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

Morning Hour
ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker
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Alexander, R
Ansardi
Baudoin
Baylor
Bowler
Broune
Bruce
Bruneau
Carter, K
Carter, R
Cazayoux
Clarkson
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Dartez
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Donelon
Downer
Dupre
Durand
Erdey

Pinc
Pitre
Powell
Pratt
Quezaire
Richmond
Riddle
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Scalise
Schneider
Schwegmann
Shaw
Smith, G.—56th
Smith, J.D.—50th
Smith, J.H.—8th
Smith, J.R.—30th
Sneed
Stelly
Strain
Thompson
Toomy
Townsend
Travis
Triehe
Waddell
Walshworth
Warner
Welch

Farrar
Faucheur
Flavin
Frith
Fruge
Futrell

Morrish
Murray
Nevers
Odinet
Perkins
Pierre
Wilkerson
Willard
Windhorst
Winston
Wootton
Wright

Total—105
ABSENT
Total—0

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

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Reverend Raymond Jetson.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Morrish 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. Frith, the Journal of May 18, 2000, was adopted.

On motion of Rep. Karen Carter, the Committee of the Whole House Journal of May 18, 2000, was adopted.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

May 22, 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. 3—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the House Committee on Ways and Means to study the the Internet sales tax issue and investigate possible courses of action to equalize the tax burden between sales by interstate remote vendors and sales by local "main street" merchants.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
A RESOLUTION
To approve the Coastal Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Plan for Fiscal Year 2000-2001, as adopted by the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Authority.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 23—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FLAVIN, ALARIO, DAMICO, FRITH, FRUGE, GUILLOIRY, HILL, ILES, JOHNS, MORRISH, PIERRE, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DANIEL, DARTZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUR, FUTRELL, GLOVER, GREEN, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUSSON, HUNTER, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LAFLUEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, MARTY, MARTY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDELL, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, SNEED, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAVIS, TURNER, TUSMAN, ULMER, VANDEVERE, VERNON, WALTERS, WILKINSON, WOOTTON, WRIGHT, YOUNG.
To commend Conoco upon its one hundred twenty-fifth anniversary and to recognize its important contributions to the state of Louisiana and her citizens.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 24—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT*

**A RESOLUTION**

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Gregory Byrd and its appreciation for his acts of bravery in saving children of Alexandria from gunfire.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 25—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, LEBLANC, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DUFRE, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GLOVER, GREEN, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEDY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MCMEMENS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRIS, 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, WOOTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend and congratulate Ms. Carroll W. Suggs on receiving the Pro Patria Award given in recognition of her exceptional support of the national defense of the country by the adoption of business personnel policies and practices that make it easier for her employees to participate in the National Guard and Reserve, and for her dedication to and participation in a myriad of philanthropic activities.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 26—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVES PRATT, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUFRE, 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, KENNEDY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRIS, 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, WOOTON, WOOTTON, AND WRIGHT

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**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 27—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN*

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Colin Paul Elbert upon his graduation from Redemptorist High School.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

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

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

*May 22, 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. 13—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL*

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To memorialize the U.S. Congress and the Louisiana congressional delegation to provide funding from revenues received from oil and gas activity on the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) to the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries for state enforcement of the wildlife and fisheries laws.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS*

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend F. H. "Bubba" Dykes of Dry Prong upon his election as National Constable of the Year.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE*

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To recognize Wednesday, May 10, 2000, as Dental Hygiene Day in the state of Louisiana and to commend dental hygienists around the state for their outstanding contributions to the oral health of citizens of the state of Louisiana.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHNS, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUFRE, 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, KENNEDY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRIS, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, 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, WOOTON, WOOTTON, AND WRIGHT

**A RESOLUTION**

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Rosalind Brignac Wilson.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—**

*BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE, E. ALEXANDER, BAUDOIN, LEBLANC, AND PINAC AND SENATORS CRAVINS AND MICHOT*

