THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS  

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

House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana  

Thursday, June 5, 2003  

The House of Representatives was called to order at 1:00 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  
Alario  
Alexander  
Ansardi  
Arnold  
Baldone  
Baudoin  
Baylor  
Beard  
Bowler  
Broome  
Bruce  
Bruneau  
Capella  
Carter, K  
Carter, R  
Cazayoux  
Crane  
Crowe  
Curtis  
Damico  
Daniel  
Dartez  
Devillier  
Diez  
Doerge  
Downer  
Downs  
Durand  

Fruege  
Futrell  
Gallot  
Glover  
Green  
Guillory  
Hammett  
Heaton  
Hebert  
Hill  
Honey  
Hopkins  
Hudson  
Hunter  
Hutter  
Iles  
Jackson, L  
Jackson, M  
Johns  
Kennard  
Kenney  
LaFleur  
Lancaster  
Landrieu  
LeBlanc  
Lucas  
Martiny  
McDonald  
Odinet  
Perkins  
Peychaud  
Pierre  
Pinac  
Pitre  
Powell  
Quezaire  
Richmond  
Romero  
Saltz  
Scalise  
Schneider  
Schwegmann  
Shaw  
Smith, G.—56th  
Smith, J.D.—50th  
Smith, J.H.—8th  
Smith, J.R.—30th  
Sneed  
Stelly  
Strain  
Swilling  
Thompson  
Toomy  
Townsend  
Triche  
Tucker  
Waddell  

McVea  
Montgomery  
Morrell  
Morrish  
Murray  
Nevers  
Walker  
Walsworth  
Welch  
Winston  
Wright  

ABSENT  

Wooton  
Total—1  

The Speaker announced that there were 104 members present and a quorum.

Prayer  

Prayer was offered by Rev. Woody Markert.

Pledge of Allegiance  

Rep. LeBlanc 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 June 4, 2003, was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules  

On motion of Rep. Alario, the rules were suspended in order to allow the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to meet while the House was in session.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications  

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

Message from the Senate  

SENATE BILLS  
June 5, 2003  

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 724 and 744  

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

Suspension of the Rules  

On motion of Rep. Townsend, the rules were suspended in order to take up the bills contained in the message at this time.
Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on first reading were taken up, read, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

SENATE BILL NO. 724—
BY SENATORS SMITH, ELLINGTON AND MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:1305(H) and (I), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for a safety inspection program for vehicles which transport forest products; to provide for a safety inspection program for certain vehicles transporting general freight and commodities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 744—
BY SENATORS SMITH, ELLINGTON AND MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:386(D) and to enact R.S. 32:386(L), relative to motor carriers; to provide for weight limits on vehicles transporting forest products; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

June 4, 2003

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 296 by Sen. Dardenne, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

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

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

June 4, 2003

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 388 by Sen. Schedler, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

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

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 RESOLUTION NO. 113—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY
A RESOLUTION
To commend Rickie Weeks of Southern University upon being selected by the Milwaukee Brewers in the Major League Baseball First-Year Player Draft.

Read by title.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Board of Regents to establish a special committee to study and provide recommendations on the implementation of criminal background checks for employees at institutions of postsecondary education.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 119—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility of adding an additional lane in each direction on a portion of Interstate 12 in St. Tammany Parish.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 120—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Mike Graham upon the occasion of his retirement and for his many years of service as a television weatherman on WAFB-TV Channel 9.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 121—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Dr. Donald J. Palmisano, MD, JD for being elected president of the American Medical Association.

Read by title.

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

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

SENATE BILL NO. 303—
BY SENATORS MOUNT AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Title V of the Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 501 and 502, 507 through 514, 521 through 526, and 531 through 533; and to repeal Children's Code Article 503, relative to services to families; to provide for the use of multidisciplinary investigative teams as a response to the investigation and disposition of cases of child abuse within each judicial district; to provide for definitions; to provide for the membership of each team; to provide for the development and content of interagency protocols for each team for the investigation of allegations of child abuse; to provide for the qualifications of a forensic interviewer of children; to provide for the adoption of a confidentiality policy for a multidisciplinary team; to provide for immunity from civil or criminal liability for a team member; to provide for the establishment of child advocacy centers to encourage agency cooperation and to expedite the resolution of abuse allegations; to establish the responsibilities, confidentiality policy and immunity from civil or criminal liability for the child advocacy centers; to revise certain statutory provisions regarding the Children's Advocacy Clearinghouse; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

SENATE BILL NO. 424—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 27:302(E), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide with respect to description and specifications of devices; to provide for the scheduling of video poker games with no minimum wager; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

SENATE BILL NO. 477—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 27:301(B)(16) and 302(A)(5)(p), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide for definition; to provide for description and specifications; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

SENATE BILL NO. 481—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:302 (A)(5)(i), relative to the Video denomination of bills a video draw poker device accepts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

SENATE BILL NO. 484—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 30:2006, relative to environmental quality; to provide for the mandatory notification of residents by certain state agencies for environmental contamination; to provide for a definition of "notice"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Environment.
SENATE BILL NO. 909—
BY SENATOR CAIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 45:844.8, relative to wireless telephonic solicitation; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations by the Louisiana Public Service Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1008—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:2451(A)(13) and (14), relative to the civil service system and personnel administration in Rapides Parish; to exempt certain program director positions from the civil service system; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1132 (Substitute for Senate Bill No. 1108)—
BY SENATORS HINES, FIELDS, BAJOIE, HOLDEN, B. JONES, MOUNT, SCHEDLER, CAIN, HOLLIS, JOHNSON, THOMAS, ULLO, BOISSIERE, CHAISSON, CRAVINS, DEAN, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, GAUTREAUX, IRONS, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, SMITH AND THEUNISSEN
AN ACT
To enact Part LVIII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.191 through 1300.196, relative to the Louisiana Senior Rx Program; to provide definitions; to create the Louisiana Senior Rx Program; to provide for eligibility; to provide for the responsibilities of the office of elderly affairs within the governor’s office; to provide for annual reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

House and House Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FUTRELL AND DIEZ
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create the Special Legislative Commission on Funding and Efficiency of the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development to evaluate various aspects of the operation of the Department of Transportation and Development.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 224 (Substitute for HCR No. 109 by Representatives Futrell and Diez)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FUTRELL AND DIEZ
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To request the House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works and the Senate Committee on Finance to meet and function as a joint committee to evaluate the structure, operation and means of funding of the Department of Transportation and Development, to compare similar agencies in other states, and to make recommendations to the legislature relative to funding and organizational structure.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the substitute was adopted and became House Concurrent Resolution No. 224 by Rep. Futrell, on behalf of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs, as a substitute for House Concurrent Resolution No. 109 by Rep. Futrell.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 169—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROOME
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To provide with respect to the promotion and strengthening of marriages.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 180—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges to comply with the provisions of R.S. 17:4(B)(1) relative to the retention of all rights, privileges, and benefits enjoyed by persons employed by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education or the state Department of Education in the performance of its functions relating to postsecondary vocational-technical schools when such functions and employees were transferred by the legislature to the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 180 by Representative Jack Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "the" change "direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 26, after "hereby" and before "the" change "direct" to "urge and request"
On motion of Rep. Crane, the amendments were adopted.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 200—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROOME
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to review the registry of current requests for long-term care services and to recommend practical solutions on how these services may be more effectively and efficiently provided.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 209—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY AND SENATOR MOUNT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature the provisions of Subpart B-28 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:130.551 through 130.559, relative to the North Lake Charles Economic Development District, to suspend all aspects and provisions of law with respect to the North Lake Charles Economic Development District.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—
BY SENATOR MICHOT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to examine state policies on and local implementation of test accommodations for certain students with disabilities who take the graduation exit exam in pursuit of a high school diploma.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 30 by Senator Michot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "for" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 5, and insert in lieu thereof "students with disabilities who participate in statewide assessments."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 6 through 13 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, at the end of line 4, after "school" change "diploma; and" to "diploma."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete lines 5 through 10 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete lines 14 and 15 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"students with disabilities who participate in statewide assessments.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana further requests the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to provide guidelines on the selection and use of appropriate test accommodations and to provide technical assistance to special and regular education personnel and district test coordinators on such test accommodations to ensure appropriate local implementation."

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

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 67—
BY SENATOR IRONS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the School Finance Review Commission to study and make recommendations for including in the minimum foundation program formula a funding component specifically for funding those students in schools located in areas that have high concentrations of poverty.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

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. 43—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:1113(D)(2)(f), relative to certain prohibited contractual arrangements; to allow a legislator, person who has been certified by the secretary of state as elected to the legislature, or spouse of a legislator or person who has been certified as elected to the legislature, or any corporation, partnership, or other legal entity in which such a person owns
any interest to donate certain professional services to public entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title. Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 332—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1123(24), relative to contractors; to provide relative to governmental ethics; to provide for exceptions; to provide relative to the members of the State Licensing Board for Contractors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title. Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 332 by Representative Pinac

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 9, after "board" and before "However," delete the period "." and insert a semicolon ";" and the following:

"provided that no member of the board shall use the authority of his office or position, directly or indirectly, in a manner intended to compel or coerce any person to enter into such a contract or to provide such board member or any other person with any thing of economic value."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 443—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(b)(i), relative to nepotism in certain hospital service districts and hospital public trust authorities; to permit the employment of allied health professionals who are members of the immediate family of a member of the parish governing authority or of the governing authority or of the chief executive of the district or authority by certain hospital service districts and hospital public trust authorities; to provide relative to the employment of physicians and registered nurses who are immediate family members of such persons; to provide limitations; to provide for recusal; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title. Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 443 by Representative Gary Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "employment of" delete the remainder of the line and on line 5 delete "and occupational therapists" and insert "allied health professionals"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the beginning of line 6, after "a" insert "a member of the parish governing authority or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 8, after "authorities;" and before "to provide" insert "to provide relative to the employment of physicians and registered nurses who are immediate family members of such persons;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 6, after "licensed physician" delete the remainder of the line and on line 7 delete "allied health professional, including limiting limitation," and insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 8, after "nurse," delete the remainder of the line and on line 9 delete "therapist" and insert "or an allied health professional"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 11, after "authority" delete the remainder of the line and insert a comma "," and insert "provided that such family member is the only qualified applicant who has applied for the position after it has been advertised for at least thirty days in the official journal of the parish and in all newspapers of general circulation in the parish where the hospital is located."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 13, after "physician" insert a comma "," and on line 14 delete "or allied health professional, including limiting limitation,",

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 15, after "nurse," delete the remainder of the line and on line 16 delete "therapist" and insert "or allied health professional"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 611—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:531(A), (C), and (D), 534, and 537, relative to local housing authorities; to provide relative to the appointment and removal of commissioners of certain local housing authorities established pursuant to resolution of certain parish governing bodies; to provide that the appointment and removal of commissioners of such housing authorities shall be made by the parish governing body; to provide relative to the certificate of appointment or reappointment for such commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Original House Bill No. 611 by Representative Faucheux

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, delete lines 4 through 6 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:
"removal of commissioners of certain local housing authorities established pursuant to resolution of certain parish governing bodies; to provide that the appointment and removal of commissioners of such housing authorities"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 14 and 15 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:
"A.(1) When the governing body of any municipality or parish, as the case may be, has determined, by resolution as set forth in R.S."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 1, after "municipality" and before "or if" insert "or parish,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, delete lines 5 through 9 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:
"(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, when the governing body of any parish with a population of not more than forty-three thousand seven hundred fifty persons and not less than forty-two thousand seven hundred fifty persons based on the latest federal decennial census has determined, by resolution as set forth in R.S. 40:393, that it is expedient to establish a local housing authority, the governing body of any such parish shall appoint five persons who shall constitute the governing body of the local housing authority and shall be called commissioners."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 3, line 7, after "municipality" delete the comma "," and insert "or parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 3, line 7, after "as the case may be," delete the remainder of the line and on line 8, delete "governing body of a parish"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, line 18 after "municipality" insert "or parish"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, delete line 19, and insert "official of the municipality or parish appointing the commissioner, or"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, at the end of line 24, insert the following:
"with a population of not more than forty-three thousand seven hundred fifty persons and not less than forty-two thousand seven hundred fifty persons based on the latest federal decennial census"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 4, delete line 6, and insert "municipality or parish, as the case may be,"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 642—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to add Article X, Section 29(E)(2)(e) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to retirement and survivors' benefits; to provide for amortization of supplemental unfunded accrued liability; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Original House Bill No. 642 by Representative Daniel

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, delete lines 2 through 4 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 5 delete "to retirement provisions;" and insert:
"Proposing to add Article X, Section 29(E)(2)(e) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to retirement and survivors' benefits;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 7, after "amortization of" delete the remainder of the line and on line 8, delete "subsequent" and insert "supplemental"
AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 8, after "liability;" delete the remainder of the line.

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 1, change "amend Article X, Section 29" to "add Article X, Section 29(E)(2)(e)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, delete lines 4 through 25 in their entirety and delete pages 3 through 6 in their entirety and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety, and insert in lieu thereof:

"Section 29.

(E) Actuarial Soundness.

(2) For public retirement systems whose benefits are guaranteed by this constitution as is specified in Paragraphs (A) and (B) of this Section:

(e) Actuarial gains and losses, changes in the method of valuation of assets, changes in actuarial assumptions or actuarial funding methods excluding changes in methods of valuing assets, and changes in actuarial accrued liability due to legislative changes in plan provisions for the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana and the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System shall be amortized over a period of thirty years from the year the gain, loss, or change occurred, beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001. The balance of amortization bases for such gains, losses, and changes established before the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001, shall be amortized as a level dollar amount from July 1, 2003, through June 30, 2029. The legislature shall, in each fiscal year, appropriate to each of these systems an amount sufficient to fund the amortization payments hereunder.

