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:

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Mr. Speaker
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Jackson, L
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Kennard
Kenney
LaFleur
Lancaster
Landrieu
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Martiny
McCallum
McDonald
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McVea
Montgomery

Pierre
Pinac
Pitre
Powell
Pratt
Quezaire
Richmond
Riddle
Romero
Salter
Schneider
Shaw
Smith, G.—56th
Smith, J.D.—50th
Smith, J.H.—8th
Smith, J.R.—30th
Stelly
Strain
Swilling
Thompson
Toomy
Townsend
Triche
Tucker
Waddell
Walsworth

ABSENT

Curtis

The Speaker announced that there were 103 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Perkins.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Iles 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. Downer, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Downer, the Journal of March 29, 2001, was adopted.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 2, 2001

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. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE
A RESOLUTION
To recognize Wednesday, April 18, 2001, 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.

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.

Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions

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

Flavin
Frith
Frug
Futrell
Gallot
Glover

Morrell
Morrish
Murray
Nevers
Odinet
Perkins

Welch
Winston
Wooton
Wooton
Wright
HOUSE BILL NO. 1786—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 905.2(A), relative to the scope of admissible evidence in the penalty phase of a capital rape prosecution; to provide that at the sentencing hearing, evidence can be introduced to demonstrate the impact the crime has had on the victim and the victim's family; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 727—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FLAVIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1907(A), relative to the City Court of Lake Charles; to authorize the transfer of certain unclaimed fees and interest to the general operational fund of the court; to provide for notice to persons due refunds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 915—
BY REPRESENTATIVE M. JACKSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:3031(A)(1)(a)(ii)(cc) and to repeal R.S. 33:3031(D) and (E), relative to economic development; to provide relative to employees of business concerns receiving incentives; to repeal provisions prohibiting a business from receiving certain rebates and exemptions; to repeal certain approval requirements for receiving incentives; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1785—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1347(A)(2), relative to the commissioners of the Criminal District Court for the parish of Orleans; to provide for the salary of the commissioners; to provide relative to the support personnel including minute clerks and stenographers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions 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. 1786—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHN SMITH AND ILES AND SENATOR CAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.30, relative to district judges; to provide for an additional judgeship for the Thirtieth Judicial District Court; to provide for compensation of the additional judge; to provide for the election and term of office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 121—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:447.5, relative to mayor's courts; to authorize the imposition of additional court costs for the mayor's court in the town of Elton; to provide for limitations on the amount of the costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 130—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:447.5, relative to the mayor's court of the town of Lutcher; to authorize an increase in court costs for violations of municipal ordinances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 131—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:447.5, relative to the mayor's court of the town of Gramercy; to authorize an increase in court costs for violations of municipal ordinances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 138—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:2095.4, relative to the city court of Pineville; to provide for additional fees in certain criminal and traffic matters; to provide for the allocation of certain amounts of the fees for attendance at a substance abuse program or for evaluation for additional treatment; to provide for assessment of a fee for attendance at a driver improvement program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 150—
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:756.9, relative to the clerk of court of Bienville Parish; to provide a branch office in Ringgold, Bienville Parish; to provide for the functions of the office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 178—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1889.2, relative to the City Court of Bossier City; to authorize the transfer of surplus funds generated from court fees to the general operational fund of the court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 200—
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:847.2, relative to the clerks of court of the Second Judicial District; to authorize the assessment of additional fees in traffic cases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 215—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PITRE, DOWNER, TRICHE, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS CHAISSON AND DUPRE.
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.17, relative to district judges; to provide for an additional judgeship for the Seventeenth Judicial District Court; to provide for compensation of the additional judge; to provide for the election and term of office and those of the successors in office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Original House Bill No. 215 by Representative Pitre

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 6, after "January 1," and before "and which" delete "2001," and insert in lieu thereof "2002."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 228—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:756.9, relative to the clerk of court of St. John the Baptist Parish; to provide for a branch office on the east bank of the Mississippi River; to provide for the functions of the office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 347—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD AND MCMAINS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 49:170.6, relative to the adoption of state symbols; to provide for the official tartan of the state of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 390—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TOOMY AND DEVILLIER AND SENATOR CRAVINS  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 16:51(A)(12), (22), (31), and (34), relative to assistant district attorneys; to provide for additional assistant district attorneys for certain judicial districts; and to provide for related matters.  
Read by title.  
Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.  
On motion of Rep. Toomy, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.  
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 597—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1201.2, relative to workers' compensation; to provide penalties for the wrongful discontinuance of workers' compensation payments; and to provide for related matters.  
Read by title.  
Reported favorably by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.  
On motion of Rep. Guillory, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.  
Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 614—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
AN ACT  
To enact R.S. 13:847(E) and (F), relative to the clerk of court in St. John the Baptist Parish; to authorize an additional fee for an extension of time for payment of traffic ticket fine; to authorize an additional fee for every attachment issued to bring witnesses, summonses, subpoenas, and court orders for arrest; to authorize a fee for felony and misdemeanor expungement proceedings in the Fortieth Judicial District Court; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.  
Read by title.  
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary.  
The committee amendments were read as follows:  

