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Twenty-fifth Regular Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the Constitution of 1974

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, May 6, 1999

The House of Representatives was called to order at 2:00 P.M., by the Honorable Hunt Downer, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour
ROLL CALL

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

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The Speaker announced that there were 100 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rev. Jerry Johnson.

Pledge of Allegiance


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 May 5, 1999, was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, 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.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

State of Louisiana
SECRETARY OF STATE

May 5, 1999

To the Honorable Members of the Louisiana House of Representatives

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit to you the name of Jennifer Sneed, who has been duly elected to fill the vacancy occurring in your Honorable Body, caused by the resignation of David Vitter.

Pursuant to the attached “Certificate Listing”, dated May 5, 1999, Jennifer Sneed has been officially proclaimed duly and legally elected as Representative from the 81st Representative District of the State of Louisiana.

W. FOX McKEITHEN
Secretary of State

Oath of Office

Ms. Sneed presented herself before the bar of the House and took the following oath:

"I, Jennifer Sneed, do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution and the laws of the United States and the constitution and laws of this state and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the House of Representatives according to the best of my ability and understanding, so help me God".
State of Louisiana
SECRETARY OF STATE

May 5, 1999

To the Honorable Members of the Louisiana House of Representatives

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit to you the name of Ben W. Nevers, who has been duly elected to fill the vacancy occurring in your Honorable Body, caused by the resignation of Jerry Thomas.

Pursuant to the attached "Certificate Listing", dated May 5, 1999, Ben W. Nevers has been officially proclaimed duly and legally elected as Representative from the 75th Representative District of the State of Louisiana.

W. FOX McKEITHEN
Secretary of State

Oath of Office

Mr. Nevers presented himself before the bar of the House and took the following oath:

"I, Ben W. Nevers, do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution and the laws of the United States and the constitution and laws of this state and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the House of Representatives according to the best of my ability and understanding, so help me God".

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

May 6, 1999

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. 247
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 251
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 252
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 253
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 259
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 542
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 671
Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 704
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 776
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 782
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 977
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

JOE SALTER
Chairman

Message from the Senate
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 6, 1999

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 No. 105
Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
SENATE BILLS

May 6, 1999

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. 296, 297, 379, 524, 542, 581, 671, 704, 776, 782, and 977
Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Marionneaux, 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. 296—
BY SENATOR GREENE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:47(D), 500.2 and 1202, relative to sick leave for school personnel; to eliminate the prohibition on certain deductions from the salary of a teacher or school bus driver under certain circumstances; to provide for the granting of certain extended sick leave under certain circumstances; to provide for additional compensation to certain teachers; to provide for the responsibilities of city and parish school boards and the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

JOE SALTER
Chairman

Read by title.
SENATE BILL NO. 297 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1792)—
BY SENATOR GREENE AND REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:46(A) through (G) and (N), 1171(A), 1172 through 1177, and 1184, relative to sabbatical leave for teachers and college faculty; to repeal the authority for the granting of such leaves for rest and recuperation; to provide relative to the effect of such repeal on leaves previously granted; to provide for the granting of medical sabbatical leaves; to provide for the application and eligibility requirements for such medical sabbatical leaves; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 379—
BY SENATOR DYESS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1501(A) relative to fire protection districts; to authorize elections to levy ad valorem taxes for the purpose of paying for the cost of fire protection services and emergency medical services; to define "emergency medical service"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 524—
BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(U)(2), 329(C) and (J), and 334.2(A), and to repeal Section 4 of Act 1407 of the 1997 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners of the district; to provide for the authority and duties of such board; to delete the repeal of the South Terrebonne Parish Tidewater Management and Conservation District and the North Terrebonne Parish Drainage and Conservation District; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 190—
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the feasibility of adopting the Uniform Transfer on Death Securities Registration Act in this state and make specific recommendations for revisions to Louisiana laws in order to adopt the act in this state.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 704 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1945)—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE AND REPRESENTATIVE MICHOT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1201(F) and to repeal R.S. 23:1201.2, relative to workers' compensation; to provide for penalties for nonpayment of benefits; to authorize and prohibit the imposition of penalties under certain circumstances; to remove the requirement that employers pay attorney fees for nonpayment of benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 776—
BY SENATORS DARDENNE, ELLINGTON AND HOLLIS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 46:56 (F)(10), relative to records and reports concerning certain persons; to provide limited access to complaints against caregivers for certain persons; to provide for retroactive application; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 782—
BY SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 46:56 (F)(10), relative to records and reports concerning certain persons; to provide limited access to complaints against caregivers for certain persons; to provide for retroactive application; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 977—
BY SENATOR JOHNSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:107.3, relative to the criminal offense of blighting of property; to provide for the offense; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 190—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SHAW AND WIGGINS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the feasibility of adopting the Uniform Transfer on Death Securities Registration Act in this state and make specific recommendations for revisions to Louisiana laws in order to adopt the act in this state.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 191—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRUGE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the judicial administrator of the supreme court to examine the financing of and identify all sources of money received and spent by all state courts, including the supreme court, courts of appeal, and all district courts, and by all parish and juvenile courts, and to report such findings to the supreme court and the House Committee on the Judiciary and the Senate Committee on the Judiciary, Section B, no later than thirty days prior to the 2000 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 192—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request each city and parish school board to adopt policies to prohibit students from wearing pants too loosely on the hips.

Read by title.

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

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. 16—
BY SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:3966(B)(19) and (F), relative to the Charter Schools Demonstration Program Law; to require compliance by charter schools with certain aspects of the public bid law; to provide that charter schools be subject to certain audits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 100 (Duplicated of House Bill No. 245)—
BY SENATORS HINES AND REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER AND COAUTHORED BY SENATORS BAJOIE, CASANOVA, DYESS, LANDRY AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN
AN ACT
To enact Subpart D of Part VII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1236.11 through 1236.14, relative to emergency medical services; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for definitions; to establish certain requirements of any person or entity who possesses an automated external defibrillator; to provide for certain requirements of an automated external defibrillator; to provide for civil immunity for certain persons relative to the operation of an automated external defibrillator; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 136—
BY SENATORS COX AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:81(A) and 81.2(A), relative to sexual offenses affecting minors; to remove certain elements of law relative to the crimes of molestation of a juvenile and indecent behavior with juveniles; 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. 144—
BY SENATORS DARDENNE AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:967(F)(3), relative to controlled dangerous substances; to provide increased penalties for possession of large quantities of gamma hydroxybutyric acid; 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. 155—
BY SENATOR SMITH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 37:3124(C), relative to buyer's fees at auctions; to provide for advertisement of buyer's fees; to provide for the posting of the amount of the buyer's fee; to provide for the announcement of the buyer's fee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 164—
BY SENATOR BARHAM
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:462(C), relative to motor vehicles; to provide relative to prestige plates; to authorize such plates for use on certain oversized private vehicles; to provide relative to fees; 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. 175 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 547)—
BY SENATOR ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3715.1, relative to autopsy records; to provide for the manner of obtaining autopsy records; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 178—
BY SENATOR DYESS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:241, relative to prohibited materials and devices in public schools; to prohibit the use or possession of any laser pointer or pen by a student in a public school or any school bus; to require each city and parish school board to adopt a policy and rules to implement the policy to enforce such prohibition;
to provide a deadline for the adoption of such policy and rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 209—
BY SENATORS HINES AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.58.2, 1299.58.3(D)(1) and (3), 1299.58.8(A), 1299.58.9(A), and 1299.58.10(B)(5), and to enact R.S. 40:1299.58.3(D)(1)(b), 1299.58.7(E), 1299.58.8(D)(1) and (2), relative to declarations concerning life-sustaining procedures; to provide for definitions; to provide for issuance of do-not-resuscitate identification bracelets by the secretary of state; to provide for procedures and limitation of liability for certified emergency medical technicians and certified first responders; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 350—
BY SENATOR ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE DAMICO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:303(D), relative to traffic; to provide relative to motor vehicle equipment; to provide relative to headlamps; to prohibit the use of off road colored lights; 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. 354—
BY SENATORS JONES, DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ AND CRANE
AN ACT
To direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to change certain references in the law in matters of workforce development; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 356—
BY SENATORS ULLO AND LANDRY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1231 and 1233, and to enact R.S. 15:1237, relative to law enforcement services for the elderly; to create the Aged and Law Enforcement Response Team Program; to provide for objectives, duties and responsibilities; to establish state and parish level participation; to provide for a selection, testing, training and certification program; 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. 485—
BY SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2260, relative to public contracts; to provide relative to authorized preferences for certain Louisiana products or businesses; to require penalties for falsification of claims for such preferences; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 486—
BY SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 38:2318, relative to public contracts; to provide relative to professional services for such contracts; to establish prescriptive periods related to contracts for professional services; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 487—
BY SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 38:2216(M), relative to public contracts; to require any provision of such contracts to comply with Public Bid Law; provides for severability of contract provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 511—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:536, 15:537, 15:538(C)(1), and 574.4(B) and Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 895(E), relative to criminal procedure; to provide for mandatory minimum sentences for certain sex offenders; to provide for conditions of parole, probation, and diminution or suspension of sentence for certain sex offenders; 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. 546—
BY SENATOR HINES
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:3972(B)(1), 3973(1)(a), 3982, 3983(A)(2)(a)(i), (3)(a), (4), and (5), (B)(1), and (D), 3991(B)(1), (3), (6), (7), (10), and (21), 3992(A)(1), 3995(A), B, and (C), 3996(C), 3997(A)(1)(a), (2), (C)(1)(a), (2), (D), and (E), 3998 (C) and (D), 3999, 4001(A) and (C), and to enact R.S. 17:3973(1)(f), 3991(B)(23), (C)(1)(c)(iv), (E)(5) and (H), relative to the Charter School Demonstration Programs Law; to provide relative to purposes, definitions, local school board duties, chartering process, charter terms, charter operations, charter renewal length, pupil admission requirements, charter contents, charter school employees, assets, property, and funding; to provide for the application of certain laws; to provide relative to charter school loans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 578—
BY SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:863.2(A)(6), relative to automobile insurance; to require notification of the cancellation of insurance under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 632—
BY SENATORS HAINKEL AND GREENE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:47(A), 500(B), 1201(A) and 1206(A), relative to sick leave for school employees; to provide for the acquisition of sick leave days according to when, in the course of a school year, the employee begins work; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 662—
BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 49:158, 1 to designate the last week of September each year as "Native American Week" in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 689—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 39:1547, relative to the office of risk management; to create a return to work program; to establish as the goal of the program the safe and expedient return of state employees with job related injuries and illnesses to transitional or regular
employment; to provide for the design of the program; to provide for periodic reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 709—

BY SENATORS HINES, DARDENNE, HAINKEL, BARHAM AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER, McMAINS, DIEZ AND CRANE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:3.1(A), (B), (E), and (F) and 8, relative to the powers, duties, and functions of the state health officer and the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of public health; to provide for the investigation of potential threats to the public health; to grant the authority to the state health officer to petition a court to compel production of documents in such investigations; to provide for confidentiality of information obtained in such investigations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 720—

