110(D) and (E). Notice by the assessor shall relieve the assessor of his obligation under this Section and shall be irrefutable proof that this Section has been satisfied. Failure to receive the notice shall not be grounds to invalidate a tax sale for the nonpayment of taxes."

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Riddle to Engrossed House Bill No. 1550 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "(A)(3)" and before the comma ",," insert ", (4), and (5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 4, after "property;" and before "and" insert "to provide for effectiveness of increased assessment;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 7, after "(A)(3)" delete "is" and insert ", (4), and (5) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"(5) The notice required in Paragraph (3) shall be mailed within five days of giving the notice of such exposure for inspection."

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

Speaker Downer in the Chair

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Dewitt to Engrossed House Bill No. 1550 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "property;" and before "and" insert "to provide exceptions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 12, after "assessor" and before "shall" insert a comma "," and add "except the assessor for the Parish of Rapides,"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Copelin to Engrossed House Bill No. 1550 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the end of line 15, add: "In the parish of Orleans, the governmental entity which mails the property tax bills shall mail the notices of increase in assessed value of property."
On motion of Rep. Copelin, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Heaton  Pratt
Barton        Hebert  Quezaire
Baylor        Holden  Riddle
Brun          Hopkins  Romero
Bruneau       Hudson  Salt
Carter        Hunter  Scalise
Chaisson      Jenkins  Schneider
Clarkson      Jetson  Smith, J.D.—50th
Copelin       Johns   Stelly
Crane         Kenney  Theriot
Curtis        Landrieu  Thompson
Daniel        LeBlanc  Travis
Dimos         Long    Triche
Doerge        McCain  Vitter
Durand        McCallum  Walsworth
Farve         McDonald  Welch
Faucheux       McMain  Weston
Flavin         Michot  Wiggins
Forster        Mitchell  Wilkerson
Frith          Morell  Willard-Lewis
Fruge          Morrise  Windhorst
Gautreaux      Murray  Winston
Glover         Oin  Wright
Green          Pierre
Guillory       Pinac
Total—73

NAYS

Alario, A.—93rd  DeWitt  Martiny
Alexander, A.—93rd  Diez  Powell
Alexander, R.—13th  Fontenot  Rousselle
Baudoin         Hammett  Smith, J.R.—30th
Bowler          Hill    Strain
Damico         Iles    Thomas
Deville         Marionneaux  Toomy
Total—21

ABSENT

Ansardi        Kennard  Shaw
Bruce          Lancaster  Thornhill
Donelon        Montgomery  Warner
Dupre          Perkins
Total—11

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1754—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:93.20, relative to the unlawful sale, purchase, and possession of alcoholic beverages; to provide for the crime of unlawful sale, shipment, or causing to be shipped any alcoholic beverage by an out-of-state seller directly to a Louisiana consumer; to provide for an exception; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Toomy to Engrossed House Bill No. 1754 by Representative Toomy

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 3, delete "sale" and delete line 4 and at the beginning of line 5, delete "of-state seller directly to a Louisiana consumer;" and insert in lieu thereof "shipments of beverage alcohol to Louisiana consumers under certain circumstances; to provide for registration and for payment of fees and taxes on authorized shipments;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 11 through 18 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A. It is unlawful for any wholesaler, retailer, or producer of beverage alcohol domiciled outside the state of Louisiana to ship directly to any consumer in Louisiana under any of the following circumstances:

   (1) The consumer is less than twenty-one years of age.

   (2) The consumer does not hold a valid wholesaler's permit issued by the state of Louisiana and resells or attempts to resell the beverage alcohol for pecuniary gain.

   (3) The wholesaler, retailer, or producer ships more than sixty bottles of beverage alcohol in any combination of beer, wine, or liquor as defined pursuant to the provisions of Title 26 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to any consumer in Louisiana within a twelve-month period from the date the wholesaler, retailer, or producer registered with the office of alcoholic beverage control.

B. Notwithstanding Subsection A of this Section, any wholesaler, retailer, or producer of beverage alcohol domiciled outside the state of Louisiana, who holds a valid license from the state of residence, may ship sixty bottles or less of beverage alcohol within a twelve-month period directly to a consumer in Louisiana if the consumer is twenty-one years of age or older and the shipment is for that consumer's personal consumption.

C. Such wholesalers, retailers, and producers shall register annually with the office of alcoholic beverage control and pay a fee of one hundred dollars prior to shipping any beverage alcohol under the provisions of Subsection B of this Section. A copy of the current license held by persons or corporations covered pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall accompany the registration. Each shipment shall be accompanied by an invoice detailing the transaction. A copy of the invoice shall be filed by the shipper with the Department of Revenue and Taxation.

D. Wholesalers, retailers, and producers that ship directly to lawful consumers in Louisiana shall file an annual report with the Department of Revenue and Taxation showing the total number of cases shipped into the state, the type of beverage alcohol shipped and
the name brands of such shipments. The report shall be accompanied
by a certified check for the excise and sales taxes due to the state for
the total amount of alcohol shipped."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 15 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, at the beginning of line 16, change "D." to "E."

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, line 17, after "that a" and before "producer" insert "wine"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 2, at the beginning of line 23, change "E." to "F."

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

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

**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. Toomy 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. 1409—**

**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 Tourist Commission; to provide relative
to the composition of the commission; to establish limits on the
terms a commissioner may serve; and to provide for related
matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Barton to Engrossed House
Bill No. 1409 by Representative Barton

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 19, after "of" insert "seventeen"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 20, delete "nineteen"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 15, delete "four" and insert "two"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, on line 17, after "Downs," insert "and", on line 18, after
"attraction" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 19 and
20 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, line 21, delete "casino located in Caddo Parish."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:
YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Perkins
Alario Gautreaux Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Pinac
Alexander, R.—13th Guillory Powell
Ansardi Hammett Pratt
Barton Heaton Quezaire
Baudoin Hebert Riddle
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Bower Holden Rousselle
Bruce Hudson Salter
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Bruneau Iles Schneider
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Farve Morrell Windhorst
Faucheux Morrish Winston
Fontenot Murray Wright
Forster Odinet
Total—95

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Flavin Mitchell Warner
Frith Montgomery Wiggins
Glover Strain
Hopkins Thomas
Total—10

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Barton 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. 1103—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, DOWNER, DEWITT, DURAND, FLAVIN, FRITH, GAUTREAUX, HILL, POWELL, SCHNEIDER, AND WESTON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:936(B), to enact R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(f) and Chapter 12 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1361 through 1368, relative to the Louisiana International Trade Development Act; to provide for a short title; to provide for a declaration of purpose; to provide for definitions of terms; to create and provide relative to the Louisiana International Trade Development Board; to provide for the protection from personal liability of directors; to provide for powers of the board; to provide for annual reports, examinations, and audits; to provide for coordination and cooperation with other entities; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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. 1103 by Representative Travis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, at the beginning of line 25, delete "office of the governor." and insert in lieu thereof "Department of Economic Development."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, line 2, after "of" and before "members" change "nineteen" to "twenty-two"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 7, after "(3)" and before "directors" change "Fourteen" to "Seventeen"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, after line 25, insert the following:

(o) By the New Orleans Steamship Association.

(p) By the Louisiana Railroads Association.

(q) By the Louisiana Business League."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 6, line 7, after "(3)" and before "appointed" change "Fourteen" to "Seventeen"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 8, delete line 24 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "E.

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 8, line 25, after "a" and before "vice" insert "chairman."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 9, line 14, after "secretary," and before "and" insert "the secretary of the Department of Economic Development."

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Alario to Engrossed House Bill No. 1103 by Representative Travis, et al.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

In Amendment No. 2 of the House Floor Amendments proposed by Rep. Travis and adopted by the House on June 10, 1997, change "twenty-two" to "twenty-three"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

In Amendment No. 3 of the House Floor Amendments proposed by Rep. Travis and adopted by the House on June 10, 1997, change "Seventeen" to "Eighteen"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

In Amendment No. 5 of the House Floor Amendments proposed by Rep. Travis and adopted by the House on June 10, 1997, change "seventeen" to "eighteen"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 5, after line 25, insert the following:
"(r) By the Jefferson Business Council."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 695**

By Representatives Travis, Downer, Dewitt, Murray, and Weston

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1753(B)(8) and to enact R.S. 51:2312(A)(8), relative to the economically disadvantaged business program; to provide for a bonding program; to provide for submission of requests to the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation; to require the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation to provide funds annually for bonding assistance; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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. 695 by Representative Travis

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, at the end of line 2, after "R.S." change "51:2312(A)(8)," to "51:1766,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, delete lines 4 through 7 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof: "provide for a bonding program; and to provide for related matters."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, at the beginning of line 10, after "R.S." change "51:2312(A)(8)," to "51:1766,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 1, delete lines 4 through 7 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof: "provide for a bonding program; and to provide for related matters."

