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FOURTEENTH 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

Friday, April 7, 2000

The House of Representatives was called to order at 10:00 A.M., by the Honorable Charlie DeWitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Futrell	Perkins
Alario	Glover	Pierre
Alexander, E	Green	Pinac
Alexander, R	Guillory	Pitre
Ansardi	Hammett	Powell
Baudoin	Heaton	Quezaire
Baylor	Hebert	Richmond
Bowler	Hill	Riddle
Broome	Holden	Romero
Bruce	Hopkins	Salter
Bruneau	Hudson	Scalise
Carter, K	Hunter	Schneider
Carter, R	Iles	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, L	Shaw
Clarkson	Jackson, M	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe	Katz	Sneed
Curtis	Kennard	Stelly
Damico	Kenney	Strain
Daniel	LaFleur	Thompson
Dartez	Lancaster	Toomy
Devillier	Landrieu	Townsend
Diez	LeBlanc	Travis
Doerge	Lucas	Triche
Donelon	Martiny	Waddell
Downer	McCallum	Walsworth
Dupre	McDonald	Warner
Durand	McMains	Welch
Erdey	Montgomery	Willkerson
Farrar	Morrell	Willard

Faucheux
Flavin
Frith
Fruge
Total—102

Morrish
Murray
Nevers
Odinet

Windhorst
Winston
Wooton
Wright

ABSENT

Pratt
Total—3

Smith, G.—56th

Smith, J.R.—30th

The Speaker announced that there were 102 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Hill.

Pledge of Allegiance

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

Reading of the Journal

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

On motion of Rep. Jack Smith, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of April 6, 2000, was corrected to reflect him as voting yea on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 88.

On motion of Rep. Waddell, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of April 6, 2000, was corrected to reflect him as voting yea on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 74.

On motion of Rep. Romero, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of April 6, 2000, was corrected to reflect him as voting yea on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 98.

On motion of Rep. Frith, the Journal of April 6, 2000, and the Journals of the Committee of the Whole House of April 6, 2000, were adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and
Communications**

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 7, 2000

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

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

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 27—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER

A RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend Mr. Delton Albert Falcon upon his retirement from the U.S. Postal Service in Houma on May 1, 2000, after thirty-two years of remarkable service; to recognize and record his myriad accomplishments and contributions to his community and the state; and to extend to him the best wishes of the House of Representatives in the future.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 28—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Lauren M. Goins upon her receipt of the 2000 Louisiana Young Heroes award.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, FAUCHEUX, AND FRITH
A RESOLUTION

To express the full support of the House of Representatives to raise the salaries of the elementary and secondary public school teachers of this state to the southern regional average and to urge and request the governor, in cooperation with the legislature, to immediately begin developing a method to fund raising the salaries of these teachers in order to implement the pay raise effective with the beginning of the school year in August 2000.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 30—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Lieutenant Commander John Thomas Kelley III for twenty years of dedicated service in the United States Navy.

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

April 7, 2000

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. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SALTER AND JOHNS AND SENATOR SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To prohibit the Office of Elderly Affairs from making certain planning and service area changes and federal funding distribution changes relative to the Older Americans Act.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER AND SENATOR ULLO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge congress to obtain an apology from the government of Japan for crimes against prisoners of war during World War II.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROOME
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to amend Title X of the United States Code, relating to the compensation of retired military personnel, to permit concurrent receipt of retired military longevity pay and Veterans Administration disability compensation, including dependents allowances.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN AND SENATORS C. FIELDS AND W. FIELDS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to deny Louisiana Land Systems, Inc., a permit for the operation of a solid waste, hazardous waste, or industrial waste facility in East Baton Rouge Parish near Alsen, Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN AND SENATORS C. FIELDS AND W. FIELDS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, to develop and implement in Louisiana's public schools, a reading program similar to the Reading Plan for Michigan.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals, through the office of public health, to assess the needs for funding for Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis for disease management and awareness and to request the Louisiana medical schools to fund research of Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Joint Legislative Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to study the need for age restrictions for operating all-terrain vehicles.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WALSWORTH, THOMPSON, KATZ, R. ALEXANDER, HUNTER, KENNY, MCCALLUM, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KENNARD, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WARNER, WELCH, WILKERSON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS BAJOE, BARHAM, BEAN, BOISSIERE, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CHAISSON, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, ELLINGTON, C. FIELDS, W. FIELDS, FONTENOT, GAUTREAU, HAINKEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, HOYT, IRONS, JOHNSON, B. JONES, C. JONES, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, ROBICHAUX, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, THOMAS, AND ULLO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Jimmy Don Hudson and to recognize and record his distinguished career and his contributions to the state of Louisiana and the nation as a private citizen and a community volunteer, as a combat veteran of Vietnam and a longtime member of the United States Army Reserves, and as a respected representative of his employer, BellSouth Telecommunications.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, ALARIO, R. ALEXANDER, BRUNEAU, R. CARTER, CRANE, DAMICO, DIEZ, DOERGE, DUPRE, FUTRELL, ILES, LEBLANC, MCCALLUM, MONTGOMERY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PINAC, POWELL, SCALISE, SCHWEGMANN, TOWNSEND, WARNER, WINDHORST, AND WOOTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take appropriate action to eliminate unnecessarily intrusive questions on the long U.S.

Census form so as to remove deterrents to a complete and accurate census and to urge and request Louisiana citizens to complete census forms as soon as possible.

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.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 7, 2000

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

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

The following House Bills have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 3—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CURTIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.46(B)(2) and (C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (4), relative to the Alexandria Central Economic Development District; to provide relative to the boundaries of the district; to provide relative to the governing authority of the district; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:971(B)(1)(a) and (2), relative to court reporters in the Twenty-seventh Judicial District Court; to provide for the cost per page for original transcription and copies in civil and criminal matters; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 66—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 37:1224(F), relative to handling and dispensing of certain drugs; to repeal provisions relative to the handling and dispensing of certain drugs in certain situations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 89—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE, JACK SMITH, DEWITT, AND MCMAINS
AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:560(B) and 706, relative to pipeline fees; to provide for an annual safety and odorization inspection fee for natural gas pipelines; to provide for an annual fee for pipeline facilities transporting hazardous liquids; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 128—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND
DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1574.1(A)(introductory paragraph), (1), (3), (4), (7), (10), (11), and (12) and to enact R.S. 40:1574.1(A)(13) and (14) and (D), relative to the state fire marshal; to increase the fees for reviewing project plans; to establish a fee for reviewing handicapped accessibility appeals; to

establish a fee for performance-based reviews; to provide relative to the disposition of certain fees; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 129—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND
DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:537(A)(2), 541(A), 543(B) and (D), and 544(B) and to enact R.S. 23:544.1, relative to boiler fees; to increase inspection, permitting, installation, and licensing fees; to provide for the disposition of fees; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 131—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE, DEWITT, AND MCMAINS AND
SENATORS HAINKEL, CAIN, AND DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:378.2(A)(1) and (2)(a), 414(A)(1)(b), (B)(2)(b), and (D)(1)(b), 667(B)(3), and 668(B)(1)(c) and to repeal R.S. 32:378.2(G), relative to drivers' licenses; to prohibit persons placed on probation for third offenses of driving while intoxicated from operating motor vehicles during probation; to remove authorization of issuance of restricted drivers' licenses under certain circumstances; to prohibit persons placed on probation for third or subsequent offenses of driving while intoxicated from applying for a restricted driver's license for a certain period of time; to authorize issuance of restricted drivers' licenses for persons convicted of third or subsequent offenses of driving while intoxicated upon providing proof their vehicle is equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device; to repeal authorization for restricted driving privileges under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 162—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:412.1 and to enact R.S. 32:429.2, relative to the office of motor vehicles; to provide for a fee increase for handling charges; to create the Office of Motor Vehicles Customer Service and Technology Fund; to provide for the deposit of monies into the fund and for the use of such monies; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 170—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1483(14)(a)(i) and (ii), relative to the definition of "political committee" and "committee" for purposes of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to restate the definition of "political committee" and "committee"; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 186—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351.3, relative to student fees at Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College located at Baton Rouge and designated as the premier flagship university for the state; to provide for the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College; to grant authority to the board to assess certain student fees; to provide for fee amounts; to provide limitations; to provide exceptions; to provide for the use of fee proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 201—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WELCH AND BAYLOR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116(E)(1) and to enact R.S. 40:2116(E)(4), relative to nursing homes; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals to provide an extension of the completion deadline for nursing home beds which have been approved but are not yet enrolled in the Medicaid program; to provide for the conditions necessary for such extension; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 224—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3048.1(S)(3), to provide relative to award amounts for certain students who are recipients of an Opportunity Award under the Tuition Opportunity Programs for Students; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Bills contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Governor for executive approval.

Introduction of Resolutions

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR
A RESOLUTION

To commend the efforts of the organizers of the Louisiana Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership seminars and to recognize April 14, 2000, as Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Day in the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs and the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial, and Cultural Affairs to meet and to function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations with respect to the publication of judicial advertisements and legal notices in the parish of Orleans.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY SENATOR C. FIELDS, BAJOEI, BOISSIERE, CRAVINS, W. FIELDS, IRONS, JOHNSON, C. JONES AND TARVER AND REPRESENTATIVES HUNTER, BAYLOR, BROOME, K. CARTER, CURTIS, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HOLDEN, HUDSON, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, LUCAS, MORRELL, MURRAY, PIERRE, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, WELCH, WILKERSON AND WILLARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela, President of the Republic of South Africa, to address a joint session of the legislature.

Read by title.