BY SENATOR W. FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2417(B), (C), (D), (E), (F), (G), (H), (I), (J), (K), (L), and (M), relative to used oil; to require certain used oil facilities to obtain licenses or permits from the Department of Environmental Quality; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 789—

BY SENATOR THOMAS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1234(H) and (I), relative to duties of emergency medical personnel; to provide for emergency medical service protocol in parishes without organized or functional medical societies; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to promulgate rules relative to statewide emergency medical service protocols; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 806—

BY SENATOR LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1719(B) and 1720(A), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for times of notification of vehicle owners by storage facility and parking lot operators; 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. 808—

BY SENATOR LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212(B), relative to public contracts; to provide for public works which may be undertaken by a public entity itself; 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. 847—

BY SENATOR JOHNSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4712.7, relative to property of political subdivisions; to provide for the financing of equipment and movables by political subdivisions; to provide for the disposition of such property upon non-appropriation of funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.
SENATE BILL NO. 870—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3715.1(J) and to enact R.S. 44:4(25), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Social Work Examiners; to exempt the board from complying with certain notice provisions governing the release of certain medical or hospitals records; to exempt certain records in the custody of the board from the public records law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 871—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:311 and 341, to enact R.S. 23:302(4) and 303 and Part VII of Chapter 3-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:361, and to repeal R.S. 23:313, 321, 325, 331, 333, 351, and 353, relative to employment discrimination, to define employer; to provide for filing civil suits and the award of damages, fees, and court costs; to prohibit retaliation against certain employees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 987—
BY SENATORS LANDRY, W. FIELDS AND JORDAN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:141.1 and R.S. 30:2026.1, relative to offenses affecting the public and the environment; to create the crime of environmental fraud by state employees; to provide for criminal and civil penalties and fines; to provide relative to the prosecution of environmental fraud crimes; to provide for citizen suits under certain circumstances; to provide relative to prohibited reprisals and remedies; 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. 989—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:554, relative to bonded indebtedness for school purposes; to authorize school districts to incur debt and issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring school and activity buses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

SENATE BILL NO. 997—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:782(A), relative to compensation and expenses of clerks; to provide for participation by clerks in deferred compensation plans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1019—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1681.1(A), and to enact R.S. 33:2201(E), relative to benefits for certain law enforcement officers; to provide certain benefits to enforcement officers or their survivors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1028—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:62.4(A), relative to the unauthorized entry of a place of business; to provide that a place of business shall include any structure or premises that is partially or completely enclosed by any type of physical barrier; 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. 1048 (Substitute for Senate Bill No. 928 by Senator Johnson)—
BY SENATOR JOHNSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 36:109(R), the heading of Chapter 20 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and R.S. 51:1751, 1752(1), (2), (3), (4) and (5), 1753(A), (B)(2), (3), and (4), 1754(A), 1755(A) and (D), 1756(1), (2), (5), and (6), 1757, 1758, 1760(A) and (B), 1761, 1764, 1765(A) and (C)(2), and to enact R.S. 51:1755(F), relative to economic development; to provide for applications; to provide for certification; to provide for duties, to provide for reports; to provide for complaints; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works was discharged from further consideration of Senate Bill No. 206.

SENATE BILL NO. 206—
BY SENATORS THEUNISSEN AND LANDRY AND REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 2:131(A), 135.1(A), (B), (I), and (J), 319, 321, 602(A), and 607(B) and to enact R.S. 2:1(25), (26), (27), and (28), and 135.1 (K), (L), (M), (N), (O), and (P), relative to aviation; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to authority of sponsors of public airports; to provide for optional public bid requirements under certain conditions; to require certain conditions of maintenance within certain lease contracts; to require certain conditions of fairness and non-discrimination within certain lease contracts; to provide for compensation for “through-the-fence” operations; to provide for the terms of office of
commissioners of certain airport districts; to provide relative to membership of airport authorities; to provide relative to terms of office of commission members of such authorities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion
On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the bill was returned to the calendar.

Motion
On motion of Rep. Daniel, the Committee on Retirement was discharged from further consideration of Senate Bill No. 407.

SENATE BILL NO. 407—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1152(E), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for the status of a participant in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion
On motion of Rep. Daniel, the bill was returned to the calendar.

Motion
On motion of Rep. Michot, the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations was discharged from further consideration of Senate Bill No. 521.

SENATE BILL NO. 521—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 23:1021(10)(f), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for the determination of wages; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion
On motion of Rep. Michot, the bill was returned to the calendar.

Motion
On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the Committee on Environment was discharged from further consideration of Senate Bill No. 660.

SENATE BILL NO. 660—
BY SENATOR MALONE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:1522, relative to hazardous materials transportation; to establish a hazardous materials emergency response program; to provide for funding of the emergency response program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion
Rep. Faucheux moved that Senate Bill No. 660 be designated as a duplicate of House Bill No. 1786.

Which motion was agreed to.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to enter into settlement negotiations with Options, Inc. over their dispute regarding Medicaid reimbursement funds.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 82 by Representative Powell

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, delete "direct" and insert "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 15, after "that the" and before "Department" insert "Legislature of Louisiana hereby urges and requests the"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 16, after "Hospitals" delete "is hereby directed"

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

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COPERLIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the House and Senate Health and Welfare Committees to meet and function as a joint committee to study potential reforms of the Medicaid system.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 157—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ROMERO, HEBERT, BRUNEAU, COPELIN, GREEN, HUNTER, LANCASTER, MONTGOMERY, SCALISE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WELCH, AND WILLARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to ensure that United States military service personnel under the age of twenty-one are not sent to participate in any combat operations carried out by ground troops in Yugoslavia.

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 Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 157 by Representatives Romero and Hebert

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

"WHEREAS, as long as there are restrictions and discrimination and the encouragement and enticement for restrictions and discrimination based on age perpetuated by the federal government and sustained by state governments on persons aged eighteen through twenty years, such persons should not be sent to participate in any combat operations until such restrictions and discrimination and the enticement and encouragement therefor cease to exist; and"

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

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 158—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To repeal any and all rules adopted by the Department of Health and Hospitals requiring operators of emergency medical vehicles to possess a valid Class "D" driver's license.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions
Reported by Committees

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—
BY SENATOR GREENE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To provide legislative approval to the Board of Regents and to the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College to change the name of the Louisiana State University Medical Center to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center.

Read by title.
Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

On motion of Rep. McDonald, the resolution was passed to its third reading.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 69—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(G) and R.S. 40:1379.3(D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (f), relative to the training requirements for peace officers; to provide for certain exemptions from the prohibition of carrying of concealed weapons for retired law enforcement officers who have successfully completed certain training; to provide with regard to training requirements for carrying a concealed handgun; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 69 by Representative Bowler

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "14:95(G)" and before ", relative" insert "and R.S. 40:1379.3(D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (f)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 5, after "training;" and before "and to" insert "to provide with regard to training requirements for carrying a concealed handgun;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 6, after "must be" and before "annually" change "certified" to "qualified"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, line 7, after “Training” delete the remainder of the line and delete line 8

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, line 9, delete "conducted by a National Rifle Association certified instructor"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 2, line 10, after "such" change "certification" to "qualification" and delete the remainder of the line

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 2, after line 11, insert the following:

“Section 2. R.S. 40:1379.3(D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (f) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1379.3. Statewide permits for concealed handguns; application procedures; definitions

  * * *

D.1) In addition to the requirements of Subsection C of this Subsection; Section, an applicant shall demonstrate competence with a handgun by any one of the following:

  * * *

(f) Completion of a law enforcement training academy program certified by the Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training. However, any person retired from full-time service as a Louisiana peace officer need only demonstrate that he was properly certified by the Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training at the time of retirement.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 164—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES JACK SMITH AND GAUTREAUX**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(B)(2)(a), relative to publication of notice by sex offenders; to provide for inclusion of the offender’s photograph; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 164 by Representative Jack Smith

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 17, after “photograph” and before “or” insert “of the offender”

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, line 18, after “photocopy” and before “of the” insert “of a recent photograph”

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 168—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:65(B)(1)(a) and 91(A)(5) and (6) and to enact R.S. 27:65(C) through (G) and 91(A)(7) and (8), relative to the licensing and regulation of riverboat gaming activities; to provide for the mandatory number of cruises or excursions a riverboat must make per year; to allow the conducting of gaming while a riverboat is not cruising; to provide exceptions; to reduce the fee for gaming employee permit renewals; to provide for other permit fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 168 by Representative Alario

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of line and insert "R.S. 27:65(B)(1)(a) and 91(A)(5) and (6) and to enact R.S. 27:65(C) through (G) and 91(A)(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "relative to" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "the licensing and regulation of riverboat gaming activities; to provide for the mandatory number of cruises or excursions a riverboat must make per year; to allow the conducting of gaming while a riverboat is not cruising; to provide exceptions; to reduce"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." and before "and (6)" delete "R.S. 27:91(A)(5)" and insert "R.S. 27:65(B)(1)(a) and 91(A)(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 8, after "and" and before "and (8)" delete "R.S. 27:91(A)(7)" and insert "R.S. 27:65(C) through (G) and 91(A)(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

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

"§65. Licenses to conduct gaming activities upon riverboats; limitations

* * *

B. Gaming shall be conducted aboard riverboats, subject to the following requirements:

(1)(a) In any parish, except for Riverboats licensed pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter, except those located in a parish which borders the Red River beginning five miles south of the Kansas City Southern Company Railroad Bridge in Rapides Parish and ending five miles north of the Mid-South Company Railroad Bridge in Caddo Parish, no gaming may be conducted while a riverboat is docked, unless the vessel is docked for less than forty-five minutes between excursions. However, should the master of the riverboat reasonably determine and certify in writing that the weather conditions or the water conditions are such that those conditions, which the master shall specify, present a danger to the riverboat, its passengers, and crew, then the riverboat may remain docked and gaming may take place until such time as the master determines that those conditions have sufficiently diminished to proceed or until the duration of the authorized excursion has expired, shall be required to conduct the mandatory number of excursions or cruises as provided in Subsection C of this Section.

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C. (1) Riverboats licensed pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter, except those located in a parish which borders the Red River beginning five miles south of the Kansas City Southern Company Railroad Bridge in Rapides Parish and ending five miles north of the Mid-South Company Railroad Bridge in Caddo Parish, shall complete two hundred fifty cruises or excursions during each calendar year. At all other times the riverboat may remain docked and gaming may be conducted while the riverboat is docked.

(2) The United States Coast Guard certified marine captain of each vessel shall be the absolute authority to determine when a vessel shall cruise in order to meet the mandatory cruise requirements or remain docked.

(3) If the riverboat gaming licensee fails to meet the mandatory cruise requirement, the Louisiana Gaming Control Board may fine the licensee up to fifty thousand dollars for each cruise or excursion less than the mandatory number of cruises or excursions required by this Subsection. The failure to meet the mandatory cruise requirements as provided by this Section shall not constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, limitation, or nonrenewal of any license or permit held by the licensee.