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, insert "(a)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 2, line 6, after "bonding" and before "technical" insert "financial and"
"The Louisiana Economic Development Corporation shall provide two million dollars annually to the Small Business Surety Bonding Fund for use in the bonding assistance program, provided that such funds shall be maintained and monitored by the corporation. The Louisiana Economic Development Corporation shall develop and provide an analysis and evaluation process to be used in the bonding assistance program for determining which requests shall be approved."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 14 through 21 and insert the following:

"(b) Requests for bonding assistance shall be submitted to the division for approval. The division shall develop and provide an analysis and evaluation process to be used in the bonding assistance program for determining which requests shall be approved. The corporation, in cooperation with the executive director of the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation, shall determine which requests shall be approved for bonding assistance funding. The division shall review and monitor the evaluation and analysis process developed by the bonding assistance program."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 23 through 26 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 10 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"§1766. Small Business Surety Bonding Fund; creation; distribution of funds

A. Funds received by the division under this Part or otherwise made available for the purposes of this Part shall be deposited immediately upon receipt into the state treasury.

B. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the state general fund, an amount equal to that deposited as required in Subsection A hereof shall be credited to a special fund hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the Small Business Surety Bonding Fund. The monies in this fund shall be used solely to fund the division's effort to provide financial assistance to small businesses to mitigate gaps in the state surety bond market. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in this fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in such fund, again, following compliance with the requirement of Article VII, Section 9(B) relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund.

C. The monies in the Small Business Surety Bonding Fund shall be used by the division solely to fund the division's effort to provide financial assistance to small businesses to mitigate gaps in the state surety bond market.

Section 2. Any monies that have been appropriated for the economically disadvantaged business development program in the Louisiana Economic Development Fund at the effective date of this Act shall be transferred to the Small Business Surety Bonding Fund."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, at the beginning of line 11, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Glove Powell
Alario Green Pratt
Alexander, A.—93rd Guillory Quezaire
Alexander, R.—13th Hammett Riddle
Ansardi Heaton Romero
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Baylor Holden Salter
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Daniel LeBlanc Toomy
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Farve Montgomery Wiggins
Faucheux Morrell Wilkerson
Flavin Morriseau Willard-Lewis
Fontenot Murray Windhorst
Forster Odinet Winston
Frith Perkins Wright
Fruge Pierre
Gautreaux Pinac
Total—100 NAYS

Total—0 ABSENT

Barton Hill Mitchell
Doerge Marionneaux
Total—5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Travis moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1862—
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 46:924.1, relative to charity hospitals; to permit the refusal of nonemergency treatment or admission of certain individuals by any state-owned general hospital; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Copelin to Engrossed House Bill No. 1862 by Representative Rodney Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "hospitals;" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 and 4 and insert in lieu thereof "to provide for forfeiture of licenses of third party payors under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 7 through 18 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"§ 924.1. Third party payors; failure to reimburse state hospitals; forfeiture of licenses

"A. Third party payors licensed by this state who do not reimburse the state-owned hospitals within ninety days of a request for payment when individuals have valid health insurance policies shall forfeit their licenses."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 4

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

Rep. Rodney Alexander moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gautreaux  Alario  Alexander, A.—93rd  Alexander, R.—13th  Ansardi  Barton  Baudoin  Baylor  Bowler  Bruce  Brun  Brunau  Chaisson  Clarkson  Copelin  Crane  Curtis  Damico  Daniel  Deville  DeWitt  Diez  Dimos  Doerge  Donelon  Dupre  Durand  Farve  Faucheux  Flavin  Fontenot  Forster  Frith  Fruge

Total—102

NAYS

Hunter

Total—1

ABSENT

Carter  Mitchell

Total—2

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Rodney Alexander 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. 1806—
BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To enact Part XI-A of Chapter 11 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2197, relative to rural health clinics; to authorize the Department of Health and Hospitals to license rural health clinics; to prohibit operation of a rural health clinic without a license; to require the department to prescribe and publish minimum standards, rules, and regulations as necessary; to provide that licenses issued for rural health clinics are not transferrable or assignable between persons, rural health clinics, or both; to provide for the location of each rural health clinic; to require each location of a rural health clinic to be separately licensed; to provide for exemptions; to define rural health clinic and midlevel practitioner; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Rodney Alexander to Engrossed House Bill No. 1806 by Representative Rodney Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Copelin  Johns  Stelly

Cruise  Kennard  Strain

Curtis  Kenney  Theriot

Damico  Lancaster  Thomas

Daniel  Landrieu  Thompson

DeBlanc  LeBlanc  Thornhill

DeWitt  Long  Toomy

Diez  Maronneaux  Travis

Dimos  Martiny  Triche

Doerge  McCain  Vitter

Donelon  McCallum  Walsworth

Dupre  McDonald  Warner

Durand  McManis  Welch

Farve  Michot  Weston

Faucheux  Montgomery  Wiggins

Flavin  Morrell  Wilkerson

Fontenot  Morrish  Willard-Lewis

Forster  Murray  Windhorst

Frith  Odinet  Winston

Fruge  Perkins  Wright

Total—102

NAYS

Hunter

Total—1

ABSENT

Carter  Mitchell

Total—2

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Rodney Alexander 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.
On page 2, delete lines 3 through 5 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A. In order to receive certification by the Health Care Financing Administration and designated reimbursement for any rural health clinic service under Medicaid and/or Medicare, a rural health clinic, as defined herein, shall be licensed as such by the Department of Health and Hospitals. Designated Medicaid reimbursement for any service as a rural health clinic in the state, which is not licensed as such, is prohibited.

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 22, after "of a" and before "rural" insert "licensed"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, line 11, after "clinic" and before "which" insert "seeking or possessing certification by the Health Care Financing Administration as a rural health clinic"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 3, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"F. Nothing in this Part shall restrict the ability of any private physician to receive reimbursement under Medicaid and/or Medicare for services provided other than rural health clinic services.

On motion of Rep. Rodney Alexander, the amendments were adopted.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representatives Doerge and Barton to Engrossed House Bill No. 1806 by Representatives Rodney Alexander and DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, change "D." to "D. (1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"(2) The following rural health clinics whose applications are pending shall be exempt from the provisions of this Section:

(a) Doyline,
(b) Lake Providence,
(c) Cheneyville,
(d) Franklin,
(e) Ringgold,
(f) Napoleonville,

(g) Edgard."

Rep. Doerge moved the adoption of the amendments.

By a vote of 53 yeas and 47 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker Gautreaux Pierre
Alario Glover Pinac
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Powell
Alexander, R.—13th Guillory Pratt
Ansardi Hammett Quezaire
Barton Heaton Riddle
Baudoin Hebert Roussele
Baylor Hill Salter
Bowler Holden Scalice
Bruce Hopkins Schneider
Brun Hunter Shaw
Bruneau Iles Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter Jenkins Smith, J.R.—30th
Chaisson Johns Thornhill
Clarkson Kennard Toomy
Copelin Kenney Travis
Curtis Lancaster
Damico Landrieu
Daniel LeBlanc
Deville Long
DeWitt Marionneaux
Diez Martiny
Dimos McCain
Doerge McCallum
Donelon McDonald
Dupre McMain
Durand Michot
Farve Mitchell
Fauchex Montgomery
Flavin Morrell
Fontenot Morrisey
Forster Murray
Frith Odinet
Fruge Perkins

Total—103

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Jetson Romero

Total—2

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Rodney Alexander 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. Shaw, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect him as voting yea.
HOUSE BILL NO. 512—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 4:165.1, relative to horse racing; to provide relative to Louisiana bred races; to provide for purses and purse supplements; to provide for bred awards; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. DeWitt moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Gautreaux  Perkins
Alario  Glover  Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd  Green  Pinac
Alexander, R.—13th  Guillory  Powell
Ansardi  Hammet  Pratt
Barton  Heaton  Quezaire
Baudoin  Hebert  Riddle
Baylor  Hill  Romero
Bowler  Holden  Salter
Bruce  Hudson  Scalise
Bruneau  Hunter  Schneider
Carter  Iles  Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson  Jenkins  Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson  Johns  Stelly
Copelin  Kennard  Strain
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Curtis  Lancaster  Thomas
Damico  Landrieu  Thompson
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Deville  Long  Travis
DeWitt  Marionneaux  Triche
Diez  Martiny  Vitter
Doerge  McCain  Walsworth
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Farve  Michot  Wilkerson
Faucheux  Mitchell  Willard-Lewis
Flavin  Montgomery  Windhorst
Fontenot  Morrell  Winston
Forster  Morish  Wright
Frith  Murray  
Fruge  Odinet  
Total—97
NAYS
Total—0
ABSENT
Brun  Jetson  Thornhill
Dimos  Rousselle  Wiggins
Hopkins  Shaw  
Total—8

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2133—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 44:3(A)(3), relative to criminal intelligence information; to provide for nondisclosure of certain information; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

Rep. Murray moved that the bill be returned to the calendar subject to call.