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

House Concurrent Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

The following House Concurrent Resolutions returned from the Senate with amendments to be concurred in by the House were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE, PITRE, AND LAFLEUR
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Ethics to develop a browser-based operating system for accepting electronically filed campaign finance reports, lobbyist disclosure reports, and any other reports required to be filed with the Board of Ethics or to change the requirements of the current Computerized Data Management System to broaden its compatibility with non-Windows compatible operating systems.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 26 by Representative Riddle

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "develop" to "study the development of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, change "to change" to "changing"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 5, change "develop" to "study the development of"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 8, change "change" to "changing"

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

House Bills Amended by the Senate to be Concurred in by the House

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 91—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, AND MCMAINS AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:388(B)(1), relative to weight regulations on vehicles; to increase the penalties for overweight vehicles; to provide for exceptions; 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 Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Reengrossed House Bill No. 91 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 17, add the following:

"Such truck shall not be assessed a penalty for exceeding the maximum permissible gross weight if the waste is wet and the location from which the waste was collected had received measurable precipitation, as recorded by National Weather Service recognized observation stations, within twenty-four hours prior to collection."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Schedler to Reengrossed House Bill No. 91 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"(e) Prior to assessment of a penalty for weight which exceeds the maximum allowable axle weights, the owner or operator is authorized to shift the load to reduce or eliminate such excess axle weight penalties as long as no part of the shipment is removed."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Schedler to Reengrossed House Bill No. 91 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 24, change "and" to "or"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Malone to Reengrossed House Bill No. 91 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 2 and insert "To amend and reenact R.S. 32:388(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 32:387.14, relative to size, weight, and load of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "vehicles;" and before "to increase" insert "to provide for special permit fees;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 6, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 32:387.14 is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"§387.14. Annual heavy equipment special permit; authorization R.S. 32:387.14 is all proposed new law.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the secretary shall promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act as may be necessary to provide for an annual heavy equipment special permit and annual fee for transporters of heavy equipment as provided for in this Part. The envelope size and weight permitted shall not exceed that authorized for special permits provided in this Part. The annual permit fee shall not exceed two thousand five hundred dollars."

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Futrell	Pinac
Alario	Glover	Pitre
Alexander, E	Green	Powell
Alexander, R	Guillory	Quezaire
Ansardi	Hammett	Richmond
Baudoin	Hebert	Riddle
Baylor	Hill	Romero
Bowler	Hopkins	Salter
Broome	Hudson	Scalise
Bruce	Hunter	Schneider
Bruneau	Iles	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Jackson, L	Shaw
Cazayoux	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Kennard	Sneed
Crowe	Kenney	Stelly
Curtis	LaFleur	Strain
Damico	Lancaster	Thompson
Daniel	Landrieu	Toomy
Dartez	LeBlanc	Townsend
Devillier	Lucas	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Doerge	McCallum	Waddell
Donelon	McDonald	Walsworth
Downer	McMains	Warner
Dupre	Montgomery	Welch
Durand	Morrell	Wilkerson
Erdey	Morrish	Willard
Farrar	Murray	Windhorst
Faucheux	Nevers	Winston
Flavin	Odinet	Wooton
Frith	Perkins	Wright
Fruge	Pierre	
Total—98		

NAYS

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Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, R Jackson, M Smith, J.R.—30th
Heaton Pratt
Holden Smith, G.—56th
Total—7

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

HOUSE BILL NO. 124—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351(A)(5)(b), relative to tuition and attendance fees at public colleges and universities; to provide for the powers, duties, and responsibilities of public postsecondary education management boards; to grant authority to the management boards to establish in accordance with certain guidelines tuition and mandatory attendance fees applicable to resident and nonresident students, respectively; to provide limitations; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 139—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE, DEWITT, MCMAINS, AND LEBLANC AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND DARDENNE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2075.2(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 30:2075.2(A)(6), relative to the Department of Environmental Quality and financial security requirements for privately owned sewage treatment facilities; to provide that the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality may waive the bond or other financial security of applicants for discharge permits for privately owned sewage treatment facilities under certain circumstances; to provide for the issuance, renewal, modification, or transfer of permits without financial security; 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 Environmental Quality to Engrossed House Bill No. 139 by Representative Triche

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 18 after "than" change "three" to "seven"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 23 after "than" change "three" to "seven"

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Futrell Pierre
Alario Glover Pinac
Alexander, E Green Pitre
Alexander, R Guillory Powell
Ansardi Hammett Quezaire
Baudoin Heaton Richmond
Baylor Hebert Riddle
Bowler Hill Salter
Broome Hopkins Scalise
Bruce Hudson Schneider
Bruneau Hunter Schwegmann
Carter, K Iles Shaw
Cazayoux Jackson, L Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson Johns Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane Katz Sneed
Crowe Kennard Stelly
Curtis Kenney Strain
Damico LaFleur Thompson
Daniel Lancaster Toomy
Dartez Landrieu Townsend
Devillier LeBlanc Travis
Diez Lucas Triche
Doerge Martiny Waddell
Donelon McCallum Walsworth
Downer McDonald Warner
Dupre McMains Welch
Durand Montgomery Wilkerson
Erdey Morrell Willard
Farrar Morrish Windhorst
Faucheux Murray Winston
Flavin Nevers Wooton
Frith Odinet Wright
Fruge Perkins
Total—98

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, R Pratt Smith, J.R.—30th
Holden Romero
Jackson, M Smith, G.—56th
Total—7

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE BILL NO. 223—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GLOVER, PERKINS, R. ALEXANDER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, DIEZ, HEATON, HEBERT, MCCALLUM, PITRE, STRAIN, WALSWORTH, AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1101 and 1193(introductory paragraph) and to enact Title XVII of the Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 1701 through 1706, relative to newborns; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for relinquishment of newborns; to provide for definitions; to provide for subpoenas; to provide for authority and responsibility of accepting entity; to provide for parental rights; to provide for evaluation of the programs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 163 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 83)—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, MCMAINS, AND THOMPSON AND
 SENATORS HAINKEL AND DARLENNE
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2223(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 39:1556(28), relative to the public contracts; to provide for the definition of "written" and "in writing" in the Louisiana Procurement Code and concerning the issuance of work orders and the commencement of work under the public bid law; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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 Finance to Engrossed House Bill No. 163 by Representative DeWitt, et al

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

"Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Futrell	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, E	Green	Pitre
Alexander, R	Guillory	Powell
Ansardi	Hammett	Quezaire
Baudoin	Heaton	Richmond
Baylor	Hebert	Riddle
Bowler	Hill	Romero
Broome	Hopkins	Salter
Bruce	Hudson	Scalise
Bruneau	Hunter	Schneider
Carter, K	Iles	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Shaw
Cazayoux	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Kennard	Sneed
Crowe	Kenney	Stelly
Curtis	LaFleur	Strain
Damico	Lancaster	Thompson
Daniel	Landrieu	Toomy
Dartez	LeBlanc	Townsend
Devillier	Lucas	Travis
Diez	Martiny	Triche
Doerge	McCallum	Waddell

Downer	McDonald	Walsworth
Dupre	McMains	Warner
Durand	Montgomery	Welch
Erdey	Morrell	Wilkerson
Farrar	Morrish	Willard
Faucheux	Murray	Windhorst
Flavin	Nevers	Winston
Frith	Odinot	Wooton
Fruge	Perkins	Wright

Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Donelon	Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th
Holden	Pratt	Smith, J.R.—30th

Total—6

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 19 By Representative Scalise, et al

April 6, 2000

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 19 by Representative Scalise, et al, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on April 5, 2000 be adopted.
2. In Senate Floor Amendment No. 4 proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on April 5, 2000, on page 1, line 21, change "Schedule II(D)(4)" to "Schedule II(D)(2)"
3. In Senate Floor Amendment No. 4 proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on April 5, 2000, on page 1, line 29, change "Schedule II(D)(4)" to "Schedule II(D)(2)"
4. In Senate Floor Amendment No. 4 proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on April 5, 2000, on page 1, line 37, change "Schedule II(D)(4)" to "Schedule II(D)(2)"

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Steve J. Scalise
 Representative Daniel R. Martiny
 Representative Thomas R. Warner
 Senator Arthur J. Lentini
 Senator John L. "Jay" Dardenne, Jr.
 Senator J. Chris Ullo

Rep. Scalise moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alario	Glover	Pitre
Alexander, E	Green	Powell
Alexander, R	Guillory	Quezaire
Ansardi	Hammett	Richmond
Baudoin	Heaton	Riddle
Baylor	Hebert	Romero
Bowler	Hill	Salter
Broome	Hopkins	Scalise
Bruce	Hunter	Schneider
Bruneau	Iles	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Jackson, L	Shaw
Carter, R	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson	Kennard	Sneed
Crane	Kenney	Stelly
Curtis	LaFleur	Strain
Damico	Lancaster	Thompson
Daniel	Landrieu	Toomy
Dartez	LeBlanc	Townsend
Devillier	Martiny	Travis
Diez	McCallum	Triche
Doerge	McDonald	Waddell
Donelon	McMains	Walsworth
Downer	Montgomery	Warner
Dupre	Morrish	Welch
Durand	Murray	Wilkerson
Erdey	Nevers	Willard
Farrar	Odinet	Windhorst
Flavin	Perkins	Winston
Frige	Pierre	Wooton
Futrell	Pinac	Wright

Total—93

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Holden	Morrell
Crowe	Hudson	Pratt
Faucheux	Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th
Frith	Lucas	Smith, J.R.—30th

Total—12

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 156 By Representatives Johns, et al.

April 6, 2000

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 156 by

Representatives Johns, et al., recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Mount and adopted by the Senate on April 5, 2000, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Ronnie Johns
 Representative Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.
 Representative Victor T. Stelly
 Senator Willie L. Mount
 Senator Gerald Theunissen
 Senator Donald R. Cravins

Rep. Johns moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Frige	Pierre
Alario	Futrell	Pinac
Alexander, E	Glover	Pitre
Alexander, R	Green	Powell
Ansardi	Guillory	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hammett	Richmond
Baylor	Heaton	Riddle
Bowler	Hebert	Romero
Broome	Hill	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Bruneau	Hunter	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Iles	Shaw
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson	Katz	Sneed
Crane	Kennard	Stelly
Curtis	Kenney	Strain
Damico	LaFleur	Thompson
Daniel	Lancaster	Toomy
Dartez	Landrieu	Townsend
Devillier	LeBlanc	Travis
Diez	Lucas	Triche
Doerge	Martiny	Waddell
Donelon	McCallum	Warner
Downer	McDonald	Welch
Dupre	McMains	Wilkerson
Durand	Montgomery	Willard
Erdey	Morrell	Windhorst
Farrar	Morrish	Winston
Faucheux	Murray	Wooton
Flavin	Nevers	Wright
Frith	Odinet	

Total—95

NAYS

Crowe	Perkins	Schneider
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Total—3

ABSENT

Holden	Pratt	Walsworth
Hudson	Smith, G.—56th	
Jackson, M	Smith, J.R.—30th	

Total—7

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 188 By Representatives Broome, Cazayoux, and Devillier and Senator Marionneaux

April 6, 2000

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 188 by Representatives Broome, Cazayoux, and Devillier and Senator Marionneaux, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 3 proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on April 6, 2000 be rejected.
3. That the following amendment to the reengrossed bill be adopted.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 7, after "per diem" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"which shall not exceed the rate allowable for per diem deduction under Section 162(h)(1)(B)(ii) of Title 26 of the United States Code"