(4) When a new licensee is licensed pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter, the Louisiana Gaming Control Board shall determine the number of mandatory cruises or excursions the licensee is required to make for the remainder of the year. This number shall not exceed two hundred fifty cruises or excursions.

(5) The provisions of this Subsection shall not be construed to abrogate, modify, or otherwise impair any contractual agreement between licensees and any local governing authority or person relative to the collection or distribution of fees based on a patron or passenger count. The manner and frequency of counting passengers or patrons or any other method used to determine the amount of payments derived from counting passengers or patrons shall be determined by the terms and provisions of the contractual agreement as provided in R.S. 27:93(A). The provisions of this Subsection shall not be construed to authorize dockside gaming.

D. The provisions of Subsection C of this Section shall apply to a riverboat operated under the authority of a license which was issued prior to January 1, 1997, or any renewal thereof, and which is located on Lake Pontchartrain in the parish in which the official gaming establishment is located, as defined in R.S. 27:203 and 205(26) only if the following conditions are met:

(1) The area on the riverboat in which gaming activities are conducted does not exceed thirty thousand square feet in the aggregate.

(2) The owner or operator does not participate directly or indirectly in the ownership, construction, operation, or subsidizing of any hotel which exceeds three hundred ninety-nine guest rooms and which is located within one mile of the berthing area of a licensed riverboat.
(3) The licensed riverboat does not operate or allow to be operated for public use on the riverboat, or at its terminal, berthing area, or any hotel as defined in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, more than eight thousand square feet of restaurant facilities in the aggregate. The eight thousand square feet of restaurant facilities in the aggregate shall be exclusive of food preparation and handling areas.

E. In the event such licensed riverboat fails to comply with the provisions of Subsection D of this Section, no gaming may be conducted on that licensed riverboat while the riverboat is docked unless the vessel is docked for less than forty-five minutes between excursions and such riverboat cruises in accordance with R.S. 27:65(B)(1) as in effect January 1, 1997. However, should the master of the riverboat reasonably determine and certify in writing that the weather conditions or the water conditions are such that those conditions, which the master shall specify, present a danger to the riverboat, its passengers, and crew, then the riverboat may remain docked and gaming may take place until such time as the master determines that those conditions have sufficiently diminished to proceed or until the duration of the authorized excursion has expired.

F. If any riverboat license is granted on or after January 1, 1997, for a riverboat to conduct gaming in the parish of the official gaming establishment, no gaming may be conducted on such riverboat while such riverboat is docked unless the vessel is docked for less than forty-five minutes between excursions. However, should the master of the riverboat reasonably determine and certify in writing that the weather conditions or the water conditions are such that those conditions, which the master shall specify, present a danger to the riverboat, its passengers, and crew, then the riverboat may remain docked and gaming may take place until such time as the master determines that those conditions have sufficiently diminished to proceed or until the duration of the authorized excursion has expired.

G. Notwithstanding Subsections D and E of this Section, if the official gaming establishment is not subject to an enforceable casino operating contract as defined in R.S. 27:205(6) which contains exclusivity provisions in accordance with the requirements of R.S. 27:241(G) and (H)(1), any riverboat licensed in the parish of the official gaming establishment may conduct gaming activities in compliance with the provisions of Subsection C without adhering to the restrictions in Paragraphs (D)(1), (2), and (3) set forth above.

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Rep. Windhorst moved the adoption of the amendments.

Point of Order


Ruling of the Chair

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

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 365—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPRE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 56:303.7(C) and (D), relative to wholesale/retail seafood dealers; to provide for the means by which information may be submitted to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; to provide for exceptions relative to crawfish and catfish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 365 by Representative Dupre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(C)" add "and (D)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after the word "Fisheries" insert ".; to provide for exceptions relative to crawfish and catfish"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "(C)" add "and (D)" and change "is" to "are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 10, change "2000" to "2001"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 14, change "2000" to "2001"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, after line 15 add the following:

"D. The provisions of this Section shall not apply to the sale or purchase of crawfish or catfish until January 1, 2001."

On motion of Rep. John Smith, the amendments were adopted.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 427—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ODINET
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 36:610(B)(7) and R.S. 56:421, relative to the Oyster Task Force; to establish the Oyster Task Force as a statutory entity; to continue its membership; to continue its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities; to continue its source of funding; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 427 by Representative Odinet

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 6, change "thirteen" to "seventeen"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 16, change "Two" to "Four"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, at the end of line 17, add the following:
"One member appointed under the provisions of this Paragraph shall be from Lafourche Parish and one member shall be from Jefferson Parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 18, change "One" to "Two" and change "member" to "members"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 3, line 1, change "One" to "Two" and change "member" to "members"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 3, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:
"C. The members appointed under the provisions of Paragraphs B(1) through (4) herein shall be nonvoting members. However, they shall be considered members of the task force for determination of the number of members necessary for a quorum and for establishing the presence of a quorum."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, line 5, change "C." to "D."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, line 12, change "D." to "E."

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 4, line 3, change "E." to "F."

On motion of Rep. John Smith, the amendments were adopted.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 451—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 915(A) and 919(A) and (B), relative to the preparation of transcripts of criminal court proceedings; to provide for time for delivery of record to the clerk of court; to provide with respect to motions for appeal; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 451 by Representative McCain

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "court;" and before "and" insert "to provide with respect to motions for appeal;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 4, after "court;" and before "and" insert "to provide with respect to motions for appeal;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 7, after "court;" and before "and" insert "to provide with respect to motions for appeal;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:
"Art. 915. Action on a motion for appeal; return; notice

A. When a motion for an appeal is made in conformity with Articles 912, 914, and 914.1 the trial court shall grant or deny the motion within seventy-two hours, exclusive of legal holidays, after the motion is made. The return date shall be sixty-seven-five days from the date the motion for appeal is granted, unless the trial judge fixes a lesser period. When a motion for an appeal has been timely made, the appeal shall not be affected by any fault or omission on the part of the trial court."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 522—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COPELIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 27:24(E), relative to the rulemaking authority of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to prohibit the board from authorizing phantom or simulated riverboat cruises; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Windhorst, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 998—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHN SMITH AND TRICHE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 49:191(12) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(j), relative to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 998 by Representative John Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 17, change “2006” to “2002”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 15, change “2005” to “2001”

On motion of Rep. John Smith, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. John Smith, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.3(A)(1), (B), and (C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (4) and to enact R.S. 15:571.3(C)(1)(t), relative to diminution of sentences; to provide that prisoners who have been convicted of crimes which require those prisoners to register as sex offenders are not eligible to earn the diminution of sentence known as “good time”; to provide with regard to convictions of certain crimes for which diminution of sentence shall not be allowed; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 1026 by Representative Perkins

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after “(A)(1)” and before “and to” change “and (B)” to ”, (B), and (C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (4)"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 6, after the semicolon ";" and before "and to" insert "to provide with regard to convictions of certain crimes for which diminution of sentence shall not be allowed;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 9, after "(A)(1)" and before "are" change "and (B) to ", (B), and (C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 4, line 4, after "state" and before "of any" insert ", any other state, or the federal government"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 4, after line 8, insert:

"(4) The inmate has been convicted two or more times under the laws of this state, any other state, or the federal government, of any one or more of the following crimes, or attempts to commit the following crimes:

(a) Carnal knowledge of a juvenile.
(b) Indecent behavior with juveniles.
(c) Molestation of a juvenile.
(d) Incest.
(e) Aggravated incest."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1150—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COPELIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 49:191(11)(g) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(g), relative to the Department of Elections and Registration, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Elections and Registration and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existance of such statutory entities; 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

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 49:191" delete "(12)" and insert "(11)(g)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 18, change "2004," to "2002,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 5, after "R.S. 49:191" delete "(12)" and insert "(11)(g)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, delete line 15 and insert the following:

"(11) July 1, 2001:
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AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 16, change "(a)" to "(g)"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1286—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1171(5), 1701, 2366, and 2367 and to enact Part II of Chapter 28 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2371 through 2379, relative to psychologists; to authorize the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists to certify qualified psychologists to prescribe drugs and to provide for other related powers and duties; to provide for definitions; to provide for the duties of a psychologist certified to prescribe; to allow a psychologist certified to prescribe to give directions to certain other health care providers; to establish the qualifications for psychologists certified to prescribe and the requirements for such certification; to provide for renewal of the certificate; to provide for grounds for discipline, suspension, and revocation of a certificate; to prohibit issuance of a prescription by a psychologist who is not certified to prescribe; to provide a penalty for violations; to provide for prescribing practices; to provide for controlled substance prescriptive authority; to provide for coordination with the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide for designation of existing law; to provide for the effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1437—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:1474, relative to insurance documents; to provide for the exclusive use; to provide for exceptions; to provide for agreements; to provide for mediation and arbitration; to provide for commissions; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Insurance.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2264 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1437 by Representative Morrish)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:1474, relative to insurance documents; to provide for the exclusive use; to provide for exceptions; to provide for agreements; to provide for mediation and arbitration; to provide for commissions; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

On motion of Rep. Donelon, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 2264 by Rep. Morrish, on behalf of the Committee on Insurance, as a substitute for House Bill No. 1437 by Rep. Morrish.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1484—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACK SMITH AND WOOTON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 330 and Children's Code Article 827(A) and to enact R.S. 14:98(K) and (L), relative to sentences imposed in certain criminal and adjudicatory proceedings; to provide for the use of an ignition interlock device for certain offenses; to provide for home incarceration for certain offenses; to provide with regard to conditions of bail; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 1484 by Representative Jack Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete "R.S. 14:98(C),"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after "14:98(K)" and before the comma "," insert "and (L)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 10 after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, at the beginning of the line 11, change "14:98(K) is" to "R.S. 14:98(K) and (L) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, delete lines 14 through 17

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 26

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, delete lines 1 through 11

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, line 13, after "Section" and before "be" change "shall" to "may"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, line 15, after "throughout the" and before "period" insert "probationary period or" and change "for which he is sentenced" to "of home incarceration"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, between lines 15 and 16 insert the following:

"L. Imposition or execution of sentence shall not be suspended if the offender is convicted of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated more than once during a three-year period. Nothing herein shall prohibit a court from sentencing an offender to home incarceration if otherwise allowed under the provisions of Article 894.2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure."