By a vote of 62 yeas and 37 nays, the House returned the bill to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2374—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 46:450.4, relative to providers of nonemergency, nonambulance transportation services for Medicaid recipients; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to withhold Medicaid reimbursement for a provider of nonemergency, nonambulance transportation services for Medicaid recipients under certain circumstances; to provide for notification of the provider; to provide for fines; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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  Glover  Pinac
Alario  Green  Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd  Guillory  Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th  Hammet  Quezaire
Ansardi  Heaton  Riddle
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Daniel  LeBlanc  Toomy
Deville  Long  Travis
DeWitt  Marionneaux  Travis

Total—105
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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. 2066—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:259(EE) and R.S. 37:1102, 1103, 1104(A), (B), and (C), 1105(D), (E), and (F), 1107(A)(6) and (D), 1109, 1110(A)(introductory paragraph), (3), and (4) and (E), 1111, 1113(3), (4), (5), and (6), and 1114, to enact R.S. 37:1105(G), and to repeal R.S. 37:1107(E), relative to mental health professionals; to provide for definitions; to change the name of and references to a licensed professional counselor to a licensed mental health counselor; to provide for its membership, terms, and powers and duties; to provide certain continuing education requirements for license renewal; to provide for reciprocity; to provide penalties for violation; to provide exceptions to privileged communication; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**
Rep. Rodney Alexander moved that the bill be called from the calendar.

Rep. Forster objected.

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

**ROLL CALL**

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The House refused to call the bill from the calendar.

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 102—**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:477(14), 587, and 621.14, relative to district judges; to provide for election sections and assignment of judges for the Fourteenth Judicial District; to assign certain matters in the district to one division of the court; to provide for an additional judgeship for the Fourteenth Judicial District Court; to provide for compensation of the additional judge; to provide for the election and terms of office and those of the successors in office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

Rep. Stelly moved that the bill be called from the calendar.


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

**ROLL CALL**

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The House called the bill from the calendar.
Rep. Stelly 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, not having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, failed to pass.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1836—

BY REPRESENTATIVE VITTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(1) and (2)(a), relative to parole and intensive incarceration; to increase amount of sentence which must be served prior to being eligible for parole; to provide for certain types of offenders who are eligible for intensive incarceration and intensive parole supervision programs; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Vitter to Engrossed House Bill No. 1836 by Representative Vitter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 15:574.4(A)(2)(a), relative to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after the semicolon ; delete the remainder of the line, and at the beginning of line 4, delete "served prior to being eligible for parole;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 15:574.4(A)(2)(a) is hereby amended and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 16 after "A." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 17 and insert the following:

** * *

AMENDMENT NO. 5

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

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

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

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. Vitter 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. 1462—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JETSON AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To enact Part L of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.111 through 1300.113, relative to health care and morbidity reporting; to recognize the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of public health, as a state health care data clearinghouse; to provide for the collection and dissemination of health care data by the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of public health; to require state agencies to provide information to the office of public health; to require licensed health care providers to provide information; to provide for confidentiality of reported data; to provide penalties for violations regarding confidentiality of information; to provide penalties for failure to provide such information; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Jetson moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Forster  Morrish
Alario  Frith  Murray
Alexander, A.—93rd  Fruge  Odet
Alexander, R.—13th  Gautreaux  Perkins
Ansardi  Glover  Powell
Barton  Green  Pratt
Baudoin  Hammett  Quezaire
Baylor  Heaton  Riddle
Bowler  Hebert  Romero
Bruce  Hill  Rousselle
Bruneau  Holden  Saller
Carter  Hudson  Scalise
Chaisson  Hunter  Schneider

Total—99

NAYS

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Crane  Johns  Stelly
Curtis  Kennard  Strain
Damico  Kenney  Theriot
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Durand  McDonald  Wiggins
Farve  McMains  Wilkerson
Faucheux  Michot  Windhorst
Flavin  Montgomery  Winston
Fontenot  Morrell  Wright

Total—93

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Brun  Hudson  Romero
Hopkins  Mitchell  Travis

Total—6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Jetson 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. 1673—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:224(A)(2), (B)(2), and (F)(3)(introductory paragraph), and (H) and to repeal R.S. 22:224(F)(3)(c) and (d), relative to Medicare supplemental insurance; to provide for minimum standards; to provide for notice requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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. 1673 by Representative Donelon

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 13, following "U.S.C." and before "1395ss(g)(1)" delete "Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, delete lines 6, 7 and 8
On motion of Rep. Dimos, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Donelon to Engrossed House Bill No. 1673 by Representative Donelon

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, at the end of line 14, after "22:1215" insert a period "."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 3, delete lines 15 through 17 in their entirety

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

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

**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. Donelon 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. 1511**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DONELON, BRUCE, DUPRE, HEATON, KENNARD, ROMERO, AND WINDHORST

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:98(B)(introductory paragraph), (C)(introductory paragraph), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 14:98(K), relative to driving offenses involving alcoholic beverages; to provide for an increase in penalties for commission of the offense of driving while intoxicated; to provide for mandatory driver's license revocation and imprisonment; to prohibit the suspension of sentence relating to the term of imprisonment; to provide for the seizure and sale of the motor vehicle; to provide for the distribution of the proceeds from the sale; to provide for rules and regulations to institute an administrative hearing process; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Perkins to Engrossed House Bill No. 1511 by Representative Donelon

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "R.S." change "14:98(K)," to "14:98(K) and (L),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 7, after "imprisonment;" and before "to prohibit" insert "to provide for use of an ignition interlock device as an alternative to revocation;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, at the beginning of line 15, delete "is" and insert "and (L) are"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 5, at the end of line 26, insert the following:

"L. Any offender convicted of a violation of this Section, who as part of the sentence imposed is subject to the revocation of his driver's license, shall be eligible for a restricted driver's license, provided that he complies with the provisions of R.S. 32:378.2(A)(2)(a)(1).

On motion of Rep. Perkins, the amendments were adopted.
Rep. Copelin moved that the bill, as amended, be returned to the calendar subject to call.


By a vote of 25 yeas and 72 nays, the House refused to return the bill, as amended, to the calendar.

**Motion**

Rep. McMains moved the previous question be ordered on the entire subject matter.

As a substitute motion, Rep. Green moved to return the bill to the calendar.

The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

By a vote of 24 yeas and 75 nays, the House refused to return the bill to the calendar.

Rep. McMains insisted on his motion that the previous question be ordered on the entire subject matter.

By a vote of 50 yeas and 16 nays, the previous question on the entire subject matter was ordered.

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

**ROLL CALL**

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Remainder of the roll call follows:

- The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.
- The title of the above bill was read and adopted.
- Rep. Donelon 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. 879**

*BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD AND DIMOS*

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:462(B)(3)(a) and (6) and 463(A)(1) and (3), relative to annual registration license schedule; to change the registration schedule for trucks, pickup trucks, private use trucks, and private passenger vans; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1124**

*BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS*

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 7 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 27:401 through 403, relative to gaming; to provide with respect to the advertising of gaming and gambling activities; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Wiggins to Engrossed House Bill No. 1124 by Representative Wiggins

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 4, after "advertising of" insert "certain"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, at the beginning of line 13, delete "The" and insert in lieu thereof "Except as otherwise provided in this Section, the"
On page 1, line 16, after "gaming," insert "and" and after "lottery" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning line 17, add "The provisions of this Chapter shall not apply to"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 18, delete "imprisoned for not more than six months or"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 19, after "dollars" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete "or both."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

In Floor Amendment Number 3 proposed by Representative Pierre and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 6, 1997, on line 11, after "establishments," delete the remainder of the line, and delete lines 12, 13, 14, and 15, and insert in lieu thereof "and the State Lottery, which advertise their gaming and gambling activities."

Rep. Wiggins moved the adoption of the amendments.


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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Hammett Quezaire
Alario Hill Riddle
Alexander, R.—13th Holden Rousselle
Ansardi Hopkins Salter
Barton Iles Scalise
Baudoin Jenkins Schneider
Bruce Jetson Shaw
Chaisson Johns Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson Kennard Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane Kenney Stelly
Curtis Lancaster Theriot
Damico Landrieu Thomas
Daniel LeBlanc Thompson
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Diez McCain Travis
Dimos McCallum Vitter
Doerge McDonald Walsworth
Durand McMains Warner
Farve Michot Welch
Faucheux Montgomery Weston
Flavin Morrell Wiggins
Fontenot Morrish Wilkerson
Frith Odinet Willard-Lewis
Fruge Perkins Winston
Gautreaux Pierre Wright
Glover Powell
Green Pratt
Total—82

NAYS

Bowler Heaton Murray

Total—12

ABSENT

Alexander, A.—93rd Donelon Mitchell
Baylor Duplentire Triche
Bruneau Hebert Pinac
Copelin Hunter Romero
Guillory Martiny Strain
Total—11

The amendments were adopted.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representatives Jenkins and Perkins to Engrossed House Bill No. 1124 by Representative Wiggins

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, change "403," to "404,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "to" and before "the" insert "the discontinuation of the authority to operate video draw poker devices and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, change "403," to "404,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 10, after "CHAPTER 7," and before "GAMING" delete "ADVERTISING OF" and insert "MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS REGARDING"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 12, after "§401," delete "Applicability" and insert the following:

"Video Draw Poker Device Operation Phase Out

A. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the Gaming Control Board shall not issue any new license for the operation of video draw poker devices as authorized by Chapter 6 of this Title for applications filed after June 30, 1997 in any parish permitting the operation of video draw poker devices in the election provided for in R.S. 18:1300.21.

