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**THIRTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

Twenty-seventh Extraordinary Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974

House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
Thursday, April 6, 2000

The Committee was called to order at 3:00 P.M. by Chairman Alario.

On motion of Rep. Bruneau, the calling of the roll was dispensed with.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Travis, the Committee took under consideration Senate Bill No. 88 at this time.

**SENATE BILL NO. 88—**

BY SENATORS DARDENNE, HAINKEL AND HOLLIS AND  
REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT AND MCMAINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:559.3(B)(4), R.S. 4: 61(A), 143(2) and (3), 144(A), 161(B), and 161.2(B), R.S. 6:101(A) and 966(J)(4)(f), R.S. 8:61(A), R.S. 9:2341(E)(4) and 3574.2(4), R.S. 11:502.2(A)(2), R.S. 12:953(8), R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(a), R.S. 17:3128.1(C), 3389(B)(4) and (8), 3396.4(A)(12) and 3932(A)(2), R.S. 23:73(E)(2), 2043(A)(3), 2051(B), and 2064(A), R.S. 24:802(B)(5), R.S. 25:900(C)(1), R.S. 27:323(B), R.S. 30:142(D)(5)(c), 2005(E), 2062(C)(5), and 2308(4), R.S. 32:772(A)(1) and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 32:1253(A), R.S. 33:130.19(I) and 4708(B)(3), R.S. 34:3405(B) and 3474(B)(1)(b), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 36:801, R.S. 36:801.1(A), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 36:802, R.S. 36:803(A), 908, and 957, R.S. 37:74(A), 142, 493(A)(1), 1361(B), 1432(A), 1474(A), 1782(1), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:2151(A), R.S. 37:2303(A)(1), 2551(A), 2835(A)(1), 3103(A)(6), 3111(A), 3173(A)(1), and 3394(A), R.S. 38:2216(C)(1), (D)(1) and (3), and (F), and 2233.3(C), R.S. 39:33(A)(2), 112(A)(3)(a)(i), 291(C)(5)(a)(ii), 1734, 1736, and 1953(A), R.S. 40:2745(B)(9), R.S. 43:31(B)(2) and 111(A)(8), R.S. 45:1163.2(E), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:231.12(A), 812(A)(3), 813.1(B)(3), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:1443(A), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:318(B)(2), R.S. 47:318(D), 1123(2), (6), and (9), 1125, 1128, 3202(A)(5) and (B), 3203, 3204(A), (C), and (G), 3205, 4302(A), 4303, 4306, 4313(A)(2), 4314(A), (B)(4) and (C), 4315(A)(1) and (B), and 4319, R.S. 48:82(B)(1)(b), 1403, the introductory

paragraph of R.S. 48:2053(A)(1), R.S. 48:2055, R.S. 49:229.1(B)(1), 968(B)(1) and (21)(a), and 1053(C)(8), R.S. 51:922(1), 923(A) and (C), 924(A), 929, 930, 936.1(A), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:936.1(C), R.S. 51:936.1(D) and (E), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:936.2(A), 936.2(B), 937, 938, 940, 961(A), (B)(1) and (2), 1103(3), 1142(B), 1143(1), 1146, the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:1256(B), R.S. 51:1259(9), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:1318(B), R.S. 51:1782, 1783(3), 1786(4), 1787(A)(1), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:1787(C), R.S. 51:1787(C)(1), and (G), 1923(3) and (7), 1924(G), 1927.1(B), 2141(C)(2), 2205(C)(3)(c), 2321(A), 2322(2), 2332(2) and (6), 2333, 2335(B), 2336(2), 2337, 2377(A), 2378(A), 2379(A)(3), 2381(A), 2382, 2383(A)(2) and (B)(3), 2388(5), 2402(A), 2452(A)(3), 2453(1)(b), (2), (3), (4), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:2453(9)(a), R.S. 51:2453(9)(a)(iii) and (v) and (9)(b), 2455(A), (D), (E)(2), (G), and (H), 2459, and 2461, and the title to Chapter 3 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to enact R.S. 11:502.2(A)(3), R.S. 13:3238, R.S. 14:70.6, R.S. 36:4(E), (H), (I), and (V), 209(R), and 459(H), R.S. 51:1256(B)(1)(c), and Chapter 48 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3025 through 3043, and to repeal R.S. 12:492(E), Chapter 4-A of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:315 through 317, Chapter 3 of Title 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 36:101 through 109, R.S. 46:231.12(A)(6) and 1443(A)(1), R.S. 48:2053(A)(1)(p), R.S. 49:191(11)(a) and 968(B)(1), R.S. 51:935, 936, Part VII of Chapter 3 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 51:981 through 984, R.S. 51:1157.1, 1157.2, 1318(B)(4), Chapter 12 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:1361 through 1368, Chapter 20 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:1751 through 1766, Chapter 32 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2131 through 2134, Part II of Chapter 39 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2311 through 2320.3, R.S. 51:2323 and 2334, and Part V of Chapter 39 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2341 through 2345, relative to economic development; to create Louisiana, Inc. as the central source principal economic development organization of the state; to provide for the membership, powers, duties, functions, obligations, and responsibilities of Louisiana, Inc. and its board of directors; to provide for the composition of the board of directors of the corporation; to provide for the applicability or exemption of certain laws as to the corporation; to provide for legislative oversight and funding; to abolish the Department of Economic Development and transfer certain functions of the department and other agencies within the department to Louisiana, Inc.; to provide for the crime of deceptive certification of a small and emerging business; to transfer certain boards and commissions to other state departments; to provide for venue in suits against the corporation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

Rep. Bowler moved the House recess for ten minutes.

Rep. Jack Smith objected.

By a vote of 27 yeas and 65 nays, the House refused to recess.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Willard, the Committee of the Whole House agreed to rise and report.