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 7, delete lines 11 through 23 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"To provide for amortization of actuarial gains and losses, changes in the method of valuation of assets, changes in actuarial assumptions or actuarial funding methods excluding changes in methods of valuing assets, and changes in actuarial accrued liability due to legislative changes in plan provisions for the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana and the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System over a thirty-year period from the year of occurrence beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001; to provide for the amortization in level dollar amounts of the balance of amortization bases for such gains, losses, and changes established before the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001; to require the legislature to make annual appropriations to the systems for payments in accordance with the amortization schedule. (Adds Article X, Section 29(E)(2)(e))"

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

Under the rules, the above bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 783—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:1123(32), relative to ethics; to permit any local governing authority to appoint any one of its members to certain boards, commissions, and entities under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 783 by Representative Daniel

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "entities" delete the semicolon ";" and insert "under certain circumstances;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13, after "resolution" delete the period "." and insert a comma "," and the following:

"provided that the provisions of the home rule charter, plan of government, state law, or local ordinance or resolution require the governing authority to appoint one of its members to the board, commission, or other entity."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 787—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:1123(32), relative to ethics; to permit the Metropolitan Council for the city of Baton Rouge and the parish of East Baton Rouge to appoint any one of its members to certain boards, commissions, and entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1084—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1732(12)(b) and to enact R.S. 11:1732(27.1), 1782(3), and 1802(3), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to authorize marshals to include certain supplements, fees, and
commissions in their earnings for purposes of the retirement system; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Original House Bill No. 1084 by Representative Powell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1732(12)(b) and to enact R.S. 11:1732(27.1), 1782(3), and 1802(3), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to authorize marshals to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 12 in its entirety and insert:

"Section 1. R.S. 11:1732(12)(b) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 11:1732(27.1), 1782(3), and 1802(3) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 8 through 11 in their entirety and insert:

"and any taxable vehicle allowance, but only applicable to those persons serving as city marshal or deputy city marshals of Bossier City or Ruston on June 30, 2003.

§1782. Computation of normal retirement allowances; return of accumulated contributions

The monthly amount of the retirement allowance for any member of Plan A shall consist of an amount equal to three percent of the member's final compensation multiplied by his years of creditable service, provided however, that:

$1782. Computation of normal retirement allowances; return of accumulated contributions

The monthly amount of the retirement allowance for any member of Plan A shall consist of an amount equal to three percent of the member's final compensation multiplied by his years of creditable service, provided however, that:

$1782. Computation of normal retirement allowances; return of accumulated contributions

The monthly amount of the retirement allowance for any member of Plan B shall consist of an amount equal to two percent of the member's final compensation multiplied by his years of creditable service, provided that:

§1802. Computation of normal retirement allowance

The monthly amount of the retirement allowance for any member of Plan B shall consist of an amount equal to two percent of the member's final compensation multiplied by his years of creditable service, provided that:

§1802. Computation of normal retirement allowance

The monthly amount of the retirement allowance for any member of Plan B shall consist of an amount equal to two percent of the member's final compensation multiplied by his years of creditable service, provided that:

§1802. Computation of normal retirement allowance

The monthly amount of the retirement allowance for any member of Plan B shall consist of an amount equal to two percent of the member's final compensation multiplied by his years of creditable service, provided that:

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1116—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:214.16, relative to coastal restoration; to establish the America's WETLAND Way across coastal Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Original House Bill No. 1116 by Representative Landrieu

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, change "Trail" to "Way"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, change "Trail" to "Way"
AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, on line 8, delete “The purpose of this Section is to create the” and insert “A. The”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 9, after “WETLAND” delete “Trail” and insert:
“Way is hereby created in the Governor's Office of Coastal Activities."
B. The purpose of the America's WETLAND Way shall be"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, on line 11, after “nation” delete the period “.” and delete “The trail will be used to bring” and insert “and to promote”

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 1, line 13, after “wetlands.” insert the following:
"C.(1) The Governor's Office of Coastal Activities shall develop and implement a plan for the way which shall at a minimum meet the objectives in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection."
(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 1, line 13, change "trail" to "way"
On motion of Rep. Broome, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. Broome, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SWILLING
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3689(A) and to enact R.S. 11:262(14), relative to the Harbor Police Retirement System; to provide with respect to the investment of funds; to provide for fiduciary and investment responsibilities and standards; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.
On motion of Rep. Schneider, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1457—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:401.1, relative to housing authorities; to provide for community service requirements; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.
The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Original House Bill No. 1457 by Representative Glover

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 9, after “authorities” and before “adopt rules” change “shall” to “may”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the end of line 13, after “42U.S.C. 1437(f)(c).” delete “The” and at the beginning of line 14, delete “authority” and insert in lieu thereof the following: “If the authority adopts such rules, it”

On motion of Rep. Broome, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. Broome, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1475—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3363(B), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to provide that the six percent salary deductions from a member's salary shall cease when a member has twenty years of service; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1482—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:416.18, relative to student safety and protection; to provide protection from discrimination and harassment for students; to provide definitions; to require local school boards to adopt certain policies; to provide for policy components; to provide relative to reporting certain incidents; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 1482 by Representative Richmond

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 22, after "expression" and before "is" insert "whether or not such identity, appearance, or expression"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 5, line 13, after "harassment" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 14 and 15 and insert a period "."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1490—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3378(A)(1)(a) and (2)(a), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund for the city of New Orleans; to provide with respect to benefits to surviving spouses of members killed or who died from injury received while engaged in the discharge of their duties; to provide with respect to benefits to surviving spouses of other members and former members; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3396.4(A)(9) and (11), relative to the for the election of certain members; to allow such members certain limited recusal under certain circumstances; and to.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 1568 by Representative Daniel

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "members;" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 5, and insert the following:

"to allow such members certain limited recusal under certain circumstances; to provide for the application of certain provisions of the Code of Governmental Ethics under certain circumstances; and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 1, after "chamber" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 2 through 4 and insert a period "." and the following:

"The ability of the member to recuse himself from voting shall be limited to recusal on votes which would be a violation of R.S. 42:1112(B)(3) involving any person of which he is an officer, director, trustee, or partner, provided that such member receives no compensation or other thing of economic value from such person. In addition, such member shall not be prohibited by R.S. 42:1111(C)(2)(d) from performing services for any person who has or is seeking to obtain contractual or other business or financial relationships with the Research Park Corporation, provided that such member receives no compensation or other thing of economic value from such person and provided that such member shall recuse himself from any vote of the board regarding such person."
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addition, such member shall not be prohibited by R.S.
42:11T1(C)(2)(d) from performing services for any person who has
or is seeking to obtain contractual or other business or financial
relationships with the Research Park Corporation, provided that such
member receives no compensation or other thing of economic value
from such person and provided that such member shall recuse himself
from any vote of the board regarding such person."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1625—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(d), 542(A), (B),
(C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D), and 883.1(A), (B),
(C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D), relative to state
retirement systems; to provide relative to payment of unfunded
accrued liabilities of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement
System and of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to
provide for amortization of unfunded accrued liabilities in over
a thirty-year period from the time of occurrence; to include
negative employee experience account balances in the unfunded
accrued liability; to provide for experience account credits; to
provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to
Original House Bill No. 1625 by Representative Schneider

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and
delete line 3 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "R.S.
11:102(B)(3)(d), 542(A), (B), (C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D), and 883.1(A), (B),
(C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "liabilities" delete the semicolon ";" and insert "of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System
and of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete line 7 in its entirety and at the beginning of line 8
delete "Standards Board;" and insert "over a thirty-year period from the
time of occurrence;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof "Section 1. R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(d), 542 (A), (B),
(C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D), and 883.1(A), (B),
(C)(1)(introductory paragraph)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 26 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 17 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 5, after "(i)" delete "Actuarial" and insert "Except as
provided in Item (v) of this Subparagraph, actuarial"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, delete line 8 through 14 in their entirety and insert:
"as an amount forming an annuity increasing at four and one-half
percent annually over the later of a period of fifteen years from the
year of occurrence or by the year 2029, such gains and losses to
include any increases in actuarial liability due to governing authority
granted cost-of-living increases."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 15, after "(ii)" delete "Changes" and insert "Except as
provided in Item (v) of this Subparagraph, changes"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, delete lines 16 through 20 in their entirety and insert:
"to be computed as an amount forming an annuity increasing at four
and one-half percent annually over the later of a period of fifteen
years from the year of occurrence of the change or by the year 2029."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, line 15, after "(iii)" delete "Changes" and insert "Except as
provided in Item (v) of this Subparagraph, changes"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 4, delete lines 23 through 25 in their entirety, and on page
5 delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert:

"payments to be computed as an amount forming an annuity
increasing at four and one-half percent annually over the later of a
period of thirty years from the year of occurrence of the change or by
the year 2029."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 3, after "(iv)" delete "Changes" and insert "Except as
provided in Item (v) of this Subparagraph, changes"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 4, delete lines 7 through 11, and insert:
"or, if not specified in such legislation, as an amount forming an
annuity increasing at four and one-half percent annually over the later
of a period of fifteen years from the year of occurrence of the change or by
the year 2029."

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, between lines 11 and 12, insert:
"(v) Effective July 1, 2003, and beginning with the Fiscal Year
ending June 30, 2001, the amortization period for the changes, gains,
or losses of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana and the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System provided in Items (i) through (iv) of this Subparagraph shall be thirty years from the year in which the change, gain, or loss occurred. The outstanding balances of amortization bases established pursuant to Item (i) through (iv) of this Subparagraph before the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2001, shall be amortized as a level dollar amount from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2029.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, delete line 14 and insert in lieu thereof:

"A. The Employee Experience Account shall be credited as follows:

(1) An amount equal to fifty percent of the prior year's net investment experience gain as determined by the system's actuary.

(2) An amount equal to that portion of the system's net investment income attributable to the balance in the Employee Experience Account during the prior year.

(3) In no event shall the amount in the Employee Experience Account exceed the reserve necessary to grant two cost-of-living adjustments as provided in Subsection C of this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 13, delete line 3, after "physicians" and before "serving" insert "who are cardiologists and who are"
On page 1, line 6, after "allow" and before "a" insert "such"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "provide for" and before "member's" delete "the" and insert "such"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 1, after "(18)" insert "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 4, after "population of" and before "thousand" delete "forty-five" and insert "twenty-five"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 6, after "jurisdiction" delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line and delete line 7 and on line 8 delete "board exercises jurisdiction." and insert a period "." 

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 10, after "him" delete the remainder of the line and on line 11, delete "which he owns an interest that are" and insert "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"(b) A licensed physician who is a cardiologist and who is a member of a board of commissioners for any hospital service district authorized by Chapter 10 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 located within a parish which has a population of forty-five thousand or less from contracting or subcontracting from another provider with the hospital over which the board exercises jurisdiction, or from owning an interest in an entity that contracts with the hospital over which the board exercises jurisdiction. However, such licensed physician shall recuse himself from participating in any transaction before the board relating to any contracts entered into by him or by any entity in which he owns an interest that are permitted by this Paragraph."

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1984—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:30(A)(8), relative to homicide; to provide with respect to the crime of first degree murder; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 1984 by Representative Gary Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "enact" delete "to amend and reenact R.S. 14:30(B) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 4, delete "to provide for definitions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 13 in its entirety and in sert in lieu thereof "R.S."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 12, after "been" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 13 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"issued, prior to the homicide, by a judge or magistrate any lawful order prohibiting contact between the offender and the victim in response to threats of physical violence or harm which was served on the offender and is in effect at the time of the homicide;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 17 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 11 in their entirety

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1996—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:490(B)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 40:490(C), relative to payments in lieu of taxes; to grant certain parishes and municipalities and school boards in such parishes certain authority relative to payments in lieu of taxes; to require housing authorities in certain parishes to make payments in lieu of taxes to certain school boards; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Original House Bill No. 1996 by Representative Honey

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after "R.S. 40:490(C)," delete the remainder of the line and on line 4 delete "authority" and insert:

"relative to payments in lieu of taxes; to grant certain parishes and municipalities and school boards in such parishes certain authority relative to payments in lieu of taxes; to require housing authorities in certain parishes"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 18 and insert:

"C. Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsection B of this Section, any parish with a population of in excess of three hundred fifty thousand persons but not exceeding four hundred twenty thousand persons, according to the most recent federal decennial census, and any municipality or school board in the parish may exercise any of the powers granted in Subsection B of this Section. A housing authority in any such parish shall make payments in lieu of taxes to a school district in which the housing authority is located."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**Senate Instruments on Second Reading Returned from the Legislative Bureau**

The following Senate Instruments on second reading, returned from the Legislative Bureau, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**SENATE BILL NO. 24—**

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1484.4(C)(4)(b), relative to the regulation of amusement attractions and rides; to provide for the inspection qualifications for air-supported structures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 39—**

BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE PITRE

AN ACT

To enact Part VI-B of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:126, and to repeal R.S. 49:121(A)(2), relative to public vehicles; to provide for the placement of certain promotional stickers on public vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 62—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 4501, relative to representation of minors; to authorize the mother to represent the minor in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 70—
BY SENATOR GAUTREAUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:365(A), relative to motor vehicles; to provide with respect to traffic safety regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 70 by Senator Gautreaux

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 12, after "television broadcast" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 13 in its entirety and delete "discs" from the beginning of line 14 and insert "or a video signal that produces entertainment or business applications"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, at the end of line 1, insert the following:

"Additionally, no retailer shall install a television receiver, screen or other means of receiving a visual television broadcast or video signal that produces entertainment or business applications in a motor vehicle at any point forward of the back of the driver's seat or at any point which would make the device visible to the driver while operating the motor vehicle."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 12, after "screen" and before the comma "," insert "that produces entertainment or business applications"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, line 13, after "equipment has" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert "a"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 84—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 48:1002(A), relative to ferries; to provide for the period of appropriation of state funds for operation and maintenance of the Monkey Island Ferry located in Cameron Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 104—
BY SENATOR BARHAM
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3881(A)(2)(d), relative to seizures; to provide for an exemption in bankruptcy proceedings for a motor vehicle valued at seven thousand five hundred dollars or less; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 104 by Senator Barham

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 13:3881(A)(2)(d)" and before the comma "," insert "and to enact R.S. 13:3881(A)(2)(f)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 3, after "exemption" and before "for" delete "in bankruptcy proceedings and insert "from seizure"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 4, after the semicolon ";" and before "and" insert "to provide for the exemption from seizure of one firearm with a maximum value of five hundred dollars;"
On page 1, line 7, after "reenacted" and before "to" insert "and R.S. 13:3881(f) is hereby enacted"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, line 2, after "motor" delete "One" and insert "Seven thousand five hundred dollars in equity value for one"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 2, line 3, after "household" and before "NADA" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete "with a" and insert "The equity value of the motor vehicle shall be based on the"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 2, line 4, after "model" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 5, delete "dollars."