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend Kevin Maher of Lafayette upon his first place victory in the River of Words national poetry contest.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST, ALARIO, DAMICO, AND TOOMY
AND SENATOR ULLO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend the Reverend Steven Dumais, SDB for his years of significant achievement as Principal and Director of Archbishop Shaw High School; to recognize and record his myriad accomplishments and his remarkable contributions to the school and to the West Bank community of Jefferson Parish; and to extend to him the best wishes of the legislature as he embarks upon new challenges and endeavors.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST AND CLARKSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Goings of Algiers upon the occasion of their sixtieth wedding anniversary.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE AND SENATOR SCHEDLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Lucille Vennen of Clearwood Junior High School of Slidell upon her selection as Louisiana Teacher of the Year.

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.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
May 21, 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. 42
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 48
Returned without amendments.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 49
Returned without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
M ICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
May 21, 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 and asks your concurrence in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 29

Respectfully submitted,
M ICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Morrish, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Senate Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over at this time.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained in the message were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN AND REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create the Louisiana Oil Centennial Commission to coordinate and promote the celebration of the centennial of the discovery of Jennings Oil No.1 Well in the Evangeline Field.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—
BY SENATORS HAINKEL AND BAJOIE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend the Isidore Newman Greenies for capturing its first state baseball title in school history in the 2000 State Farm/Louisiana High School Athletic Association's Class 2A Baseball Championship.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—
BY SENATORS FONTE NoT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate the players, and coaches of the Denham Springs High School Lady Jackets on winning the Class 5A Girls High School State Softball Championship.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Erdey, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—
BY SENATORS W. FIELDS, CRAVINS, AND C. D. JONES AND REPRESENTATIVES HOLDEN, HUDSON, AND PIERRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express support of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.’s “Voter Education and Registration Campaign 2000” whereby the fraternity is in the process of educating and registering voters for the Nation’s 2000 General Elections.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—
BY SENATORS W. FIELDS, CRAVINS, AND C.D. JONES AND REPRESENTATIVES HOLDEN, HUDSON, AND PIERRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express support of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated in its efforts to upgrade the health level of African-American citizens in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—
BY SENATORS W. FIELDS, CRAVINS, AND C.D. JONES AND REPRESENTATIVES HOLDEN, HUDSON, AND PIERRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To proclaim Wednesday, May 24, 2000, as Alpha Phi Alpha Day in the Louisiana Legislature and to provide for suitable observance of such day.

Read by title.

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

House Bills on Second Reading
Reported by Committee

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 326 (Substitute for House Bill No. 235 by Representatives DeWitt and Hammett)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, HAMMETT, AND LEROY
AN ACT
To enact Subtitle XII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:10000 through 10017, and to make inapplicable, inoperable, and of no effect Chapter 5 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950; to make inapplicable, inoperable, and of no effect certain credits relative to the corporation income and franchise taxes; to repeal R.S. 22:1061; to repeal the insurance premium tax; to provide for the levy, collection, computation, administration, and enforcement of the tax; to define certain crimes and provide for penalties for violation thereof; to provide for credits of corporation income and franchise tax due; to make inapplicable, inoperable, and of no effect the corporation income and franchise taxes and certain credits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 327 (Substitute for House Bill No. 312 by Representative Hudson)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY AND GLOVER
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2000-2001 to be used to pay certain legal fees and expenses incurred by certain state officials; to pay the legal fees and expenses incurred by Gregory Tarver in his successful defense of criminal charges brought against him, which charges arose from actions taken by him in the discharge of his duties and within the scope of his membership in the Louisiana Senate; to pay the legal fees and expenses incurred by Ecotry Fuller in his successful defense of criminal charges brought against him, which charges arose from actions taken by him in the discharge of his duties and within the scope of his membership on the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND, E. ALEXANDER, BRUCE, CROWE, DEVILLIER, DOERGE, FRITH, M. JACKSON, LAFLEUR, MORRELL, NEVERS, PINAC, RIDDLE, SCHWEGMANN, GARY SMITH, SNEED, AND TRAVIS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Consumer Product Safety Commission, the National Academy of Sciences, the American Society of Testing and Materials, and the Upholstered Furniture Action Council to develop attainable standards for protection from open flame ignition and to urge and request that certain information be disseminated in fire safety education programs.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HERBERT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the licensed racing associations in this state and the Louisiana State Racing Commission to take such actions as may be necessary to allow the Horsemens Benevolent and Protective Association (HBPA) to fully and freely examine and audit those books, financial and accounting records, and any other records of the racing associations which pertain to the distribution of monies to horsemens as required by law in order to ensure that horsemens are receiving all monies due them pursuant to state law, including but not limited to those monies related to purses derived from deductions on certain wagering pools, funds for hospital and medical benefits for racing permittees, purse supplements from commissions on wagers made at offtrack wagering facilities, purse
supplements from slot machine gaming proceeds, breeder awards, and any other purses and purse supplements.