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Sharon Weston Broome
Representative Donald J. Cazayoux, Jr.
Representative Emma Devillier
Senator Robert Marionneaux, Jr.
Senator Wilson Fields
Senator Jon D. Johnson

Rep. Broome moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Futrell	Pinac
Alario	Glover	Pitre
Alexander, E	Green	Powell
Alexander, R	Guillory	Quezaire
Ansardi	Hammett	Richmond
Bowler	Heaton	Riddle
Broome	Hebert	Romero
Bruce	Hill	Salter
Bruneau	Hudson	Scalise
Carter, K	Hunter	Schneider
Carter, R	Iles	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, L	Shaw
Clarkson	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Kennard	Smith, J.H.—8th

Crowe	Kenney	Sneed
Curtis	LaFleur	Stelly
Damico	Lancaster	Strain
Daniel	Landrieu	Thompson
Dartez	LeBlanc	Toomy
Devillier	Lucas	Townsend
Diez	Martiny	Travis
Doerge	McCallum	Triche
Donelon	McDonald	Walsworth
Downer	McMains	Warner
Dupre	Montgomery	Welch
Durand	Morrell	Wilkerson
Erdey	Morrish	Willard
Farrar	Murray	Windhorst
Faucheux	Nevers	Winston
Flavin	Odinot	Wooton
Frith	Perkins	Wright
Fruge	Pierre	

Total—95

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Baudoin	Jackson, M	Smith, J.R.—30th
Baylor	Johns	Waddell
Holden	Pratt	
Hopkins	Smith, G.—56th	
Total—10		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 27 by Senator Theunissen

April 6, 2000

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 27 by Senator Theunissen recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Perkins and adopted by the House of Representatives on March 29, 2000 be rejected.
2. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, change "2002-2003" to "2003-2004"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 19, change "2002-2003" to "2003-2004"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Gerald J. Theunissen
Senator Robert J. Barham
Senator Bill Jones
Representative Charles McDonald
Representative Carl Crane

Representative Tony R. Perkins

Rep. Crane moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Frith	Powell
Alario	Fruge	Riddle
Alexander, E	Futrell	Romero
Alexander, R	Hammett	Salter
Ansardi	Hebert	Scalise
Baudoin	Hill	Schneider
Bowler	Hopkins	Schwegmann
Broome	Iles	Shaw
Bruce	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruneau	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R	Kennard	Sneed
Crane	Kenney	Stelly
Crowe	Lancaster	Strain
Damico	Landrieu	Thompson
Daniel	LeBlanc	Toomy
Dartez	Martiny	Townsend
Devillier	McCallum	Travis
Diez	McDonald	Triche
Doerge	McMains	Waddell
Donelon	Montgomery	Walsworth
Dupre	Morrish	Warner
Durand	Nevers	Wilkerson
Erdey	Odinet	Windhorst
Farrar	Perkins	Winston
Faucheux	Pinac	Wooton
Flavin	Pitre	Wright
Total—78		

NAYS

Baylor	Guillory	Pierre
Carter, K	Hunter	Quezaire
Clarkson	Jackson, L	Richmond
Curtis	LaFleur	Welch
Glover	Lucas	Willard
Green	Murray	
Total—17		

ABSENT

Cazayoux	Hudson	Smith, G.—56th
Downer	Jackson, M	Smith, J.R.—30th
Heaton	Morrell	
Holden	Pratt	
Total—10		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 39 by Barham

April 5, 2000

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 39 by Barham recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House committee amendments Nos. 1 through 5 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 39 and adopted April 3, 2000, be rejected.
2. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, delete "Orleans" and insert "St. Bernard"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, delete "Orleans" and insert "St. Bernard"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 15, delete "Orleans" and insert "St. Bernard"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 17, delete "twelve" and insert "eight"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Robert J. Barham
 Senator Bill Jones
 Senator Donald Cravins
 Representative Joseph Toomy
 Representative Jay McCallum
 Representative Troy Hebert

Rep. McCallum moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pinac
Alario	Futrell	Pitre
Alexander, E	Glover	Powell
Alexander, R	Green	Quezaire
Ansardi	Guillory	Richmond
Baudoin	Hammett	Riddle
Baylor	Heaton	Romero
Bowler	Hebert	Salter
Broome	Hill	Scalise
Bruce	Hopkins	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Iles	Shaw
Cazayoux	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Katz	Sneed
Crowe	Kennard	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Thompson
Damico	LaFleur	Toomy
Daniel	Lancaster	Townsend
Dartez	Landrieu	Travis
Devillier	LeBlanc	Triche
Diez	Lucas	Waddell
Doerge	Martiny	Walsworth

Donelon	McCallum	Warner
Downer	McDonald	Welch
Dupre	McMains	Willard
Durand	Montgomery	Windhorst
Erdey	Morrish	Winston
Farrar	Murray	Wooton
Faucheux	Nevers	Wright
Flavin	Odinet	
Frith	Pierre	
Total—94		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, R	Morrell	Smith, J.R.—30th
Holden	Perkins	Stelly
Hudson	Pratt	Wilkerson
Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th	
Total—11		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 56 by Senator Barham

April 6, 2000

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 56 by Senator Barham recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13 and 14 proposed by Representative Hammett and adopted by the House of Representatives on March 28, 2000, be adopted.
2. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 6, 9 and 12 proposed by Representative Hammett and adopted by the House of Representatives on March 28, 2000 be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 21, change "registered" to "certified"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 1, change "registered" to "certified"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 17, change "registered" to "certified"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Robert J. Barham
Senator Mike Smith
Senator Arthur J. "Art" Lentini
Representative Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.
Representative Willie Hunter, Jr.
Representative Billy Montgomery

Rep. Hammett moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Futrell	Pitre
Alario	Glover	Powell
Alexander, E	Green	Quezaire
Alexander, R	Guillory	Richmond
Ansardi	Hammett	Riddle
Baudoin	Heaton	Romero
Baylor	Hebert	Salter
Bowler	Hill	Sealise
Broome	Hopkins	Schneider
Bruce	Hunter	Schwegmann
Bruneau	Iles	Shaw
Carter, K	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson	Katz	Sneed
Crane	Kennard	Stelly
Crowe	Kenney	Strain
Curtis	LaFleur	Thompson
Damico	Lancaster	Toomy
Daniel	Landrieu	Townsend
Dartez	LeBlanc	Travis
Devillier	Lucas	Triche
Diez	Martiny	Waddell
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Downer	McMains	Welch
Dupre	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Durand	Morrish	Willard
Erdey	Murray	Windhorst
Farrar	Nevers	Winston
Faucheux	Odinet	Wooton
Flavin	Perkins	Wright
Frith	Pierre	
Fruge	Pinac	
Total—97		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, R	Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th
Holden	Morrell	Smith, J.R.—30th
Hudson	Pratt	
Total—8		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 107 by Senator Schedler

April 6, 2000

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 107 by Senator Schedler recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments No. 1 through 4 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 3, 2000, be adopted.
2. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 14 proposed by Representative Strain and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 4, 2000 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Arthur J. "Art" Lentini
 Senator John T. "Tom" Schedler
 Senator Jerry Thomas
 Representative Sharon Weston Broome
 Representative Michael G. Strain
 Representative Diane G. Winston

Rep. Strain moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pinac
Alario	Futrell	Pitre
Alexander, E	Glover	Powell
Alexander, R	Green	Quezaire
Ansardi	Guillory	Richmond
Baudoin	Hammitt	Riddle
Baylor	Heaton	Romero
Bowler	Hebert	Salter
Broome	Hill	Scalise
Bruce	Hopkins	Schneider
Bruneau	Hunter	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Iles	Shaw
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson	Katz	Sneed
Crane	Kennard	Stelly
Crowe	Kenney	Strain
Curtis	LaFleur	Thompson
Damico	Lancaster	Toomy
Daniel	Landrieu	Townsend
Dartez	LeBlanc	Travis
Devillier	Lucas	Triche
Diez	Martiny	Waddell
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Downer	McMains	Welch
Dupre	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Durand	Morrish	Willard
Erdey	Murray	Windhorst
Farrar	Nevers	Winston
Faucheux	Odinet	Wooton
Flavin	Perkins	Wright
Frith	Pierre	
Total—98		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Holden	Morrell	Smith, J.R.—30th
Hudson	Pratt	
Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th	

Total—7

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hebert, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills Amended by the Senate to be Concurred in by the House at this time.

House Bills Amended by the Senate to be Concurred in by the House

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 124—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATOR HAINKEL
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351(A)(5)(b), relative to tuition and attendance fees at public colleges and universities; to provide for the powers, duties, and responsibilities of public postsecondary education management boards; to grant authority to the management boards to establish in accordance with certain guidelines tuition and mandatory attendance fees applicable to resident and nonresident students, respectively; to provide limitations; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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 Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 124 by Representative DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"iv. Any increase in tuition or mandatory attendance fees shall be approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget prior to implementation ."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux to Reengrossed House Bill No. 124 by Representative Dewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, delete "resident and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "respectively;" insert "to grant authority to the management boards to establish in accordance with certain guidelines tuition applicable to resident students;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 19, delete "and mandatory attendance fee"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 23, delete "or mandatory attendance fee"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on April 5, 2000, on page 1, line 3, delete "tuition or"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Romero to Reengrossed House Bill No. 124 by Representative Crane

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(b)" insert "and to enact R.S. 17:3351(D)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "respectively;" insert "to provide relative to the granting of salary and compensation increases for certain employees;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 17:3351(D) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, between lines 3 and 4, insert:

"D.(1) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the prior approval of the legislature as provided for in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection shall be required for the following:

(a) Any increase in salary or total compensation package for any administrator of any public college or university, any public college or university management board, or the Board of Regents.

(b) An increase in the amount to be paid to a successor of such administrator over the amount paid to the predecessor in such position.

(2) The approval of the legislature shall be given by a favorable vote of two-thirds of the elected members of the legislature as follows:

(a) When the legislature is in session, such approval shall be given by the adoption of a concurrent resolution specifically approving such action.