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

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

"(f) one firearm with a maximum value of five hundred dollars;"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 141**

**BY SENATOR DUPRE**

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 32:408(B)(4)(c), relative to school bus drivers; to provide for a restriction to commercial driver’s licenses for operation only of a school bus; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 223**

**BY SENATOR BARHAM AND REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ**

**A JOINT RESOLUTION**

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 27(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana; to provide for certain TIMED project descriptions; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 265**

**BY SENATOR HOYT**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3576.6(A) and (C), relative to parking violations; to remove prohibition of certain agencies from entering into contracts with...
collection agencies for certain services; to limit the collection fees and interests agencies may collect; to remove prohibition of certain agencies reporting unpaid fines for parking violations to credit information agencies; to remove prohibition of certain agencies from entering into contracts to provide records of unpaid parking fines to credit information agencies; to authorize certain agencies to contract with consumer reporting agencies for certain services; to remove penalties relative to disclosure of certain information; to limit the information contained in consumer reports for unpaid parking fines; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 300—
BY SENATOR CHAISON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1581, relative to the appointment of public administrators for succe ssions in certain parishes; to provide for the appointment and terms of such administrators; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 340—
BY SENATOR IRRONS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:303(B)(3)(b)(v), relative to political subdivisions entering into sales and use tax collection agreements; provides that political subdivisions entering into such agreements shall provide the vehicle commissioner with certain information; provides that such information shall be used in connection with the collection of the political subdivision's sales and use taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 346—
BY SENATORS DARDENNE, SCHEDLER, CAIN, BARHAM, BOISSIERE, CRAVINS, DEAN, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, GAUTREAUX, HINES, HOLDEN, HUDSON, LOPEZ, BROOKS, JONES, C. JONES, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MALONE, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, ROMERO, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:603(8), (9), (10), and (11), and 609(A), (B), and (C) and Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 572 and to enact R.S. 15:603(12) and (13) and 609(F), (G), (H), and (I), relative to DNA detection of sexual and violent offenders; to provide relative to the collection of DNA samples from certain offenders; to provide for definitions; to add certain offenses to crimes requiring the collection of such samples; to provide relative to juvenile offenders; to require DNA samples collection of such offenders under certain conditions; to prohibit the invalidation of a database match under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the limitation of the prosecution of noncapital offenses; to provide for exceptions to such limitations; to require retroactivity of such exceptions; to authorize the use of force under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 386—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4751(B), relative to petitioning for name change of adults and minors; to provide for additional venues for filing for name change; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 410—
BY SENATOR LENTINI (On Recommendation of the La Law Institute)
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Title XIII of Book III of the Civil Code, formerly consisting of Articles 2926 through 2981, to comprise Articles 2926 through 2951; all relative to deposit, deposit with innkeepers, conventional sequestration, and judicial sequestration; to provide for a definition of deposit; to provide for matters for which no special provision is made; to provide for the nature of the contract of deposit; to provide for the formation of the contract of deposit; to provide for the standard by which a depositary is to fulfill his obligations; to provide for the use of the thing deposited by the depositary; to provide for when the thing deposited is a consumable; to provide for the return of the thing deposited; to provide for when the thing...
deposited is lost or deteriorated; to provide for the delivery of
civil and natural fruits; to provide for the reimbursement of
the thing deposited was a stolen thing; to provide for when
the obligation of an innkeeper; to provide that an innkeeper is
an innkeeper shall be calculated in accordance with Subsecton H of this Section.”

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and
Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 470 by Senator Hoyt

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after “permits;” and before “to” insert the following:

“and instructions regarding the cancellation of mortgage inscriptions
to the mortgagor and the mortgagor's designated agent within sixty
days after the date of receipt of full payment of the balance owed on
the debt secured by the mortgage in accordance with a payoff
statement. The payoff statement shall be furnished by the mortgagee
or its mortgage servicer.”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 15 in their entirety

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 470—
BY SENATOR HOYT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:387(C)(7) and 388(G), relative to permits; to
provide for special oversize load permits; to provide for fines
and suspension of operating authority under special oversize
load permits for violation of their terms or for falsifying
information on permit applications; and to provide for related
matters.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 458—
BY SENATOR DUPRE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 9:5167.2, relative to the cancellation of mortgages; to
require the mortgagee to cancel the mortgage inscription; and to
provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and
Procedure.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and
Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 458 by Senator Dupre

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after “to” and before “the” change “cancel” to
“instruct the mortgagor regarding the cancellation of”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the end of line 7, delete “by mortgagee”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 11, after the comma “,” delete the remainder of the
line and delete lines 12 through 15 in their entirety and insert the following:

“and instructions regarding the cancellation of mortgage inscriptions
to the mortgagor or the mortgagor's designated agent within sixty
days after the date of receipt of full payment of the balance owed on
the debt secured by the mortgage in accordance with a payoff
statement. The payoff statement shall be furnished by the mortgagee
or its mortgage servicer.”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 15 in their entirety

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 470—
BY SENATOR HOYT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:387(C)(7) and 388(G), relative to permits; to
provide for special oversize load permits; to provide for fines
and suspension of operating authority under special oversize
load permits for violation of their terms or for falsifying
information on permit applications; and to provide for related
matters.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 497—
BY SENATORS HOLLIS AND MICHOT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1722(B)(2), (3), (4), and (5), and (D), 1723(B), 1727(3), and 1728(A), and to enact R.S. 40:1730.1, and to repeal R.S. 40:1722(C), relative to the state building code; to provide for the building code; to provide for the standard electric code; to clarify departmental jurisdictional responsibilities; to provide legislative findings; to provide for adoption of a uniform code; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

SENATE BILL NO. 631—
BY SENATOR HOYT
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 3-E of Title 8 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 8: 141 through 144 relative to a deposition by phone over objection of one or more parties; to provide deposition procedure; to provide for notice of judgment in the Children’s Code and reference therein to the Code of Civil Procedure; and, to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

SENATE BILL NO. 809—
BY SENATOR C. JONES
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 51:936.3, relative to economic development; to require participation between certain departments to prioritize certain funding mechanisms for economically depressed zones, communities, and businesses; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

SENATE BILL NO. 818—
BY SENATOR B. JONES (On Recommendation of the La State Law Institute)
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 42(5), 561(A), 932, 933, 934, 967, 1201(A), 1424, 1425, 1436.1, 1443, 1455, 1914, and 3295, and Children’s Code Art.332, relative to the continuous revision of the Code of Civil Procedure; to provide venue for actions against certain foreign corporations, limited liability companies, and non-residents; to provide for abandonment of actions; to provide for the effect of sustaining declinatory, dilatory, and peremptory exceptions; to provide for citation and service; to provide for interlocutory judgments, notice and delay; to provide for giving in payment; to provide for experts, discovery and depositions; to provide for affidavits of experts in summary judgments; to remove restrictions on discovery of testifying expert witnesses; to allow a court to order a deposition by phone over objection of one or more parties; to provide deposition procedure; to provide for notice of judgment in the Children’s Code and reference therein to the Code of Civil Procedure; and, to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 818 by Senator B. Jones

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, delete “1443, 1455,”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 5, delete “1443, 1455,”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 12, delete lines 11 through 28 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

Delete pages 13 through 17 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 18, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 855—**

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

An Act

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315(C)(4)(a), relative to the determination of child support; to provide for a gift to be included when determining gross income for the purposes of child support; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 860—**

BY SENATORS DARDENNE AND SCHEDLER

An Act

To amend and reenact Civil Code Art. 1499, relative to the usufruct of a surviving spouse; to provide that security shall not be required in certain cases; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

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

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "through" and before "relative" change "3031," to "3030,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 10, after "through" and before "is" change "3031," to "3030,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 12, line 9, after "law" and before the period "," insert a comma ",” and insert the following:

"however, the authority shall not expropriate any property owned or operated by any entity subject to the jurisdiction of the Louisiana Public Service Commission or a similar body that regulates public utilities, or hydrocarbon transportation companies, except as otherwise provided by law"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 16, delete line 9, after "shall be interpretive, procedural, and remedial” change "shall be retroactive" to "are interpretive, procedural, and remedial”

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 886—**

BY SENATOR HOYT

An Act

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3541.22(A), relative to home solicitation loan; to prohibit the home solicitation of any person where the loan encumbers the primary residence of the consumer for purposes of home improvements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 888—**

BY SENATORS DARDENNE, HOLLIS AND JOHNSON

An Act

To enact Chapter 49 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3025 through 3031, relative to economic development; to create the "Louisiana Major Projects Development Authority”; to provide for the composition of the board of directors of the authority; to provide for powers and duties of the authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 888 by Senator Dardenne, et al.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "through" and before "relative" change "3031," to "3030,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 10, after "through" and before "is" change "3031," to "3030,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 12, line 9, after "law" and before the period "," insert a comma ",” and insert the following:

"however, the authority shall not expropriate any property owned or operated by any entity subject to the jurisdiction of the Louisiana Public Service Commission or a similar body that regulates public utilities, or hydrocarbon transportation companies, except as otherwise provided by law"
On page 12, line 17, after "reasonable" delete "rates and"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 12, line 19, after "such" delete "rates and" and insert "charges"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 12, line 20, after "such" delete "rates and"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 13, delete lines 11 through 26 and insert "§3030. Severability"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 895—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:924(A), relative to economic development; to provide for membership of the State Board of Commerce and Industry; to provide for terms of office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 896—
BY SENATORS HOLLIS AND IRONS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 36:107(A), 109(J), and 913(B), R.S. 43:111(A)7, R.S. 47:1125(C) and 6007(B)(5), (D)(1) and (3), and (E), and R.S. 51:938.1(A), (H)(introductory paragraph) and (1), (I), (J)(introductory paragraph), (1), (2), (3)(introductory paragraph), (c), (d), (6), (7), (8), and (k), to enact R.S. 51:938.1(H)(3) and (J)(1), and to repeal R.S. 36:108(B)(20) and R.S. 51:938.1(B) through (G), relative to economic development; to provide for related to the Department of Economic Development; to provide for assistant secretaries and duties of offices; to provide for the transfer of certain entities; to provide for advertising; to provide relative to tax relief for motion picture production companies; to provide relative to tax credits for investments in certain productions; to create the governor's office of film and television development; to provide for the office's duties, staff, and authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 896 by Senator Hollis

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 6, following "§1:938.1(H)(3)" and before "(6)" change "(J)(1)(e)," to "(J)(3)(e),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 6, line 4, following "§1:938.1(H)(3)" and "(J)(1)(e)" change "(J)(3)(e)"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 897—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2311(A)(1) and (2)(a), (b), and (i), (B), (D), and (E), and (K), relative to economic development; to provide for assistant secretaries and duties of offices; to provide for advertising; to provide relative to tax relief for motion picture production companies; to provide relative to tax credits for investments in certain productions; to create the governor's office of film and television development; to provide for the office's duties, staff, and authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 917—
BY SENATOR MALONE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 45:162(2) and 164(C), relative to motor carriers; to provide relative to definitions; to exempt certain carriers from proving public convenience and necessity; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 923—
BY SENATOR HOYT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Civil Code Arts. 2036 and 2037 and to enact Chapter 7 of Code Title IV of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:2790.1 through 2790.12, all relative to obligations; to provide for the Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act; to provide for definitions; to provide that certain transfers are fraudulent; to provide for remedies of creditors; to provide for defenses, liability and protection of a transferee; to provide for extinguishment of a cause of action; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 923 by Senator Hoyt

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 4, line 5, change "Subparagraph (ii) or" to "Item (ii) of this Subparagraph or Subparagraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 4, line 13, change "Subparagraph" to "Item (ii) of this Subparagraph or Subparagraph" and on line 14, delete "(iv) or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 4, line 23, change "Subparagraph" to "Item"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 4, line 24, following "(iii)" and before the semicolon ";" insert "of this Subparagraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 7, line 25, following "to" and before "other" insert a comma ","