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS  
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Original House Bill No. 614 by Representative Faucheux  
AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 2, line 6, after " fee of" and before "dollars" delete "seven" and insert in lieu thereof "ten"  
On motion of Rep. Toomy, the amendments were adopted.  
On motion of Rep. Toomy, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.  
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 663—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL AND SENATOR HINES  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.33, relative to district judges; to provide for an additional judgeship for the Thirty-Third Judicial District Court; to provide for compensation of the additional judge; to provide for the election and term of office and those of the successors in office; and to provide for related matters.  
Read by title.  
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary.  
The committee amendments were read as follows:  

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS  
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Original House Bill No. 663 by Representative Hill  
AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 2, line 6, after "January 1," and before "and which" delete "2002," and insert in lieu thereof "2003,"  
AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 2, line 12, after "Section 3." delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "This Act shall become effective on January 1, 2002."  
AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 2, delete lines 13 through 17 in their entirety  
On motion of Rep. Toomy, the amendments were adopted.  
On motion of Rep. Toomy, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.  
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 724—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHAW  
AN ACT  
To enact R.S. 1:58.1, relative to the remembrance of special days; to designate August 16 as "National Airborne Day" in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.  
Read by title.  
Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.  
On motion of Rep. Toomy, 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. 5—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, BOWLER, FUTRELL, GARY SMITH, AND MONTGOMERY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the United States Congress to take appropriate steps to cause the United States Postal Service to issue a Purple Heart stamp.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To encourage each city, parish, and other local public school board to adopt a policy or policies to reduce the class size in each fourth and eighth grade class in the schools under the jurisdiction of each to not more than twenty students per class and to request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to revise the Louisiana Educational Assessment Program (LEAP) 21 testing policy to encourage such class-size reduction in order to provide fourth and eighth grade students more opportunities for individualized instruction as they prepare for and take the LEAP 21 tests.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Local and Consent Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 350—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 731, relative to subpoenas; to provide for electronic signatures; to authorize the clerk of court for the Criminal District Court for the Parish of Orleans to sign subpoenas electronically; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Murray moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Green Perkins
Alario Guillory Pierre
Alexander, E Hammett Pinac
Alexander, R Heaton Pitre
Ansardi Hill Powell
Baudoin Holden Prat
Baylor Hopkins Quezaire
Bowler Hudson Richmond
Broome Hunter Riddle
Bruce Hutter Romero
Bruneau Iles Salter
Carter, K Jackson, L Scalise
Carter, R Jackson, M Schneider
Cazayoux Katz Schwegmann
Clarkson Kenward Shaw
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Crowe LaFleur Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico Lancaster Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel Landrieu Stelly
Dartez LeBlanc Strain
Devillier Lucas Swilling
Diez Martiny Thompson
Downer McCallum Toomy
Durand McDonald Townsend
Farrar McMains Triche
Faucieux McVea Tucker
Flavin Montgomery Waddell
Fritth Morrell Walsworth
Fruge Morrish Welch
Futrell Murray Winston
Gallot Nevers Wooton
Glover Odinet Wright

Total—96

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis Erdey Smith, J.D.—50th
Doerge Hebert Sneed
Donelon Johns

Total—8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 887—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 556 and 556.1(A)(introductory paragraph), (B), (D), and (E), relative to pleas of guilty and nolo contendere in felony and misdemeanor cases; to provide that the court must inform the defendant of the charge and its penalty, his rights as a defendant, and the effect of a plea of guilty; to provide that the court must determine if the plea is voluntary; to provide for a record of these proceedings; to provide for harmless error; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Devillier moved the final passage of the bill.