B. The Gaming Control Board shall not permit the renewal or reissuance of any license for the operation of video draw poker devices in any parish after June 30, 1999.

C. The authorization for the operation of video draw poker devices shall cease July 1, 1999.

D. Any provisions of law in conflict with the provisions of this Section shall be considered null, void and without effect."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:
"§402. Applicability"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, line 13, after "this" and before "shall" delete "Chapter" and insert "this Section and Sections 403 and 404".

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 1, change "§402." to "§403."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 16, change "§403." to "§404."

Point of Order

Rep. Martiny 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.

Appeal of the Ruling of the Chair

Rep. Jenkins appealed the ruling of the Chair.

The vote recurred on sustaining the ruling of the Chair.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Forster Total—87 Murray Wright
Brun NAYS Thompson
Crane Thompson
Diez Walthour
Fontenot Vitter
Jenkins Walthour
Jetson
Total—16

ABSENT

Mitchell Weston

The Chair was sustained.

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

Motion

Rep. Murray moved to table the entire subject matter.

By a vote of 52 yeas and 49 nays, the House agreed to table the entire subject matter.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2451—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI, PIERRE, AND DANIEL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.35, to create an educational facilities improvement district in each school district; to provide for the purposes and governance of such districts; to provide for the rights and powers of any such district including the authority, subject to voter approval, to levy a sales and use tax and to issue bonds; to provide relative to agreements between educational facilities improvement districts and school districts; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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. 2451 by Representative Ansardi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, line 20, following "the" and before "at" change "sale" to "seal"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Daniel to Engrossed House Bill No. 2451 by Representative Ansardi

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "district in each school district" and insert in lieu thereof "district in certain school districts".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, delete line 5 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B. There is hereby created in the school districts in Tangipahoa, Livingston, East Baton Rouge, Webster, Jefferson, Lafayette, Sabine, DeSoto, Red River, and Bienville Parishes a political"

Rep. Daniel moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 97 yeas and 2 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Thompson to Engrossed House Bill No. 2451 by Representative Ansardi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "district in each school district" and insert in lieu thereof "district in certain school districts".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, delete line 5 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B. There is hereby created in the school districts in Tangipahoa, Livingston, East Baton Rouge, Webster, Jefferson, Lafayette, Sabine, DeSoto, Red River, and Bienville Parishes and the city of Monroe a political"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gautreaux
Alario Glover
Alexander, A.—93rd Green
Alexander, R.—13th Guillory
Ansardi Hammett
Barton Heaton
Baudoin Hebert
Baylor Hill
Bowler Holden
Bruce HUDSON
Bruene Hunter
Carter Iles
Chaisson Jetson
Clarkson Johns
Copelin Kennard
Crane Kenney
Curtis Lancaster
Damico Landrieu
Daniel LeBlanc
Deville Long
DeWitt Marmonneaux
Diez Martiny
Dimos McCain
Doerge McCallum
Donelon McDonald
Dupre McMains
Durand Michot
Farve Mitchell
Faucheux Montgomery
Flavin Morrell
Fontenot Morrish
Forster Murray
Frith Odinet
Fruge Perkins
Fruge

Total—102

NAYS

Jenkins
Total—1

ABSENT

Brun

Total—2

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Thompson 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. 857—

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 25(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to the sale of property for unpaid taxes in certain municipalities; to authorize sales with no minimum bid under certain conditions; to provide relative to proceeds of such sales and remaining liabilities on the property; 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. Murray moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Hammett
Alario Heaton
Alexander, A.—93rd Hebert
Alexander, R.—13th Hill
Ansardi Holden
Barton Hopkins
Baudoin Hudson
Baylor Hunter
Bruce Iles
Carter Johns
Copelin Kennard
Crane Kenney
Curtis Lancaster
Damico Landrieu
Daniel LeBlanc
Deville Long
DeWitt Marmonneaux
Diez Martiny
Dimos McCain
Doerge McCallum
Donelon McDonald
Dupre McMains
Durand Michot
Farve Mitchell
Faucheux Montgomery
Flavin Morrell
Fontenot Morrish
Forster Murray
Frith Odinet
Fruge Perkins
Fruge

Total—102

NAYS

Jenkins
Total—1

ABSENT

Brun Hopkins

Total—2
Clarkson  Kenney  Stelly  
Curtis  Lancaster  Strain  
Damico  Landrieu  Theriot  
Daniel  LeBlanc  Thomas  
Deville  Long  Thompson  
DeWitt  Marionneau  Thornhill  
Dimico  Martiny  Toomy  
Doerge  McCallum  Travis  
Dupre  McDonald  Triche  
Farve  McMains  Walsworth  
Faucheux  Michot  Warner  
Flavin  Mitchell  Welch  
Frith  Montgomery  Weston  
Fruge  Morrell  Wiggins  
Gautreaux  Morrish  Wilkerson  
Glover  Murray  Willard-Lewis  
Green  Odinet  Winston  
Guillory  Pierre  Wright  
Total—87  

NAYS  
Bowler  Donelon  McCain  
Bruneau  Durand  Perkins  
Bruno  Fontenot  Schneider  
Copelin  Forster  Vitter  
Crane  Jenkins  Windhorst  
Dziez  Jetson  
Total—17  

ABSENT  

Sealsie  

Total—1  

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

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.  

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2495—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:55(A)(2) and (3)(a) and (C) and 59(B)(2) and (3)(a), (C)(2) and (3)(a), and (E), relative to the compensation of certain registrars of voters, chief deputy registrars, and confidential assistants; to provide for a salary increase for certain registrars of voters, chief deputy registrars, and confidential assistants; to provide for changes to the pay schedule for each; and to provide for related matters.  

Called from the calendar.  

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. 2495 by Representative Walsworth  

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, after line 18, insert the following:  
"Population  

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AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 2, delete line 10 and insert the following:  
"Range    | Step 5 | Step 6 | Step 7 | Step 8  | Step 9  | Step 10 |
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AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 2, delete line 18 and insert the following:  
"Range    | Step 9  | Step 10 | Step 11 | Step 12 |
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AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 3, delete lines 1 through 8 and insert the following:  
"Population  

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<td>$39,184</td>
<td>$40,094</td>
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AMENDMENT NO. 5  
On page 4, after line 11, insert the following:  
"Population  

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AMENDMENT NO. 6  
On page 4, delete line 21 and insert the following:  
"Range    | Step 5  | Step 6  | Step 7  | Step 8  | Step 9  | Step 10 |
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AMENDMENT NO. 7  
On page 5, delete line 3 and insert the following:  
"Range    | Step 9  | Step 10 |
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</tbody>
</table>
200,001 to 1,000,000 $41,667 $42,917'

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, after line 10, insert the following:

"Population

Range Step 1 Step 2 Step 3 Step 4 Step 5
0 to 20,000 $10,961 $11,290 $11,629 $11,978
20,001 to 40,000 $12,064 $12,426 $12,799 $13,183
40,001 to 60,000 $13,291 $13,690 $14,101 $14,524
60,001 to 100,000 $14,622 $15,061 $15,513 $15,978
100,001 to 200,000 $17,721 $18,253 $18,801 $19,365
200,001 to 1,000,000 $19,510 $20,096 $20,699 $21,320"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 6, delete line 20 and insert the following:

"Range

Step 5 Step 6 Step 7 Step 8"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 7, delete line 2 and insert the following:

"Range

Step 9 Step 10 Step 11 Step 12"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 7, delete lines 9 through 16 and insert the following:

"Population

Range

Step 11 Step 12
0 to 20,000 $17,720 $18,253
20,001 to 40,000 $18,950 $19,519
40,001 to 60,000 $20,848 $21,473
60,001 to 100,000 $25,267 $26,025
100,001 to 200,000 $27,817 $28,652"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 8, line 11, after "step" and before "of" change "five" to "three"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Clarkson          Kennard          Strain
Copelina         Kenney           Theriot
Crane            Lancaster        Thomas
Curtis           Landrieu         Thomhill
Damico           LeBlanc          Toomy
Daniel           Long             Travis
Deville          Marionneaux      Tuche
DeWitt           Martiny          Vi
Diez             McCallum         Walsworth
Doerge           McMains          Warner
Donelos          Michot           Welch
Dubre            Mitchell         Weston
Durand           Montgomery       Wiggins
Fave             Morrell          Willard-Lewis
Fauchose         Morrish          Windhorst
Flavin           Murray           Winston
Forster          Odiens           Wright
Frisht           Pinac

Total—92

NAYS

Dimos            Jenkins          McDonald
Holden           Jetson
Iles             McCain

Total—7

ABSENT

Bruce            Perkins          Thompson
Fontenot         Pierre           Wilkerson

Total—6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Walsworth 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. 2066—

BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:259(EE) and R.S. 37:1102, 1103, 1104(A), (B), and (C), 1105(D), (E), and (F), 1107(A)(6) and

(D), 1109, 1110(A)(introductory paragraph), (3), and (4) and

(E), 1111, 1113(3), (4), (5), and (6), and 1114, to enact R.S.