Read by title.

Rep. Hebert moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 89 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**House Bills on Third Reading and Final Passage**

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

**Local and Consent Calendar**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 5—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE R. CARTER

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit "Waymar Corporation, Inc. v. State of Louisiana" before the Louisiana Board of Tax Appeals; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Robert Carter moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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**NAYS**

**Windhorst**

**Total—1**

**ABSENT**

**Donelon**
**Morrell**
**Walsworth**

**Flavin**
**Nevers**

**Johns**
**Perkins**

**Total—7**

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 39—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the final judgment in the suit entitled "Parker Hannifin Corporation v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana", and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Quezaire moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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HOUSE BILL NO. 40—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN

AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the consent judgments in the suits entitled "Gloria Henderson v. The State Board of Elementary Education and Secondary Education and Dr. Richard N. Day" and "Yvette Muse v. The State Board of Elementary Education and Secondary Education and Dr. Richard N. Day"; to provide for interest; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Holden moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Glover  Pratt
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Baudoin  Hill  Salter
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Bruneau  Hunter  Shaw
Carter, K  Iles  Smith, G.—56th
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Dupee  Montgomery  Warner
Durand  Morrish  Welch
Evdey  Murray  Wilkerson
Farrar  Odinet  Willard
Faucheux  Perkins  Winston
Flavin  Pierre  Wooton
Frith  Pinac  Wright
Futrell  Pitre
Total—100

NAYS

Windhorst  Total—1

ABSENT

Donelon  Nevers  Total—1

Morrell  Perkins  Total—4

Total—97

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ILES

AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the final judgment in the suit entitled "Boise Cascade Corporation v. State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Iles moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Glover  Powell
Alario  Green  Pratt
Alexander, E  Guillory  Quezaire
Alexander, R  Hammett  Richmond
Ansardi  Heaton  Riddle
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Damico  Landrieu  Townsend
Daniel  Lancaster  Toomy
Dartez  Landrieu  Townsend
Devillier LeBlanc Travis LaFleur Damico
Diez Martiny Triche Waddell Thompson
Doerge McCallum Welcher Waddell
Downer McDonald Walsworth Waddell
Dupre Montgomery Warner Waddell
Durand Morish Willerson Waddell
Erdey Murray Odinet Waddell
Farrar Perkins Winston Waddell
Faucheux Pierre Wootton Waddell
Frith Pinac Wright Waddell
Futrell Pire Waddell Waddell

Total—98

NAYS

Windhorst
Total—1

ABSENT

Donelon Lucas Morrell
Flavin McMains Nevers

Total—6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 49—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the final judgment in the suit entitled "Merck & Co., Inc. v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana"; to pay the final judgment in "John Crane, Inc. v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters. Read by title.

Rep. Landrieu moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Glover Powell
Alario Green Pratt
Alexander, E Guillory Quezaire
Alexander, R Hammett Richmond
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Cazayoux Jackson, M Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson Johns Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane Katz Sneed
Crowe Kennard Strain
Curtis Kenney

Total—6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 59—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the final judgment in the suit entitled "Columbian Chemicals Company v. State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.


ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Futrell Powell
Alario Glover Pratt
Alexander, E Green Quezaire
Alexander, R Guillory Richmond
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Broome Holden Schneider
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Carter, R Iles Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux Jackson, L Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson Jackson, M Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane Johns Sneed
Crowe Katz Stelly
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 143—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay judgments in the suits entitled "Pano Enterprises, Inc. v. State of Louisiana" and "The Clothes Hamper, Inc. v. State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. LeBlanc moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker                     Guillory                      Pratt
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Alexander, R                   Hebert                        Riddle
Ansardi                        Hill                          Salter
Baudoin                        Holden                       Scalese
Baylor                         Hopkins                      Schneider
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Bruneau                        Iles                          Smith, G.—56th
Carte, K                       Jackson, J.                    Smith, J.D.—50th
Carte, R                       Jackson, M.                    Smith, J.H.—50th
Cazayoux                      Johns                        Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson                      Katz                          Sneed
Crane                          Kennard                      Stelly
Damico                        Kenney                       Strain
Daniel                         LaFleur                      Thompson
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Downer                         McCallum                      Walsworth
Dupre                          McDonald                     Warner
Durand                         Montgomery                   Welch
Erdey                          Morrise                      Wilkerson
Farrar                         Murray                       Willard
Fauchaux                      Odinet                       Winston
Flavin                          Perkins                      Wooton
Frith                          Pinac                        Wright
Fruge                          Pitre
Total—98

NAYS

Windhorst                      Perkins                      Romero

Total—1

HOUSE BILL NO. 160—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Dobry Georgeff d/b/a Clothesline Laundromat, Clothesline Laundromat, Inc., and River City Opera, Inc. d/b/a Soap Opera Laundromat v. State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Landrieu moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker                     Futrell                      Pitre
Alario                          Glover                      Powell
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Alexander, R                   Guillory                      Quezaire
Ansardi                        Hampton                      Richmond
Baudoin                        Heaton                       Riddle
Broome                         Holmes                       Scalese
Bruce                          Hopkins                      Schneider
Bruneau                        Iles                         Shaw
Carter, R                      Jackson, L                    Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R                      Jackson, M                    Smith, J.H.—50th
Cazayoux                      Johns                        Smith, J.R.—30th
Clarkson                      Katz                          Sneed
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 162—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE**

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay judgments in the suits entitled "ICI Americas, Inc. v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana" and "The Glidden Company v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Quezaire moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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PERKINS         Windhorst

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**ABSENT**

Crowe Lucas Smith, G.—56th
Curtis McMains Waddell
Frugie Morrell Wilkerson
Hudson Nevers

Total—11

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 165—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS**

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the final judgments in the suits entitled "Swedish Match North America, Inc. v. John Neely Kennedy, Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana" and "Northwest Louisiana Production Credit Association v. State of Louisiana, Department of Revenue and Taxation"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hopkins moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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Total—95

PERKINS         Windhorst

Total—2

**ABSENT**

Crowe Lucas Smith, G.—56th
Donelon Morrell Wilkerson
Faucheux Nevers

Total—8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 172—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for the Fiscal Year 2000-2001 to be credited to the special fund in the state treasury created by R.S. 33:2218.3(B) for payment of supplemental salaries to deputy sheriffs as provided in R.S. 33:2218.8, for the purpose of paying uncollected back supplemental pay to Charles Kertz, former deputy civil sheriff in Orleans Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Bruneau moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker          Futrell          Pinac
Alario                Glover          Pitre
Alexander, E         Green           Powell
Alexander, R         Guillory        Pratt

ABSENT

Donelon               Morrell         Smith, G.—56th
Lafleur               McCallum        Waddell
McDonald              McMain           Warner
Montgomery            Morrise          Willard
Murray               Nevers