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
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Devillier 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. 974—**

**By Representative Martiny**

An ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1234(A)(9), relative to the Committee on Law Enforcement Services for the Elderly; to add a representative of the Louisiana Association of District Attorneys to the committee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Ansardi moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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Total—98 NAYS

Total—0 ABSENT

Total—6 Absent

Curtis Hudson Morrell

Flavin Montgomery Strain

Total—4 Present

Mr. Speaker Green Pierre

Alario Guillory Pinac

Alexander, E Hammett Pitre

Alexander, R Heaton Powell
The Speaker announced there were 103 members present and a quorum.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Regular Calendar

**HOUSE BILL NO. 12—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:444(G), relative to the composition and election of members of parish executive committees of recognized political parties; to provide for the election of certain members from the districts or wards from which members of the parish governing authority are elected; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Pitre moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Ouimet
Morrish
Flavin
Total—103

**ABSENT**

Curtis
Total—1

The Speaker announced there were 103 members present and a quorum.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 19—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:221(A)(1) and (E) and to enact R.S. 17:221(F), relative to school attendance; to require certain persons having control or charge of a child to send such child to school from the child’s seventh birthday until his eighteenth birthday; to provide for individualized plans of education for certain students over age seventeen; to provide exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 33—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 24:772(B), relative to reports required or requested to be submitted to the legislature; requires that certain copies of such reports be filed with the David R. Foynter Legislative Research Library; 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  Glover  Odinet
Alario  Green  Perkins
Alexander, E  Guillory  Pierre
Alexander, R  Hammett  Pinac
Ansardi  Heaton  Pitre
Baudoin  Hebert  Powell
Bayou  Hill  Pratt
Bowler  Holden  Quezaire
Broome  Hopkins  Richmond
Bruce  Hudson  Riddle
Bruneau  Hunter  Romero
Carter, K  Hutter  Salter
Carter, R  Iles  Scalise
Cazayoux  Jackson, L  Schneider
Clarkson  Jackson, M  Schwegmann
Crane  Katz  Shaw
Crowe  Kennard  Smith, G.—56th
Damico  Kenney  Smith, J.D.—50th
Daniel  LaFleur  Smith, J.H.—8th
Dartez  Lancaster  Smith, J.R.—30th
Devillier  Landrieu  Sneed
Diez  LeBlanc  Strain
Doerge  Lucas  Thompson
Donelon  Martiny  Toomy
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Erdey  McMains  Tucker
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Faucheux  Montgomery  Walsworth
Frith  Morell  Welch
Fruge  Morrish  Winston
Futrell  Murray  Wooton
Gallot  Nevers  Wright
Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis  Johns  Swilling
Flavin  Stelly
Total—5

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

Rep. Bruneau 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. 63—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(5)(b) and to repeal R.S. 27:306(A)(5)(d), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to authorize the leasing or subleasing of fuel facilities at qualified truck stop facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 270—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1132(B)(1)(a) and to repeal R.S. 42:1132(B)(4)(h), relative to the Board of Ethics; to remove certain provisions relative to the nomination and selection of members of the Board of Ethics; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Lancaster moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Alario  Guillory  Pinac
Alexander, E  Hammett  Pitre
Alexander, R  Heaton  Powell
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Futrell  Murray  Wooton
Gallot  Nevers  Wright
Total—99
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.
The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Lancaster 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. 273—**

*By Representative Lancaster*

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1157(B), relative to when the ethics board staff shall send delinquency notices; to change the number required on election day expenditure reports; to remove the requirement to include certain persons' social security numbers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Lancaster moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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

Rep. Lancaster 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. 306—**

*By Representative Lancaster*

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1532, relative to the information required on election day expenditure reports; to remove the requirement to include certain persons' social security numbers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Lancaster 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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Rep. Lancaster 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. 307—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1505.2(I)(1), relative to the permissible use of contributions by certain political committees; to provide that an expenditure by a political committee, other than a principal campaign committee or subsidiary committee of a candidate, for the administrative costs and operating expenses of the committee is not a prohibited use; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Lancaster moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gallot Odet
Alario Glover Perkins
Alexander, E Green Pierre
Alexander, R Guillory Pinac
Ansardi Hammett Pire
Baudoin Heaton Powell
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Bowler Hill Quezaire
Broome Holden Richmond
Bruce Hopkins Riddle
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Crane Jackson, M Shaw
Crowe Katz Smith, G.—56th
Damico Kennard Smith, J.D.—50th
Daniel Kenney Smith, J.H.—8th
Dartez LaFleur Smith, J.R.—30th
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Doerge LeBlanc Thompson
Donelon Lucas Toomy
Downer Martiny Townsend
Durand McCallum Triche
Erdey McDonald Tucker
Farrar McMains Walsworth
Faucheux McVeal Welch