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 4, line 5, after "14:98" and before "be subject" change "shall" to "may"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 4, line 9, after "bail" and before the period "." insert ", if such service is geographically available"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1506—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(3) and (D) and to enact R.S. 18:1472, relative to elections; to require that candidates be provided information regarding election offenses; to require that a summary of the laws relative to election offenses be given to each candidate who qualifies for election; to require the notice of candidacy to include a certification that the candidate is aware of the laws governing elections offenses; to remove the requirement relative to acknowledgment of receipt of certain informational packets; to provide for the preparation of informational packets concerning election offenses; to provide for the dissemination of certain informational packets to candidates; 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 Original House Bill No. 1506 by Representative Lancaster

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "enact" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(3) and (D) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 2, after "enact" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(3) and (D) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 2, after "relating to" and before "to require" delete "shall" and insert "may"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 5, after "election"; delete the remainder of the line and delete line 6 and insert "to require the notice of candidacy to include a certification that the candidate is aware of the laws governing elections offenses; to remove the requirement relative to acknowledgment of receipt of certain informational packets; to provide for the"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 5, after "election"; delete the remainder of the line and delete line 6 and insert "to require the notice of candidacy to include a certification that the candidate is aware of the laws governing elections offenses; to remove the requirement relative to acknowledgment of receipt of certain informational packets; to provide for the"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 1, line 8, after "of" and before "informational" delete "such" and insert "certain"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 1, line 11, after "Section 1." insert "R.S. 18:463(A)(3) and (D) are hereby amended and reenacted and"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 1, between lines 11 and 12 insert the following:

"§463. Notice of candidacy; financial statements; political advertising; penalties

A. * * *

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(3) The notice of candidacy also shall include a certificate signed by the candidate certifying that he is knowledgeable of the laws governing election offenses as provided in Chapter 10 of this Title and that he is knowledgeable of the prohibitions relative to erecting, displaying, or posting political campaign signs on any highway right-of-way, publicly owned property or right-of-way, or to or on any public utility pole or stanchion, as provided in R.S. 48:347(D), R.S. 25:1118(A), and R.S. 18:1470. Except as provided in R.S. 25:1118, whoever so erects, displays, or posts political campaign signs on any publicly owned property or right-of-way, or to or on any public utility pole or stanchion shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not in excess of one hundred dollars or imprisoned for not more than thirty days, or both.

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D. Not later than the Friday before the opening of the qualifying period provided in R.S. 18:1067 for any primary election, the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance Disclosure shall deliver a sufficient number of informational packets containing reporting forms and instructions to all officials with whom candidates will qualify for the gubernatorial such primary election or any special primary election to be held at the same time. The informational packet shall include a notice to the candidate that questions concerning the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act should be addressed to the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance Disclosure, not the official with whom the candidate qualifies. Such informational packets shall be distributed to each candidate upon receipt of the candidate’s notice of candidacy by the official with whom the candidate qualifies for office. The official with whom the candidate qualifies shall require the candidate to sign an acknowledgment of the receipt of the informational packet. The official with whom the candidate qualifies shall forward the original written acknowledgment signed by the candidate to the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance Disclosure within five working days after the close of the qualifying period.

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AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 8 through 15 and insert "of candidacy."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 26, after "to" and before "the officials" insert "the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance Disclosure who shall forward such packets to"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1733—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDEEN, HANKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3972(B)(1)(introductory paragraph), 3973(1)(a), 3982, 3983(A)(2)(a)(i), (3)(a), (4), and (5), (B)(1), and (D), 3991(B)(1), (3), (6), (7), (10), and (21), 3992(A)(1), 3995(A), (B), and (C), 3996(C), 3997(A)(1)(a), (2), and (3) and (C)(1)(a) and (2), (D), and (E), 3998(C) and (D), 3999, 4001(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 17:3973(1)(f) and 3991(B)(23), (C)(1)(c)(iv), (E)(5), and (H), all relative to the Charter School Demonstration Programs Law; to provide relative to purposes, definitions, local school board duties, chartering process, charter terms, charter operations, charter renewal length, pupil admission requirements, charter contents, charter school employees, assets, property, and funding; to provide for the application of certain laws; to provide relative to charter school loans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 1733 by Representatives DeWitt, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after "](21)," delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 6, delete "(b)," and insert "3992(A)(1), 3995(A),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "(2)," and before "(3)" insert "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "(C)(1)(a)" change the comma ",," to "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 8, after "3973(1)(f)," insert "and" and after "3973(1)(f)" delete the comma ",,"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 8, after "(H)," delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 9, delete "(G),"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 1, after "(21)," delete the remainder of the line and insert "3992(A)(1), 3995(A), (B),"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 2, after "3997(A)(1)(a), (2), and before"("3) insert "and"
to Subsection C of this Section and using such annual review process, a charter may be revoked for failure to meet agreed upon academic results as specified in the charter.

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, at the end of line 4, after "(H)" delete the comma ",," and delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 5, delete "(G)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, line 11, after "Chapter." and before "The" insert the following:

"Such review and formal action does not require final approval or disapproval of such charter school proposal within thirty days, but within such time the local school board shall indicate whether it is interested in working with the charter school group on its proposal and what specific time line and procedures the local school board will follow prior to coming to a final decision. If the local school board expresses within thirty days no interest in working with the group, or if no final decision is received within sixty days after the submission of the proposal, then the chartering group may submit its proposal to the state board for its review."

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 3, line 17, after "type 1" and before "or" delete the comma ",," and delete "type 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 6, line 23, after "then" and before "proposal" change "the" to "a"

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 6, line 12, after "is" and before "not" insert "submitted to but" AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 6, at the end of line 13, after "during" change "an" to "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 6, line 16, after "within" and before "approval" change "an" to "the same"

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 8, line 22, after "charter" delete the period ".," and insert "that the charter school will reflect the current year's at-risk percentage."

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 10, delete lines 25 and 26 and on page 11, delete lines 1 through 4 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 12, at the end of line 21, after "approval" delete the period ".," and insert a comma "," and insert the following:

"with a written report being provided annually to the chartering authority regarding the school's academic progress that year. Pursuant
by the state Department of Education using the most recent local
revenue data and projected pupil counts available. Allocations shall
be adjusted during the year to reflect actual pupil counts and actual
prior year local revenue collections.

(3) In no case shall the per pupil amount required in Paragraph
(1) of this Subsection be less than the combined state and local per
pupil allocation for the district in which the charter school is located
as defined by the most recent legislatively approved minimum
foundation program formula resolution, including all levels.

(4) Charter schools may agree to a lesser per pupil amount than
that required in Paragraph (1) or (3) of this Subsection in exchange
for specific services that the chartering authority agrees to provide to
the school.

(5) Within fifteen days after the receipt of any state, local, or
other funding to which the charter school is entitled or which came
as a result of students enrolled in the charter school, the chartering
authority shall ensure that those funds are available for use by such
charter schools."

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 14, line 13, after "services," and before "federal" delete "the
state and" and insert "any state special education funding beyond that
provided in the minimum foundation program and any"

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 14, at the beginning of line 19, after "any" delete the
remainder of the line and insert "type 1, 3, or 4 charter school"

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 14, line 21, after "federal," and before "funding" delete
"state, or local" and insert "restricted state, and unrestricted state"

AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 15, at the end of line 2, delete "Local" and at the beginning
of line 3, delete "school boards" and insert "The chartering authority"

AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 15, line 4, after "any" and before "charter" delete "type 1, 3,
or 4"

AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 15, line 4, after "than" and before "days" change "five" to
"fifteen"

AMENDMENT NO. 26
On page 15, at the beginning of line 5, change "local board" to
"chartering authority"

AMENDMENT NO. 27
On page 15, delete lines 8 through 25, and on page 16, delete lines 1
through 6 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 16, line 15, after "any" and before "charter" insert "type 1,
3, or 4"

AMENDMENT NO. 29
On page 16, delete line 16, and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 30
On page 16, at the end of line 22, insert "All potential charter school
employees shall be notified of the specific benefits they will be
offered, as specified in the school's charter agreement."

AMENDMENT NO. 31
On page 17, delete lines 3 and 4 and insert "the school"

AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 17 line 6, after "of" and before "retirement" delete "leave and"

AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 17, line 8, after "status" delete the comma "," and insert a
period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 9 and
10 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 34
On page 17, line 20, after "charter" delete the comma "," and insert a
period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete line 21 in
its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 35
On page 18, at the end of line 3, after "except" change "any" to "as
otherwise" and delete line 4 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 36
On page 18, at the beginning of line 10, change "contracted" to
"hired"

AMENDMENT NO. 37
On page 18, line 20, after "certificate," insert the following:
"However, such regular teacher certificate is only valid for teaching
within a charter school, and any teacher with such certificate hired to
teach in a public school other than a charter school shall be required
to successfully complete the teacher assistance and assessment
program."

AMENDMENT NO. 38
On page 19, line 17, after "extent" and before "possible" change "technically" to "statistically"

AMENDMENT NO. 39
On page 20, at the end of line 15, after "administrative" and before
"costs" insert "and legal"

AMENDMENT NO. 40
On page 20, line 16, after "the" and before "program" change "loan" to "charter school"

AMENDMENT NO. 41
On page 21, line 1, after "funding" and before "and" insert "which
complies with the provisions of this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 42
On page 21, line 7, after "Such" delete the period "." and insert "and how such request complies with the
provisions of this Section. The state board may reject any such
request which does not comply with terms of this Section."
AMENDMENT NO. 43
On page 21, at the beginning of line 21, after "persons," and before "or" insert "for any purchase not related to the creation of the charter school."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:33, relative to civil service; to provide relative to employment in the state civil service; to require proof of draft registration to be eligible for certain classified and unclassified state civil service employment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2055—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
AN ACT
To provide that the Jefferson Parish School Board may name an Air Force Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps program building at West Jefferson High School in honor of Colonel Louis B. Cole; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2068—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI
AN ACT
To repeal R.S. 22:1407(J), (K)(1), and (L), to delete provisions relative to workers' compensation insurance rates and the rating commission.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Original House Bill No. 2068 by Representative Ansardi

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, change "(K)" to "(K)(1)"

On page 1, line 5, change "(K)" to "(K)(1)"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2069—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHOT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:449(A), (C), (E), and (G), relative to oyster tags; to require certain information be contained on the tag; to provide relative to the ten percent tolerance for loss of tags; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 2069 by Representative Michot

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, delete lines 14 and 15 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"E. Possession of untagged sacks"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 17, delete "in excess of the tolerance"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, at the end of line 22, add the following:

"Only untagged or improperly tagged sacks or containers of oysters may be seized in connection with any violation of this Subsection."

On motion of Rep. John Smith, the amendments were adopted.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2070—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:327(A)(1)(a), 411(6) and 412(A)(4), relative to fishing; to provide for exceptions to the prohibitions on the selling or purchasing of certain fish; to provide relative to hybrid bream; to provide for the definition of "domesticated fish"; to provide for the propagation, production, and transportation of hybrid bream; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.
On motion of Rep. John Smith, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2117—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WADDELL AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 18:451.2, relative to candidates for office; to provide for qualifications for candidates for certain offices; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2123—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD AND FARVE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2115(A), relative to prayer in schools; to remove restriction that prayer authorized for students and teachers be silent prayer; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2128—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:15(B)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 27:24(F), relative to the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide with respect to the authority of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide with respect to rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2262 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1584 by Representative Damico)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE, AND SENATORS DARDEENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2050.8, relative to the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide relative to enforcement; to provide relative to cease and desist orders; to provide for requirements for cease and desist orders; its provide for termination of cease and desist orders; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

Motion

Rep. Martiny moved that the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice be directed to report House Bill No. 1701 in accordance with the provisions of House Rule No. 6.15 by Wednesday, May 12, 1999.