(b) When the legislature is not in session, such approval shall be given by mail ballot, in the manner that is provided for the interim emergency board as provided in Chapter 3-B of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Dardenne to Reengrossed House Bill No. 124 by Representative DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Committee amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on April 5, 2000.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"(iv) Notwithstanding R.S. 17:3048.1(N) and any other law to the contrary, any cost to the state specifically resulting from the implementation of the authority granted in this Subparagraph payable by the state on behalf of any student who is the recipient of an award under the Louisiana Tuition Opportunity Program for Students shall be payable subject to an annual appropriation of funds specifically to fund any increase in such cost resulting from the implementation of the authority granted in this Subparagraph and shall be paid on behalf of each such student in an equal amount."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator B. Jones to Reengrossed House Bill No. 124 by Representative DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"(v) No increase in tuition or mandatory attendance fee amounts established pursuant to the authority provided by this Subparagraph shall affect tuition for any joint apprenticeship programs."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator C. Jones to Reengrossed House Bill No. 124 by Representative DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 16 and 17 insert the following:

"(ii) each management board shall establish criteria for waivers of any tuition increase or mandatory attendance fee established pursuant to the authority provided by this Subsection in cases of financial hardship."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 17, delete "(ii)" and insert in lieu thereof "(iii)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the beginning of line 23, delete "(iii)" and insert in lieu thereof "(iv)"

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pinac
Alario	Futrell	Pitre
Alexander, E	Glover	Powell
Alexander, R	Green	Quezaire
Ansardi	Guillory	Richmond
Baudoin	Hammett	Riddle
Baylor	Hebert	Salter
Bowler	Hill	Scalise
Broome	Hopkins	Schneider
Bruce	Hunter	Schwegmann
Bruneau	Iles	Shaw

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Carter, K	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux	Katz	Sneed
Clarkson	Kennard	Stelly
Crane	Kenney	Strain
Curtis	LaFleur	Thompson
Damico	Lancaster	Toomy
Daniel	Landrieu	Townsend
Dartez	LeBlanc	Travis
Devillier	Lucas	Triche
Diez	Martiny	Waddell
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Downer	McMains	Welch
Dupre	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Durand	Morrell	Willard
Erdey	Morrish	Windhorst
Farrar	Murray	Winston
Fauchoux	Nevers	Wooton
Flavin	Odinet	Wright
Frith	Pierre	
Total—95		

NAYS

Crowe	Perkins	Romero
Total—3		

ABSENT

Heaton	Jackson, M	Smith, J.R.—30th
Holden	Pratt	
Hudson	Smith, G.—56th	
Total—7		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

HOUSE BILL NO. 223—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GLOVER, PERKINS, R. ALEXANDER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, DIEZ, HEATON, HEBERT, MCCALLUM, PITRE, STRAIN, WALSWORTH, AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1101 and 1193(introductory paragraph) and to enact Title XVII of the Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 1701 through 1706, relative to newborns; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for relinquishment of newborns; to provide for definitions; to provide for subpoenas; to provide for authority and responsibility of accepting entity; to provide for parental rights; to provide for evaluation of the programs; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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 Health and Welfare to Engrossed House Bill No. 223 by Representative Glover

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "enact" and before "Title" insert "Children's Code Article 1015(7) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, after "reenacted and" and before "Title" insert "Children's Code Article 1015(7) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"Art. 1015. Grounds

The grounds for termination of parental rights are:

* * *

(7) Relinquishment of a newborn pursuant to Title XVII of this Code."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 8, change "B." to "B.(1)" and at the end of the line change "an" to "a criminal"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subparagraph (1) of this Paragraph, the relinquishment of a newborn may be grounds for termination of parental rights pursuant to the provisions of Article 1015."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 20, change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 22, after "relinquishment" delete the remainder of the line and insert "of or medical treatment and care of a newborn unless damage or injury to a newborn was caused by willful or wanton misconduct or gross negligence."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 6, after "newborn" delete the period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 7 and 8 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"in accordance with the provisions of Title X. Any final judgment terminating parental rights relieves the newborn and the parent against whom the judgment is rendered of all their legal duties and divests them of all their legal rights with regard to one another, as provided in Chapter 9 of Title X including exceptions stated therein.

D. Unless otherwise specifically provided in this Title, no provision of this Title shall preclude the application of nor be construed to supersede any other provision of Titles VI, X, XI, or XII of this Code."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, delete lines 9 through 20 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"Art. 1705. Parental rights; establishing

A.(1) A mother who has relinquished her newborn may revoke her intentions to relinquish the newborn by filing a legal proceeding establishing her parental rights. The mother must establish her parental

rights by proving that she has manifested a substantial commitment to her parental responsibilities and that she is a fit parent of the child. The petition shall be filed in the parish in which the newborn has been relinquished.

(2) A father of a newborn relinquished may file a legal proceeding establishing his parental rights. He must establish his parental rights by acknowledging that he is the father of the child and by proving that he has manifested a substantial commitment to his parental responsibilities and that he is a fit parent of the child. The petition shall be filed in the parish in which the newborn has been relinquished and the hearing shall require the same proof as that required in Article 1138.

B. Should there be a legal proceeding brought pursuant to Titles VI, X, XI, or XII of this Code, then all time periods within which the petitioning parent must assert his parental rights are governed exclusively by the respective provisions of Titles VI, X, XI, or XII.

C. If maternity or paternity is at issue, on its own motion or motion of any party, the court shall issue an order for immediate blood or tissue sampling in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 9:396 et seq. and shall order an expedited report. The hearing resolving this issue shall be held at the earliest time that the results of the testing can be reported to the court.

D. If the court finds that the petitioning parent has established his parental rights, the court shall order the child to be in his legal custody. If the court finds that the petitioning parent has failed to establish his parental rights, it shall decree that his rights are terminated."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 21, after "Evaluation" insert "":rules"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, at the end of line 2, insert the following:

"The department shall further adopt rules and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act to implement the provisions of this Title."

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fruge	Pierre
Alario	Futrell	Pinac
Alexander, E	Glover	Pitre
Alexander, R	Green	Powell
Ansardi	Guillory	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hammett	Richmond
Baylor	Heaton	Riddle
Bowler	Hebert	Romero
Broome	Hill	Salter
Bruce	Hopkins	Scalise
Bruneau	Hudson	Schneider
Carter, K	Hunter	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Iles	Shaw
Cazayoux	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Katz	Sneed
Crowe	Kennard	Stelly

Curtis	Kenney	Strain
Damico	LaFleur	Thompson
Daniel	Lancaster	Toomy
Dartez	Landrieu	Townsend
Devillier	LeBlanc	Triche
Diez	Lucas	Waddell
Doerge	Martiny	Walsworth
Donelon	McCallum	Warner
Downer	McDonald	Welch
Dupre	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Durand	Morrell	Willard
Erdey	Morrish	Windhorst
Farrar	Murray	Winston
Faucheux	Nevers	Wooton
Flavin	Odinot	Wright
Frith	Perkins	

Total—98

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Holden	Pratt	Travis
Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th	
McMains	Smith, J.R.—30th	
Total—7		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Riddle, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

April 7, 2000

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

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

House Bill No. 119
Returned without amendments.

House Bill No. 228
Returned without amendments.

House Bill No. 232
Returned without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 88 by Sen. Dardenne, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 88: Senators Dardenne, Hollis, and Gautreaux.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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 Senate Bill No. 88: Reps. Travis, Downer, and McMains.

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. 91: Reps. Diez, McMains, and Hebert.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hebert, House Rule 6.14 was suspended for House Bill No. 124 to permit a member other than the author of the bill to serve on the Conference Committee.

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. 124: Reps. Hebert, Crane, and Salter.

Recess

On motion of Rep. Riddle, the Speaker declared the House at recess until 1:00 P.M.

After Recess

Speaker DeWitt called the House to order at 1:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, E	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, R	Hammett	Powell
Ansardi	Heaton	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hebert	Richmond
Baylor	Hill	Riddle
Bowler	Holden	Romero
Broome	Hopkins	Salter
Bruce	Hudson	Scalise
Bruneau	Hunter	Schneider
Carter, K	Iles	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, L	Shaw
Clarkson	Jackson, M	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe	Katz	Sneed
Curtis	Kennard	Stelly
Damico	Kenney	Strain
Daniel	LaFleur	Thompson
Dartez	Lancaster	Toomy
Devillier	Landrieu	Townsend
Diez	LeBlanc	Travis
Doerge	Lucas	Triche
Donelon	Martiny	Waddell
Downer	McCallum	Walsworth
Dupre	McDonald	Warner
Durand	McMains	Welch
Erdey	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Farrar	Morrell	Willard
Faucheux	Morrish	Windhorst
Flavin	Murray	Winston
Frith	Nevers	Wooton
Fruge	Odinot	Wright
Futrell	Perkins	
Total—101		

ABSENT

Carter, R	Smith, G.—56th
Pratt	Smith, J.R.—30th
Total—4	

The Speaker announced there were 101 members present and a quorum.

Introduction of Resolutions

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House Committee on Commerce to study the procedures and requirements necessary for a bank to establish a branch office, including the required capital, the needs of the community where the proposed branch office would be located, and the ability of that community to support the proposed branch office, to evaluate the compliance with these procedures and requirements, and to report the study findings to the House of Representatives prior to the convening of the 2001 Regular Session.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Katrina Hibbert upon the completion of her outstanding legacy as a Lady Tiger at Louisiana State University and for her unparalleled contributions to LSU basketball, particularly during the team's remarkable 1999-2000 season.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Paula Lee for her outstanding contributions as an assistant coach of the LSU women's basketball team, particularly during the Lady Tigers' remarkable 1999-2000 season.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Bob Starkey for his outstanding contributions as an administrative assistant and assistant coach with the LSU women's basketball team, particularly during the Lady Tigers' remarkable 1999-2000 season.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Dana "Pokey" Chatman for her outstanding legacy as a player and coach with the LSU women's

basketball team, particularly during the Lady Tigers' remarkable 1999-2000 season.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Rodney Alexander, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 91: Senators Heitmeier, Schedler, and Chaisson.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 124: Senators Dardenne, Theunissen, and Romero.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 27.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 39.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 56.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 107.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

April 7, 2000

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

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

House Bill No. 130
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

**House Bills Amended by the Senate
to be Concurred in by the House**

Rep. Rodney Alexander asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions just returned from the Senate, with amendments to be concurred in by the House, with a view of acting on the same:

HOUSE BILL NO. 130—
BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, DEWITT, AND MCMAINS AND
SENATORS SCHEDLER, DARDENNE, AND HAINKEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:5.6(A), 40(3), 628(B), 701.1(C), 716 through 718, 2719, 2832(L)(1) and (2), to enact R.S. 40:628(C) and (D) and Part VI of Chapter 1 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:31.31 through 31.36, and to repeal R.S. 40:713(B), relative to public health services and functions; to increase and assess certain fees to partially offset the state costs of providing such services; to provide for fees currently charged; to provide for an effective date; 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 Health and Welfare to Reengrossed House Bill No. 130 by Representative R. Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 5, change "two" to "one"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Schedler to Reengrossed House Bill No. 130 by Representative R. Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 23, delete "manufactured and made available for sale and" and insert "installed for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 8, line 26, after "plant" delete "permit issued"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ellington to Reengrossed House Bill No. 130 by Representative R. Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 7, line 8, between "or" and "any" insert "agricultural commodities or"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator McPherson to Reengrossed House Bill No. 130 by Representative R. Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 7, after "E." insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, between lines 12 and 13 insert the following:

"(2) The provisions of Subparagraph E.(1) of this Section shall not be effective unless the department complies with the provisions of Act 505 of the 1995 Regular Session."