NAYS

Futrell Nevers Wright

Total—96

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Total—0

ABSENT
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Lancaster 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. 482—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATT**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:81.6, relative to the investigation of school employees; to require the establishment of uniform procedures for the investigation of employees accused of certain irregularities or improprieties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 612—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 266, relative to the governor's warrant of arrest for extradition purposes; to delete the provision mandating the expiration of the governor's arrest warrant within six months; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Durand moved the final passage of the bill.
The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker
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Alexander, R
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Bruneau
Carter, K
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Faucheux
Frith
Fruge
Futrell
Gallot

Total—99

**NAYS**

**ABSENT**

Curtis
Flavin

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. 794—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON AND SENATOR C. JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3991(B)(1)(b)(ii), relative to charter school enrollment requirements; to provide relative to requirements for enrolling at-risk pupils in Types 2, 3, and 4 charter schools in certain parishes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Salter, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Salter on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 794 by Representative Thompson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 1, following the first "thousand" delete the remainder of the line and insert "five hundred and twenty-one thousand" and on line 2, at the beginning of the line, delete "hundred fifty"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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Fruge
Futrell
Gallot

Total—99

**NAYS**

**ABSENT**

Curtis
Flavin

Total—5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1247—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEBLANC AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3995(E), relative to charter school funding; to require charter schools that fail to open or that close for any reason to refund all cash on hand to the state or local school district as appropriate; 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 Glover Perkins
Alario Green Pierre
Alexander, E Guillory Pinac
Alexander, R Hammett Pitre
Ansardi Heaton Powell
Baudoin Hebert Pratt
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Fruge Murray Wooton
Futrell Nevers Wright
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Total—98

NAYS

Damico Katz Smith, J.H.—8th
Daniel Kennard Smith, J.R.—30th

Total—0

ABSENT

Devillier Devillier Townsend
Dartez Devillier Smith, J.D.—50th
Diez Devillier Smith, J.—8th

Total—6

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. 1255—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEBLANC AND DEWITT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3995(A)(2), relative to charter school funding; to authorize the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to provide for a second pupil membership count for purposes of adjusting allocations made to Type 2 charter schools resulting from changes in enrollment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Riddle to Engrossed House Bill No. 1255 by Representatives LeBlanc and Dewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

"Any allocation adjustment made pursuant to this Subparagraph shall not be retroactive and shall be applicable for the period from March first through the end of the school year."

On motion of Rep. Riddle, 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 Green Pinac
Alario Guillory Pitre
Alexander, R Hammett Powell
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Damico Katz Smith, J.—8th
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Total—6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed. The title of the above bill was read and adopted.
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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. 1401—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3997(A)(1), relative to charter school employees; to provide for the authority of a charter school to employ faculty and staff; to permit certain contracts between a nonprofit organization and a for-profit organization to manage a charter school; to provide for the delegation by a nonprofit organization of authority over employment decisions at the charter school; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Crane moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. 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. 1470—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES LEBLANC AND DEWITT**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3995(A)(4), relative to charter school funding; to authorize the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to provide funding to Type 2 charter schools at a lesser per pupil amount than required for charter schools under certain circumstances; to provide for written justification; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent**

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE E. ALEXANDER AND SENATOR MICHOT**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Tuesday, April 3, 2001, as Tech Sector Day in the state of Louisiana in an effort to identify, promote, and develop the technology sector, which is vital to the economy of the state and to the future of its citizens.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 46—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the secretary of the Department of Revenue and commissioner of administration to determine the feasibility of implementing a tax clearance program for persons contracting with the state and for lottery permit renewals.

Read by title.
Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Public Retirement Systems' Actuarial Committee to study the total annual cost to all applicable institutions and the total annual cost attributable to each institution affected by the implementation of the provisions of R.S. 11:707(F) and to furnish a report to the House Retirement Committee and House Education Committee and the Senate Retirement Committee and Senate Education Committee and their staffs on or before the thirty-first day of December of each year that R.S. 11:707(F) is in effect, with each such report covering the period of July first through June thirtieth immediately preceding the reporting date, and to submit a comprehensive report on or before December 31, 2005.