37:1105(G), and to repeal R.S. 37:1107(E), relative to mental

health professionals; to provide for definitions; to change title

and references to a licensed professional counselor to a

licensed mental health counselor; to change the name of the

Louisiana Licensed Professional Counselors Board of

Examiners and to provide for its membership, terms, and powers

and duties; to provide certain continuing education requirements

for license renewal; to provide for reciprocity; to provide penalties for violation; to provide exceptions to privileged

communication; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Rodney Alexander, the bill was withdrawn from the files of the House.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1975—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2175(E)(1), relative to the Sheriffs’ Pension and Relief Fund; to provide with respect to reemployment after retirement; to provide income limits during reemployment on a part-time basis; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total—100

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Daniel            Hopkins       Perkins
Dupre              Hudson

Total—5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1006—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 36:409(O) and Chapter 59 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:3621 through 3642, relative to bail enforcement; to create the Louisiana State Board of Bail Enforcement Agents; to provide for a purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for regulation and licensure of bail enforcement agents; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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. 1006 by Representative Wilkerson

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 15, line 12, following "individual" and before "to" insert "who is not the holder of a valid license" and on line 13, following "Chapter" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 18, line 18, following "after" delete the remainder of the line and insert "August 15, 1997, no" and on line 23 after "Upon" change "said effective date" to "August 15, 1997"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 19, line 1, following "defined" and before ", shall" change "herein" to "in this Chapter"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker      Glover            Pinac
Alario           Green             Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd   Guillory      Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th  Hammett       Quezaire
Barton            Heaton         Riddle
Baudoin          Hebert          Romero
Baylor           Hill            Rousselle
Bruce             Holden         Salter
Bruneau          Hopkins       Scalise
Carter            Hudson         Schneider
Chaisson         Hunter         Shaw
Clarkson         Iles            Smith, J.D.—50th
Copelin         John           Stelly
Curtis            Kennard       Strain
Daniel            Kenney        Theriot

Total—100
Deville Landrieu Thompson DeWitt LeBlanc Thornhill Diez Long Travis
Dimos Marionneaux Triche Doerge McCallum Walsworth Dupre McDonald Warner
Durand McMains Welch Farve Michot Weston Faucheux Mitchell Wiggins
Flavin Morrell Wilkerson Fontenot Morish Willard-Lewis Frith Murray Winston
Fruge Odinet Wright Gautreaux Pierre
Total—86

NAYS
Bowler Jetson Smith, J.R.—30th Brun Lancaster Toomy
Donelon McCain Vitter Jenkins Montgomery Windhorst
Total—12

ABSENT
Ansardi Forster Thomas
Crane Martiny
Damico Perkins
Total—7

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Wilkerson 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.

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. Montgomery, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect him as voting nay.

HOUSE BILL NO. 137—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1643(A), relative to the procurement of space for the housing of state agencies; to provide for the acquisition of such space by public bid if the proposed lease is for two thousand five hundred square feet or more; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Copelin moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Alario Heaton Romero
Alexander, A.—93rd Holden Salter
Baylor Hopkins Shaw
Bowler Hunter Smith, J.R.—30th
Brun Jenkins Stelly
Bruneau Jetson Thompson
Clarkson Long Thornhill
Copelin Mitchell Travis
Curtis Montgomery Vitter
Doerge Morrell Warner
Farve Murray Welch
Faucheux Odinet Weston
Frith Perkins Wilkerson
Glover Pierre Willard-Lewis
Green Pratt Windhorst
Guillory Quezaire Wright
Total—48

NAYS
Mr. Speaker Fruge McMains
Alexander, R.—13th Gautreaux Michot
Ansardi Hammett Morrish
Baudoin Hebert Powell
Bruce Hill Riddle
Carter Iles Scalise
Chaisson Johns Schneider
Craige Kennard Strain
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Daniel Lancaster Thomas
Diez Landrieu Toomy
Dimos LeBlanc Triche
Dupre Marionneaux Walsworth
Durand Martiny Wiggins
Flavin McCain Winston
Fontenot McCallum
Forster McDonald
Total—49

ABSENT
Barton Donelon Rousselle
Deville Hudson Smith, J.D.—50th
DeWitt Pinac
Total—8

The Chair declared the above bill failed to pass.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2303—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COPELIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 24:204(A)(1), (2), (5), (6), and (8), relative to the purposes and duties of the Louisiana State Law Institute; to authorize the institute to recommend or propose certain changes in law only pursuant to specific request or direction of the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.
Rep. Thompson 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. Thompson 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.

**Consent Calendar**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1180**—

*BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY*

*AN ACT*

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2178(I)(2) and (M)(7), (8), and (9) and to repeal R.S. 11:2178(M)(13) and (14), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide with respect to the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for interest payable on deposits in the plan after termination of employment; to remove the penalty for reemployment after withdrawal of funds from the plan; to repeal certain distribution and assignability options in the plan; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Montgomery moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1403—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT AND SENATOR SMITH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(g) and (h), relative to court reporters; to provide for fees in civil and criminal cases in the Twenty-eighth and Thirty-fifth Judicial District Courts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Wright moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Glover Pinac
Alario Green Powell
Alexander, A.—93rd Guillory Pratt
Alexander, R.—13th Hammett Quezaire
Ansardi Heaton Riddle
Barton Hebert Romero
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Frath Odinet Winston
Fruge Perkins Wright
Gautreaux Pierre
Total—101

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

DeWitt Jetson
Flavin Johns
Total—4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

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On page 4, line 11, after "in the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "following described"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 26, after "Affiant" insert "/Judgment creditor"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, line 9, after "than" and before "dollar" change "fifteen" to "twenty-five" and at the end of the line, delete "each"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, at the beginning of line 10, delete "affidavit" and insert "the affidavit or affidavits filed by a single affiant and those judgment creditors designated by the affiant and"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 171 by Senator Cox

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete House Floor Amendment Nos. 3, 5, and 6 proposed by Representative Stelly and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 10, 1997.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, between lines 14 and 15 insert the following:

"I HEREBY FURTHER AFFIRM AND ATTEST, that on the _____ day of _____________, ________, I mailed a copy of the affidavit to each judgment creditor listed in the affidavit at his last known address by registered mail and hereby submit proof of said certified mailing.

I HEREBY FURTHER AFFIRM AND ATTEST, that the Judgment Creditor has failed to comply with R.S. 9:5501 and I hereby execute this affidavit of identity to establish that I am not the same person identified as the debtor in the said recorded judgments, liens, privileges, mortgages or other such documents itemized above.

Thus done, read and signed at ____________________, State of Louisiana, this _______ day of __________, ________.

WITNESSES:

________________________________________

Affiant

________________________________________

Notary Public"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 24, delete "199"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 26, change "Affiant" to "Judgment Creditor"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker Gautreaux Perkins
Alario Glover Pierre
Alexander, A.—93rd Green Powell
Alexander, R.—13th Guillory Pratt
Ansardi Hammett Quezaire
Barton Heaton Riddle
Baudoin Hebert Romero
Bayard Hill Rousselle
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Flavin Montgomery Willard-Lewis
Fontenot Morrell Windhorst
Forster Morrish Winston
Frith Murray Wright
Frugue Odinet

Total—104

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Pinac

Total—1

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

Rep. Stelly 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.
SENATE BILL NO. 400—
BY SENATOR COX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1225(C)(1)(c), relative to workers’ compensation; to provide with respect to disability benefits; to remove the offset for Social Security disability benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Murray to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 400 by Senator Cox

AMENDMENT NO. 1
Delete Amendment Nos. 1, 2, and 3 proposed by the House Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 28, 1997.

Rep. Murray moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 44 yeas and 57 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Martiny to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 400 by Senator Cox

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 13, delete “private” and insert in lieu thereof “any retirement or”

On motion of Rep. Martiny, the amendment was withdrawn.

Rep. Murray moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alario Faucheux Odinet
Alexander, R.—13th Heaton Sailer
Ansardi Hebert Schneider
Barton Hopkins Shaw
Bowler Jenkins Smith, J.D.—50th
Brun Johns Stelly
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Forster Morrish Winston
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Total—57

NAYS

Mr. Speaker Gautreaux Powell
Alexander, R.—13th Heaton Sailer
Ansardi Hebert Schneider
Barton Hopkins Shaw
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Total—57

ABSENT

Baylor Hudson Pinac
Dimos Hunter Romero
Frith Jetson Scallise
Hill Mitchell Welch

Total—12

The Chair declared the above bill failed to pass.