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Perkins
Alario	Guillory	Pierre
Alexander, E	Hammitt	Pinac
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pitre
Ansardi	Hebert	Powell
Baudoin	Hill	Quezaire
Baylor	Holden	Richmond
Bowler	Hopkins	Riddle
Broome	Hudson	Salter
Bruce	Hunter	Schneider
Bruneau	Iles	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Shaw
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Katz	Sneed
Crowe	Kennard	Stelly
Curtis	Kenney	Strain
Damico	LaFleur	Thompson
Daniel	Lancaster	Toomy
Dartez	Landrieu	Townsend
Diez	LeBlanc	Travis
Doerge	Lucas	Triche
Donelon	Martiny	Waddell
Downer	McCallum	Walsworth
Dupre	McDonald	Warner
Durand	McMains	Welch
Erdey	Montgomery	Wilkerson
Farrar	Morrell	Willard

Faucheux	Morrish	Winston
Flavin	Murray	Wooton
Fruge	Nevers	
Glover	Odinot	
Total—94		

NAYS

Futrell	Scalise	Wright
Romero	Windhorst	
Total—5		

ABSENT

Carter, K	Frith	Smith, G.—56th
Devillier	Pratt	Smith, J.R.—30th
Total—6		

The amendments proposed by the Senate, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, were concurred in by the House.

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 13 by Senator Cain

April 6, 2000

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 13 by Senator Cain recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Salter and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 4, 2000 be adopted.
2. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 3, 4, and 5 proposed by Representative Salter and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 4, 2000 be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, between "R.S. 38:2322(A)(2)" and the comma ",," insert "and to enact R.S. 42:1123(27)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, between "commissioners;" and "and" insert "to permit certain activities by the commissioners;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 42:1123(27) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1123 Exceptions

This Part shall not include:

* * *

R.S. 42:1123(27) is all proposed new law.

(27) Any board member of the Sabine River Authority who owns a residential lot contiguous to the "lease back" or "shore line" area of Toledo Bend Reservoir from exercising his option to lease the shore line area contiguous to his residential lot and obtain a permit for "domestic use", as defined in R.S. 38:2329, of the authority's water. As used in this paragraph, the "lease back" area, which is also known as the "shore line," is that area owned by the Sabine River Authority, state of Louisiana, that is the property lying between the contour of 172 feet above mean sea level (the normal pool stage) and the contour of 175 feet above mean sea level, or a distance of 50 feet running horizontally from the 172 contour, whichever is greater, and which area is subject to an option to lease by the land owner of the contiguous lot as is provided in the Policy, Rules and Regulations of the Sabine River Authority as adopted by the board of commissioners on August 24, 1967."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 5, change "Section 2. On July 1, 2000" to "Section 3. On the effective date of this Act"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete line 8, and insert the following:

"Section 4. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator James David Cain
Senator Mike Smith
Senator Chris Ullo
Representative John C. "Juba" Diez
Representative Joe R. Salter

Rep. Salter moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guillory	Pinac
Alario	Hammett	Pitre
Alexander, E	Heaton	Powell
Alexander, R	Hill	Quezaire
Ansardi	Holden	Richmond
Baudoin	Hopkins	Riddle
Baylor	Hudson	Romero
Bowler	Hunter	Salter
Bruce	Iles	Scalise
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Schneider
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Schwegmann
Crane	Johns	Shaw
Crowe	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Curtis	Kenney	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	LaFleur	Sneed
Daniel	Lancaster	Stelly

Devillier	Landrieu	Thompson
Diez	LeBlanc	Toomy
Doerge	Lucas	Townsend
Donelon	Martiny	Travis
Downer	McCallum	Triche
Dupre	McDonald	Waddell
Durand	McMains	Walsworth
Erdey	Montgomery	Warner
Farrar	Morrell	Welch
Faucheux	Morrish	Wilkerson
Flavin	Murray	Willard
Fruge	Nevers	Windhorst
Futrell	Odinot	Winston
Glover	Perkins	Wooton
Green	Pierre	Wright

Total—93

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Broome	Dartez	Pratt
Bruneau	Frith	Smith, G.—56th
Carter, K	Hebert	Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson	Kennard	Strain
Total—12		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hill, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

April 7, 2000

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

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

House Bill No. 39
Returned with amendments.

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

House Bills Amended by the Senate to be Concurred in by the House

Rep. Hill asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions just returned from the Senate, with amendments to be concurred in by the House, with a view of acting on the same:

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILL AND FRITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:780(C), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System; to provide with respect to benefits; to further provide with respect to earnings of disability beneficiaries engaged in a gainful occupation; to provide an effective date; 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 Retirement to Reengrossed House Bill No. 39 by Representative Hill

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 11:" change "780(C)" to "221(A), 542(C)(4), 780(C), and 883.1(C)(4)," and after "relative to" insert "the Municipal Police Employees Retirement System, the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "benefits;" and before "to further provide" insert the following:

"to provide with respect to the payment of cost-of-living adjustments and the criteria used for determining eligibility therefor; to provide for retroactive application;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "R.S." and before "hereby" delete "11:780(C) is" and insert in lieu thereof "11:542(C)(4), 780(C), and 883.1(C)(4) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

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

"§221. Authority of retirement boards to modify benefits; earnings statements

A.(1) Should the board of trustees of a state or statewide retirement system determine that a disability beneficiary is engaged in a gainful occupation paying more than the difference between his retirement allowance and his average final compensation, and should the board of trustees concur in such report then the amount of his pension shall be reduced to an amount, which, together with his annuity and the amount earnable by him, shall equal the amount of his average final compensation. Should his earning capacity be later changed, the amount of his pension shall be further modified; provided, that the new pension shall not exceed the amount of the pension originally granted nor an amount, which, when added to the amount earnable by the beneficiary together with his annuity, equals the amount of his average final compensation.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, any member of the Municipal Police Employees Retirement System who was a full-time police officer, who is a disability beneficiary, and whose disability was caused while the police officer was in the line of duty shall not have his benefit be reduced as a result of any earned income attributable to gainful employment. Such

earned income shall not be considered or included in any calculation otherwise required by Paragraph (1) of this Subsection.

* * *

§542. Employee Experience Account

* * *

C.

* * *

(4)(a) ~~In~~ Except as provided in Subparagraph (c) of this Paragraph, in order to be eligible for the cost-of-living increase, a retiree:

(i) ~~shall have attained at least age fifty-five and shall~~ Shall have received a benefit for at least one year; and

(ii) Shall have attained at least age fifty-five.

(b) ~~A~~ Except as provided in Subparagraph (c) of this Paragraph, a nonretiree beneficiary will be eligible for the cost-of-living increase;

(i) ~~If~~ If ~~benefits had been paid to the retiree or the beneficiary, or both combined, for at least one year; but in~~ and

(ii) In ~~no event before the retiree would have attained age fifty-five.~~

(c)(i) The provisions of Items (a)(ii) and (b)(ii) of this Paragraph shall not apply to any person who receives disability benefits from this system, or who receives benefits based on the death of a disability retiree of this system.

(ii) The provisions of this Subparagraph shall be effective July 1, 1999, and shall be applied prospectively and shall also be applied retroactively to that date.

(iii) Any person covered by Item (c)(i) of this Subparagraph between July 1, 1999 and June 30, 2000, inclusive, who, due to the application of Items (a)(ii) or (b)(ii) of this Paragraph, did not receive any cost-of-living increase that was granted to retirees who had attained age fifty-five, shall receive all such increases granted during that period, without regard to age and shall have his benefits adjusted accordingly.

* * *

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 18, after "system to" delete the remainder of the line and insert "implement the provisions of this Paragraph."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

"§883.1. Employee experience account

* * *

C.

* * *

(4)(a) ~~In~~ Except as provided in Subparagraph (c) of this Paragraph, in order to be eligible for the cost-of-living increase, a retiree:

(i) ~~shall have attained at least age fifty-five and shall~~ Shall have received a benefit for at least one year; and

(ii) Shall have attained at least age fifty-five.

(b) ~~★ Except as provided in Subparagraph (c) of this Paragraph,~~ a nonretiree beneficiary will be eligible for the cost-of-living increase;

(i) ~~if~~ If benefits had been paid to the retiree or the beneficiary, or both combined, for at least one year; ~~but in and~~

(ii) In no event before the retiree would have attained age fifty-five.

(c)(i) The provisions of Items (a)(ii) and (b)(ii) of this Paragraph shall not apply to any person who receives disability benefits from this system, or who receives benefits based on the death of a disability retiree of this system.

(ii) The provisions of this Subparagraph shall be effective July 1, 1999, and shall be applied prospectively and shall also be applied retroactively to that date.

(iii) Any person covered by Item (c)(i) of this Subparagraph between July 1, 1999 and June 30, 2000, inclusive, who, due to the application of Items (a)(ii) or (b)(ii) of this Paragraph, did not receive any cost-of-living increase that was granted to retirees who had attained age fifty-five, shall receive all such increases granted during that period, without regard to age and shall have his benefits adjusted accordingly.

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AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 20 through 25, both inclusive, in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2000; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2000, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere to Reengrossed House Bill No. 39 by Representative Hill

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Committee Amendments No. 1 through 4 and 6 proposed by the Senate Committee on Retirement and adopted by the Senate on March 29, 2000

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after R.S. 11:" change "780(C)" to "221(A), 424(E), and 780(C)" and after "relative to" insert "the Municipal Employees Retirement System, the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 3, after "benefits;" insert the following:

"to provide relative to the conversion of annual and sick leave to retirement credit;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 8, after R.S. 11:" change "780(C) is" to "221(A), 424(E), and 780(C) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

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

§221. Authority of retirement boards to modify benefits; earnings statements

A.(1) Should the board of trustees of a state or statewide retirement system determine that a disability beneficiary is engaged in a gainful occupation paying more than the difference between his retirement allowance and his average final compensation, and should the board of trustees concur in such report then the amount of his pension shall be reduced to an amount, which, together with his annuity and the amount earnable by him, shall equal the amount of his average final compensation. Should his earning capacity be later changed, the amount of his pension shall be further modified; provided, that the new pension shall not exceed the amount of the pension originally granted nor an amount, which, when added to the amount earnable by the beneficiary together with his annuity, equals the amount of his average final compensation.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of this Subsection, any member of the Municipal Police Employees Retirement System who was a full-time police officer, who is a disability beneficiary, and whose disability was caused while the police officer suffered a bilateral knee injury disability while the police officer was in the discharge of his duties shall not have his benefit be reduced as a result of any earned income attributable to gainful employment. Such earned income shall not be considered or included in any calculation otherwise required by Paragraph (1) of this Subsection.