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 967—
BY SENATOR JOHNSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:943, to enact R.S. 36:4.1(D)(17), and to repeal R.S. 36:109(D)(2), relative to the Regional Transit Authority; to provide for appointments to the board of commissioners; to allow the chief executive officer of the parish with the greatest percentage of public transit revenue to make certain appointments; to allow for legislative input in such appointments; to provide a time frame for such input; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 973—
BY SENATORS BOISSIERE, BAIJOIE AND IRONS AND REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 48:1655(A)(1)(c), relative to the Regional Transit Authority; to provide for appointments to the board of commissioners; to allow the chief executive officer of the parish with the greatest percentage of public transit revenue to make certain appointments; to allow for legislative input in such appointments; to provide a time frame for such input; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 989—
BY SENATOR HINES
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.39.1(A)(1), (2)(b), and 3 and (I)(4) and (5) and 1299.47 (A)(1), (2)(b) and (c), and (3) and (I)(2) and (3) and to enact R.S. 40:1299.39(I)(6) and 1299.47(A)(2)(d) and (I)(4), relative to the medical review panel; to provide that each request include specific and particularized allegations of malpractice as to each named defendant health care provider; to require that the claimant pay a filing fee per named defendant which shall be waived in certain conditions; to provide that failure to pay the required fee shall invalidate the request for a medical review panel; to provide for payment of the medical review panel costs; to provide for refund of the filing fee under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 989 by Senator Hines

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 2, line 15, delete "a"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 2, lines 16 and 17, change "names(s)" to "name(s)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page 2, lines 19 and 21, before "brief" insert "a"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**
On page 3, line 18, following "suspend" and before "time" insert "the"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**
On page 7, line 16, delete "a"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**
On page 7, lines 17 and 18, change "names(s)" to "name(s)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**
On page 7, lines 20 and 22, before "brief" insert "a"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1025—**
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:99.12(A), relative to the sale of tobacco assets; to provide for the sale of certain assets; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1081—**
BY SENATOR CHAISSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 6:824(A)(1), relative to repayment of loans; to delete the minimum sixty-one day grace period; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1095—**
BY SENATOR JOHNSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 48:57 and Part VI-D of Chapter 1 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 48:109.1, relative to roads and highways; to authorize appointment of certain traffic control officers; to provide for the powers and duties of such officers; to create the Eastern New Orleans Interstate Oversight Commission; to provide for appointment of members, terms, and duties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1095 by Senator Johnson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 3, delete lines 24 through 26 in their entirety and on page 4, delete line 1 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, at the beginning of line 2, change "(5)" to"(4)"

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1095 by Senator Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 8, following "shall" and before "the" change "deprive" to "prevent"

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

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered 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. 139—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON AND FAUCHEUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana Judicial College to institute mandatory continuing legal education for judges on the family law topics of child custody and child support guidelines.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 127—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON, CROWE, SCHNEIDER, AND STRAIN AND SENATORS SCHEDLER AND THOMAS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development to give certain notice regarding changes to the highway priority program and to expand the number and scope of capacity projects in the priority program.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 144—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create the Sabine River Authority Conservation Pool Level Advisory Council to study the issues and concerns relative to the establishment of a conservation pool level and prohibition of hydroelectric power generation by the Sabine River Authority at Toledo Bend Reservoir under certain circumstances.

Read by title.

Rep. Salter moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 86 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL
A RESOLUTION
To adopt House Rule 6.4(E) of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to allow an elected member of the Committee on Appropriations to appoint a designee under certain circumstances and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Morrell, the resolution was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 25—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
A RESOLUTION
To amend and readopt House Rules 6.4(A) and (B) of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to provide for the composition of the Committee on Appropriations.

Read by title.

Rep. Triche moved the adoption of the resolution.


By a vote of 18 yeas and 73 nays, the resolution was rejected.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Montgomery, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect him as voting yea.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 145—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College to use land on the campus of Southern University at New Orleans solely for education purposes.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Morrell, the resolution was returned to the calendar.
HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 73—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
A RESOLUTION
To adopt House Rule 6.8(H) of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives, to provide for recommittal of bills that provide exceptions to public records laws.

Read by title.

Rep. Murray moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 67 yeas and 25 nays, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ODINET
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the Louisiana Oyster Task Force to form a committee to examine issues related to the future of the development of the oyster industry in Louisiana and to report its recommendations to the legislature.

Read by title.

Rep. Odinet moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 97 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER
A RESOLUTION
To create the District 104 Florida Avenue Bridge Citizen Task Force to monitor progress on the Florida Avenue Bridge, a TIMED project, and to inform local residents regarding such progress; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hutter moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 97 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 149—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To request the Judicial Council of the Supreme Court of Louisiana to study funding sources for the Lengthy Trial Fund created by House Bill No. 2008 of the 2003 Regular Session in the event that this legislation is subsequently passed and enacted into law.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 140—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the House Committee on Commerce and the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs to study the reason why the increase in the price of gasoline has been greater than the increase in the price of crude oil for the first three months of 2003.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Morrell, the resolution was returned to the calendar.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 172—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BOWLER AND CAPELLA
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To request that the Louisiana State Law Institute study certain aspects of laws related to immovable property, land titles, and trust property.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 84—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE AND CAZAYOUX
A RESOLUTION
To urge the House of Representatives to not approve funding for the construction of a new stadium located in the city of New Orleans for the National Football League team known as the New Orleans Saints.

Read by title.

Rep. Triche moved the adoption of the resolution.

Rep. Landrieu objected.

By a vote of 50 yeas and 44 nays, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 176—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the House and Senate Transportation, Highways and Public Works Committees to study transportation coordination and efficiency within the Port of New Orleans and to work with representatives from the state and private industries to make recommendations to improve transportation coordination and efficiency, and to report its findings to the legislature prior to January 1, 2004.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 198—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the feasibility of lowering the minimum monetary amount in controversy required for a trial by jury and to report its findings and recommendations to the legislature prior to the convening of the 2004 Regular Session.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Alario to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 198 by Representative Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the beginning of line 2, change "direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 10, after "RESOLVED" delete the remainder of the line and insert "the Legislature of Louisiana urges and requests that"

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

On motion of Rep. Johns, the resolution, as amended, was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Townsend, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Regular Calendar

Acting Speaker Jane Smith in the Chair

SENATE BILL NO. 565—
BY SENATORS IRONS, HAINKEL AND BAJORIE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:242 and 243, relative to marriage; to provide that certain officiants in Orleans Parish may waive the seventy-two hour delay for marriages; to provide relative to penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Townsend, and under a suspension of the rules, the above bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative DeWitt to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 565 by Senator Irons

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, before the comma ",," insert "and to enact R.S. 9:203(E)" and on the same line, after "relative to" change "marriage" to "non-resident marriages"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 4, after "delay for" insert "non-resident" and on the same line, after "penalties"; and before "and" insert the following: "to authorize federal judges whose official duty station includes certain municipalities to perform marriage ceremonies"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "reenacted" and before "to" insert "and R.S. 9:203(E) is hereby enacted"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

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

"§203. Officiant; judges and justices of the peace

* * *

E. A judge of a court of the United States whose official duty station includes a municipality having a population in excess of forty thousand but less than fifty thousand persons according to the latest decennial census or a municipality having a population in excess of two hundred and fifteen thousand but less than two hundred and thirty-five thousand persons according to the latest decennial census may perform marriage ceremonies in the municipality located within his official duty station. For purposes of this Subsection, "judge" and "official duty station" have the same meaning as provided in 28 U.S.C. 451 and 456, respectively. The authority granted by this Subsection shall terminate on December 31, 2003.

* * *"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, line 4, after "delay", insert "for non-resident parties"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

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

"For purposes of this Subsection, "non-resident" shall mean a person domiciled or residing in a jurisdiction other than the state of Louisiana."

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 2, after line 15, insert the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

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

**Speaker DeWitt in the Chair**

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker Green Peychaud
Alario Guilory Pierre
Arnold Hammett Pinac
Baldone Heaton Pitre
Baylor Hebert Powell
Broome Hill Quezaire
Bruce Honey Richmond
Bruneau Hudson Romero

**NAYS**

Capella Hunter Salter
Carter, K Iles Schwegmann
Carter, R Jackson, L Smith, G.—56th
Cazayoux Jackson, M Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe Johns Smith, J.R.—8th
Curtis Katz Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico Kenney Stelly
Dartez LaFleur Strain
Diez Landrieu Swilling
Durand LeBlanc Thompson
Farrar McVea Townsend
Faucheux Montgomery Trice
Frith Morrell Welch
Futrell Murray Wright
Gallot Odinet
Glover Perkins

Total—70

**ABSENT**

Ansardi Fruge Shaw
Beard Hutter Toomy
Bowler Lucas Tucker
Crane Martiny Waddell
Daniel Morrish Walker
Devillier Nevers Walsworth
Downs Scalise Winston
Fannin Schneider

Total—23

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

**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. 551—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2772(A) and (C) and to repeal R.S. 9:2772(D), relative to peremptive periods for filing actions involving deficiencies in surveying, design, supervision, or construction of immovables; to provide for periods within which to file certain actions; to repeal obsolete provision relative to prescription of actions; 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. 551 by Representative Hammett

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, lines 19 and 20, following "defined in" change "the first paragraph of R.S. 37:682(9)" to "R.S. 37:682(11)(a)"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

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The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pierre 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. 862—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND DANIEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1907(A)(1), relative to assessors; to authorize an increase in the annual compensation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Alario 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. 881—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2003-2004 to be used to pay certain judgments against the state; to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Louis Merhige v. Board of Commissioners for the East Jefferson Levee District, C. "Bud" Taulli Construction Company, Inc., Manual Anaya, The Transportation Insurance Company, Parish of Jefferson, and the Department of Transportation and Development, State of Louisiana"; to pay the judgment in "Yvonne Updegraff v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; to provide for interest; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Alario moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker          Gallot          Morris
Alario               Glover          Murray
Ansardi             Green           Nevers
Arnold              Hammett        Odinet
Baldone             Heaton          Pinac
Baylor              Hebert          Pitre
Bowler              Hill            Quezaire
Broome              Honey           Richmond
Bruce               Hopkins         Romero
Bruneau             Hudson          Salter
Carter, K           Hunter          Scalise
Carter, R           Hutter          Smith, G.—56th
Cazayoux            Jackson, L      Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe               Jackson, M      Smith, J.H.—8th
Curtis              Kenney          Smith, J.R.—30th
Damicco             LaFleur         Strain
Daniel              Landrieu        Swilling
Devillier           LeBlanc         Toomy
Diez                Lucas           Townsend
Durand              Martiny         Triche
Farrar              McDonald        Waddell
Faucheux            Montgomery      Walker
Frith               Morrell         Welch

Total—72

NAYS

Alexander           Guilyory         Schwegmann
Baudoin             Katz            Shaw
Crane               McVeA           Stelly
Downer              Pierre          Walsworth
Downs               Powell          Winston
Futrell             Schneider

Total—17

ABSENT

Beard               Fruge           Sneed
Capella             Iles            Tucker
Doerge              Johns           Wooton
Erdey               Kennard        Wright
Fannin              Perkins        
Flavin              Peychaud

Total—16

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Alario 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.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Total—99

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ABSENT
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Alario 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. 1290—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND**

**AN ACT**

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana to be used to pay certain judgments against the state; to pay the judgments in the suits entitled "Jonelle Clark v. Julie B. Roy, Allstate Insurance Company and State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development"; "Joe Farley, Jr., Mary Ann Farley Brooks, Rosetta Farley Fontenot, Elma Farley Alexander, Matthew Farley, Mose Farley, Henry E. Farley, Brenda Farley, Ollie Mac Farley Bell, and Robert L. Farley v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development, et al."; "Lisa M. John v. Rodney G. Freeman, Financial Indemnity Insurance, Valerie J. Hill, Progressive Security Insurance Co., and State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; "Rosemount, Inc. v. Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana"; "Automatic Switch Company v. John Neely Kennedy, Secretary, Department of Revenue, State of Louisiana"; "Herman H. Boyett et ux v. State of Louisiana, Etc."; "Joseph Roy Lyons, husband of/and Myra Leger Lyons, individually and on behalf of his minor children, Joseph Roy Lyons, Jr. and Andrew Robert Lyons v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, Daimler/Chrysler Corporation, Southside Chrysler Corporation, d/b/a North Loop Dodge"; and "Brenda Whirl v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al."; to provide for interest; to provide for costs; Read by title.

Rep. Townsend moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1370—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:330(B)(2), relative to state surplus property; to provide for storage and sale of surplus property in the possession of the commissioner of administration; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Downs moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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Rep. Downs moved the final passage of the bill.
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Downs 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. 1403**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:128(B)(4), relative to the state capital construction budget; to provide for exemptions from inclusion in the budget for certain projects undertaken by or on the campus of a state college, university, or higher education facility; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Alario 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. Alario 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. 1584**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WELCH, CAZAYOUX, GALLOT, GLOVER, GUILLORY, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, KENNEY, LUCAS, MURRAY, TOWNSEND, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS IRONS AND TARVER

AN ACT

To enact Part LVIII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.191, relative to state funds; to establish the Community-based Primary Health Care Initiative Fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit of monies into the fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; to provide for grants from the fund to community health centers for operations and various community health programs and other purposes; to create the Community-based Primary Health Care Initiative within the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Welch moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 5, at the end of line 12 insert "not to exceed state reimbursement regulations"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 5, line 25, after "law" delete the remainder of the line and insert a comma "," and "public records law, and public bid law."

Rep. Downer asked for and obtained a division of the question.

On motion of Rep. Alario, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Alario moved adoption of Amendment No. 2.