Total—8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 173—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the judgment in the suit entitled "Dixie Carriers, Inc. v. John Neely Kennedy, Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana”; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Downing moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker          Fruge           Pierre
Alario                Futrell         Pinac
Alexander, E         Glover          Pitre
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 184—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND AND SENATOR ROMERO
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the judgments in the suits entitled "Manpower International, Inc. v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Durand moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Futrell Pinac
Alario Glover Pitre

NAYS

Windhorst Total—1

ABSENT

Green Morrell Wilkerson
Lucas Smith, G.—56th
Total—5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 203—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay judgments in the suits entitled "Tandy Corporation v. John Neely Kennedy, Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana" and "Snap On, Incorporated v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Daniel moved the final passage of the bill.

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   Pratt
Ansardi        Hammett    Quezaire
Baudoin        Heaton     Richmond
Baylor         Hebert     Riddle
Bowler         Hill       Romero
Broume         Holden     Salter
Bruce          Hopkins    Scalise
Bruneau        Hunter     Schneider
Carter, K      Iles       Schwegmann
Carter, R      Jackson, L  Shaw
Cazayoux       Jackson, M  Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson       Johns      Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane          Katz      Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe          Kennard   Sneed
Currie         Kenney     Stelly
Damico         LaFleur    Strain
Daniel         Lancaster  Thompson
Dartez         Landrieu   Townsend
Devillier      LeBlanc    Trivin
Diez           Lucas      Triche
Doerge         Martiny    Waddell
Downer         McCallum   Walworth
Dupre          McDonald   Warner
Durand         McMain     Welsh
Erdey          Montgomery Willerson
Farrar         Morris     Willard
Fauciex        Murray     Wooton
Flavin         Odinet    Wright
Frith          Perkins    Wright
Frugu          Pierre     Wright
Total—99

NAYS

Windhorst     Total—1

Donelon       Morrell    Smith, G.—56th
Hudson        Nevers
Total—5

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 205—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE

AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the final judgment in the suit entitled "John Deere Industrial Equipment Company, Deere Marketing, Inc. and Deere & Company v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana and State of Louisiana, through its Attorney General, Richard P. Ieyoub"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Crane moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker     Futrell     Pitre
Alario         Glover     Powell
Alexander, E    Green      Pratt
Alexander, R    Guillory   Quezaire
Ansardi        Hammett    Rachmon
Baudoin        Heaton     Riddle
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Cazayoux       Jackson, M  Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson       Johns      Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane          Katz      Smith, J.D.—30th
Crowe          Kennard   Smith, J.H.—8th
Currie         Kenney     Smith, M
Dartez         Landrieu   Smith, R.—30th
Devillier      LeBlanc    Stelly
Diez           Lucas      Stelly
Doerge         Martiny    Shreve
Downer         McCallum   Shaw
Dupre          McDonald   Smith
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Erdey          Montgomery Smith
Farrar         Morris     Smite
Fauciex        Murray     Smith
Flavin         Odinet    Smith
Frith          Perkins    Smith
Frugu          Pierre     Smith
Total—100

NAYS

Windhorst     Total—1

Donelon       Morrell    Smith, G.—56th
Hudson        Nevers
Total—4

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 266—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL

AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the final judgments in the suits entitled "American Greetings Corporation v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana", "Gibson Greetings, Inc. v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana", and "Triplex, Inc. v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.

Rep. Daniel moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 311—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON**

**AN ACT**

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay the final judgments in the suits entitled "TBA Insurance of Louisiana, Inc. v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana" and Brookshire Grocery Company v. Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hudson moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.
Rep. Hudson moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Regular Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 22—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.50(A)(1) and Section 2 of Act No. 8 of the 1996 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 41 of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the sales and use tax; to extend the time limitation for the exemption for certain buses, trucks, and trailers used in interstate commerce; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 23—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 12 of the 1996 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 10 of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to sales and use tax; to extend the time limitation of the exclusion for certain transactions involving motor vehicles purchased for subsequent lease; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.
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Total—6  NAYS
Perkins  Windhorst
Total—2  ABSENT
Bowler  Lancaster  Walsworth
Carter, R  McMains
Hudson  Morrell
Total—7