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§424. Conversion of annual and sick leave to retirement credit; payment

* * *

E. A member may, at the time of making application for retirement, request in writing that in lieu of the foregoing conversion of annual leave and sick leave to retirement credit he be paid for such leave in a lump sum for the amount of leave that could otherwise be converted to retirement credit. Additionally, a member who has annual leave and sick leave that if converted to retirement credit would exceed one hundred percent of the member's average compensation, shall be entitled to be paid for such leave at its actuarial value as if it were converted to retirement credit. The amount paid shall be the actuarial value of such leave if converted to retirement credit as determined by the retirement system's actuary. The cost for such actuarial determination shall be paid by the member. Payment shall be made only upon retirement.

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SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere to Reengrossed House Bill No. 39 by Representative Hill

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Floor Amendment No. 5 in Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on April 5, 2000 on page 2, line 22, after "credit" insert "without regard to the one hundred percent cap"

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Quezaire
Alario	Green	Richmond
Alexander, E	Guillory	Riddle
Alexander, R	Hebert	Romero
Ansardi	Hill	Salter
Baudoin	Hopkins	Scalise
Baylor	Hudson	Schneider
Bowler	Hunter	Schwegmann
Broome	Iles	Shaw
Bruce	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruneau	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux	Kenney	Sneed
Crane	LaFleur	Stely
Crowe	Lancaster	Strain
Curtis	Landrieu	Thompson
Damico	LeBlanc	Toomy
Daniel	Martiny	Townsend
Dartez	McDonald	Travis
Devillier	McMains	Triche
Diez	Montgomery	Walsworth
Doerge	Morrell	Warner
Donelon	Morrish	Welch
Downer	Murray	Wilkerson
Dupre	Nevers	Willard
Durand	Odinet	Windhorst
Erdey	Perkins	Winston
Farrar	Pierre	Wooton
Faucheux	Pinac	Wright
Fruge	Pitre	
Futrell	Powell	
Total—88		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, K	Heaton	McCallum
Carter, R	Holden	Pratt
Clarkson	Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th
Flavin	Johns	Smith, J.R.—30th
Frith	Kennard	Waddell
Hammett	Lucas	
Total—17		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 7, 2000

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

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 55
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 56
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 57
Returned without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 19.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 56.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 142.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 156.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 188.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

April 7, 2000

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

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

House Bill No. 27
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

**House Bills Amended by the Senate
to be Concurred in by the House**

Rep. Daniel asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions just

returned from the Senate, with amendments to be concurred in by the House, with a view of acting on the same:

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DANIEL, DOWNER, MCDONALD, MURRAY, AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:707, 721.1(C), and 783(A)(Option 5) and to repeal R.S. 11:708, 737, and 791, relative to the Teachers' Retirement System; to repeal certain provisions regarding the reemployment of retirees and earnings limitations relative thereto; to provide with respect to benefits and the suspension, reduction, and resumption thereof; to provide an effective date; 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 Retirement to Reengrossed House Bill No. 27 by Representative Daniel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 11:707," delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 3, delete "repeal R.S. 11:708, 737, and 791,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, between "to" and "certain" change "repeal" to "delete"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6 between "thereof;" and "to" insert "to authorize multi-year contracts with such retirees;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, after "R.S. 11:707" , delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "is hereby"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, at the beginning of line 17, between "A.(1)" and "member" delete "Any" and insert "Except as provided in Paragraph (4) of this Subsection, any"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the end of line 23, add:

"This initial twelve month period shall be known as the "waiting period."

(2) Employing agencies, including school boards, are authorized to enter into multi-year contracts with retirees."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, at the beginning of line 24, change "(2)" to "(3)" and delete line 25 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "of the waiting period, whichever occurs first, payment of"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 2, after "cost-of-living or any" insert "other"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, between lines 4 and 5, insert:

"(4) Any member of this system who retires based on a disability shall not be authorized to return to active service pursuant to the provisions of this Section. Disability retirees shall be covered by the provisions of this Chapter applicable to disability retirees."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 8, between "credit" and "accrue" change "or" to "nor"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, delete lines 13 through 17 and insert:

"C.(1) When any retiree returns to active service with an employer covered by the provisions of this Chapter, the employing agency shall comply with the following reporting requirements:

(a) Within ten days thereafter, the employing agency shall notify the board of trustees in writing of such employment and the date on which it commenced and, upon termination, shall provide the same notice. This notice shall be known as the "notice of return to active service".

(b) Within forty-five days after June thirtieth annually the employing agency shall report to the retirement system the name and social security number of all persons being paid by the employer.

(2) If failure to give notice of return to active"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 4, line 22, between "after" and "written" insert "transmittal by the system of"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 4, line 25, between "delinquent" and the comma "," insert "as provided by this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 15, after "provisions of" change "R.S. 11:201 through 204" to "Subpart E of Part II of Chapter 4 of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, after line 16 delete the remainder of the page and insert the following:

"F.(1) The provisions of this Section, as amended and reenacted by the Act which originated as House Bill No. 27 of the 2000 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, shall be applied retroactively to July 1, 1999.

(2) The initial waiting period shall not apply to an otherwise eligible retiree who has terminated covered employment on or before June 30, 2000.

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AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 26

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 7, delete lines 1 through 17

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 7, at the beginning of line 18, change "Section 4." to "Section 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 7, delete line 19 in its entirety, and insert "litigation based on the provisions of R.S. 11:707,"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 7, at the beginning of line 20, delete "or 791,"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 7, at the beginning of line 23, change "Section 5." to "Section 3."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ellington to Reengrossed House Bill No. 27 by Representative Daniel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 15 proposed by the Senate Committee on Retirement and adopted by the Senate on April 4, 2000, on page 2, line 36, after "be" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 37 and insert the following:

"effective July 1, 2000."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Campbell to Reengrossed House Bill No. 27 by Representative Daniels

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 15 proposed by the Senate Committee on Retirement and adopted by the Senate on April 4, 2000, on page 2, line 34, change "F." to "G."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, between lines 16 and 17, insert:

"F. The provisions of this Section shall apply only to a member of this system who retires and returns to active service covered by the provisions of this Chapter as a public elementary or secondary classroom teacher."

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Frith	Powell
Alario	Futrell	Riddle
Alexander, E	Hammitt	Romero
Alexander, R	Heaton	Salter
Ansardi	Hebert	Scalise
Baudoin	Hill	Schneider
Baylor	Hopkins	Schwegmann
Bowler	Iles	Shaw
Bruce	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Bruneau	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R	Kennard	Stelly
Clarkson	Kenney	Strain
Crane	Lancaster	Thompson
Crowe	Landrieu	Toomy
Damico	LeBlanc	Townsend
Daniel	Martiny	Travis
Dartez	McCallum	Waddell
Devillier	McDonald	Walsworth
Diez	McMains	Warner
Doerge	Montgomery	Welch
Downer	Morrell	Wilkerson
Dupre	Morrish	Windhorst
Durand	Nevers	Winston
Erdey	Odinot	Wooton
Farrar	Perkins	Wright
Faucheux	Pinac	
Flavin	Pitre	
Total—79		

NAYS

Carter, K	Glover	Murray
Curtis	Hunter	Richmond
Früge	Jackson, L	Willard
Total—9		

ABSENT

Broome	Hudson	Quezaire
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th
Donelon	LaFleur	Smith, J.R.—30th
Green	Lucas	Sneed
Guillory	Pierre	Triche
Holden	Pratt	
Total—17		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

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. 27: Reps. Daniel, Curtis *vice* Schneider, and Stelly.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 7, 2000

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR

A RESOLUTION

To commend the efforts of the organizers of the Louisiana Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership seminars and to recognize April 14,

2000, as Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Day in the state of Louisiana.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House Committee on Commerce to study the procedures and requirements necessary for a bank to establish a branch office, including the required capital, the needs of the community where the proposed branch office would be located, and the ability of that community to support the proposed branch office, to evaluate the compliance with these procedures and requirements, and to report the study findings to the House of Representatives prior to the convening of the 2001 Regular Session.

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

April 7, 2000

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. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE, PITRE, AND LAFLEUR

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Ethics to develop a browser-based operating system for accepting electronically filed campaign finance reports, lobbyist disclosure reports, and any other reports required to be filed with the Board of Ethics or to change the requirements of the current Computerized Data Management System to broaden its compatibility with non-Windows compatible operating systems.

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.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 7, 2000

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

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

The following House Bills have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 119—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE, JACK SMITH, DEWITT, AND MCMAINS
AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND DARDENNE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:21, relative to office of conservation fees; to provide for production, application, and regulatory fees; to provide for the Oil and Gas Regulatory Fund; to provide for the administration, collection, and enforcement of fees; to provide for prohibition on inspection fees on oil wells in stripper fields; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 139—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE, DEWITT, MCMAINS, AND LEBLANC
AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND DARDENNE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2075.2(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 30:2075.2(A)(6), relative to the Department of Environmental Quality and financial security requirements for privately owned sewage treatment facilities; to provide that the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality may waive the bond or other financial security of applicants for discharge permits for privately owned sewage treatment facilities under certain circumstances; to provide for the issuance, renewal, modification, or transfer of permits without financial security; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 228—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DANIEL AND HOLDEN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4690.12, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to authorize the parish governing authority to create infrastructure development districts; to provide relative to the authority of such districts to undertake infrastructure projects and to finance them by levying taxes and assessments and incurring debt; to provide relative to taxes, assessments, and debt; to provide for general powers and duties of a district; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 232 (Substitute for House Bill No. 204 by Representative DeWitt, et al.)—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ODINET, DEWITT, FRITH, AND MCMAINS AND
SENATORS HAINKEL AND DARDENNE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:428.1 and 432.1(B)(3) and to enact R.S. 56:427.1 and 428.2, relative to oyster leases in coastal restoration impact areas; to require that all oyster leases and renewals of oyster leases shall hold the state harmless for coastal restoration project impacts; to provide for terms of renewal or extension of leases in projected impact areas of coastal restoration projects; to provide for terms of renewal or extension of leases in impact areas of operational coastal restoration projects; to provide for retention of an existing lease in a coastal restoration project impact area; to provide for relocation of oyster leases in coastal impact areas; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Bills contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Governor for executive approval.