By a vote of 67 yeas and 26 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Welch 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. 1700—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9022(5), 9023(H), 9024(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (3), (D)(3) and (4), and (E)(1) and (2), 9029.2(A)(1), 9035(introductory paragraph), (5), and (7), to enact R.S. 33:9022(7) and (8) and 9023.1, and to repeal R.S. 33:9024(E)(3), relative to economic development; to provide for definitions; to provide for approval of an application; to provide for the consolidation of efforts; to provide relative to the incorporation of private nonprofit economic development corporations and their powers; to provide relative to cooperative endeavor agreements; to provide relative to costs of an economic development project incurred by local government; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Alario to Engrossed House Bill No. 1700 by Representative Downer
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. 1909—**

By Representative Baylor

An Act

To authorize the state of Louisiana to redirect certain payments due to the state from the city of Shreveport for the purposes of the further economic development of the Shreveport Regional Airport under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Baylor moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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ABSENT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1949—**

By Representative Peychaud

An Act

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:600.4(A)(1) and (3)(introductory paragraph) and (D) and 600.5(B) and (F), to enact R.S. 40:600.6(A)(4)(b)(vi), (vii), (viii), (ix), and (x), and to repeal R.S. 40:600.4(A)(3)(c), relative to the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency, to provide relative to the board of commissioners; to change the composition of the board of commissioners; to provide for the quorum of the board; to provide relative to participation in certain actions by commissioners and employees; to provide relative to the applicability of the Administrative Procedure Act to certain rules and regulations of the agency; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Peychaud to Engrossed House Bill No. 1949 by Representative Peychaud

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 5, delete lines 9 through 13 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 4, delete "(x)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 15, delete "(x)"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

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Alexander

Total—1

ABSENT
AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 8, line 14, following "individual" and before "in" insert "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 10, line 9, change "47:2752(A)(1)" to "51:2753(A)(1)"

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the bill, as amended, was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2002—

By Representative Pitre

An act

To enact R.S. 45:858, relative to carriers; to provide that an owner of goods, products, or commodities is not automatically an offeror; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; 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 Fruge Odinet
Alario Futrell Perkins
Alexander Gallot Peychaud
Ansardi Glover Piere
Arnold Green Pinac
Baldone Guillory Pitre
Baudoin Hammett Powell
Bayor Heaton Quezaire
Beard Hebert Romero
Bowler Hill Salter
Broome Honey Scalise
Bruce Hopkins Schneider
Brunoeh Hudson Schwegmann
Capella Hunter Shaw
Carter, K Hutter Smith, G.—56th
Carter, R Iles Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux Jackson, L Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe Johns Stelly
Davis McDonald Toomy
Downer LeBlanc Waddell
Downs Lucar Walker
Durand McDonald Toomy
Fannin McVea Walker
Farrar Montgomery Wooton
Faucus Morrell Wright
Flavin Murray Wright
Frith Nevers Wright

Total—97

NAYS

Bowler Martiny Schneider

Total—3

ABSENT

Beard Jackson, M Smith, J.R.—30th
Broome Kennard Sneed
Daniel Lancaster Walsworth
Erdey Morrish Wooton

Total—12

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Peychaud 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. 1974—

By Representative Hammett

An Act

To enact Chapter 45 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2751 through 2760, relative to economic development; to create the Louisiana Retention and Modernization Program; to provide for incentive rebates to certain businesses to remain in Louisiana which are at high risk for relocation to another state; to provide incentive rebates to certain businesses which modernize their existing operations in this state; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for definitions; 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. 1974 by Representative Hammett

Baudoin Hammett Powell
Baylor Heaton Quezaire
Bruce Hebert Richmond
Bruneau Hill Romero
Capella Honey Salter
Carter, K Hopkins Scalise
Carter, R Hudson Schwegmann
Cazayoux Hunter Shaw
Crane Hutter Smith, G.—56th
Crowe Iles Smith, J.D.—50th
Curtis Jackson, L Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico Johns Stelly
Dartez Katz Strain
Devillier Kenney Swilling
Diez LaFleur Thompson
Doerge Landrieu Toomy
Downer LeBlanc Townsend
Downs Lucar Triche
Durand McDonald Tucker
Fannin McVea Waddell
Farrar Montgomery Walker
Faucieux Morrell Welch
Flavin Murray Winston
Frith Nevers Wright

Total—97

NAYS
A. When the misappropriation or taking amounts to a value or replacement value, whichever is greater, of less than three hundred dollars, the offender shall be imprisoned for not more than one year, or may be fined not more than one thousand dollars, or both.

B. If the offender in such cases has been convicted of theft of a used building component two or more times previously, upon any subsequent conviction he shall be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for not more than five years, or may be fined not more than three thousand dollars, or both.

C. (1) Whoever commits the crime of theft of a used building component when the misappropriation or taking amounts to a value or replacement value, whichever is greater, of less than three hundred dollars, the offender shall be imprisoned for not more than one year, or may be fined not more than one thousand dollars, or both. If the offender in such cases has been convicted of theft of a used building component two or more times previously, upon any subsequent conviction he shall be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for not more than five years, or may be fined not more than three thousand dollars, or both.

(2) When the misappropriation or taking amounts to a value or replacement value, whichever is greater, of three hundred dollars or more, but less than a value of five hundred dollars, the offender shall be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for not more than five years, or may be fined not more than three thousand dollars, or both.

(3) When the misappropriation or taking amounts to a value or replacement value, whichever is greater, of five hundred dollars or more shall be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for not more than twelve years, or may be fined not more than five thousand dollars, or both.”

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Alexander  Ansardi  Arnold  Baylor  Beard  Broome  Bruce  Carter, K  Cazayoux  Crane  Damico  Daniel  Diez  Downs  Durand  Farrar  Faucheux  Frith  Gallot  Total—60

NAYS

Alario  Balduine  Bowler  Bruneau  Capella  Carter, R  Crowe  Curtis  Erdey  Fannin  Total—0

Daniel Morrish Walsworth Erdey Richmond Wooton Martiny Sneed
Fruge Powell
Total—31
ABSENT

Baudoin Flavin Sneed
Dartez Hopkins Stelly
Devillier Kennard Thompson
Doerge Lancaster Wooton
Downer Smith, J.R.—30th

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Peychaud 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. 713—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295(A), (B)(2), (C), and (D) and to enact R.S. 32:295(B)(3) and (I), relative to child passenger restraint systems in motor vehicles; to provide for the age at which certain child restraint systems shall be used; to provide for definitions; to provide for situations in which passenger side airbag systems are activated; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Bowler to Engrossed House Bill No. 713 by Representative Hutter

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, change "and (D)" to "(D), and (H)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after "32:295(B)(3)" insert a comma "," and change "and (I)," to "(I), and (J),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 6, after "activated," insert "to provide relative to the nature of certain violations; to provide relative to penalties;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 9, change "and (D)" to "(D), and (H)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 10, after "32:295(B)(3)" insert a comma "," and change "and (I)," to "(I), and (J),"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 4, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"H. A violation of this Section involving failure to secure a child in any type of child restraint system shall be a primary offense. However, failure to secure a child in the age- or size-appropriate restraint, as specified by Subsection A of this Section, shall be a secondary offense and a driver may be cited only if stopped for a moving violation.

I(1) Any Except as provided by Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, any person who violates this Section shall upon conviction be fined fifty dollars for a first offense, one hundred dollars for a second offense, and one hundred dollars plus all costs of court for a third or subsequent offense. In addition to the fine, the license of a defendant in violation of this Section shall be confiscated and driving privileges suspended until such time as satisfactory proof is presented to the court that the defendant has acquired an approved age- or size-appropriate passenger restraint system where applicable.

(2) Any person who violates this Section but whose violation is limited to failure to utilize an age- or size-appropriate child restraint system to secure an otherwise restrained child shall not be fined more than twenty-five dollars including fees and court costs.

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 4, at the beginning of line 7, change "I." to "J."

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

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alario Erdey Murray
Alexander Fannin Nevers
Ansardi Faucheux Odinet
Arnold Flavin Peychaud
Baldone Gallot Pierre
Baudoin Glover Pitre
Baylor Green Powell
Beard Guillory Quezaire
Broome Hanmett Richmond
Bruce Heaton Romero
Bruneau Hebert Salter
Capella Honey Schneider
Carter, R Hudson Schwegmann
Cazayoux Hunter Shaw
Crane Hunter Smith, J.H.—8th
Curtis Jackson, L Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico Jackson, M Strain
Daniel Johns Swilling
Dartez Landrieu Townsend
Diez Martiny Tucker
Doerge McDonald Waddell
Downer Montgomery Walker
Downs Morrell Welch

Total—69

NAYS

Mr. Speaker Katz Scalise
Bowler Kennard Smith, G.—56th
Carter, K Kenney Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe Lancaster Thompson
Durand LeBlanc Toomy
Frith McVea Triche
Fruge Morrish Walsworth
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1105—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU**

To enact Children's Code Article 896(G), relative to deferred disposition agreements in juvenile delinquency proceedings; to authorize the court to utilize or initiate a teen or youth court program; to authorize assessment of fees; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar. Read by title.

Rep. Landrieu moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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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. 1817—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVES ODET, RICHMOND, AND SWILLING**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:322.38(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:322.38(E), relative to the state sales and use tax on hotel occupancy levied in Orleans Parish; to revise the dedication of a portion of the avails of the tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Rep. Odinet moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

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"Louisiana Environmental Education Fund and shall be used for public service announcements and for the education and training of drivers of motor vehicles regarding littering or to finance local littering enforcement activities in order to promote public safety, order, and general welfare by making the streets, roads, and highways of Louisiana clean, safe, and free of debris, litter, and other material falling from or being thrown from motor vehicles by drivers operating such motor vehicles using such streets, roads, and highways. These funds"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, at the end of line 9, change "Section." to "office."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 22, after "to the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, line 6, after "to the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, line 16, after "to the" delete "Keep" and delete line 17 and insert "office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 4, line 1, after "to the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 4, line 11, after "to the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 4, line 21, after "to the" delete "Keep" and delete line 22 and insert "office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 5, line 14, after "to the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 5, line 16, after "to the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 6, delete line 18, and insert "the office of environmental education."

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 7, line 8, after "to the" delete "Keep" and delete line 9 and insert "office of environmental education."

On motion of Rep. Karen Carter, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Hutter sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:
HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Hutter to Engrossed House Bill by Representative Karen Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line at the beginning of line 6, insert

"shall be distributed equally among the five Louisiana Public Service Commission districts and"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Bowler to Engrossed House Bill by Representative Karen Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, after "funds;" and before "and" insert the following:

"to provide for an effective date;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, after line 10, insert the following:

"Section 3. The provisions of this Act shall cease to be effective on August 15, 2007."

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


ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Glover  Peychaud
Alario  Green  Pierre
Ansardi  Hammett  Pinac
Arnold  Heaton  Pitre
Baldone  Hebert  Powell
Baylor  Honey  Quezaire
Broome  Hudson  Richmond
Bruneau  Hunter  Salter
Carter, K  Hutter  Schwegmann
Carter, R  Jackson, L  Smith, G.—56th
Cazayoux  Jackson, M  Smith, J.D.—50th
Curtis  Johns  Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico  Kenney  Stelly
Dartez  Landrieu  Strain
Diez  LeBlanc  Swilling
Doerge  Lucas  Thompson
Downs  McVea  Townsend
Durand  Montgomery  Tucker
Faucheux  Morrell  Waddell
Flavin  Morriseau  Welch
Frith  Murray  Yoe
Gallot  Nevers  Young

NAYS

Baudoin  Guilly  Scalise
Beard  Hill  Schneider
Bowler  Hopkins  Shaw
Capella  Iles  Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane  Kennard  Sneed
Crowe  LaFleur  Toomy
Erdey  Martiny  Triche
Fannin  McDonald  Walker
Farrar  Odinet  Winston
Fruge  Perkins  Wright
Futrell  Romero  Young

ABSENT

Alexander  Devillier  Lancaster
Bruce  Downer  Walsworth
Daniel  Katz  Wooton

Total—64  NAYS

Total—9  ABSENT

The bill, not having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, failed to pass.

Motion to reconsider pending.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Crowe, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect him as voting nay.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1987—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:831(A), relative to medical care of inmates; to prohibit the use of state funds for medical costs associated with organ transplants; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Alario to Engrossed House Bill No. 1987 by Representative Scalise

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Floor Amendment No. 3, proposed by Representative Hopkins and adopted by the House on June 4, 2003, at the end of the amendment before the "." period, insert "for the crime of first or second degree murder".

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Murray to Engrossed House Bill No. 1987 by Representative Scalise
AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the end of line 6, insert “An inmate's organs may not be used for anyone's organ transplant.”

Rep. Lucas moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 23 yeas and 70 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

House Floor Amendments

Amendments proposed by Representative Gallot to Engrossed House Bill No. 1987 by Representative Scalise

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, after line 7, insert the following:

“Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall only apply to inmates that have been sentenced to death or life imprisonment and have exhausted all state and federal appellate and post conviction relief remedies.”

Rep. Gallot moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 72 yeas and 30 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith
Alario Fruge
Alexander Futterell
Ansardi Hammett
Arnold Hebert
Baldone Hopkins
Baudoin Hudson
Beard Hutter
Bowler Iles
Bruce Johns
Bruneau Katz
Capella Kennard
Carter, R. Kenney
Carayoux Lancaster
Crane Landrieu
Crowe LeBlanc
Damico Martiny
Dartez McDonald
Diaz McVeA
Downs Morris
Durand Nevers
Erdey Perkins
Farrar Pmac
Flavin Pitre
Total—70

NAYS

Baylor Heaton
Broome Honey
Carter, K Hunter
Curtis Jackson, L
Faucheux Jackson, M
Gallot Lucas
Glover Morrell
Green Murray
Guillory Odinet

HEATON
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SWILLING
WELCH

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was finally adopted.

Rep. Scalise 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.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Regular Calendar

Senate Bill No. 500—
By Senator Schedler

An Act
To amend and reenact R.S. 28:567(E) and R.S. 40:2103(C), 2116(D), and 2116.32(F)(2), and to enact R.S. 40:1300.143(3)(a)(viii) and (c), relative to moratoria on the licensing of mental health clinics and centers, long-term care hospital facilities, nursing facilities, and home health agencies; to extend the moratorium through July 1, 2008; to provide for a moratorium on the designation of rural hospitals for the purpose of the Rural Hospital Preservation Act; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

House Floor Amendments

Amendments proposed by Representative Lydia Jackson to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 500 by Senator Schedler

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after the word “enact” insert “R.S. 40:2103(D) and”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 5, after “centers,” insert “hospitals”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 9, after "reenacted" and before "to" insert "and R.S. 40:2103(D) is hereby enacted"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 3, between lines 4 and 5 insert the following:

"R.S. 40:2103(D) is all proposed new law.