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed. NAYS

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 37—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, AND HUNTER AND SENATORS HAINKEL, LAMBERT, BARHAM, AND ULLO

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of Forty-eight Million Five Hundred Ninety-five Thousand Five Hundred Thirty-nine and No/100 ($48,595,539.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of the state general fund and the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand and No/100 ($350,000.00) Dollars out of the state general fund to provide for the Legislative Auditor Ancillary Enterprise Fund, and the sum of Seven Million Four Hundred Thousand and No/100 ($7,400,000.00) Dollars out of self-generated funds, to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; and otherwise to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made.

Read by title.

Rep. LeBlanc moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Futrell  Pitre
Alario  Glover  Powell
Alexander, E  Green  Pratt
Alexander, R  Guillory  Quezaire
Ansardi  Hammett  Richmond
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Broome  Hill  Saltier
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Downer  McCullum  Waddell
Dupre  McDonald  Warner
Durand  Montgomery  Welch
Erdey  Morish  Wilkerson
Farrar  Murray  Willard
Fauchoeux  Nevers  Wright

Total—96

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 48—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 45 of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the imposition of the occupational license tax on utilities selling electricity or gas in more than one municipality; to extend the applicability of the law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hammett moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Glover  Pratt
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Alexander, E  Guillory  Richmond
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AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 6, at the end of line 42, change "$1,726,067" to "$1,762,053"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 6, at the end of line 43, change "$1,726,067" to "$1,762,053"

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

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
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Erdey Morrise Windhorst
Farrar Murray Winston
Faucheux Nevers Wooton
Flavin Perkins Wright
Frith Pire

Total—98 NAYS
Total—0 ABSENT

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.
Rep. LeBlanc moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 137—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, DANIEL, FAUCHEUX, GLOVER, HEATON, HILL, HUNTER, ODINET, WARNER, AND WILLARD
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:302(O) and 331(M) and to repeal R.S. 47:302(O) and 331(M) as enacted by Act No. 18 of the 2000 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, relative to the state sales and use tax; to provide relative to the effectiveness of certain exemptions to the tax; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 244—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEBLANC AND DEWITT AND SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDE chore
AN ACT
To appropriate funds to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary, including the Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, District Courts, Criminal District Court of Orleans Parish, and other courts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. LeBlanc moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

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Powell
Wooton
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NAYS

Total—100

Total—0

ABSENT

Crane
Hudson
Lucas
McMains
Morrell

Total—5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 246—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC
AN ACT
To provide with respect to the Revenue Sharing Fund and the allocation and distribution thereof for Fiscal Year 2000-2001; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative LeBlanc to Engrossed House Bill No. 246 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 35, delete line 7, and insert:

"Library -- 1979 millage"

"Library -- 1979 millage"

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

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander, E
Alexander, R
Ansardi
Baudoin
Baylor
Bowler
Broome
Bruce
Bruneau
Carter, K
Carter, R
Cazayoux
Clarkson
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
Devillier
Diez
Doerge
Donelon
Downer
Dupre
Durand
Erdey
Farrar
Faucheux
Glover
Green
Guillory
Hammett
Heaton
Hebert
Hill
Holden
Hopkins
Hunter
Iles
Jackson, L
Jackson, M
Katz
Kennard
Kenney
LaFleur
Lancaster
Landrieu
LeBlanc
Martiny
McCullum
McDonald
Montgomery
Morrish
Murray
Nevers
Odinet
Perkins
Pierre
Pinac
Pitre
Powell
Wooton
Wright

Pratt
Quezaire
Richmond
Riddle
Romero
Salter
Scalise
Schneider
Schwegmann
Shaw
Smith, G.—56th
Smith, J.D.—50th
Smith, J.H.—8th
Sneed
Smith, J.R.—30th
Strain
Thompson
Townsend
Travis
Triche
Waddell
Walworth
Warner
Welch
Wilkerson
Willard
Windhorst
Winston