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 7, 2000

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

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 58
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 59
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 60
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 61
Returned without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

April 7, 2000

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 46, 52, 66, 79, and 106

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

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 7, 2000

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

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13

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

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 27: Senators Ellington, Campbell, and Boissiere.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 91 By Representative Diez

April 7, 2000

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 91 by Representative Diez, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works and adopted by the Senate on April 4, 2000, be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 affecting page 3, lines 17 and 18 proposed by Senator Schedler and adopted by the Senate on April 6, 2000, be adopted.
3. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 affecting page 2, line 24 proposed by Senator Schedler and adopted by the Senate on April 6, 2000, be adopted.
4. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Senator Malone and adopted by the Senate on April 6, 2000, be adopted.
5. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 4 affecting page 1, line 6 proposed by Senator Malone and adopted by the Senate on April 6, 2000, be adopted.

6. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 4 affecting page 1, between lines 7 and 8 proposed by Senator Malone and adopted by the Senate on April 6, 2000 be rejected.

7. That the following amendment to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"R.S. 32:387.14. Special permit; heavy equipment

In addition to the special permits issued on an annual basis or a per trip basis as provided for in this Part, the secretary is hereby authorized to issue annual special permits to transporters of heavy equipment. The secretary shall promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act to implement the provisions of this Section, including but not limited to the fee for such annual permit, which shall not exceed two thousand five hundred dollars, and the size and weight authorized under the permit, which shall not exceed size and weight restrictions for transporters of heavy equipment under this Part."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative John C. "Juba" Diez
Representative Troy Hebert
Representative F. Charles McMains, Jr.
Senator Francis Heitmeier
Senator Joel Thomas Chaisson II
Senator John T. "Tom" Schedler

Rep. Diez moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, E	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, R	Hammett	Powell
Ansardi	Heaton	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hebert	Richmond
Baylor	Hill	Salter
Bowler	Hopkins	Scalise
Broome	Hudson	Schneider
Bruce	Hunter	Schwegmann
Bruneau	Iles	Shaw
Carter, K	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson	Johns	Sneed
Crane	Katz	Stelly
Crowe	Kennard	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Thompson
Damico	LaFleur	Toomy
Daniel	Lancaster	Townsend
Dartez	LeBlanc	Travis
Devillier	Lucas	Triche
Diez	Martiny	Waddell
Doerge	McCallum	Walsworth
Donelon	McDonald	Warner
Downer	McMains	Wilkerson
Dupre	Montgomery	Willard
Durand	Morrell	Windhorst
Farrar	Morrish	Winston
Faucheux	Murray	Wooton

Flavin
Frith
Futrell
Total—94

Nevers
Odinet
Perkins

Wright

NAYS

Riddle
Total—2

Romero

ABSENT

Carter, R
Erdey
Früge
Total—9

Holden
Landrieu
Pratt

Smith, G.—56th
Smith, J.R.—30th
Welch

The Conference Committee Report, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 27 by Representative Daniel

April 7, 2000

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill 27 by Representative Daniel recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 5 through 14 proposed by the Senate Committee on Retirement and adopted by the Senate on April 4, 2000 be adopted.
2. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 and 15 through 21 proposed by the Senate Committee on Retirement and adopted by the Senate on April 4, 2000 be rejected.
3. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator Ellington and adopted by the Senate on April 7, 2000 be rejected.
4. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 proposed by Senator Campbell and adopted by the Senate on April 7, 2000 be adopted.
4. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator Campbell and adopted by the Senate on April 7, 2000 be rejected.
5. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 18 and delete page 2 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 16 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"To amend and reenact R.S. 11:721.1 and to enact R.S. 11: 707.1, relative to the Teachers' Retirement System; to provide for the reemployment of retirees in certain positions; to provide for their retirement benefits and limitations and restrictions as to such benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 11: 721.1 is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 11:707.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§707.1. Employment of retirees; limited to classroom teaching"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6, delete lines 10 through 26 and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 22

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 7, line 23, change "Section 5." to "Section 2."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative William B. Daniel
Representative Victor T. Stelly
Representative Israel B. Curtis
Senator Foster Campbell
Senator Noble Ellington

Point of Order

Rep. Triche asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the bill as amended by the Conference Committee Report is within the listing of objects contained in the Governor's proclamation for this extraordinary session.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that the above bill as amended by the Conference Committee Report was within the listing of objects contained in the Governor's proclamation for this extraordinary session.

Motion

Rep. Triche moved that the Conference Committee Report be returned to the calendar.

Rep. Daniel objected.

By a vote of 33 yeas and 57 nays, the House refused to return the Conference Committee Report to the calendar.

Rep. Daniel moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alario	Hammett	Richmond
Alexander, R	Hill	Riddle
Baylor	Hudson	Salter
Bowler	Iles	Scalise
Carter, K	Jackson, M	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson	Kennard	Sneed
Crowe	Landrieu	Stelly
Curtis	Lucas	Strain
Damico	McCallum	Thompson
Daniel	McDonald	Toomy
Dartez	McMains	Townsend
Devillier	Montgomery	Travis
Diez	Morrell	Waddell
Doerge	Morrish	Warner
Durand	Murray	Wilkerson

Erdey
Farrar
Faucheux
Flavin
Futrell
Guillory
Total—67

Nevers
Odinet
Pierre
Pinac
Powell
Quezaire

Willard
Winston
Wooton
Wright

NAYS

Mr. Speaker
Alexander, E
Baudoin
Broome
Bruneau
Downer
Frith
Total—19

Fruge
Hebert
Jackson, L
Lancaster
LeBlanc
Martiny
Perkins

Pitre
Shaw
Triche
Walsworth
Windhorst

ABSENT

Ansardi
Bruce
Crane
Donelon
Dupre
Glover
Green
Total—19

Heaton
Holden
Hopkins
Hunter
Kenney
LaFleur
Pratt

Romero
Schneider
Smith, G.—56th
Smith, J.R.—30th
Welch

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Travis, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 91.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**REJECTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has rejected the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 124.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 88.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 7, 2000

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. 55—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the Public Administration Institute Student Association at Louisiana State University and to recognize April 13, 2000, as the second annual PAISA Day.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FLAVIN, DEWITT, JOHNS, STELLY, GUILLORY, HILL, ILES, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GLOVER, GREEN, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WILKERSON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS BEAN, BOISSIERE, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CHAISSON, CRAVINS, DEAN, GAUTREAUX, HINES, HOLLIS, HOYT, IRONS, C. JONES, LENTINI, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, ROMERO, SMITH, THEUNISSEN, AND THOMAS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to present its budget cutting plan to the House and Senate Natural Resources Committees and the Joint Budget Committee for approval prior to implementation.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ERDEY, KENNARD, MCMAINS, PERKINS, POWELL, AND TRAVIS AND SENATORS FONTENOT AND LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Wayne Sanders of Denham Springs and to record for posterity the enduring appreciation of the members for his singular contributions to the citizens of Livingston Parish.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WILKERSON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Katrina Hibbert upon the completion of her outstanding legacy as a Lady Tiger at Louisiana State University and for her unparalleled contributions to LSU basketball, particularly during the team's remarkable 1999-2000 season.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WILKERSON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Paula Lee for her outstanding contributions as an assistant coach of the LSU women's basketball team, particularly during the Lady Tigers' remarkable 1999-2000 season.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH,

WILKERSON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Bob Starkey for his outstanding contributions as an administrative assistant and assistant coach with the LSU women's basketball team, particularly during the Lady Tigers' remarkable 1999-2000 season.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WILKERSON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Dana "Pokey" Chatman for her outstanding legacy as a player and coach with the LSU women's basketball team, particularly during the Lady Tigers' remarkable 1999-2000 season.

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.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 7, 2000

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

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

The following House Bills have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 163 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 83)—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, MCMAINS, AND THOMPSON AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2223(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 39:1556(28), relative to the public contracts; to provide for the definition of "written" and "in writing" in the Louisiana Procurement Code and concerning the issuance of work orders and the commencement of work under the public bid law; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 223—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GLOVER, PERKINS, R. ALEXANDER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, DIEZ, HEATON, HEBERT, MCCALLUM, PITRE, STRAIN, WALSWORTH, AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1101 and 1193(introductory paragraph) and to enact Title XVII of the Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 1701 through 1706,

relative to newborns; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for relinquishment of newborns; to provide for definitions; to provide for subpoenas; to provide for authority and responsibility of accepting entity; to provide for parental rights; to provide for evaluation of the programs; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Bills contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Governor for executive approval.

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 88 by Senator Dardenne

April 7, 2000

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 88 by Senator Dardenne recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1 through 147 proposed by the House Committee on Commerce and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 3, 2000 be adopted.
2. That House Committee Amendment No. 148, 149, 150, 151, and 152 proposed by the House Committee on Commerce and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 3, 2000 be rejected.
3. That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1 through 29 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 4, 2000 be adopted.
4. That House Committee Amendment Nos. 30, 31, and 32 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 4, 2000 be rejected.
5. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 3 (B-139) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
6. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 4 (B-133) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
7. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 3 (B-138) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
8. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 51, 55 through 64, and 67 through 82, (B-140-C) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
9. The House Floor Amendment (B-140-C) Nos. 52 through 54, 65, 66, 83, 84, 85, 86, and 87 proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be rejected.
10. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 7 (B-151) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
11. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 11 (B-122-C) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
12. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 12 through 16 (B-122-C) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be rejected.
13. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 (B-134-A) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
14. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 (B-141-A) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
15. That House Floor Amendment Nos 2 and 3 (B-141-A) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be rejected.
16. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 (B-146-A) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
17. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 (B-147-A) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
18. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 12 (B-152-D) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
19. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 (B-156) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
20. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 (B-163) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
21. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 4 (B-164) proposed by Representative Travis and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
22. That House Floor Amendment No. 2 (B-112-C) proposed by Representative Bowler and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
23. That House Floor Amendment No. 3 (B-112-C) proposed by Representative Bowler and adopted by the House of Representatives and on April 6, 2000 be rejected.
24. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 11 and 13 (B-120-C) proposed by Representative Windhorst and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
25. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 10 and 12 (B-120-C) proposed by Representative Windhorst and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be rejected.

26. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 4 and 6 through 9 (B-124-B) proposed by Representative Riddle and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
27. That House Floor Amendment No. 5 (B-124-B) proposed by Representative Riddle and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be rejected.
28. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 3 (B-126) proposed by Representative Lancaster and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
29. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 (B-129) proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
30. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 (B-142) proposed by Representative Pinac and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
31. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 (B-143-A) proposed by Representative Schwegmann and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
32. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 (B-145-B) proposed by Representative Alario and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
33. That all House Floor Amendments (B-150-C) proposed by Representative Landrieu and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 6, 2000 be adopted.
34. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 20, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"(19) To develop and use procedures for its procurement or disposal of goods, materials, supplies, and equipment, and for the construction of public works, and for the lease or disposal of property, which procedures shall be submitted for approval in advance of implementation to the House Committee on Commerce and the Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 22, line 22, between "projects" and the comma "," insert "initiated by Louisiana, Inc."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In House Committee Amendment No. 18 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 4, 2000, on page 2, line 32, between "approval." and "The annual" insert the following:

"Except for Fiscal Year 2000-2001, the annual budget shall be filed no later than forty-five days prior to each regular session of the legislature, except during the first year of each term the corporation shall file the annual budget no later than thirty days prior to the regular session of the legislature. For Fiscal Year 2000-2001, the annual budget shall be filed no later than April 15, 2001."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 64, line 1, change "Department of Revenue" to "division of administration"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 64, line 7, change "Department of Revenue" to "division of administration"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 87, lines 7 and 8, change "Louisiana, Inc., or its successor organization," to "The division of administration"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 87, line 14, change "Louisiana, Inc., or its successor organization," to "the division of administration"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 132, line 5, change "January" to "March"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 132, line 9, change "January" to "March"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 133, delete lines 2 through 27 in their entirety and on page 134, delete lines 1 through 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 38. (A) The provisions of this Act shall be effective only if the constitutional amendment proposed by Senate Bill No. 74 of the First Extraordinary Session of 2000 is approved by the electors and becomes part of the constitution. In such case, the provisions of this Section of this Act shall be effective at the same time as such constitutional amendment is effective and the provisions of Section 1 of this Act providing for the creation and establishment of the board of directors, the conduct of board meetings, and employment and payment of compensation to a chief executive officer of the board and board members and other employees of the corporation shall also take effect at such time. All other provisions of Section 1 and the provisions of Sections 2 through 37 shall be effective March 1, 2001 and all power, authority, and duties assigned by this Act to Louisiana, Inc. shall begin to be exercised and all transfers and abolishments provided in this Act shall be effective on that date.

(B) The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized to make adjustments in appropriations contained in the Act which originated as House Bill No. 1 of the 2000 Regular Session of the Legislature which are necessary to implement this Act."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator John L. "Jay" Dardenne
 Senator Dudley A. "Butch" Gautreaux
 Senator Ken Hollis
 Representative F. Charles McMains, Jr.
 Representative Hunt Downer
 Representative John D. Travis

Rep. Travis moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, E	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, R	Hammett	Powell
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezaire
Baylor	Hill	Richmond
Broome	Holden	Riddle
Bruce	Hopkins	Salter
Bruneau	Hudson	Scalise
Carter, K	Hunter	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Iles	Shaw
Crane	Jackson, L	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Jackson, M	Smith, J.H.—8th
Curtis	Johns	Sneed
Damico	Katz	Stelly
Daniel	Kennard	Strain
Dartez	Kenney	Thompson
Devillier	LaFleur	Toomy
Diez	Lancaster	Townsend
Doerge	Landrieu	Travis
Donelon	LeBlanc	Triche
Downer	Lucas	Waddell
Dupre	Martiny	Walsworth
Durand	McCallum	Warner
Erdey	McDonald	Welch
Farrar	McMains	Wilkerson
Faucheux	Montgomery	Willard
Flavin	Murray	Winston
Frith	Nevers	Wooton
Fruge	Odinet	
Futrell	Perkins	
Total—91		

NAYS

Baudoin	Morrell	Windhorst
Bowler	Morrish	Wright
Clarkson	Romero	
Total—8		

ABSENT

Carter, R	Pratt	Smith, G.—56th
Heaton	Schneider	Smith, J.R.—30th
Total—6		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Bruneau, the Speaker appointed the following special committee to notify the Governor that the House has completed its labors and is prepared to adjourn *sine die*: Reps. Montgomery, Jack Smith, Diez, Doerge, and Karen Carter.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Bruneau, the Speaker appointed the following special committee to notify the Senate that the House has completed its labors and is prepared to adjourn *sine die*: Reps. Baudoin, Martiny, LeBlanc, Murray, and Willard.

Reports of Special Committees

The special committee appointed to notify the Governor that the House had completed its labors and was prepared to adjourn *sine die* reported that it had performed that duty.

The special committee appointed to notify the Senate that the House had completed its labors and was prepared to adjourn *sine die* reported that it had performed that duty.

The Speaker thanked and discharged the committees.

Committee from the Senate

A special committee from the Senate notified the House that the Senate has completed its labors and is prepared to adjourn *sine die*.

The Speaker thanked and dismissed the committee.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Heaton, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of Resolutions at this time.

Introduction of Resolutions

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 33—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEATON
A RESOLUTION

To request the House Committee on the Administration of Criminal Justice to study the feasibility of requiring any person who is arrested for the commission of any criminal act which exposes another person to an infectious disease to submit to a test or procedure designed to determine whether the offender is infected with a sexually transmitted disease, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS), the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), HIV-1 antibodies, any other probable causative agent of AIDS, viral hepatitis, or any other infectious disease, and to report its findings to the House of Representatives prior to the 2001 Regular Session.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 34—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LUCAS, MURRAY, AND RICHMOND
A RESOLUTION

To welcome the "Woman Thou Art Loosed Conference 2001" to the Louisiana Superdome.

Read by title.

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hebert, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials and
Communications

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

April 7, 2000

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 27.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

April 7, 2000

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

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

House Bill No. 121
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

House Bills Amended by the Senate to be Concurred in by the House

Rep. Hebert asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions just returned from the Senate, with amendments to be concurred in by the House, with a view of acting on the same:

HOUSE BILL NO. 121 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 35)— BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATOR HAINKEL AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3361(A)(5), relative to the authority of institutions or agencies of higher education to lease or acquire property; to authorize higher education management boards to lease a portion of university grounds, campus, or other immovable property to private for-profit entities under certain circumstances; 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 Education to Reengrossed House Bill No. 121 by Representative DeWitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, after "board" and before "that" change "and provided further" to "; provided"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 6, after "process" and before the period "." insert "; and provided such a lease results in no additional cost to the college or university"

Point of Order

Rep. Perkins asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the above amendments proposed by the Senate 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.

Motion

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

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 7, 2000

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

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 24 and 25

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

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

April 7, 2000

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 27, 71, 74, and 88

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

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 7, 2000

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. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEATON
A RESOLUTION

To request the House Committee on the Administration of Criminal Justice to study the feasibility of requiring any person who is arrested for the commission of any criminal act which exposes another person to an infectious disease to submit to a test or procedure designed to determine whether the offender is infected with a sexually transmitted disease, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS), the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), HIV-1 antibodies, any other probable causative agent of AIDS, viral hepatitis, or any other infectious disease, and to report its findings to the House of Representatives prior to the 2001 Regular Session.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 34—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LUCAS, MURRAY, AND RICHMOND
A RESOLUTION

To welcome the "Woman Thou Art Loosed Conference 2001" to the Louisiana Superdome.

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

April 7, 2000

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

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

The following House Bills have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCALISE, WARNER, AND RICHMOND AND SENATORS LENTINI AND ULLO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:967(F)(3) and to enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule II)(D)(3), relative to controlled dangerous substances; to add Gamma Butyrolactone as a Schedule II depressant; to provide correct references in penalty provisions applicable to possession of gamma hydroxybutyric acid; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DANIEL, DOWNER, MCDONALD, MURRAY, AND THOMPSON AND SENATOR HÖLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:721.1(C) and to enact R.S. 11:707.1, relative to the Teachers' Retirement System; to provide for the reemployment of retirees in certain positions; to provide for their retirement benefits and limitations and restrictions as to such benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILL AND FRITH AND SENATORS CAIN, SCHEDLER, AND SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:221(A), 424(E), and 780(C), relative to the Municipal Employees Retirement System, the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, and to the Teachers' Retirement System; to provide with respect to benefits; to provide relative to the conversion of annual and sick leave to retirement credit; to further provide with respect to earnings of disability beneficiaries engaged in a gainful occupation; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 56—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, DEWITT, AND MCMAINS AND SENATORS SCHEDLER AND DARDENNE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:772(A) and (B), relative to funding for regional addictive disorder services; to change the method of allocating such funding; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 91—

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

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:388(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 32:387.14, relative to size, weight, and load of vehicles; to provide for special permit fees; to increase the penalties for overweight vehicles; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 130—

BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, DEWITT, AND MCMAINS AND SENATORS SCHEDLER, DARDENNE, AND HAINKEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:5.6(A), 40(3), 628(B), 701.1(C), 716 through 718, 2719, 2832(L)(1) and (2), to enact R.S. 40:628(C) and (D) and Part VI of Chapter 1 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:31.31 through 31.36, and to repeal R.S. 40:713(B), relative to public health services and functions; to increase and assess certain fees to partially offset the state costs of providing such services; to provide for fees currently charged; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 142—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, CLARKSON, FRUGE, AND
WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5104(D) and R.S. 17:1519.9, relative to venue; to provide for venue in negligence actions against the faculty or staff of the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors, the Louisiana State Medical School, or the Louisiana State Health Sciences Center; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 156 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 90)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS AND SENATOR MOUNT AND
COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES FLAVIN, GUILLORY, HILL,
MORRISH, AND STELLY AND SENATORS CAIN AND THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 41 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9571, relative to the creation of a special taxing district in Calcasieu Parish; to create such district; to provide for the purpose for which such district is created; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the powers, duties, and functions of the district, including the power to levy a tax and assess fees; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROOME, CAZAYOUX, AND DEVILLIER AND
SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:103(C)(1)(d) and to enact R.S. 33:106.2, relative to the West Baton Rouge Parish Planning Commission; to authorize an increase in the per diem allowance for members of the planning commission; to establish limits; to provide that the parish home rule charter controls in cases of conflict with the general law governing planning commissions; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Bills contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Governor for executive approval.

Leave of Absence

Rep. Pratt- 1 day

Rep. Gary Smith- 1 day

Rep. John Smith- 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Riddle, at 4:45 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn *sine die*.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned *sine die*.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House