Motion

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


By a vote of 61 yeas and 26 nays, the House agreed to order the previous question on the entire subject matter.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Ansardi
Barton
Bowler
Bruce
Chaisson
Curtis
Damico
Doerge
Donelon
Total—25

NAYS

Alexander
Baudoin
Bayor
Bruneau
Carter
Clarkson
Copelin
Crane
Daniel
Deville
DeWitt
Diez
Durand
Faucherix
Flavin
Frisch
Green
Hammett
Heaton
Hill
Hopkins
Iles
Jenkins
Total—67

Montgomery
Morrell
Pierre
Powell
Toomy
Wooton

Shaw
Smith, J.D.—50th
Smith, J.R.—30th
Sneed
Stelly
Theriot
Thompson
Thornhill
Travis
Triche
Waddell
Walsworth
Waller
Welch
Weston
Wiggs
Wilkinson
Willard
Windhorst
Winston
Wright
The House refused to order the committee to report the bill on Wednesday, May 12, 1999.

### 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. 342**

**BY SENATORS CAIN AND SMITH**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2795.2, relative to limitation of liability; to provide for limitation of liability at livestock functions; to provide for definitions; to define areas of responsibility and affirmative acts for which activity sponsors, professionals, and participants shall be responsible; to specify risks of injury for which activity sponsors, professionals, and participants shall not be responsible; to provide for the posting of a warning notice; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 348**

**BY SENATOR ULLO**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:1(12) and (30), 606(A), the introductory paragraph of 659(A) and 660(1), and to enact R.S. 8:1(42) and 660(4), relative to cemeteries; to provide for the rearrangement and reuse of cemetery space; to provide for commencement and completion requirements; to provide for permission to remove remains; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 348 by Senator Ullo

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 12, delete "or"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, line 8, after "seizure" and before the period "." insert ", not to exceed three hundred thousand dollars"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 3, line 16, after "credit" and before the comma "," insert "or services"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 3, line 26, change the period "." to ", or"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 3, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

"(9) For any obligation arising from the conviction of a felony or misdemeanor which has the possibility of imprisonment of at least six months,"

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 659**

**BY SENATOR MALONE**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2363(6), (12), (13), (14), and (15), the introductory paragraph of 2370(E), and 2374(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 30:2363(16), relative to hazardous materials; to provide for definitions, terms, and reporting procedures under the Right-to-Know Law; to provide relative to fees for certain facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Environment.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 855**

**BY SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, SCHEDLER, THOMAS, CAMPBELL, BEAN, DEAN, LENTINI AND ROMERO AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, CRANE, THORNHILL, BARTON, DONELOON, FLAVIN, KENNARD, LANCASTER, PERKINS, SCALISE, SHAW, TOOMY AND WIGGINS**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 20:1, relative to homesteads; to provide for an increase in the acreage and value of a homestead which shall be exempt from seizure; to provide for exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 855 by Senator Dardenne

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 12, delete "or"
AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, at the end of line 11, after the period "." add the following:

"The waiver shall not be required or permitted for the rendering of medical treatment, medical services, or hospitalization."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 860 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1060)—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE AND REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS AND COAUTHORED BY SENATORS EWING, HANKEL, BARHAM, SCHEDLER AND ROMERO AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER, AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 9:2798.4, relative to civil liability; to prohibit the recovery of damages of certain persons who operate a vehicle while under the influence of alcoholic beverages or drugs; to provide for certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 860 by Senator Dardenne

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after the semicolon ";" and before "and" insert "to provide for damages; to provide for admissible evidence; to provide for presumptive evidence;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 2, change the period "." to a semicolon ";" and insert "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 5, after "$c\)" and before "R.S. 40:964" change "and" to "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 8, after "death," delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 9 through 11 and insert the following: "loss, or property damage, proof of which must be proved by clear and convincing evidence."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 15, after "death," and before "loss" delete the comma ",".

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. 860 by Senator Dardenne

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 5, proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 860 by Senator Dardenne, on line 15 after "before" and before "delete" change "loss" to "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In House Committee Amendment No. 7, proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 860 by Senator Dardenne, on line 11, delete the quotation mark " at the end of the line and insert a quotation mark " at the end of line 17

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In House Committee Amendment No. 9, proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 860 by Senator Dardenne, on line 21 after "page" and before the comma "," change "2" to "3"

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 861 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 936)—
BY SENATORS DARDEENNE AND REPRESENTATIVE McMAINS AND
COAUTHORED BY SENATORS EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND
SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT AND DOWNER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295.1(E), relative to the failure to use safety belts; to provide that the failure to use a safety belt shall be used as evidence to determine comparative negligence, apportionment of fault, or mitigation of damages; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Conforming Amendments proposed by Senator Hines to Reengrossed House Bill No. 214 by Representative Marionneaux (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 810 by Senator Hines)

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, change "unlawful" to "unauthorized"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 3 and 4 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following: "use of sperm, ovum, or embryo; to provide for penalties; and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, delete lines 8 through 16 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following: "§101.2. Unauthorized use of sperm, ovum, or embryo R. S. 14:101.2 is all proposed new law.

A. No person shall knowingly use sperm, ovum, or embryo, through the use of assisted reproduction technology, for any purpose other than that indicated by the sperm, ovum, or embryo provider's signature on a written consent form.

B. No person shall knowingly implant sperm, ovum, or embryo, through the use of assisted reproduction technology, into a recipient who is not the sperm, ovum, or embryo provider, without the signed written consent of the sperm, ovum, or embryo provider and recipient."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 2, after "dollars," delete the remainder of the line, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or be imprisoned, for not more than one year, or both.

sperm to a licensed tissue bank."

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 214 by Representative Marionneaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1
In Senate Conforming Amendments proposed by Senator Hines to Reengrossed House Bill No. 214 by Representative Marionneaux adopted by the Senate on April 26, 1999, in Amendment No. 3, in Subparagraph A after "knowingly use" and before "sperm," insert "a"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
In Senate Conforming Amendments proposed by Senator Hines to Reengrossed House Bill No. 214 by Representative Marionneaux adopted by the Senate on April 26, 1999, in Amendment No. 3 in Subparagraph B after "knowingly implant" and before "sperm" insert "a"
SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Hines to Reengrossed House Bill No. 214 by Representative Marionneaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1
In Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Hines and adopted by the Senate on April 26, 1999, delete Amendment No. 4.

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

"C. Knowing violation of the provisions of this Section shall be grounds for immediate revocation of the violator's professional license."

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

As a substitute motion, Rep. Jenkins moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be rejected.


The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Alexander Jenkins Pratt
Ansardi Johns Quezaire
Baudoin Kennard Romero
Baylor Lancaster Salter
Bowler LeBlanc Scalise
Copelin Martiny Schneider
Diez McCallum Schwegmann
Donelon McDonald Shaw
Dupre McMains Smith, J.R.—30th
Faucheux Michot Sneed
Flavin Mitchell Triche
Fontenot Montgomery Walsworth
Fruge Morrell Warner
Glover Morrish Welch
Green Murray Weston
Guillory Nevers Wiggins
Heaton Odinet Willard
Hunter Pierre Wright
Iles Powell
Total—56

NAYS
Mr. Speaker Durand Pinac
Barton Frith Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruce Gautreaux Theriot
Bruneau Hammett Thompson
Carter Hill Thornhill
Chaisson Hopkins Toomy
Clarkson Kenney Travis
Damico Landrieu Waddell
Daniel Long Wilkerson
Deville Marionneaux Windhorst
Doerge McCain Winston
Total—33

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.
Conference committee appointment pending.

HOUSE BILL NO. 297—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRUGE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Section 4 of Act No. 289 of the 1980 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Act No. 642 of the 1984 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the St. Landry Parish Solid Waste Disposal Commission; to authorize the commission to enter into agreements with local governments in the parish for the use of certain funds of the commission for road improvements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Conforming Amendments proposed by Senator Cravins to Engrossed House Bill No. 297 by Representative Fruge (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 705 by Senator Cravins)

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 5, after "to authorize" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 6 and 7 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"the allocation of surplus funds accumulated by the commission to a fund dedicated to the repair of St. Landry Parish’s infrastructure; and to provide for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, delete lines 20 through 26 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 4(g) is all proposed new law.
(g) To appropriate surplus funds derived from fees collected from persons or political subdivisions for the disposal of solid waste generated outside of the boundaries of the district and to donate or grant said funds to the St. Landry Police Jury and to each of the twelve incorporated municipalities of St. Landry Parish for the repair and maintenance of parish roads and municipal streets in St. Landry Parish and to improve drainage of same. The commission shall have authority to adopt rules governing the disbursement of funds prior to the disbursement of said funds.”

Rep. Fruge moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be rejected.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker Guillory Powell
Alario Hammett Pratt
Alexander Heaton Quezaire
Ansardi Hebert Riddle
Barton Hill Romero
Total—14
Baudoin Hopkins Salter
Baylor Hudson Scalise
Bowler Hunter Schneider
Bruce Iles Schwegmann
Bruneau Jenkins Shaw
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Fontenot Morrish Willard
Frith Murray Windhorst
Fruge Nevers Wooton
Gautreaux Odinet Wright
Glover Pierre Pinac
Green Total—98

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 297: Reps. Fruge, Weston, and Hudson.

HOUSE BILL NO. 305—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HILL, HAMMETT, BRUCE, DEWITT, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, GUILLORY, HUDSON, JOHNS, LONG, MCDONALD, PIERRE, PINAC, QUEZAI R, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, TRICHE, WARNER, AND GAUTREAUX AND SENATORS CAIN AND DYESS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:767, relative to private property surrounded by a wildlife management area; to provide for hunting and fishing regulations on such property; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Natural Resources to Reengrossed House Bill No. 305 by Representative Hill

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 7, add the following:

"The provisions of this Section shall apply only to private property which, as of June 30, 1999, is surrounded by a wildlife management area or property which is privately owned as of June 30, 1999, and is subsequently surrounded by a newly created or expanded wildlife management area. The provisions of this Section shall continue to apply to such property until the property is sold to a new owner."

Rep. Hill moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be rejected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker Guillory Pratt
Alario Hammett Quezaire
Alexander Heaton Romero
Ansardi Hebert Salter
Baudoin Hill Schwegmann
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Fruge Nevers Wooton
Gautreaux Pierre Wright
Glover Pinac Total—92

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Barton Hudson Perkins
Curtis Jetson Riddle
Farve McCain Strain
Holden Morrish Total—11

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.
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:

Local and Consent Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 1313—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:966.1(B), relative to the court reporters for the Twentieth Judicial District; to provide for an increase in salary; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Hammett Powell
Alario Heaton Pratt
Alexander Hebert Quezaire
Ansardi Hill Riddle
Baudoin Hopkins Romero
Baylor Hudson Salter
Bowler Hunter Scalise
Bruce Iles Schneider
Bruneau Jenkins Schwegmann
Carter Johns Shaw
Chaisson Kennard Smith, J.D.—50th
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Fruge Murray Windhorst
Gautreaux Nevers Winston
Glover Odinet Wooton
Green Pierre
Guillory Pinac

Total—94

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Barton Holden Strain
Curtis Jeter Wadell
Doerge Perkins Wright

Total—9

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. 1316—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 29 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9061, relative to neighborhood improvement districts; to create the Lake Carmel Subdivision Improvement District as a special taxing district in the parish of Orleans; to provide relative to a board of commissioners created to govern the district; to provide for the powers, duties, and functions of such board; to authorize the board, subject to voter approval, to levy a parcel fee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

Rep. Willard moved that House Bill No. 1316 be designated as a duplicate of Senate Bill No. 1036.