Total—100

Total—0

ABSENT

Crane
Hudson
Lucas
McMains
Morrell

Total—5
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 303—
BY REPRESENTATIVES GARY SMITH, FAUCHEUX, HEATON, AND QUEZAIRE AND SENATOR CHAISSON

To enact R.S. 33:2740.34, to authorize certain parish governing authorities to levy a tax on hotel occupancy within the parish; to authorize the governing authorities to cooperate with other parish governing authorities relative to such taxes; to provide for the use of the avails of such taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Diez, 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 CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration of the U.S. Department of Transportation to adopt additional regulations regarding "Hours of Service of Drivers: Rest and Sleep for Safe Operations" which recognize the duty of utility companies to provide effective customer service and which support utility operations with equitable rules that fairly balance safety concerns and effective customer service.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—
BY REPRESENTATIVES POWELL AND McMains AND SENATOR SCHEDLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the State Employees Group Benefits Program Board of Trustees adopt actuarially certified premium rates for the operation of the group life and health benefits program sponsored by the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the governing authorities of public high schools to allow students who have completed the required minimum units of credit for graduation and all other graduation requirements as mandated by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education but have failed to pass the high school graduation exit exam to participate in all senior graduation activities and ceremonies occurring in the Spring of 2000 except actual receipt of a diploma.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ERDEY AND SENATORS FONTENOT AND LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mr. Clarence Grecoire of Maurepas, a distinguished citizen and volunteer who left an indelible mark upon the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

Ordered to the Senate.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on Ways and Means
May 22, 2000

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Pursuant to a meeting held on May 21, 2000, I am directed by your Committee on Ways and Means to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 224, by Montgomery
Reported with amendments. (14-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 271, by Windhorst
Reported with amendments. (15-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 313, by Cazayoux
Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

BRYANT O. HAMMETT, JR.
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Ways and Means

May 22, 2000

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Ways and Means to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 221, by Johns
Reported with amendments. (15-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 259, by DeWitt
Reported with amendments. (13-6) (Regular)

BRYANT O. HAMMETT, JR.
Chairman

Suspension of the Rules

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 2

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Riddle, at 3:10 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Tuesday, May 23, 2000, at 5:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 5:00 P.M., Tuesday, May 23, 2000.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

Committee Meeting Notices

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure

Will meet at: 9:30 A.M. Date: May 23, 2000

Location: Committee Room 6

HCR 2 LANCASTER (TBA) – COMMERCIAL LAWS/LA.(UCC): Urges and requests the Law Institute to study the statutory changes necessary to implement the Uniform Computer Information Transactions Act (SUBJECT TO RULE SUSPENSION)

A JOINT MEETING WITH THE SENATE JUDICIARY A COMMITTEE TO DISCUSS THE – – CHILD SUPPORT GUIDELINES.

F. CHARLES "CHUCK" MCMAINS
Chairman

Committee on Ways and Means

Will meet at: 9:30 A.M. Date: May 23, 2000

Location: Committee Room 6

HB 2 HAMMETT – CAPITAL OUTLAY: Provides for the comprehensive capitol outlay budget

HB 3 HAMMETT – CAPITAL OUTLAY: Provides for the Omnibus Bond Act

HB 73 DANIEL – TAX/INCOME TAX: (Constitutional Amendment) Provides that federal taxes paid are deductible from both the corporate and individual income taxes

HB 92 DEWITT – TAX/INCOME TAX: (Constitutional Amendment) Removes cap on rates of personal income taxes

HB 117 DEWITT – TAX/TOBACCO TAX: Increases tax on cigarettes (SGF revs incr $47.2 mill in FYs 00-01 thru 04-05. See fiscal note.)

HB 118 DEWITT – TAX/ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE: Provides for an increase of the rate of tax on certain alcoholic beverages (SGF revs incr $11.5 mill in FYs 00-01 thru 04-05 & expd incr $5,000 in FY 00-01. See fiscal note.)