Read by title.
Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 48—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to amend the provisions of Section 418(d)(6)(C) of Title 42 of the United States Code to allow each and every state the right to divide its respective state and local retirement systems into two parts, the first part being composed of members who desire to participate jointly in both the state or local retirement system and the federal social security system and the second part of any such divided retirement system to be composed of members who desire to participate solely in the state or local retirement system but not in the federal social security system.

Read by title.
Lies over under the rules.

Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT AND LEBLANC AND SENATORS BARHAM AND DARDENNE

AN ACT

To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 532—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:353(4) and to enact R.S. 27:392(B)(3)(d), relative to slot machine gaming at live racing facilities; to authorize slot machine gaming at an eligible facility in Orleans Parish; to provide with respect to the allocation of revenue; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 538—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CAZAYOUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(H), relative to city court jurisdiction; to increase the jurisdictional limitation in the city court of Port Allen; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 540—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1554.1, relative to the coroner in Livingston Parish; to provide for qualifications for office; to authorize the reelection of a person who is not a licensed physician to the office of coroner in Livingston Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 541—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:756.9, relative to clerks of court; to provide for branch offices of the clerk of court in the parish of Livingston; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 542—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:970(L) and to enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(l), relative to court reporters in the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court; to authorize an increase in per page fees charged for transcription of testimony and for copies thereof in civil and criminal cases in Bossier Parish and Webster Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 543—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PITRE, DOWNER, DUPRE, TRICHE, AND WOOTON AND SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(c), relative to court reporters in the Seventeenth Judicial District Court; to increase the fees charged for transcription of testimony and copies in civil and criminal cases in Lafourche Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 544—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1243(A)(3), relative to St. Tammany Parish ordinances prohibiting littering or dumping; to provide relative to penalties for violations of such ordinances; to provide relative to
justice of the peace authority over cases involving littering or dumping; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 643—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2618, relative to justices of the peace in St. Tammany Parish; to provide for exemption from certain limitations provided by state law in litter violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 674—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:1652(C)(20) and to enact R.S. 13:2618, relative to justices of the peace in St. Tammany Parish; to provide for exemption from certain limitations provided by state law in litter violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 678—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE
AN ACT

To transfer ownership of certain property from the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District to the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District; to provide relative to ad valorem taxes; to specify the millage on which ad valorem tax payments made by the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District to the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District is based; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 696—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCALLUM
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(l), relative to court reporter fees in the Sixth Judicial District; to authorize an increase in transcription fees in civil and criminal cases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 725—
BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE
AN ACT

To designate the Coastal Corridor along certain highways in Lafourche Parish; to provide for certain phases of the Coastal Corridor; to require the Department of Transportation and Development to place certain signage; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 731—
BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE
AN ACT