Which motion was agreed to.

Speaker Pro Tempore Bruneau in the Chair

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Copelin to Engrossed House Bill No. 1316 by Representative Willard

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, after "approval, to" and before "a parcel" delete "levy" and insert "provide for the levying of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 22, after "only" and before "the" delete "as authorized by" and insert "when authorized by a majority of the persons who own property in"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Guillory Pinac
Alario Hammett Powell
Alexander Heaton Pratt
Ansardi Hebert Quezaire
Ansardi Hill Riddle
Baudoin Hopkins Romero
Baylor Hudson Salter
Bowler Hunter Scalise
Bruce Iles Schneider
Bruneau Johns Schwegmann
Carter Kenard Shaw
Chaisson Kenndard

Total—94
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Willard 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. 1323—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT  
To enact Subpart K of Part XI of Chapter 7 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:1107 through 1107.5, relative to regional juvenile justice facilities; to establish and provide for the purposes and functions of a juvenile justice district for the parishes of East Feliciana and West Feliciana; to provide for a board of commissioners of the district and for the composition, administration, powers, and duties of the board, including the power to incur debt, issue bonds, and levy taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis 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. Willard 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. 1366—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:5062(C), relative to weed cutting in municipalities with a population of less than four hundred thousand; to provide relative to the notification period; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Ansardi 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. Ansardi 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.
Rep. Ansardi 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. 1447—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:761(A), (C), and (D), relative to the Clerks' Supplemental Compensation Fund; to provide that all clerks of district courts and criminal district courts in the state shall participate in the fund; to provide which funds will be used to pay the fees in the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans and the Criminal District Court for the parish of Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Murray moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bruneau   Johns   Schwegmann
Carter    Kenney   Shaw
Chaisson  Kenney   Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson  Lancaster Smith, J.R.—30th
Copelin   Landrieu Sneed
Crane     LeBlanc  Stelly
Damico    Long    Theriot
Daniel    Marionneaux Thompson
Deville   Martiny  Thornhill
DeWitt    McCain   Toomy
Diez      McCalum  Travis
Doerge    McDonald Triche
Donelon   McMains  Waddell
Dupre     Michot   Walsworth
Durand    Mitchell  Warner
Farve     Montgomery Welch
Faucheux  Morrell  Weston
Flavin    Morrish  Wiggins
Fontenot  Murray   Wilkerson
Frith     Nevers   Willard
Fruge     Odinet   Windhorst
Gautreaux Perkins  Wooton
Glover    Pierre   Wright

Total—96
NAYS

Green     Pierre   Wright

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis    Hudson   Winston
Holden    Jetson   Winston
Hopkins   Strain

Total—7

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ansardi 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. 1600 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 329)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE AND SENATOR HEITMEIER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:582(A)(4) and (B) and to enact R.S. 11:582(C), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, but applicable only to wildlife agents employed by the enforcement division of the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; to provide with respect to service credit and eligibility for retirement; to provide with respect to benefits and the accrual rate applicable thereto; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Triche moved that House Bill No. 1600 be designated as a duplicate of Senate Bill No. 329.

Which motion was agreed to.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Triche, the bill was returned to the calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1712—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2221(E)(1), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide with respect to membership, contributions, and survivor benefits; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Guillory Powell
Alario Hammett Pratt
Alexander Heaton Quezaire
Ansardi Hebert Riddle
Barton Hill Romero
Baudoin Hopkins Salter
Baylor Hunter Scalise
Bowler Iles Schneider
Bruce Jenkins Schwegmann
Bruneau Johns Shaw
Carter Kenney Smith, J.D.—50th
Chaisson Lancaster Smith, J.R.—30th
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Durand Montgomery Weston
Faucheur Morrell Wiggins
Flavin Morish Wilkinson
Fontenot Murray Willard
Frith Nevers Windhorst
Frouge Odinet Winston
Gautreaux Perkins Wooton
Glover Pierre Wright
Green Pinac

Total—98

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Farve Hudson Strain
Holden Jetson

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. 1717 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 693)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH AND SENATOR CAIN AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE ILES
AN ACT
To enact Subpart B-14 of Part IV of Chapter 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.361 through 130.365, relative to economic development in north Beauregard Parish; to create and comprehensively provide relative to the Beauregard Parish Economic and Industrial Development District; to provide relative to the composition, appointment, and terms of office of the board of commissioners of the district; to provide for the powers, duties, and functions of the board including the power to incur debt; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

Rep. John Smith moved that House Bill No. 1717 be designated as a duplicate of Senate Bill No. 693.

Which motion was agreed to.

Motion

On motion of Rep. John Smith, the bill was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1974—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL (BY REQUEST)
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1152(E), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide with respect to the employment status of a participant therein; to provide with respect to survivor's benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion


Which motion was agreed to.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Daniel, the bill was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1975—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(j), relative to court reporters in the Fourth Judicial District Court; to authorize a majority of the judges to determine certain fees paid to court reporters; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hunter moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Guillory Powell
Alario Hammett Pratt
Alexander Heaton Quezaire

Total—98
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. 2087—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:2180.4, relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide with respect to benefits and the payment thereof through electronic funds transfer; to provide for certain exceptions thereto; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Guillory  Powell
Alario  Hammett  Pratt
Alexander  Heaton  Quezaire
Ansardi  Hebert  Riddle
Barton  Hill  Romero
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Baylor  Hunter  Schneider
Bruce  Iles  Schwegmann
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Fontenot  Murray  Windhorst
Frith  Nevers  Winston
Fruge  Odinet  Wooton
Gautreaux  Perkins  Wright
Glover  Pierre  Pinac
Green  Pinac
Total—100

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Holden  Jetson  Strain
Total—3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2094—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STELLY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:1671.1, relative to the District Attorneys' Retirement System; to provide with respect to investment of fund assets; to further provide regarding retirement eligibility criteria, benefits, service, and service credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Rep. Stelly moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Guillory  Powell
Alario  Hammett  Pratt
Alexander  Heaton  Quezaire
Ansardi  Hebert  Riddle
Barton  Hill  Romero
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Barton  Hill  Romero
Baudoin  Hopkins  Salter
Baylor  Hunter  Scalise
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2174—
BY REPRESENTATIVES STELLY, CURTIS, DANIEL, FLAVIN, JOHNS, SHAW, AND TRICHE

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(2)(b), and to enact R.S. 11:102(B)(2)(c), relative to the Louisiana State Employees’ Retirement System, Teachers’ Retirement System, Louisiana School Employees’ Retirement System, and State Police Pension and Retirement System; to provide with respect to employer contributions and the annual determination thereof; to provide for the Employer Credit Account and for funding of employer contributions therefrom; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Stelly moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bowler
Bruce
Bruneau
Carter
Chaisson
Clarkson
Copelin
Crane
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Damico
Daniel
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Long
Marionneaux
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Pierre
Pinac

Schneider
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Shaw
Smith, J.D.—50th
Smith, J.R.—30th
Sneed
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Thompson
Thornhill
Toomy
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Travis
Waddell
Walsworth
Welch
Weston
Wilkerson
Willard
Windhorst
Winston
Wooton
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Total—98

NAYS

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

ABSENT

Total—5

Mr. Speaker Guillory Powell
Alario Hammett Pratt
Alexander Heaton Quezaire
Ansardi Hebert Riddle

Barton
Baudoin
Baylor
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Total—100

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 692—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARTON

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1416, relative to the Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law; to provide for civil penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Regular Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 1948—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYLOR

To enact R.S. 17:439, relative to school employees; to prohibit requiring city and parish school board employees to provide social security numbers as personal identifiers; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Rep. Baylor moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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ABSENT

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Total—3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Baylor 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. 1983—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOPKINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIZE, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:907(B)(16) and (C) and 927(2), and to enact R.S. 30:907(B)(17), (18), (19), and (20), relative to the Louisiana Surface Mining and Reclamation Act; to require additional information on surface coal mining permit applications to protect the environment, historic places, wildlife, and threatened and endangered species; to increase eligibility requirements for the Small Operator Assistance Program; to eliminate the permit exemption for mines of two acres or less; to provide a permit exemption for certain mining operations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hopkins moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

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ABSENT

Holden     Jetson     Strain
Total—3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Hopkins 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. 2024—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:21(A)(2), relative to records of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide that certain records of an applicant are deemed to be public records; to delete provisions providing for confidentiality of certain information relating to an applicant's background; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Perkins moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Alexander Johns Schneider
Ansardi Kennard Schwegmann
Baudouin Kenney Shaw
Baylor Lancaster Smith, J.R.—30th
Bruce Landrieu Snead
Bruneau LeBlanc Stelly
Chaisson Long Thompson
Clarkson Marionneaux Thornhill
Crane Martiny Travis
Damico McCallum Triche
Daniel McDonald Waddell
Diez McMains Walsworth
Donelon Montgomery Warner
Durand Morrish Weston
Faucheux Neyes Wiggins
Flavin Odinet Wilkerson
Fontenot Perkins Wooton
Frith Pierre Wright
Green Powell Winston
Hebert Quezaire Wooton
Hopkins Riddle Wright
Iles Salter
Jenkins Scalice
Total—67

NAYS
Barton Gautreaux Morrell
Bowler Glover Murray
Carter Guillory Pinac
Copelin Hammett Pratt
Curtis Heaton Romero
Doerge Hill Theriot
Dupre Hunter Toomy
Farve McCain Welch
Fruge Michot
Total—26

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

Suspension of the Rules

On joint motion of Reps. Toomy and Hammett, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect them as voting nay.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2040—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:1368, relative to adjudicatory decisions; to provide for the commissioner of insurance; to provide for the Department of Insurance; to provide for reviews and appeals; to provide for expenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Thornhill to Engrossed House Bill No. 2040 by Representative Bowler

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 9, after "commissioner" and before "the department" replace "or" with a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 9, after "department" and before "seeks" insert ", or any other person"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 11, after "commissioner" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof ", the department or any other person"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 13, after "department" and before "shall" insert "or any other person"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Lancaster to Engrossed House Bill No. 2040 by Representative Bowler

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 12, after "prevail," delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the beginning of line 13, delete "frivolously."