Rep. Forster 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. 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

HOUSE BILLS

June 10, 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. 228
Returned without amendments.

House Bill No. 404
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 472
Returned without amendments.
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MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 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 Nos. 101, 128, 137, 139, 141, and 142

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
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
June 10, 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. 123 and 131

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

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS
June 10, 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. 628, 1140, and 1311

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Vitter, 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. 628—
BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE, EWING AND LAMBERT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 30:2089, relative to fees for the office of water
resources within the Department of Environmental Quality; to
provide for an increase in fees charged by the office of water
resources; to provide for limitations on the amount of fee
increases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 1140—
BY SENATOR DEAN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 43:311(A)(2), relative to printed matter
prohibitions and uniform standards; to provide a set paper size
for the printing of certain printed matter by state agencies; and
to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 1311—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:323, relative to the sales tax on hotel occupancy; to
dedicate the avails of the tax to the Louisiana Tourism
Development and Public Protection Fund; 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 RESOLUTION NO. 84—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Reverend Isaiah A. Holmes, Sr. on
many years of dedication to God and to the various communities
he has served in his more than thirty years as a Baptist minister.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Downer, and under a suspension of the rules,
the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 229—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JETSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana to t he
family of Dr. Lincoln J. Harrison.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Jetson, and under a suspension of the rules,
the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 230—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Dr. Charles C. Teamer and Mrs. Mary D. Teamer, upon
the occasion of their retirement, for their splendid and effective
service to Dillard University and to recognize and record their
myriad accomplishments and significant contributions to the city
of New Orleans and the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Pratt, and under a suspension of the rules, the
resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 231—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Linda P. Talbert for her efforts as
Pageant Coordinator for the Miss USA Pageant held in
Shreveport on February 5, 1997.

Read by title.
On motion of Rep. Montgomery, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 232—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to take such steps as are necessary to insure that the purchasing practices of that department, and particularly the purchase of cattle by Prison Enterprises, comply with the provisions of law which establish preferences for Louisiana products.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 233—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the office of state parks to study the feasibility of converting a portion of Longfellow Evangeline State Commemorative Area in St. Martinville into an RV park to provide for overnight camping for recreational vehicles and to report its findings to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 234—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY, ANSARDI, BOWLER, DONELON, LANCASTER, AND SCALISE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend the Rummel Raiders baseball team, its coaches, and support personnel for a great season and for winning the state Class 5A baseball championship.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Martiny, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 235—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROUSSELLE AND SENATOR IRONS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the Orleans Levee Board to return land taken for the Bohemia Spillway to those persons certified by the Department of Natural Resources as rightful heirs.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

Reports of Committees
The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs
June 10, 1997
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:
To urge and request the office of state parks to study the feasibility of making Fort Jackson in Plaquemines Parish and Fort DeRussy in Avoyelles Parish state commemorative areas and to report its findings to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 81—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLT
A RESOLUTION
To remember the life of Winford Roan, Jr. and to express condolences upon his sudden and untimely death.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 82—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Craig P. Roussel for being selected as the 1997 recipient of the Excellence in Economic Development Award and for his outstanding service to the state of Louisiana.

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.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
June 10, 1997

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

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

The following House Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE AND THORNHILL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to study and make recommendations with respect to the establishment of levee districts and levee and drainage districts and the merging of the districts with a state agency.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROUSSELLE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the office of state parks to study the feasibility of making Fort Jackson in Plaquemines Parish and Fort DeRussy in Avoyelles Parish state commemorative areas and to report its findings to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and direct all state and statewide public retirement systems to furnish the office of the legislative actuary with an annual report of all investments in derivative products held in the systems portfolio during the pertinent reporting periods.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER AND SENATOR ELLINGTON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create and provide with respect to a task force to submit recommendations for the governance structure of postsecondary technical training and adult education including but not limited to proprietary schools, technical colleges, community colleges, junior colleges, and literacy or adult education programs.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to erect signs on Blackwater Road in East Baton Rouge Parish to indicate the location of the Blackwater Methodist Church.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, DEWITT, DUPRE, GAUTREAUX, JOHNS, RIDDLE, JACK SMITH, THORNHILL, AND VITTER AND SENATORS DYESS, ROBICHAUX, AND SCHIEDER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals to implement a Medicaid Region III managed care pilot program, a Medicaid voucher program, a Medicaid center of excellence program, and a modified community care program.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to install a traffic light at the intersection of Louisiana Highway 31 and Governor Mouton Street in St. Martinville, Louisiana and at the intersection of Louisiana Highway 1 and St. Anne Street in Raceland, Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study the benefits and feasibility of pursuing year-round education and summer enrichment programs in the elementary and secondary schools in this state and to report its findings and recommendations to the House and Senate Committees on Education prior to the beginning of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, ALARIO, A. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BARTON, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BRUCE, BRUN, BRUNEAU, CARTER, COPELIN, CURTIS, DAMICO, DIEZ, DOERGE, DUPRE, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, GAUTREAUX, GLOVER, HEATON, HEBERT, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNT, ILES, JOHNS, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, MCCAIN, MCDONALD, MICHOT, MONTGOMERY, MURRAY, ODINET, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, RIDDLE, ROMERO, ROUSSELLE, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SHAW,
To create and provide with respect to the Ancient Mounds Heritage Area and Trails Advisory Commission to study, make recommendations, and advise with regard to the development of the ancient mounds heritage area and trails as a cultural, recreational, and educational attraction, to help preserve Louisiana's prehistoric patrimony, and to better understand the state's heritage in order to enhance the development of tourism in the state.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 147—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study the feasibility of having elementary and secondary schools in the state share their library facilities and resources and their athletic facilities with the public and to report its findings and recommendations to the House and Senate Committees on Education prior to the beginning of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs to make available to children in the state a toll-free twenty-four-hour-a-day telephone number through which children can report any case of abuse of which they are aware and to publicize such number in a manner that will ensure that children of the state are aware of it and will be inclined to use it, including but not limited to postings relative to the telephone number in schools throughout the state.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD-LEWIS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the United States Congress condemn the practice of hazing cadets at military academies, where the practice of hazing has taken place until such time as there is a more open environment for all cadets, and examine the issue and investigate specific incidents of hazing.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 118—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs to make available to elderly residents of the state a toll-free twenty-four-hour-a-day telephone number through which elderly persons can report any case of abuse of which they are aware and to publicize such number in a manner that will ensure that elderly residents of the state are aware of it and will be inclined to use it, including but not limited to postings relative to the telephone number in locations frequented by the elderly such as senior citizens centers, nursing homes, adult day care centers, grocery stores, and drug stores throughout the state.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 124—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST AND CLARKSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the initial paragraph of LAC 70:1.503 of the rules of the Department of Transportation and Development to redesignate the transit lanes of the Crescent City Connection Bridge in New Orleans.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 148—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to amend federal bankruptcy laws to make it less attractive and more difficult to seek protection under the bankruptcy laws and to make debtors more accountable.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 153—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX AND SENATORS BEAN, LANDRY, LENTINE, AND SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to submit to the House and Senate Committees on Transportation, Highways and Public Works a full report on the present conditions of the state's railroad crossings including recommendations based on certain reports on how to improve safety at these crossings.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 157—
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House Committee on Health and Welfare, the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, the House Committee on Appropriations, and the Senate Committee on Finance to investigate problems facing rural hospitals and to propose recommendations for solutions to such problems; to provide that such committees receive testimony and recommendations from representatives of the Louisiana Rural Hospital Coalition; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 160—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROUSSELE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to require the Health Care Financing Administration to enforce existing regulations prohibiting the improper downstreaming of hospital self-referrals from physicians they compensate and to instruct the Health Care Financing Administration to reinstate the two "Hoyer letters" stating that hospitals referring to their own home health agencies are in violation of federal regulations on self-referral.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 165—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize U.S. Congress to standardize administration and regulation of federal laws on the taking of migratory game birds.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 202—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to make the determination that the preferable route for the construction of Interstate 69 between Memphis, Tennessee, and Houston, Texas, is the shortest and most direct route between the two cities.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 214—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND, WILKERSON, BAUDOIN, BOWLER, BRUCE, CLARKSON, WELCH, FARVE, ILES, MCCAIN, PRATT, WESTON, WILARD-LEWIS, AND WINSTON AND SENATORS BAOJOE AND IRRINS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mrs. Doris Lindsey Holland Rhodes, the first woman to serve in the Legislature of Louisiana, and to recognize and record her distinguished career and her contributions to the state of Louisiana.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 218—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the heartiest congratulations of the Louisiana Legislature upon the death of Mr. Nolan E. Simmons and to pay tribute to his many contributions to this state and its citizens.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 220—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON AND SENATOR JOHNSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To remember the lifetime contributions of Melvin James DeGrange and to express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana to his family upon his death.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 223—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Andrea V. Martin of Winnfield for recognition and commendation as the Louisiana State Principal of the Year for public elementary schools and to recognize her dedication to the field of education.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 224—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY, ALARIO, A. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BARTON, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BRUCE, BRUN, BRUNEAU, CARTER, CHAISON, CLARKSON, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DEWITT, DIEZ, DIMOS, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FONTENOT, FORSTER, FRITI, FRUGE, GAUTREAUX, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, IES, JENKINS, JETSON, JOHNS, KENNARD, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, McCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MITCHELL, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRIS, MURRAY, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZARE, RIDDLE, ROMERO, ROUSSELLE, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SHAW, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STELY, STRAIN, TIEROT, THOMAS, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRAVIS, TRICHE, VITTER, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WILLARD-LEWIS, WINDHORST, WINSTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS BAGNERIS, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BEAN, BRANCH, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CASANOVA, COX, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DYESS, ELLINGTON, EWING, FIELDS, GREENE, GUIDRY, HAINNEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, IRONS, JOHNSTON, JONES, JORDAN, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LENTINI, MALONE, ROBICHAUX, ROMERO, SCHEIDER, SHORT, SIRACUSA, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, AND ULLO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend the LSU Baseball Fighting Tigers and Coach Skip Bertman for a terrific season and winning LSU’s second consecutive and fourth overall national collegiate baseball championship in the 1997 College World Series.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 225—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LONG AND R. ALEXANDER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Andrea V. Martin of Winnfield Kindergarten School in Winn Parish upon her selection as 1997 Louisiana State Principal of the Year for public elementary schools and to recognize her dedication to the field of education and the children of the state.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 226—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LONG AND SENATOR SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the heartiest congratulations of the Louisiana Legislature to Atlanta High School basketball coach Thomas Collins on being named Coach of the Year, to commend him for his coaching accomplishments which have earned him this honor, and to recognize him for his leadership and motivation of fine student athletes, and on an impressive season during which the Atlanta High School basketball team captured their third consecutive Class C state high school basketball championship.