"D.(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the Department of Health and Hospitals shall implement a moratorium, effective until July 1, 2006, on the licensure of any hospital other than the following:

(a) A hospital that, upon application for a license, attests in writing that within twelve months of licensure, the hospital will be classified by the Medicare program as a long term care hospital under 42 C.F.R. §412.23(e).

(b) A hospital that, upon application for a license, attests in writing that the hospital will be classified by the Medicare program as a comprehensive physical rehabilitation hospital and applies for such classification at the time the license is issued.

(c) A hospital that, upon application for a license, attests in writing that the hospital will be classified by the Medicare program as a psychiatric hospital and applies for such classification at the time the license is issued.

(2) Nothing in this Section shall be construed to prevent a licensed hospital from adding beds, deleting beds, or changing the certification of all or some of the hospital's beds to another hospital bed classification.

(3) The moratorium shall not apply to cases in which a license is sought to lease or otherwise utilize beds in an existing hospital.

(4) The moratorium shall not apply to cases in which a nursing facility chooses to utilize beds as a long term acute care hospital, provided that the facility has applied for a license from the Department of Health and Hospitals no later than January 1, 2004.

(5) The moratorium shall not apply to cases in which a proposed hospital has conducted a comprehensive feasibility study or received initial approval from a parish or municipal zoning and planning board or commission or has submitted plans, blueprints, or schematics to the Department of Health and Hospitals by July 1, 2003.

(6) The moratorium shall not apply to any previously licensed acute care hospital seeking to resume operation.

Rep. Lydia Jackson moved the adoption of the amendments.


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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 10, between "premium" and "shall" insert "without thirty days written notice, via certified mail to the defendant at the address designated pursuant to Code of Criminal Procedure Article 322"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker—Futrell—Odinet
Alario—Gallot—Perkins
Alexander—Glover—Peychaud
Ansardi—Green—Pierre
Arnold—Guillory—Pinac
Baldone—Hammett—Pitre
Baudoin—Heaton—Powell
Baylor—Hebert—Quezaire
Beard—Honey—Richmond
Bowler—Hopkins—Salter
Broome—Hudson—Scalie
Carter, K—Hutter—Schneider
Carter, R—Iles—Schwegmann
Capella—Jackson, L—Shaw
Cazayoux—Jackson, M—Smith, G—56th
Crane—Jackson, L—Smith, J.D—50th
Crowe—Johns—Smith, J.H—8th
Damico—Katz—Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel—Kennard—Stelly
Dartez—Kenney—Strain
Devillier—LaFleur—Trevino
Diez—Lancaster—Swilling
Doerge—Landrieu—Toomy
Downs—LeBlanc—Townsend
Durand—Lucas—Tritsch
Erdey—Martiny—Tucker
Fannin—McDonald—Waddell
Farrar—McVea—Walworth
Faucheux—Montgomery—Welch
Flavin—Morris—Winston
Frith—Murray—Wright
Fruge—Nevins
Total—95

NAYS

Mr. Speaker—Futrell—Odinet
Alario—Gallot—Perkins
Alexander—Glover—Peychaud
Ansardi—Green—Pierre
Arnold—Guillory—Pinac
Baldone—Hammett—Pitre
Baudoin—Heaton—Powell
Baylor—Hebert—Quezaire
Beard—Honey—Richmond
Bowler—Hopkins—Salter
Broome—Hudson—Scalie
Carter, K—Jackson, L—Smith, G—56th
Cazayoux—Jackson, M—Smith, J.D—50th
Crane—Jackson, L—Smith, J.H—8th
Crowe—Johns—Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico—Kennard—Stelly
Daniel—Kenney—Strain
Dartez—LaFleur—Trevino
Devillier—Lancaster—Thompson
Diez—Landrieu—Toomy
Doerge—LeBlanc—Townsend
Durand—Lucas—Tritsch
Erdey—Martiny—Tucker
Fannin—McVea—Walworth
Farrar—Montgomery—Welch
Faucheux—Morrell—Winston
Flavin—Morrish—Wright
Frith—Nevins
Total—6

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker—Futrell—Odinet
Alario—Gallot—Perkins
Alexander—Glover—Peychaud
Ansardi—Green—Pierre
Arnold—Guillory—Pinac
Baldone—Hammett—Pitre
Baudoin—Heaton—Powell
Baylor—Hebert—Quezaire
Beard—Honey—Richmond
Bowler—Hopkins—Salter
Broome—Hudson—Scalie
Carter, K—Jackson, L—Smith, G—56th
Cazayoux—Jackson, M—Smith, J.D—50th
Crane—Jackson, L—Smith, J.H—8th
Crowe—Johns—Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico—Kennard—Stelly
Daniel—Kenney—Strain
Dartez—LaFleur—Trevino
Devillier—Lancaster—Thompson
Diez—Landrieu—Toomy
Doerge—LeBlanc—Townsend
Durand—Lucas—Tritsch
Erdey—Martiny—Tucker
Fannin—McVea—Walworth
Farrar—Montgomery—Welch
Faucheux—Morrell—Winston
Flavin—Morrish—Wright
Frith—Nevins
Total—4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 567—
BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1514.3, relative to insurance policies; to provide for the surrender of a defendant for non-payment of premium; to provide for certain notification requirements upon surrender; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Gallot to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 567 by Senator Lentini

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, after "premium" and before the period "." insert "without thirty days written notice, via certified mail to the defendant

at the address designated pursuant to Code of Criminal Procedure Article 322"

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Townsend 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.

Total—101

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Crowe—Sneed
Downer—Wooton
Total—4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Townsend 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.
SENATE BILL NO. 590—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:793(A)(1) and (2), (B)(1), (2), and (3), (D)(1) and (F), and to enact R.S. 37:795(B)(2)(q) and (r), relative to dentistry; to provide with respect to the administration of certain types of anesthesia; to provide for new fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Walsworth to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 590 by Senator Dardenne

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after "(F)," and before "relative" delete "and to enact R.S. 37:795(B)(2)(q) and (r),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 5, after "anesthesia;" and before "and" delete "to provide for new fees;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 5, delete lines 25 and 26

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 6, delete lines 1 through 13

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, the amendments were adopted. Rep. Walsworth moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker  Fruge  Odinet
Alario  Futrell  Pechaud
Alexander  Gallot  Peychaud
Ansardi  Glover  Pierre
Arnold  Green  Pincac
Baldoine  Guillory  Pire
Baudoin  Heaton  Quezaire
Baylor  Hebert  Richlen
Beard  Hill  Romero
Bowler  Honey  Saltar
Broome  Holmes  Scalise
Bruce  Hudson  Schneider
Bruneau  Hunter  Schwegmann
Capella  Hunter  Shaw
Carter, K  Iles  Smith, G.—56th
Carter, R  Jackson, L  Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux  Jackson, M  Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane  Johns  Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe  Katz  Snead
Curtis  Kennard  Stelly
Damico  Kenney  Strain
Daniel  LaFleur  Swilling

NAYS
Thompson
Townsend
Toomy
Tuch
tude
Waddell
Walker

ABSENT

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Walsworth 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 601—
BY SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:1142.1, relative to insurers; to provide for certain prohibited activities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Townsend moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker  Fruge  Odinet
Alario  Futrell  Pechaud
Alexander  Gallot  Pierre
Ansardi  Glover  Pincac
Arnold  Green  Pire
Baldoine  Guillory  Powell
Baudoin  Heaton  Quezaire
Baylor  Hebert  Richlen
Beard  Hill  Romero
Bowler  Honey  Salter
Bruck  Holmes  Scalise
Capella  Hunter  Schwegmann
Carter, K  Hutter  Smith, G.—56th
Carter, R  Iles  Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux  Jackson, L  Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane  Jackson, M  Snead
Crowe  Johns  Stelly
Curtis  Katz  Strain
Damico  Kennard  Swilling
Daniel  Kenney  Thompson
Dartez  LaFleur  Toomy
Devillier  Landrieu  Townsend
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Townsend 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 715—
BY SENATOR B. JONES
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 56:410.8, relative to Lake D’Arbonne; to regulate the use of trotlines on Lake D’Arbonne; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Downs moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Baldone
Baudoin
Baylors
Bear
Bowler
Broome
Bruce
Bruneau
Capella
Carter, K
Carter, R
Cazayoux
Crane
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
Devillier
Diez
Doerge
Downs
Durand
Erdey
Fannin
Farrar
Faucheux
Flavin
Frisch

Mr. Speaker Gallot Gallot
Alario Glover Glover
Alexander Green Green
Ansardi Guillory Guillory
Arnold Heaton Heaton
Baldone Hebert Hebert
Baudoin Hebert Hebert
Baylors Hill Hill
Bear
Bowler
Broome
Bruce
Bruneau
Capella
Carter, K
Carter, R
Cazayoux
Crane
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
Devillier
Diez
Doerge
Downs
Durand
Erdey
Ludere
Lucas
Martiny
McDonald
McVeA
Montgomery
Morrell
Morris
Murray
Nevers

ABSENT
Downer Smith, J.D.—50th
Lancaster Wooton

Total—9

NAYS

Mr. Speaker Gallot Gallot
Alario Glover Glover
Alexander Green Green
Ansardi Guillory Guillory
Arnold Heaton Heaton
Baldone Hebert Hebert
Baudoin Hebert Hebert
Baylors Hill Hill
Bear
Bowler
Broome
Bruce
Bruneau
Capella
Carter, K
Carter, R
Cazayoux
Crane
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
Devillier
Diez
Doerge
Downs
Durand
Erdey

Ludere
Lucas
Martiny
McDonald
McVeA
Montgomery
Morrell
Morris
Murray
Nevers

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Downs 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 716—
BY SENATOR B. JONES
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 56:410.8, relative to Lake D’Arbonne; to regulate the use of yo-yos and trigger devices on Lake D’Arbonne; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Downs moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Baldone
Baudoin
Baylors
Bear
Bowler
Broome
Bruce
Bruneau
Capella
Carter, K
Carter, R
Cazayoux
Crane
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
Devillier
Diez
Doerge
Downs
Durand
Erdey

Ludere
Lucas
Martiny
McDonald
McVeA
Montgomery
Morrell
Morris
Murray
Nevers

ABSENT

Downer Smith, J.D.—50th
Lancaster Wooton

Total—9

NAYS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Baldone
Baudoin
Baylors
Bear
Bowler
Broome
Bruce
Bruneau
Capella
Carter, K
Carter, R
Cazayoux
Crane
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
Devillier
Diez
Doerge
Downs
Durand
Erdey

Ludere
Lucas
Martiny
McDonald
McVeA
Montgomery
Morrell
Morris
Murray
Nevers

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 733—
BY SENATOR ADLEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 30:9.1, relative to oil and gas production; to provide for termination of drilling and production units under certain circumstances; 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 Gallot Perkins
Alario Glover Peychaud
Alexander Green Pierre
Ansardi Guillory Pinac
Arnold Hammett Pittre
Baldone Heaton Powell
Baudoin Hebert Quezaire
Bayor Hill Richmond
Beard Honey Romero
Bowler Hopkins Salter
Broome Hudson Scalise
Bruce Hunter Schneider
Bruneau Iles Shaw
Capella Iles Smith
Carter, K Jackson, L Smith, G—56th
Carter, R Jackson, M Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux Johns Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane Katz Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe Kennard Sneed
Curtis Kenney Steil
Damico LaFleur Strain
Daniel Lancaster Thompson
Dartez Landrieu Toomy
Devillier LeBlanc Townsend
Diez Lucas Triche
Durand Martiny Tucker
Erdey McDonald Waddell
Fannin McVea Walker
Farrar Montgomery Walsworth

NAYS

Faucheux Morrell Welch
Flavin Morrish Winston
Frith Murray Wright
Fruge Nevers Wooton
Futrell Odinet

Total—100

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Doerge Downs Wooton
Downer Swilling Wooton

Total—5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 759—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3398.2, relative to business and industry advisory boards for institutions of postsecondary education; to create and provide for the Process Technology Advisory Board; to provide for its membership; to provide for its mission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Crane to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 759 by Senator Theunissen

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2 delete lines 23 and 24 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(h) Two citizens with expertise in process technology appointed at-large by the governor."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 9, after "(c)" and before "curriculum" change "Facilitate and approve" to "Recommend"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gallot Perkins
Alario Glover Peychaud
Alexander Green Pinac
Ansardi Guillory Pitre
Arnold Hammett Powell
Baldone Heaton Quezaire
Baudoin Hebert Smith
Baylor Hill Richmond
Beard Honey Romero
Bowler Hopkins Salter
Broome Hudson Scalise
Bruce Hunter Schneider
Bruneau Iles Smith
Capella Iles Shaw
Carter, K Jackson, L Smith, G—56th
Carter, R Jackson, M Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux Johns Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane Katz Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe Kennard Sneed
Curtis Kenney Steil
Damico LaFleur Strain
Daniel Lancaster Thompson
Dartez Landrieu Toomy
Devillier LeBlanc Townsend
Diez Lucas Triche
Durand Martiny Tucker
Erdey McDonald Waddell
Fannin McVea Walker
Farrar Montgomery Walsworth
"B. Any ordinance, rule or regulation adopted pursuant to R.S. 40:1300.26 and 1300.46 shall not be applicable to the exemptions provided for in R.S. 40:1300.25."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 5, insert "A." before "Any"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, after line 13, insert the following:

"B. Any ordinance, rule or regulation adopted pursuant to R.S. 40:1300.26 and 1300.46 shall not be applicable to the exemptions provided for in R.S. 40:1300.25."