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

Rep. Bowler moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.
ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker | Guillory | Pinac
Alario | Hammett | Powell
Alexander | Heaton | Pratt
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Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis | Jetson |
Holden | Strain |
Total—4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Bowler 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. 2083 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1788 by Rep. Ansardi)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI AND MURRAY
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2021 and to enact Chapter 7 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:3070 through 3092, relative to health insurance; to require authorization or licensure of entities making medical necessity determinations as medical necessity review organizations; to provide for related matters.

and reviews; to provide for standards for independent review organizations; to provide relative to the liability of organizations making medical necessity determinations; to provide for enforcement, including assessments, fines, and grounds for revocation or suspension of licensure; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ansardi to Engrossed House Bill No. 2083 by Representative Ansardi

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 38, at the end of line 5, delete "of his” and delete lines 6 through 9 in their entirety and insert the following:

"and, after notice and opportunity for hearing pursuant to Part XXIX of this Chapter, subject to Chapter 13-B of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, the commissioner shall issue and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 38, line 11, after "any" delete "such"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 39, at the end of line 5, delete "hearing" and delete line 6 in its entirety and insert "opportunity for hearing, be subject at"

On motion of Rep. Ansardi, 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:

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Bowler 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.
"the following transactions:

(a) Direct transfers by and between companies.

(b) Loans made to participants, provided that such loans are secured by the participant's accrued nonforfeitable benefit, and further provided that the rate of interest charged does not exceed the rate of legal interest as established annually by the Supreme Court of Louisiana.

(c) Distributions based on emergency circumstances being experienced by the participant and made pursuant to rules established by the board of trustees of this system in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act."

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

Rep. Long 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. Ansardi 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. 140—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LONG AND THOMPSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:929(B), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the Optional Retirement Plan for academic and administrative employees of public institutions of higher education; to provide regarding benefits payable and the method for payment thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Daniel to Engrossed House Bill No. 140 by Representative Long

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 6, between "thereof;" and "and to" insert "to further provide for plan loans and emergency distributions made pursuant to rules promulgated in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the end of line 14, add a semi-colon ";" and add "plan loans; emergency distributions"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, at the beginning of line 16, delete "B." and add "B.(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 8, between "applicable" and "The Board" insert "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 9, after "approve" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 10 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

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

Rep. Long 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. 322—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PINAC, DANIEL, JOHNS, STELLY, TRICHE, AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1781, relative to Plan A of the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to eligibility requirements for normal retirement; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill.

YEAS

Mr. Speaker        Guilory        Powell
   Alario            Hammett        Pratt
   Alexander         Heaton         Quezaire
   Ansardi           Hebert         Riddle
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   Doerge            McDonald       Warner
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   Flavin            Murray         Windhorst
   Fontenot          Nevers         Wooton
   Frith             Odinet         Wright
   Fruge             Perkins        Wooton
   Gautreaux         Pierre         Wooton
   Green             Pinac

Total—97

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Glover            Jetson          Smith, J.R.—30th
   Holden           Mitchell        Strain

Total—6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 496—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405(E), relative to training requirements for peace officers; to provide for requirements for officers employed in certain villages; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Windhorst to Engrossed House Bill No. 496 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, after "period of" and before "calendar" change "one" to "two" and change "year" to "years"

On motion of Rep. Windhorst, 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        Powell
   Alario            Hebert        Pratt
   Alexander         Hill           Quezaire
   Ansardi           Hopkins       Riddle
   Barton            Hudson        Romero
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   Frith             Murray        Wooton
   Fruge             Nevers        Willard
   Gautreaux         Odinet        Windhorst
   Green             Perkins       Winston
   Guillory          Pierre        Wooton
   Hammett          Pinac

Total—93
HOUSE BILL NO. 779—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, ANSARDI, AND MCCAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 423 and to repeal R.S. 13:1596(F), to provide for the continuous revision of the Children's Code; to provide for hearing officers in juvenile court proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Damico to Engrossed House Bill No. 779 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "proceedings;" insert "to provide for additional clerk of court personnel and payment;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13 after "Code."

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 781—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, ANSARDI, AND MCCAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 424 and to enact Children's Code Articles 116(2.1) and (2.2), 424.1, 424.2, 424.3, 424.4, 424.5, 424.6, 424.7, 424.8, 424.9, and 424.10, all with respect to court appointed special advocates (CASA); to provide for definitions, purpose, appointment of a CASA program, assignment of a CASA volunteer, order of assignment, duties, notice, appearance as a witness and attendance at court, access to records, reports, requests for hearings, confidentiality, and immunity of CASA volunteers and others; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. McCain moved the final passage of the bill.
Amendments proposed by Representative Stelly to Engrossed House Bill No. 836 by Representative Daniel

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after “reenact” delete the remainder of the line, and delete lines 3 through 6 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof “R.S. 11:1144(B) and 1145(A), relative to the Louisiana School Employees’ Retirement System; to provide”

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, line 1, after “Section 1.” delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 2 through 20 in their entirety, and insert in lieu thereof “R.S. 11:1144(B) and 1145(A) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:”

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 5, after line 5, add:

“Section 2. This Act shall take effect and become operative if and when the Act which originated as House Bill No. 2174 of this 1999 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted and becomes effective.”

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representatives Damico and Wilkerson to Engrossed House Bill No. 836 by Representative Daniel

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, between “R.S. 11:102(B)(2)(b),” and “1144(B),” insert “1002(12),”

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, between lines 20 and 21, insert:

“§1002. Definitions

As used in this Chapter, the following words and phrases shall have the meaning ascribed to them in this Section unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context:

* * *

(12) “Earnable compensation” means the full amount earned by an employee for a given pay period. Earnable compensation shall
include both base pay and operational pay for school bus operators. Unless otherwise provided, earnable compensation shall not include operating expenses, the cost of any insurance paid by the employer, or any allowance for expenses authorized and incurred as an incident of employment, nor payments in lieu of unused sick or annual leave. Contributions made by the employer under the provisions of this Chapter shall not be considered as a part of the employee's rate of pay or compensation notwithstanding the provisions of any other law.

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**Point of Order**

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

**Ruling of the Chair**

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

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

Rep. Daniel 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. Daniel 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. 864—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2220(B)(1)(a), relative to the Municipal Police Employees’ Retirement System; to provide with respect to survivor benefits, the limitations and payment thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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Glover  Jetson  
Holden  Strain  
Total—4

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. 1032—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:1379(D), relative to the office of state police, public safety services, of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for personnel who are commissioned police employees of the office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Salter moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Guillory  Pinac  
Alario  Hammett  Powell  
Alexander  Heaton  Pratt  
Ansardi  Hebert  Quezaire  
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Fontenot  Murray  Willard  
Frith  Nevers  Windhorst  
Fruge  Odinet  Winston  
Gautreaux  Perkins  Wooton  
Green  Pierre  Wright  
Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1116—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:1379.9, relative to the office of state police; to provide for the Atchafalaya unit of the office of state police in the Atchafalaya Basin area; to provide for duties and authority of the unit; to provide for authority of the deputy secretary of public safety services; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Copelin moved that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.


By a vote of 67 yeas and 23 nays, the House agreed to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1231—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SALTER AND DOWNER
AN ACT
To enact Part II-C of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:2238 through 2240.1, relative to the procurement of certain used fire and emergency response vehicles, including associated equipment, with a unit cost of less than one hundred thousand dollars by political subdivisions; to provide for definitions; to provide for methods of procurement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Salter moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Green  Pinac  
Alario  Guillory  Powell  
Alexander  Hammett  Pratt  
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Barton  Hebert  Riddle  
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Green  Pierre  Wright  
Total—24

NAYS

Total—0
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1427—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDELLE, EWING, HAINKE, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:398(F) and (G), relative to accident reports; to require law enforcement agencies to provide copies of video tapes, audio tapes, extraordinary-sized documents, or documents stored on electronic media; to authorize a reasonable fee for copies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1232—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:441(C), relative to a mayor's court; to provide the presiding officer with judicial immunity; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Salter moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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

Rep. Downer 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. 1671—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER*

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(6) and 783(A), (D), (G), and (I), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System; to provide with respect to definitions; to provide regarding beneficiaries and the designation thereof; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1718—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

To enact R.S. 33:447, relative to mayor's courts; to create the Mayor's Court for the Village of Forest in West Carroll Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Thompson moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Pratt 
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Riddle 
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Salter 
Scalise 
Schneider 
Schwegmann 
Shaw 
Smith, J.D.—50th 
Smith, J.R.—30th 

NAYS

Mr. Speaker Guillory Pratt 
Alario Hammett Quezaire 
Alexander Heaton Riddle 
Ansardi Hebert Romero 
Barton Hill Salter 
Baudoin Hopkins Scalise 
Baylor Hudson Schneider 
Bowler Hunter Schwegmann 
Bruce Iles Shaw 
Brunet Jenkins Smith, J.D.—50th 
Chaisson Johns Smith, J.R.—30th 

Total—98

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ABSENT

Heaton Jetson Strain Holden Lancaster Strain 
Alex Anderson Heaton Riddle 
Bartlett Hudson Schwegmann 
Bruce Iles Shaw 
Brunet Jenkins Smith, J.D.—50th 
Chaisson Johns Smith, J.R.—30th 

Total—5

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 her own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1720—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1502.1(A)(1) and (2) and (C)(2)(a), relative to service charges assessed by certain fire protection districts; to provide relative to the assessment of such charge against grounds on which structures are situated; to provide relative to structures subject to such assessment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Weston moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Green 
Alario Guillory Powell 
Alexander Hammett Pratt 
Ansardi Heaton Quezaire 
Barton Hebert Riddle 
Baudoin Hill Salter 
Baylor Hopkins Scalise 
Bowler Hudson Schneider 
Bruce Hunter Schwegmann
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Salter, the bill was returned to the calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 100—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL**

To enact R.S. 34:1951(D), relative to the South Tangipahoa Parish Port Commission; to provide for the terms of office of the members of the board of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Powell to Engrossed House Bill No. 100 by Representative Powell

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 16, after “members.” delete the remainder of the line

**AMBENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, delete lines 1 and 2

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

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

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Durand, and under a suspension of the rules, consideration of the above bill was deferred at this time.

**Speaker Downer in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1924—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1426 and to enact R.S. 15:708(A)(5), relative to inmate labor; to authorize a sheriff to contract with the United States government to provide certain services; to authorize a sheriff to use inmate labor to work on flood gates or locks situated on a waterway within a parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**House Bill No. 1924**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1426 and to enact R.S. 15:708(A)(5), relative to inmate labor; to authorize a sheriff to contract with the United States government to provide certain services; to authorize a sheriff to use inmate labor to work on flood gates or locks situated on a waterway within a parish; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rep. Powell 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. 121—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295.1(A) and (B), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for the use of safety belts in certain vehicles; to provide for the use of safety belts in certain vehicles; to provide for related matters. Read by title.