The above House Concurrent Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk of the House and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
June 10, 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 Bills have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ROUSSELLE, A. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, CLARKSON, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DONELON, DOWLER, DURAND, FORSTER, FRITI, HAMMETT, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, IES, JENKINS, JETSON, JOHNS, KENNARD, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, McCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MITCHELL, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRIS, MURRAY, ODINET, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZARE, RIDDLE, ROMERO, ROUSSELLE, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SHAW, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STELY, STRAIN, TIEROT, THOMAS, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRAVIS, TRICHE, VITTER, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WILLARD-LEWIS, WINDHORST, WINSTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS BAGNERIS, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BEAN, BRANCH, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CASANOVA, COX, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DYESS, ELLINGTON, EWING, FIELDS, GREENE, GUIDRY, HAINNEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, IRONS, JOHNSTON, JONES, JORDAN, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LENTINI, MALONE, ROBICHAUX, ROMERO, SCHEIDER, SHORT, SIRACUSA, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, AND ULLO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 48:223(B) and to enact R.S. 48:223(F), relative to drainage for state highways; to authorize the Department of Transportation and Development to issue permits for construction of drainage projects in state highway rights-of-way; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 25—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HEATON, CLARKSON, AND WILLARD-LEWIS
AN ACT
To name the Carrollton Avenue interchange located in the city of New Orleans in memory of former State Representative Toni Morrison and designate it the “Toni Morrison Interchange”; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 58—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:104.1(A), relative to permits and licenses authorized by the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; to provide relative to physically challenged hunter permits; to provide procedures and conditions for issuance; to provide relative to issuance of permits for individuals who are temporarily or permanently disabled; to provide relative to certification by licensed physicians; to remove requirements that a physician be commission-approved; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 65—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4564.4, relative to Elizabeth Recreational District No. 3; to provide for an increase in the per diem to be paid to members of the board of commissioners of the district; to
provide that per diem be paid out of district funds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 206—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUCE, CURTIS, HUDSON, AND FRITH AND SENATORS BEAN, DYESS, LANDRY, LENTINI, AND SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:284(C), relative to riding in the bed of a pickup truck or utility trailer; to increase the age under which persons are prohibited from riding in the open bed of a pickup truck or a utility trailer; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 211—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCALISE AND ANSARDI
AN ACT
To authorize the Jefferson Parish Council to rename the "ShrewCoCenter", located in Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, as the "Hazel Rhea Hurst Center".

HOUSE BILL NO. 218—
BY REPRESENTATIVES CURTIS, WIGGINS, DEWITT, AND JOHN SMITH
AN ACT
To designate the bridge on U.S. Highway 167 over the Red River between Alexandria and Pineville as the Purple Heart Memorial Bridge.

HOUSE BILL NO. 541 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 365)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARIONNEAUX AND SENATOR GREEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:321.1, relative to municipalities governed by the Lawrason Act; to authorize the board of aldermen in any such municipality to refer to itself as a village, town, or city council, as appropriate, and to the members thereof as council members; to provide for related name changes; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 615—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, DAMICO, AND TOOMY
AN ACT
To authorize the Jefferson Parish School Board to name the baseball field located at West Jefferson High School in Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, the "Louis Blanda, Sr. Baseball Field"; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 633—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND BRUNEAU
AN ACT
To designate the Highway 90 split park which is located at the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and the Westbank Expressway in Jefferson Parish as the "Pops Stroman Memorial Park".

HOUSE BILL NO. 653—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LONG
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the title of Chapter 19 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 48:1751(1) and 1752, relative to highways; to change the name of the MISS- LA-TEX East-West Corridor Commission; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 721—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE, FLAVIN, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, AND HUDSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 56:495.1(F), relative to shrimping; to require certain net sizes in offshore territorial waters; to provide terms and conditions; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 768—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:62 and 64, relative to wildlife and fisheries enforcement procedures; to provide relative to the time limit for retention and disposition of things seized; to provide relative to liability for such disposition; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 880—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, DIMOS, AND BRUCE AND SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:414.2(A)(1)(b)(ii), relative to drivers' licenses; to provide for the driving record of Group "E" licenses to reflect the class of license previously held; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 881—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, DIMOS, AND BRUCE AND SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:404(F), relative to drivers' licenses; to provide for rules and regulations to enter into reciprocity agreements with foreign countries; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 976—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:322(I), relative to fishing; to provide relative to the commercial harvesting of wild crawfish; to provide certain mesh size and shape for nets used in such harvesting; to provide relative to rules and regulations to be promulgated by the department and oversight of such rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 20-B-4 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3042.41 through 3042.47, relative to the Bienville Parish School Board loan program; to authorize the school board to make loans to certain students enrolled in collegiate teacher preparation programs; to provide for legislative findings and purpose, eligibility requirements, board rules and regulations, loan amounts, contract requirements, funding, and board resolution and public hearing requirements; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1056 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 234)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DÉZÉ AND SENATOR LANDRY AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUCE, ILES, MARIONNEAUX, MCCAIN, QUEZAIRE, SHAW, AND WINSTON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:3 and R.S. 36:851(A) and to enact R.S. 32:2(D), Part VI-A of Chapter 1 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:390.1 through 390.4, and R.S. 36:409(O), R.S. 45:163(E), and R.S. 47:802.4, relative to motor carriers; to provide relative to issuance of permits and licenses; to create the Louisiana Truck Center; to place such center within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for the required services of such center; to authorize participation of certain state agencies; to establish a coordinating authority; to provide for the responsibilities of such authority; and to provide for related matters.
To enact Chapter 20-A-1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3041.10 through 3041.15, relative to a tuition payment program for certain medical school students; to provide program guidelines and for program administration, eligibility, applications, and definitions; to provide relative to contracts and cancellation of contracts; to provide for the adoption of program rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1428
BY REPRESENTATIVES SHAW, CURTIS, DOERGE, KENNEY, MCDONALD, BAUDDIN, BRUCE, CLARKSON, COPELIN, CRANE, DANIEL, DIEZ, DIMOS, DUPRE, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, PONTENOT, FRITHE, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUNTER, JETSON, JOHNS, KENNARD, MARTINY, MCCAIN, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MURRAY, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, RIDDLE, ROUSSELLE, SALTER, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, THOMAS, THOMPSON, TRAVIS, WALSWORTH, AND WIGGINS
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 20-A-1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3041.10 through 3041.15, relative to a tuition payment program for certain medical school students; to provide program guidelines and for program administration, eligibility, applications, and definitions; to provide relative to contracts and cancellation of contracts; to provide for the adoption of program rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1427
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHAW
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:3141.2(1)(l) and (m) and 3141.4(B)(3), relative to proprietary schools; to exclude certain income earned by proprietary schools from license renewal fee calculations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2401.2(B)(4), relative to the powers of the Louisiana State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners; to provide for the employment of an executive director; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1425
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 12:203(B)(5), (6), and (8), relative to the incorporation of nonprofit corporations; and to provide for related matters.