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Shaw to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 901 by Senator Johnson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

In Amendment No. 7 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House on June 6, 2003, on page 1, line 26, after "(3)" and before "beverage" delete "Restaurant or" and change "alcoholic" to "Alcoholic"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

In Amendment No. 7 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House on June 6, 2003, on page 2, line 14, after "(3)" and before "beverage" delete "Restaurant or" and change "alcoholic" to "Alcoholic"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

In Amendment No. 7 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House on June 6, 2003, on page 2, line 17, after "71.1," delete the remainder the line and insert in lieu thereof "271(A)(2), 271.1, and 271.2."

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

In Amendment No. 11 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House on June 6, 2003, on page 3, line 22, after "(3)" and before "beverage" delete "Restaurant or" and change "alcoholic" to "Alcoholic"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

In Amendment No. 11 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House on June 6, 2003, on page 3, line 25, after "71.1," delete the remainder the line and insert in lieu thereof "271(A)(2), 271.1, and 271.2."

Rep. Shaw moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 18 yeas and 74 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Rep. Pinac sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:
In House Committee Amendment No. 11 proposed by the Health and Welfare Committee and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 1, 2003 on page 3, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"(5) Food establishments."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In House Committee Amendment No. 11 proposed by the Health and Welfare Committee and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 1, 2003 on page 3, after line 33, insert the following:

"(5) Food establishments means an establishment as defined and permitted by LAC 51:XXIII.101 and 501."

Rep. Arnold moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 32 yeas and 63 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Pinac to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 901 by Senator Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "1300.46," insert "and to enact R.S. 40:1300.46.1."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 40:1300.46.1 is hereby enacted."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, after line 13, insert the following:

"# # # # 

§1300.46.1. Violations; fines

A. A municipal or parish governing authority shall adopt provisions for the violations of an ordinance, rule, or regulation adopted pursuant to the authority granted by R.S. 40:1300.26 and 1300.46.

B. Any violation of a municipal or parish ordinance, rule, or regulation adopted consistent with the provisions of this Section shall be punishable by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one thousand dollars."

Rep. Pinac moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 20 yeas and 72 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Arnold to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 901 by Senator Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 7 proposed by the Health and Welfare Committee and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 1, 2003 on page 1, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"(5) Food establishments."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In House Committee Amendment No. 7 proposed by the Health and Welfare Committee and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 1, 2003 on page 2, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

"Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall not be deemed nor construed to preempt, supersede, repeal, or otherwise affect any ordinance of a local governing body which was adopted prior to September 1, 1993, pursuant to R.S. 40:1300.27."

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

Rep. Hebert moved that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.


By a vote of 20 yeas and 81 nays, the House refused to recommit the bill to the Committee on Commerce.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith Odinet
Alario Futrell Perkins
Baldoine Gallot Peychaud
Baudoin Glover Pierre
Baylor Green Pittre
Beard Guillory Powell
Broome Hammett Quezaire
Bruce Hill Richmond
Brunceau Honey Salter
Capella Hudson Scalise
Carter, K Hunter Schwemmann
Carter, R Hutter Shaw

Cazayoux
Crane
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
Diez
Doerge
Downs
Durand
Erdey
Fannin
Farrar
Faucheux
Flavin
Jackson, L
Jackson, M
Johns
Katz
Kenney
LaFleur
Landrieu
LeBlanc
Martiny
McDonald
McVea
Montgomery
Morrell
Morris
Murray
Nevers
Smith, G
Smith, M
Smith, Johns
Stelly
Strain
Swilling
Thompson
Toomy
Tucker
Waddell
Walker
Walsworth
Welch
Wright

Total—83
NAYS
Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Bowler
Frug
Heaton
Hebert
Iles
Kennard
Pinac
Romero
Schneider
Smith, J.R.
Winston

Total—14
ABSENT
Devillier
Downer
Hopkins
Lancaster
Lucas
Snead
Townsend
Wooton

Total—8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 938—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:122(3), 242(E)(introductory paragraph) and (1), 271(C)(1) and (2), 768(D)(3), 883.1(C)(1) (introductory paragraph), 1191, 1549(B), and 2260(A)(11)(d), R.S. 24:38(B)(1), 514(G) and (H), 553(B), and 554(A)(1), and R.S. 33:1531(C); to enact R.S. 24:551(B)(1), 514(G) and (H), 553(B), and 554(A)(1), and R.S. 33:1531(C); to enact R.S. 24:552.1 and Part III of Chapter 8 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:571 through 575; and to repeal R.S. 24:513(C) and (D)(2) and (3), 514(D), and 521; relative to legislative agencies and employees, to provide with respect to the powers, duties, and functions of the legislative actuary; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Suspension of the Rules

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Conference Committee Reports Received

Conference Committee Reports were received for the following legislative instruments:

SENATE BILL NO. 214—

BY SENATORS DUPRE, CAIN, SCHEDLER, ADLEY, BARHAM, BOISSIERE, CHAISSON, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, FIELDS, ELLINGTON, FONTENOT, GAUTREAUX, HINES, HOLDEN, HOLLIS, HOYT, IRONS, JOHNSON, J. JONES, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, ROMERO, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN AND THOMAS AND REPRESENTATIVES PITRE AND DOWNER

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Sections 10.2(B) and (C) and 10.5(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana and to add Article VII, Section 10(D)(2)(e) and (f) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to state funds; to provide for credit and appropriation of monies in the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund for deposit in the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; to provide for the cap on the balance of certain mineral revenues that can be in the balance of the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; to provide for the allocation of appropriation of nonrecurring revenues for deposit into the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 568—

BY SENATORS DUPRE, CAIN, SCHEDLER, ADLEY, BARHAM, BOISSIERE, CHAISSON, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, FIELDS, FONTENOT, GAUTREAUX, HINES, HOLDEN, HOLLIS, HOYT, IRONS, JOHNSON, J. JONES, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, ROMERO, SMITH, TARVER AND THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:97(C) and R.S. 49:213.7(B)(1) and (D) and to enact R.S. 39:34(B)(2)(d) and 54(B)(2)(d) and (e) and to repeal R.S. 49:213.7(B)(3), relative to state funds; to provide for credit and appropriation of monies in the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund for deposit in the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; to provide for a cap on the balance of certain mineral revenues that can be in the balance of the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; to provide for the allocation of appropriation of nonrecurring revenues for deposit into the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; and to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The conference committee reports for the legislative instruments above lie over under the rules.

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

June 5, 2003

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 330 by Sen. Boissiere, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.
Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 5, 2003

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

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

- House Concurrent Resolution No. 18 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 25 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 38 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 44 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 51 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 54 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 66 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 74 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 80 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 94 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 98 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 99 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 100 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 105 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 106 Returned with amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 107 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 163 Returned without amendments.
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 164 Returned without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 5, 2003

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. 93, 107, 124, and 126

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

June 5, 2003

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

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

- Senate Bill Nos. 86, 281, 307, 329, 446, 736, 761, 1036, and 1110

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Schneider, the rules were suspended in order to take up the bills contained in the message at this time.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on first reading were taken up, read, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

SENATE BILL NO. 86—
BY SENATOR HINES

To enact Part LVIII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.191 through 1300.201, relative to the Louisiana Seniors Pharmacy Assistance Program; to provide definitions; to create the Louisiana Seniors Pharmacy Assistance Program; to provide for eligibility, services, denial, modification, and suspension or termination of services and an appeal procedure and judicial review; to provide for reimbursement and recovery of costs for services provided; to provide for the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the Department of Health and Hospitals including funding; to provide for annual reporting; to provide for promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for implementation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 281—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

To enact R.S. 11:1307(A)(3), relative to the State Police Pension and Retirement System; to provide with respect to member benefits; to provide with respect to a retirement benefit longevity increase for members who participated in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan on or before June 30, 2003, and who continued in employment after participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan without a break in service and who remained in such continuous employment on July 1, 2003; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 307—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1235(A)(2)(b) and 1235.2(A), relative to qualifications to operate ambulances and ambulance providers and licensure; to provide an exception regarding heliports; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 329—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

To enact R.S. 11:431, relative to the Louisiana State Employees’ Retirement System; to provide for conversion of certain unused leave to service credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 446—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

To enact R.S. 22:3071(32), relative to medical necessity review organizations; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 736—
BY SENATOR C. JONES

To enact Part III of Chapter 4-A of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:331 through 335, relative to rural development; to provide for the Rural Town Revitalization Program; to provide a definition of “rural town”; to provide for legislative findings and declaration; to create the Rural Town Revitalization Fund; to provide for administration of the fund; to provide for rules, regulations, and program guidelines; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 761—
BY SENATOR CAIN

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:42(A)(4) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 336.1, relative to certain sex offenses; to provide relative to the crime of aggravated rape; to raise the age of the victim as an element of such crime; to require certain considerations by the court in determining release on bail for offenses of such crime; to provide relative to the conditions of release on bail for an indictment for such a crime; to provide relative to electronic monitoring; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 1036—
BY SENATOR C. JONES

To enact R.S. 17:1383 through 1385, relative to school districts; to establish a Priority Education Zone; to provide for enrollment of school systems and enlistment of resource providers; to provide for the administration and operation of the Priority Education Zone; to provide relative to the Minimum Foundation Program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 1110—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

To enact Part I-B of Chapter 1 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:25.1 through 25.2, relative to motor vehicle insurance; to authorize creation of a database to determine compliance with the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Law; to provide for procurement of a system to track compliance; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 5, 2003
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 79, 83, 106, 108, 109, 111, and 115

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 5, 2003

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 38, 50, 55, 83, 112, 116, 126, 294, 378, 788 and 800

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

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

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. 225—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER AND SENATOR FIELDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute, Marriage/Persons Committee, to replace references to illegitimate children in its revision of the Civil Code articles on filiation.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on

Administration of Criminal Justice

June 5, 2003

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 190, by Martiny
Reported favorably. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 383, by Schedler
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 518, by C. D. Jones
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 663, by Heitmeier
Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 726, by C. D. Jones
Reported favorably. (6-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 963, by Cravins
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

DANIEL MARTINY
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments, except Senate Bill No. 963, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Health and Welfare

June 5, 2003

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12, by Hines
Reported favorably. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 315, by Schedler
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 318, by Ellington
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 613, by C.D. Jones
Reported without action with recommendation to recommit the bill to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 698, by Ullo
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 866, by Schedler
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 869, by Johnson
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

SYDNIE MAE DURAND
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.
Report of the Committee on Judiciary

June 5, 2003

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Pursuant to a meeting held on June 4, 2003, I am directed by your Committee on Judiciary to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 1650, by Wooton
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 8, by Gautreaux
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 9, by McPherson
Reported with amendments. (10-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 76, by Ellington
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 108, by Hoyt
Reported favorably. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 291, by M. Smith
Reported favorably. (10-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 418, by McPherson
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 596, by Chaisson
Reported with amendments. (6-1-2) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 842, by McPherson
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 1009, by McPherson
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Joseph F. Toomy
Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

June 5, 2003

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 202, by Glover
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 360, by Bruneau
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1052, by Lancaster
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1287, by Perkins
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1313, by Glover
Reported with amendments. (6-4) (Regular)

Troy Hebert
Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on Insurance

June 5, 2003

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 1439, by Hebert
Reported by substitute. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1440, by Hebert
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1447, by Hebert
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 194, by Townsend
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 408, by Gautreaux
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 666, by Heitmeier
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Troy Hebert
Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

June 5, 2003

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:
Pursuant to a meeting held on June 4, 2003, I am directed by your Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to submit the following report:

Senate Bill No. 740, by Schedler
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 819, by Dardenne
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

ELCIE GUILLORY
Chairman

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

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

June 5, 2003

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the following report:

Senate Bill No. 10
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 71
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 110
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 132
Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 155
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 178
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 197
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 199
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 203
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 215
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 252
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 283
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 301
Reported without amendments.
Senator Bill No. 320
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 351
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 362
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 363
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 406
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 693
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 767
Reported with amendments.

Senator Bill No. 799
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 826
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 864
Reported with amendments.

Senator Bill No. 876
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 937
Reported with amendments.

Senator Bill No. 1020
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 1050
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 1057
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 1072
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 1088
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 1097
Reported without amendments.

Senator Bill No. 1109
Reported without amendments.

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

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER
A RESOLUTION
To create the District 104 Florida Avenue Bridge Citizen Task Force to monitor progress on the Florida Avenue Bridge, a TIMED project, and to inform local residents regarding such progress; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 73—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
A RESOLUTION
To adopt House Rule 6.8(H) of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives, to provide for recommittal of bills that provide exceptions to public records laws.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 84—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE AND CAZAYOUX
A RESOLUTION
To urge the House of Representatives to not approve funding for the construction of a new stadium located in the city of New Orleans for the National Football League team known as the New Orleans Saints.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 107—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROOME
A RESOLUTION
To recognize June 4, 2003, as Georgia Gulf Corporation Day at the Legislature of Louisiana.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 108—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Baton Rouge Processing and Distribution Center for being recommended for the prestigious STAR award under the Occupational Safety and Health Administration's (OSHA) Voluntary Protection Program.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 109—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute, Marriage/Persons Committee, to study Louisiana's community property partition statute and make specific recommendations on or before March 15, 2004, for revisions to state law.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 110—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE ERDEY
A RESOLUTION
To commend Kyle Matthew Leibenguth of Denham Springs upon achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 111—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH
A RESOLUTION
To commend D. Tyler Harrison of Watson upon achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 112—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH
A RESOLUTION
To commend Sydney R. Willhite and his entire family upon the thirtieth anniversary of Louisiana Plastic Industries.