To provide for the transfer and delivery of certain property from the Lafourche Basin Levee District to the South Lafourche Levee District; to provide for certain deadlines for the transfer and delivery of certain property from the Lafourche Basin Levee District to the South Lafourche Levee District; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1016—
BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2531.3(C)(3), relative to commercial littering; to require industrial, commercial, mining, or agricultural operations within the city of Donaldsonville to construct and maintain fences or walls to contain litter; to provide penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1151—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 15:225(G), relative to witness fees paid to off-duty law enforcement officers; to authorize the city of Hammond to transfer money in the witness fee fund to the general fund of that city to purchase police equipment; to provide for maintaining certain balances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1158—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCVEA AND R. CARTER AND SENATOR
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2040, to provide that the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality shall not authorize or permit any new private or commercial solid, sanitary, or hazardous waste disposal facilities or landfills in certain portions of East Feliciana or West Feliciana Parish; to provide relative to permits for local government- owned or operated facilities or landfills; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1211—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES PRATT AND LANDRIEU
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 25:745(A)(3) and 767(B), relative to historic preservation districts and landmark commissions in the Garden District area of New Orleans; to provide an exception from certain exemptions to the application of laws relative to such districts and commissions in the Garden District area of New Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1503—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE
AN ACT
To establish the Florida Parishes Groundwater Conservation District in the parishes of St. Tammany, Tangipahoa and Washington; to provide for groundwater management and aquifer protection in the parishes of West Feliciana, East Feliciana, St. Helena, Tangipahoa, Livingston, Washington, and St. Tammany; to create the Florida Parishes Groundwater District and board; to provide definitions; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the board; to provide for exceptions and limitations; to provide for fines and penalties; to provide for the board to impose fines for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1505—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. CARTER
AN ACT
To enact Part XXIII of Chapter 13 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:3088.1 through 3088.15, relative to the protection and management of aquifers in the parishes of West Feliciana, East Feliciana, St. Helena, Tangipahoa, Livingston, Washington, and St. Tammany; to create the Florida Parishes Groundwater District and board; to provide definitions; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the board; to provide for limits to production of groundwater and pumping charges; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for violations and penalties and fees and assessments; to provide for suspension of permits and user responsibility; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1533—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT
To enact Part XXIII of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:3088.1 through 3088.16, relative to groundwater management and aquifer protection in the parishes of St. Tammany, Tangipahoa and Washington; to establish the Florida Parishes Groundwater Conservation District and board of commissioners; to provide definitions; to provide for the powers of the board; to provide for limits to production of groundwater and pumping charges; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for violations and penalties and fees and assessments; to provide for suspension of permits and user responsibility; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1787—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES BOWLER AND BRUNEAU
AN ACT
To repeal Chapter 4 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:3021 and 3022, relative to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center Health Maintenance Organization; to repeal the authority of the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors to create a health maintenance organization.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1788—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3061, relative to a judgment of possession; to require the judgment to include the names and addresses of the heirs or legatees and surviving spouse; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1789—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEATON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1381.5(B)(1) and R.S. 22:1065.1, relative to court funds; to provide for fees on bail bond premiums; to provide for remittance and distribution; to provide for the commissioner of insurance; to provide for special accounts; to provide for board for the Orleans Parish criminal court fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1790—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE KATZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1111(C)(2)(d), relative to an exception from the provisions of the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide that certain prohibitions against payments to a public servant, or an entity in which he controls or owns an interest in excess of twenty-five percent, from a nonpublic source do not apply if certain conditions are met; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1791—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1267(B), (C), and (D), relative to surplus line broker licenses; to provide for denial; to provide for refusal to renew or reinstate; to provide for fines; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1793—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 9:2803, relative to the partition of community property interests in public retirement systems or pension plans; to provide for the accounting and right of set-off of social security and self-employment tax payments in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1794—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC
AN ACT
To appropriate funds from the State General Fund to the State Employees' Group Benefits Program for the Fiscal Year 2000-2001; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the rules were suspended in order to refer the bill to committee at this time.

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

Reports of Committees
The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works
April 2, 2001
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 18, by Faucheux
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Bill No. 164, by Diez
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 170, by Faucheux
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 246, by Bowler
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 256, by Downer
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 348, by McMains
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 358, by Triche
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 610, by Downer
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 628, by Hudson
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Report of the Committee on Commerce
April 2, 2001
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 122, by Townsend
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 175, by Iles
Reported with amendments. (14-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 195, by Pinac
Reported with amendments. (13-2) (Regular)

House Bill No. 196, by Pinac
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 276, by Montgomery
Reported with amendments. (15-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 278, by Montgomery
Reported favorably. (15-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 292, by Montgomery
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1129, by Pinac
Reported favorably. (13-3) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1573, by Pinac
Reported with amendments. (17-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1438, by Pinac
Reported with amendments. (17-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1781, by Townsend
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

JOHN C. DIEZ
Chairman

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:
Motion

On motion of Rep. Donelon, the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 802.

HOUSE BILL NO. 802—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:861(B)(2) and (C)(1)(a) and (b), 872(D)(2), 894(A), 900(B)(2)(a), (b), and (c), and 904(A)(1), relative to compulsory automobile liability security; to provide for increases in minimum coverage; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Donelon, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Insurance.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Donelon, the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 1262.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1262—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:861(A)(1) and (C)(1)(a) and (g) and 863.2(A)(1) and (2) and (B), and to repeal R.S. 32:861(B) and 863.1(A)(2), relative to compulsory motor vehicle liability security; to remove provisions relative to motor vehicle liability bonds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Donelon, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Insurance.

Motion

On motion of Rep. McMains, the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 1582.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1582—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 48:276, relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; to exempt the department from liability for environmental contamination on certain property; to provide relative to the rights and liability of certain parties; to provide relative to certain determinations by, and assistance from, the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide relative to certain causes of action; to provide relative to recoverable costs; to provide for a prescriptive period; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Appropriations to meet on Tuesday, April 3, 2001, without giving the notice required by House Rule 14.24(A) and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 243 and 1794

Leave of Absence

Rep. Curtis - 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Kenney, at 4:20 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Tuesday, April 3, 2001, at 3:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 3:00 P.M., Tuesday, April 3, 2001.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House