An Act
To provide relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to change the prescriptive period for instituting actions for violations of campaign finance laws; to provide that actions for violations, except those contained in a report, must be commenced within three years from the date of the violation; to provide that actions for violations contained in a report must be commenced within one year after filing of the relevant report; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1529
BY REPRESENTATIVE WARNER
AN ACT
To designate that portion of Louisiana Highway 46 in St. Bernard Parish as the "St. Bernard Veterans Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1549
BY REPRESENTATIVE VITTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1511.11(B), relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to change the prescriptive period for instituting actions for violations of campaign finance laws; to provide that actions for violations, except those contained in a report, must be commenced within three years from the date of the violation; to provide that actions for violations contained in a report must be commenced within one year after filing of the relevant report; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1586
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD AND DOWNER AND SENATOR SHORT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3026(A)(3)(c)(iii), relative to the Tuition Assistance Plan; to provide relative to ineligibility under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1508
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1301 and to enact R.S. 32:1305(G), relative to motor carriers; to provide for certain motor carriers to establish official inspection stations; to authorize that such stations be located either in state or out of state; to require such motor carriers to have Louisiana registration; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1617
BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS
AN ACT
To authorize and provide for the lease of certain state property to the Volunteers of America from the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1658
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROUSSELE
AN ACT
To provide relative to Lafourche Parish Ambulance Service District No. 1, to ratify and confirm the authority of the board of commissioners of the district to levy and collect an ad valorem tax, subject to voter approval; to provide that the tax not be levied or collected prior to the dissolution of an agreement between the district and Lafourche Parish Hospital Service District No. 1 which authorizes the hospital district to levy an ad valorem tax on behalf of the ambulance service district and the removal of the tax levied pursuant to the agreement from the tax rolls of the hospital service district; to provide that such agreement is dissolved and to provide for the protection of the tax rolls; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1683
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 12:203(B)(5), (6), and (8), relative to nonprofit corporations; to provide for the articles of incorporation of nonprofit corporations; and to provide for related matters.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1746—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1759 —
BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 12:148(B), relative to the liquidation of corporations; to provide for certificates; to provide for the Department of Environmental Quality; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1832—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 37:1272(A)(2) and 1277, relative to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to authorize the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to request and obtain state and national criminal history record information from certain state and federal agencies on any person applying for any health care practitioner license, permit, certification, or registration the board is authorized to issue; to require an applicant to submit a full set of fingerprints; to authorize the board to charge and collect a fee from any applicant for costs incurred by the board in requesting and obtaining criminal history record information; to provide for definitions; to provide that state or national criminal history record information obtained by the board which is not already a matter of public record shall be confidential and nonpublic; to provide for the release of such information upon written consent of the applicant or by court order; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1846—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 12:23(B)(introductory paragraph) and 204(B)(introductory paragraph) and to repeal R.S. 12:23(B)(5), relative to corporations; to provide relative to corporate names; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1933—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1(1) and to enact R.S. 40:1231(11) and R.S. 40:1232.1, relative to emergency medical response vehicles; to include emergency medical response vehicle in the definition of operators of emergency medical response vehicles; to provide for the qualifications which establish a vehicle as an emergency medical response vehicle; to provide for the Department of Health and Hospitals to inspect emergency medical response vehicles; to authorize the department to certify emergency medical response vehicles; to authorize the department to deny, probate, suspend, or revoke certifications; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1944—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 12:163(C) and (D) and 262.1(C) and (D), relative to corporations; provides relative to failure to file annual reports required to be filed by corporations with the secretary of state; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1947—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 12:304(B), 307.1, 312(B), and 312.1 and to repeal R.S. 12:304(A)(7) and (C)(3), relative to foreign corporations; to provide for application for certificate of authority and amendment of a certificate of authority; to provide for withdrawal of a foreign corporation; to provide for termination of withdrawal proceedings; to provide relative to certificates of compliance from the office of workers' compensation; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1949—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FORSTER AND MURRAY
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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1113(A)(3) and R.S. 23:1407(A), relative to insurance agents; to provide for placement of policies of workers' compensation insurance; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1991—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ROUSSELLE, DEWITT, AND TRICHE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 56:332(K), relative to fishing; to provide relative to crab traps; to require certain escape rings; to provide relative to such escape rings; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2002—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:8(12)(b) and to enact R.S. 56:8(12)(c), relative to hunting and fishing licenses; to provide for the definition of "bona fide resident"; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2003—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:259(C), relative to taking animals; to require proper trapping licenses for taking of certain nongame quadrupeds; to limit weapons for taking nutria; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2011—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAUTREAUX AND SENATOR ROBICHAUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:428(A) and to enact R.S. 56:428.1, relative to oyster leases; to provide relative to renewal of leases located in the impact areas of coastal restoration projects; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2149—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD, DOWNER, BAUDOIN, BRUCE, CRANE, DEVILLE, DEWITT, DIMOS, DOERGE, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FLAVIN, FRUGE, GAUTREAUX, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HUNTER, ILES, JENNINGS, JOHN, KENNEY, LEBLANC, MCCAIN, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MONTGOMERY, MURRAY, PIERRE, POWELL, RATT, RIDDLE, ROMERO, ROUSSELLE, SALTER, SHAW, STRAIN, THOMAS, TRICHE, VITTER, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WILKERSON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS GREENE AND SHORT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:3042.32(D), relative to the Louisiana Honors Scholarship Program; to provide for the application of scholarships awarded pursuant to such program and to the combination of such scholarships with disbursements from the Louisiana Student Tuition Assistance and Revenue Trust Program account; to provide for the expenditure of any remaining balance of a scholarship award; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2191—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:202(4)(introductory paragraph) and (5), 208(1), 209(A)(2), 1731, 1734(2), and 1736(B)(2) and (3) and R.S. 47:297.1(B)(5) and (8)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 22:202(6) and (7), 209(C)(1)(e), and 1736(B)(4), relative to insurance; to provide for definitions of viatical settlement broker; to provide relative to chronically ill persons; to provide for disclosures in long-term care insurance policies; to provide for definitions of higher deductible and qualified higher deductible plan; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2245—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:404.1 and 405(G) and to repeal R.S. 33:405(H), relative to the compensation of municipal officials; to provide relative to the compensation of aldermen; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2278—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE THORNHILL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1262.1(B)(1)(b) and (E)(1), relative to approved unauthorized insurers; to provide for the contents of affidavits for approval; to provide for removal from the list of approved insurers; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2316—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES ILES, THOMAS, PRATT, AND WELCH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 37:918(16) and R.S. 37:920.1, relative to the Louisiana State Board of Nursing; to authorize the Louisiana State Board of Nursing to request and obtain state and national criminal history record information from certain state and federal agencies on any person applying for a license or permit which the board is authorized to issue, including permission to enroll as a student in clinical nursing courses; to require an applicant to submit a full set of fingerprints; to authorize the board to charge and collect a fee from any applicant for costs incurred by the board in requesting and obtaining criminal history record information and to authorize a charge to the board for such information; to provide for definitions; to provide that state or national criminal history record information obtained by the board which is not already a matter of public record shall be confidential and nonpublic; to provide for the release of such information upon written consent of the applicant or by court order; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2318—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:2737.67, relative to the Beauford Parish School Board; to authorize the board to levy an additional sales and use tax with voter approval; to provide for the allowable uses of the proceeds of the tax; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2323—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:252(A)(1) and to repeal R.S. 22:252(B), relative to life insurance; to increase the death benefits in certain life insurance policies; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2344—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2333, 2335(B), 2336(2), and 2337 and to repeal R.S. 51:2332(1), relative to the Workforce Development and Training Program within the Department of Economic Development; to provide for customized workforce training; to provide for eligibility; to provide for the application and procedure for funding; to repeal the definition of "corporation"; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2359 (Substitute for House Bill No. 2181 by Representative McMains)—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE McMAINS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 37:1287(D), (E), (F), and (G), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for protected actions for any nonprofit corporation, foundation, or organization that enters into an agreement with the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners related to the operation of any committee or program to identify, investigate, counsel, monitor, or assist any licensed physician who suffers or may suffer from alcohol or substance abuse or a physical or mental condition; to provide for protected actions for any director, trustee, officer, employee, consultant, or attorney for or who otherwise works for or is associated with such nonprofit corporation, foundation, or organization which enters into a contract with the board; to provide for an award of costs or attorney fees in certain instances when a defendant substantially prevails in any suit brought against the corporation, foundation, organization, or an employee thereof; to define substantially prevail; to provide for retroactive effect of the immunity granted; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Bills contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Governor for executive approval.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Diez, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to add the following legislative instruments to its agenda without giving the notice required by House Rule 14.21(A).

House Resolution No. 83
House Concurrent Resolution Nos. 217, 219, 221, and 228
Senate Bill No. 1255

**Suspension of the Rules**
On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Appropriations to meet on Wednesday, June 11, 1997.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. McMains, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to meet on Wednesday, June 11, 1997.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Forster, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to meet on Wednesday, June 11, 1997.

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Martiny, at 6:30 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, June 11, 1997, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 11, 1997.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

C. Wayne Hays
Journal Clerk, Emeritus