HB 131 DEWITT – TAX/TAXATION: Levies a conveyance tax on transfers of immovable property

HB 133 DEWITT – TAX/TAXATION: Levies a conveyance tax on transfers of immovable property

HB 192 FAUCHEUX – TAX/INCOME TAX: Deletes deductibility of excess itemized deductions

HB 193 DEWITT – TAX/TAXATION: Extends the tax on the rental of automobiles

HB 202 DEWITT – TAX/SALES-USE, STATE: Levies a one-half of 1% sales and use tax for the period 7/1/00 through 6/30/02 and suspends certain exemptions to the tax from 7/1/00 through 6/30/02

HB 229 PRATT – TAX/GAMING: Increases the franchise fee charged for the right to conduct riverboat gaming and provides that the avails therefrom be used for pay increases for teachers

HB 230 ERDEY – TAX/GAMING: Increases the franchise fee on slot machines on riverboats

HB 241 ODINET – TAX/SALES-USE, STATE: Levies a 1% sales and use tax and deducts the avails to provide funds for pay increases of certain elementary, secondary, and post secondary school and university employees
HB 262  McDONALD – TAX/TAXATION:  Levies a 25 cent per ticket tax on each lottery ticket sold by the Louisiana Lottery Corporation

HB 277  K CARTER – TAX CREDITS:  Reduces the amount of the inventory tax credit for certain taxpayers for two years

HB 285  McMAINS – TAX/CORP FRANCHISE:  Levies the tax on limited liability companies and limited partnerships

HB 295  STELLY – TAX/INCOME TAX:  Repeals the current individual income tax rates and levies a flat income tax

HB 299  HAMMETT – TAX/INCOME TAX:  Deletes deductibility of federal taxes and excess itemized dedications

HB 323  DOWNER – TAX/INCOME TAX:  Repeals the current income tax rates and levies a 2% flat income tax on individuals and business entities

HB 343  ROE – TAX/INCOME TAX:  Repeals the corporate income tax and imposes a flat income tax on all business entities

HCR 46  PRATT — STUDENT/ASSESSMENT:  Requests BESE to adopt policies relative to LEAP 21 high stakes test purposes and grade retention

To review and discuss recent changes proposed by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to the LEAP-21 High Stakes Testing Policy with appropriate representatives of the board and the state Department of Education.

Thursday, May 25, 2000

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED

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CARL CRANE
Chairman

Committee on Health and Welfare

Wednesday, May 24, 2000
Committee Room No. 4
9:00 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HCR 22  BROOME — MARRIAGE:  Urges and requests the governor to establish a Council on marriage

Thursday, May 25, 2000

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED.

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RODNEY ALEXANDER
Chairman

Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

Wednesday, May 24, 2000
Committee Room No. 3
9:00 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HCR 34  PITRE — CIVIL SERVICE:  Directs the Dept. of State Civil Service to identify, study, and consider reforms of management of the human resources employed by the state and its agencies and instrumentalities

HCR 39  SCHNEIDER — STATE EMPLOYEES:  Directs that probationary employees not be moved to permanent status, that employees in job appointments be separated not later than the conclusion of current appointments, and that agencies make certain reports concerning such employees

Committee on Education

Wednesday, May 24, 2000
Committee Room No. 1
9:00 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:
RULES OVERSIGHT: Discussion of rules proposed by the Board of Ethics concerning aggregate political committee contribution limits for district level candidates

OTHER COMMITTEE BUSINESS: Introduction of agency officials and/or staff members and brief overview of agencies under the purview of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and any other business to come before the committee

Thursday, May 25, 2000

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

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CHARLES D. LANCASTER, JR.
Chairman

Committee on Judiciary

Wednesday, May 24, 2000
Committee Room No. 1
1:30 P.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HCR 44 J D SMITH — WILDLIFE/ENFORCEMENT: Directs Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement to accredit at POST certified training academy for WLF

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JOSEPH F. TOOMY
Chairman