Rep. Faucheux moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

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Donelon | McMains | Warner
Dupre | Michot | Welch
Durand | Mitchell | Weston
Farve | Montgomery | Wiggins
Faucheux | Morrell | Wilkerson
Flavin | Morrise | Willard
Fontenot | Murray | Windhorst
Frith | Nevers | Winston
Fruge | Odinet | Wooton
Gautreaux | Perkins | Wright
Glover | Pierre | Pinac
Green | Pinac | Total—100

NAYS

Holden | Jetson | Strain
Total—3

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 85—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295.1(A) and (B), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for the use of safety belts in certain vehicles; to provide for related matters. Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representatives Morrish and Guillory to Engrossed House Bill No. 85 by Representative Salter

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, delete "295.1(A) and (B)" and insert "62(A) and 295.1(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 32:62(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after "vehicles;" and before "and" insert "to establish maximum speed limits for certain vehicles; to provide for relative driving on the right side of the road; to provide for overtaking and passing vehicles;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 6, after "R.S. 32:;" delete the remainder of the line and insert "62(A) and 295.1(A) and (B) and (B) and to enact R.S. 32:62(E) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, add the following:

"§62. Maximum speed limit; certain vehicles
A. No person shall operate any freight carrying vehicle upon the highways of this state at a speed in excess of fifty-five miles per hour except as follows:

1) No person shall operate any freight carrying vehicle upon any interstate or controlled access highway of this state at a speed in excess of seventy sixty-five miles per hour. However, on any portion of an interstate or controlled access highway of this state which has a posted speed limit of less than sixty-five miles per hour, the speed
limit for a freight-carrying vehicle shall be five miles per hour less than the posted speed limit.

(2) No person shall operate any freight carrying vehicle upon any multi-lane divided highway of this state which has partial or no control of access in excess of sixty-five miles per hour. However, on any portion of a multilane divided highway with partial or no control of access which has a posted speed limit for a freight-carrying vehicle shall be five miles per hour less than the posted speed limit.

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E. The provisions of R.S. 32:71 through 82 relative to driving on the right side of the road and overtaking and passing vehicles shall specifically apply to freight-carrying vehicles.

Point of Order

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

Ruling of the Chair

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

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

Rep. Salter moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Farve  Montgomery  Weston
Fauchoux  Morrell  Wiggins
Flavin  Morris  Wilkerson
Fontenot  Murray  Willard
Frith  Nevers  Windhorst
Fruge  Odinet  Winston
Gautreaux  Perkins  Wooten
Glover  Pierre  Wright
Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

Holden  Mitchell
Jetson  Strain

Total—4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 145—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DONELON, ALARIO, AND DANIEL
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 20(A)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to extend the homestead exemption to a home which a person occupies as his primary residence and which he purchased under a bond for deed contract; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Bowler to Engrossed House Bill No. 145 by Representative Donelion

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 13, after "who" and before "the" change "purchased" to "is purchasing"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 25, after "who" and before "the" change "purchased" to "is purchasing"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Guillory  Powell
Alario  Hammett  Pratt
Alexander  Heaton  Quezaire
Ansardi  Hebert  Riddle
Barton  Hill  Romero
Baudoin  Hopkins  Salter
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Fruge  Odinet  Winston
Gautreaux  Perkins  Wooten
Glover  Pierre  Wright
Total—99

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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. 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. 179—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS**

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1941(3) and (6), 1943(A), and 1944(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 51:1948(D), relative to motor vehicle warranties; to include motor home in the definition of motor vehicle; to provide for time limits to conform to warranties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Travis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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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. 233—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, AND HUNTER AND SENATORS EWING, BARHAM, DARDENNE, AND HAINKEL**

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of Forty-two Million Seven Hundred Nineteen Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-six and No/100 ($42,719,286.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of the state general fund and the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand and No/100 ($350,000.00) Dollars out of the state general fund to provide for the Legislative Auditor Ancillary Enterprise Fund, and the sum of Seven Million One Hundred Thousand and No/100 ($7,100,000.00) Dollars out of self-generated funds, to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; and otherwise to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made.

Read by title.

Rep. Downer 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. Downer 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. Kennard, 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:

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

May 6, 1999

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

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

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 46—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, DUPRE, TRICHE, CARTER, AND POWELL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of state parks to study the feasibility of developing a motorized off-highway vehicle recreation program in Louisiana and to report its findings to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 47—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, ALEXANDER, BRUCE, CARTER, CRANE, DEWITT, DIEZ, DONELON, DURAND, GREEN, ILES, JOHNS, KENNEY, LONG, McCAIN, MCCALLUM, McMAINS, ODINET, POWELL, ROMERO, SALTER, SHAW, THERIOT, WESTON, WILKERSON, AND WINDHORST

A RESOLUTION

To proclaim May 10 through May 15, 1999, as Police Week 1999 in the state of Louisiana in recognition of those brave men and women across the state who dedicate their lives to public service and protection as law enforcement officers and in honor of those who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty.

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

May 6, 1999

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. 174—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, GREEN, ANSARDI, BOWLER, CARTER, CLARKSON, FRUGE, WALSWORTH, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WRIGHT, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, BARTON, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, CHAISSON, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FONTENOT, FRITH, GAUTREAUX, GLOVER, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUNTER, ILES, JENKINS, JETSON, KENNARD, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MICHOT, MITCHELL, MONTGOMERY, MORREL, MORGAN, MURRAY, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZARE, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SWEGMANN, SHAW, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, STRAIN, THERIOT, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, AND WOOTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana on the death of Mr. Johnny Johns.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 175—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BARTON, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, CARTER, CHAISSON, CLARKSON, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FONTENOT, FRITH, GAUTREAUX, GLOVER, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUNTER, ILES, JENKINS, JETSON, KENNARD, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MICHOT, MITCHELL, MONTGOMERY, MORREL, MORGAN, MURRAY, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZARE, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SWEGMANN, SHAW, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, STRAIN, THERIOT, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, AND WOOTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana on the death of Mr. Johnny Johns.
LEBLANC, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MCCAINE, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHTO, MITCHELL, MONTOYER, MORRELL, MORKRISH, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZARIE, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALNE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, STRAIN, THIBODEAUX, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOMOY, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADELL, WALTHOUR, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSO, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS BAJOIE, BARHAM, BEAN, BOISIÈRE, BRANCH, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CASANOVA, COX, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DYESS, ELLINGTON, EWING, C. FIELDS, W. FIELDS, GREENE, HAINEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLLS, IRONS, JOHNSON, JONES, JORDAN, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LENTINI, MALONE, ROBICHAUX, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SIRACUSA, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, THOMAS, AND ULLO.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Douglas Lewis Manship, Sr., a civic leader, outstanding publisher, and a caring person who had a profound impact on Baton Rouge.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 186—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, CRANE, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DEWITT, DIEZ, DONELON, FAUCHEUX, FONTENOT, HOHEN, ILES, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LONG, MCCALLUM, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, ODINET, PERKINS, SALTER, SCALNE, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, THOMPSON, WALTHOUR, WARNER, WESTON, WINDHORST, AND WOOTON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Senator J. Bennett Johnston, Football Hall of Fame star Jim Taylor, actress Faith Ford, and singer Irma Thomas for the success they have achieved in each of their respective professional endeavors and for receiving the Louisiana Legends Award from the Friends of Louisiana Public Broadcasting.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 187—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY AND ANSARDI
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize the Louisiana Diabetes Council, Southeast Region, as an organization dedicated toward improving the recognition, education, and treatment of the disease, diabetes mellitus, and reducing the long-term costs to the state for treating patients with diabetes mellitus and its many complications.
Respectfully submitted,
DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Concurrent Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk of the House and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
May 6, 1999

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. 188
Returned without amendments.
Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
May 6, 1999

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:
Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS
May 6, 1999

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. 986, 1004, 1009, 1012, 1013, and 1026

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Morrish, 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. 986—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2721.6(A)(2), relative to municipalities and parishes; to provide authorization for parishes and school boards to establish new limits of local sales and use taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 1004—
BY SENATOR DEAN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:222(B), relative to school entrance; to encourage that a social security number be furnished by a child entering a school system for the first time; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 1009—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 56:1847(56) and 1855(J), relative to the scenic rivers system; to include that segment of the Tangipahoa River from the Interstate 12 crossing to its entrance into Lake Ponchartrain in Tangipahoa Parish in the Louisiana Natural and Scenic Rivers System; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 193—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Rev. Jesse Jackson on his success in freeing the American servicemen Christopher J. Stone, Steven M. Gonzales, and Andrew Ramirez from their imprisonment by the Serbian forces of Slobodan Milosevic.

Read by title.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 194—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Muriel Cynthia Jones Williams.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Willard, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 195—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of LeRoy L. Lafon.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Lafon, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.
### Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

#### Report of the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice

May 6, 1999

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

- House Bill No. 364, by Crane
  Reported with amendments. (9-1-1) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 397, by Iles
  Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 684, by Copelin
  Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1005, by Weston
  Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1041, by Warner
  Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1093, by McCain
  Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1051, byAnsardi
  Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1127, by DeWitt
  Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1669, by DeWitt
  Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1670, by DeWitt
  Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1093, by Bruce
  Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 2063, by Mitchell
  Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 2064, by Mitchell
  Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

**STEPHEN J. WINDHORST**
Chairman

#### Report of the Committee on Education

May 6, 1999

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

- House Bill No. 180, by Wiggins
  Reported by substitute. (14-0)
- House Bill No. 1503, by Thompson
  Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 1612, by Pratt
  Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 180, by Barton
  Reported favorably. (7-5) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 2106, by Walworth
  Reported with amendments with recommendation to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations. (7-5)
- House Bill No. 2135, by Farve
  Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 2213, by McDonald
  Reported favorably. (13-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 2252, by Wiggins
  Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)
- Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 35, by Irons
  Reported favorably. (13-0)
- Senate Bill No. 1024, by Dardenne
  Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

**CHARLES MCDONALD**
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

#### Report of the Committee on Health and Welfare

May 6, 1999

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

- House Bill No. 1167, by J. Smith
  Reported with amendments. (9-9) (Local and Consent)
- House Bill No. 1774, by Durand
  Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Local and Consent)
- House Bill No. 2149, by Triche
  Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)
- House Bill No. 2162, by Iles
  Reported favorably. (9-0) (Local and Consent)
- House Bill No. 2181, by Wilkerson
  Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Local and Consent)

**RODNEY ALEXANDER**
Chairman

#### Report of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

May 6, 1999

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

- House Bill No. 603, by Thompson
  Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Local and Consent)
- House Bill No. 1689, by Barton
  Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)
House Bill No. 1802, by Thompson
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Local and Consent)

House Bill No. 2012, by Montgomery
Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2108, by John Smith
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Local and Consent)

House Bill No. 2143, by Bruneau
Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2153, by Alario
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2206, by Lancaster
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

CHARLES LANCASTER
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Insurance
May 6, 1999

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 1011, by Carter
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1072, by Alexander
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2120, by Scalise
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 2254, by Bowler
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

JAMES DONELON
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Natural Resources
May 6, 1999

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 142, by Theriot
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 153, by John Smith
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 159, by Theriot
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Bill No. 490, by John Smith
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1224, by Daniel
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Local and Consent)

JOHN R. SMITH
Chairman

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Toomy, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Judiciary to meet and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 42, 43, and 1930

Leave of Absence

Rep. Strain - 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Donelon, at 6:25 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Friday, May 7, 1999, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Friday, May 7, 1999.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

C. Wayne Hays
Journal Clerk, Emeritus