Respectfully submitted,

JOE SALTER
Chairman

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

June 5, 2003

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:
HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 113—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY
A RESOLUTION
To commend Rickie Weeks of Southern University upon being selected by the Milwaukee Brewers in the Major League Baseball First-Year Player Draft.

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.

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. Johns, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to meet on Monday, June 9, 2003, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill No. 642
Senate Bill No. 22

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Appropriations to meet on Monday, June 9, 2003, 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. 540, 1550, and 1919
Senate Bill Nos. 21 and 133

Leave of Absence
Rep. Wooton- 1 day
Rep. Downer- 1/2 day

Adjournment
On motion of Rep. Kenney, at 5:15 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Monday, June 9, 2003, at 2:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 2:00 P.M., Monday, June 9, 2003.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

Committee Meeting Notices
Committee on Appropriations
Will meet at:  9:30 A.M.  Date:  June 9, 2003
Location:  Committee Room 5

HB 338 BALDONE – ADMINISTRATION:  Requires the governor to provide for the representation of the interests of the state to Congress and the federal government

HB 356 BALDONE – TAX/SEVERANCE TAX:  (Constitutional Amendment) Increases the limitation on the general severance tax allocation to parishes

HB 426 PITRE – SUPPLEMENTAL PAY:  Revises the eligibility requirements for local law enforcement officers to receive supplemental compensation
HB 500 TOWNSEND – PROPERTY/UNCLAIMED: Provides relative to reporting of abandoned property to the state by public institutions of higher education.

HB 540 SCHWEGMANN (TBA) – HEALTH: Exempts certain facilities from provision of preference to blind person in operation of concessions in public buildings (SUBJECT TO RULES SUSPENSION).

HB 575 CRANE – STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP: For TOPS, provides relative to residency, citizenship, and other initial and continuing eligibility requirements, certain required agency rules, and eligibility for multiple awards and refers to court-ordered custodians rather than legal guardian.

HB 644 CRANE – STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP: Provides alternative eligibility requirements for TOPS-Tech and Opportunity awards for certain students receiving La. high school equivalency diplomas.

HB 668 FUTRELL – FUNDS/FUNDING: (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for allocation or appropriation of nonrecurring funds for certain infrastructure projects.

HB 670 DANIEL – FUNDS/FUNDING: (Constitutional Amendment) Creates the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly within the state treasury.

HB 732 PINAC – JUDGMENTS/CIVIL: Provides for complementary procedures under the Master Settlement Agreement.

HB 909 SCHNEIDER – RETIREMENT/TEACHERS: Requires benefits paid to at least equal member's accumulated contributions.

HB 944 GUILLORY – SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Revises the eligibility requirements for certain local law enforcement officers to receive supplemental compensation.

HB 1075 BROOME – SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES: Provides a salary supplement for certain school social workers who have met requirements and acquired the credential issued by the National Association of Social Workers.

HB 1131 J D SMITH – SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Authorizes an increase in the number of officers eligible for supplemental pay in the Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana.

HB 1157 POWELL – FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Northwood Preparatory High School Employees Recovery Fund.

HB 1192 TOWNSEND – RETIREMENT SYSTEMS: Increases the amount of premium assessment funds allocated to certain statewide retirement systems and provides for allocation of that increase.

HB 1258 MURRAY – FUNDS/FUNDING-BUDGET, ST: Provides for an annual allocation of $5 million by the Department of Health and Hospitals for the New Orleans Health Department.

HB 1286 DIEZ – CONTRACTS: Exempts contracts for consulting services related to acquisition of rights-of-way by the Department of Transportation and Development from general state requirements for contracts for professional, personal, consulting, and social.

HB 1317 BROOME – SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES: Provides a salary supplement for certain school speech-language pathologists and audiologists who have acquired certain credentials.

HB 1345 BALDONE – FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Louisiana Development Fund for projects, programs, or services including economic development projects, educational programs, and public health and safety.

HB 1364 HONEY – STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP: Permits certain students to qualify for a TOPS award based on student performance as a college freshman.

HB 1479 J D SMITH – FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for allowable uses of monies appropriated from the Medical Assistance Trust Fund.

HB 1503 BALDONE – SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Provides for state supplemental compensation for district attorney's investigators.

HB 1529 J D SMITH – PURCHASING: Provides relative to the procurement code and preferences given to domesticated and wild catfish.

HB 1550 WELCH (TBA) – HEALTH CARE/FACILITIES: Relative to waivers from DHHS to extend health care coverage to certain low-income uninsured (SUBJECT TO RULES SUSPENSION).

HB 1659 FUTRELL – FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Infrastructure Trust Fund in the state treasury and provides for the establishment of a program to provide funding for construction and maintenance of state roads that do not qualify for federal funding.

HB 1663 FUTRELL – FUNDS/FUNDING: Dedicates a portion of certain income tax receipts in lieu of truck and trailer registration and licensing fees for repair and maintenance of roads in the state highway system which are not eligible for federal assistance and creates the Hi.

HB 1755 FAUCHEUX – PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS: Provides relative to binding arbitration, wrongful disqualification, and calling on a surety bond.

HB 1858 LEBLANC – SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Provides relative to extra compensation for school support personnel.

HB 1911 FUTRELL – PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides for a 5% preference to Louisiana companies when bidding on food distribution services.


HB 1919 SCHWEGMANN (TBA) – HEALTH/HEAD INJURIES: Provides relative to compensation for members of the Traumatic Head and Spinal Cord Injury Trust Fund Board (SUBJECT TO RULES SUSPENSION).

HB 2023 FUTRELL – MEDICAID: Authorizes implementation of an optional Medicaid eligibility program for certain individuals sixty-five years of age or older.

SB 21 CAIN (TBA) – FUNDS/FUNDING: Revises dedications of money in the Vernon Parish Community Improvement Fund. (7/1/03) (SUBJECT TO RULES SUSPENSION).

SB 120 LENTINI – PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Authorizes a parish or municipality with a population exceeding 425,000 to require a contractor to pay for additional costs incurred for inspection of a project under certain conditions. (gov sig)
SB 133 HOYT (TBA) – PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Makes inapplicable any preference for certain expanded clay aggregate products produced in the state (gov sig) (SUBJECT TO RULES SUSPENSION)

SB 147 M SMITH – FORESTRY: Provides an exception for treated wood poles and piling from preferences for products produced or manufactured in the state. (gov sig)

SB 323 LENTINI – ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Requires construction involving lane closures on controlled access interstate highways during off-peak hours.

SB 349 HOLDEN – FUNDS/FUNDING: Exempts the Louisiana Community and Technical College System from the requirement of depositing all funds into the state treasury.

SB 359 THEUNISSEN – PROCUREMENT CODE: Exempts the Louisiana Community and Technical College System from the requirement to conduct procurement through the central purchasing agency.

SB 382 SCHEDLER – HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Requires DHHS to seek a HIFA waiver from DHHS to extend health care coverage to certain low-income uninsured.

SB 646 HEITMEIER – PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides for an exception to the Public Bid Law in the event of an extreme public emergency.

SB 683 ULLO – LOCAL OFFICIALS: Repeals provision for extra compensation for coroners and provides for effective dates.

SB 688 ULLO – PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides for acceptance of bids for public works via electronic medium.

SB 1011 MICHOT – PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Requires performance-based energy contracts to be reviewed, approved, and overseen by the office of facility planning and control division of administration according to regulations it promulgates.

SB 1028 LENTINI – LAW ENFORCEMENT: Expands eligibility for payment of supplemental pay to certain elected chiefs of police.

JERRY LUKE LEBLANC Chairman
Committee on Civil Law and Procedure
Will meet at: 9:00 A.M. Date: June 9, 2003
Location: Committee Room 3

HB 642 DANIEL (TBA) – RETIREMENT SYSTEMS: (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for amortization of supplemental unfunded accrued liabilities of the Teachers’ Retirement System of La. and the La. State Employees’ Retirement System (Technical Review Only) (Subject to Rule Suspension)

HB 1999 WINSTON – PRIVILEGES/LIENS: Provides a privilege for the collection of rents and fees in marinas

SB 22 MARIONNEAUX (TBA) – CREDIT: Prohibits the unsolicited mailing of credit card applications. (Subject to Rule Suspension)

SB 255 DARDENNE – CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides for the revival of money judgments by ex parte motion.

SB 257 DARDENNE – MALPRACTICE: Includes extracorporeal therapist as a “health care provider” and defines “extracorporeal therapist” for purposes of the Medical Malpractice Act.

SB 290 M SMITH – FAMILY LAW: Provides for visitation days relative to custodial arrangements.

SB 354 MCPHERSON – LIABILITY: Provides guidelines for construction involving lane closures on controlled access interstate highways during off-peak hours.

SB 382 SCHEDLER – HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Requires DHH to seek a HIFA waiver from DHHS to extend health care coverage to certain low-income uninsured.

SB 423 MCPHERSON – CIVIL PROCEDURE: Authorizes federal court judges to perform marriage ceremonies within the state. (gov sig)

SB 572 DARDENNE – HEALTH CARE: Revises provisions limiting charges for copies of certain health care records.

SB 684 ULLO – LIABILITY: Provides for civil immunity from liability for forceful entry to secure protective custody.

SB 685 ULLO – CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides for civil immunity for coroners and support staff.

SB 705 SCHEDLER – CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides that certain records of the La. Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information shall be privileged.

SB 802 M SMITH – FAMILY LAW: Provides relative to the mandatory minimum payment of child support.

SB 844 ELLINGTON – FAMILY LAW: Provides for the valuation of goodwill as an asset of community property.

SB 929 HAINKEL – BOATS/BOATING: Provides privilege for the collection of rents and fees in marinas. (7/1/03)

SB 947 M SMITH – FAMILY LAW: Limits the liability for a pastoral counselor operating under the requirements of a covenant marriage.

SB 949 SCHEDLER – USUFRUCT: Provides relative to requiring security for a usufruct.

SB 969 BOISSIERE – CIVIL PROCEDURE: Repeals Section 3 of Act 734 of the 1999 Regular Session. (gov sig)

SB 975 DARDENNE – FAMILY LAW: Provides relative to relocation of a child.

SB 983 DARDENNE – SEX OFFENSES: Provides for termination of the parental rights of a parent convicted of sexually abusing their children.

SB 1052 HINES – CONTRACTS: Provides for the enforceability of gestational surrogacy contracts.

RONNIE JOHNS Chairman

Weekly Committee Schedules

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:
Institutional Information

Committee on Appropriations
Monday, June 9, 2003
Committee Room No. 5
9:30 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HB 4 HUTTER — TAX/SEVERANCE TAX: (Constitutional Amendment) Increases the limitation on the general severance tax allocation to parishes

HB 338 BALDONE — ADMINISTRATION: Requires the governor to provide for the representation of the interests of the state to Congress and the federal government

HB 356 BALDONE—TAX/SEVERANCE TAX: (Constitutional Amendment) Increases the limitation on the general severance tax allocation to parishes

HB 426 PITRE — SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Revises the eligibility requirements for local law enforcement officers to receive supplemental compensation

HB 500 TOWNSEND — PROPERTY/UNCLAIMED: Provides relative to reporting of abandoned property to the state by public institutions of higher education

HB 575 CRANE — STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP: For TOPS, provides relative to residency, citizenship, and other initial and continuing eligibility requirements, certain required agency rules, and eligibility for multiple awards and refers to court-ordered custodians rather than legal guardian

HB 644 CRANE — STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP: Provides alternative eligibility requirements for TOPS-Tech and Opportunity awards for certain students receiving La. high school equivalency diplomas

HB 668 FUTRELL — FUNDS/FUNDING: (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for allocation or appropriation of nonrecurring funds for certain infrastructure projects

HB 670 DANIEL — FUNDS/FUNDING: (Constitutional Amendment) Creates the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly within the state treasury

HB 732 PINAC — JUDGMENTS/CIVIL: Provides for complementary procedures under the Master Settlement Agreement

HB 909 SCHNEIDER—RETIREMENT/TEACHERS: Requires benefits paid to at least equal member's accumulated contributions

HB 944 GUILLORY — SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Revises the eligibility requirements for certain local law enforcement officers to receive supplemental compensation

HB 1075 BROOME — SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES: Provides a salary supplement for certain school social workers who have met requirements and acquired the credential issued by the National Association of Social Workers

HB 1131 J D SMITH—SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Authorizes an increase in the number of officers eligible for supplemental pay in the Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana

HB 1157 POWELL — FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Northwood Preparatory High School Employees Recovery Fund

HB 1192 TOWNSEND — RETIREMENT SYSTEMS: Increases the amount of premium assessment funds allocated to certain statewide retirement systems and provides for allocation of that increase

HB 1258 MURRAY — FUNDS/FUNDING-BUDGET, ST: Provides for an annual allocation of $5 million by the Department of Health and Hospitals for the New Orleans Health Department

HB 1286 DIEZ — CONTRACTS: Exempts contracts for consulting services related to acquisition of rights-of-way by the Department of Transportation and Development from general state requirements for contracts for professional, personal, consulting, and social services

HB 1317 BROOME — SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES: Provides a salary supplement for certain school speech-language pathologists and audiologists who have acquired certain credentials

HB 1345 BALDONE — FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Louisiana Development Fund for projects, programs, or services including economic development projects, educational programs, and public health and safety

HB 1364 HONEY — STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP: Permits certain students to qualify for a TOPS award based on student performance as a college freshman

HB 1479 J D SMITH — FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for allowable uses of monies appropriated from the Medical Assistance Trust Fund

HB 1503 BALDONE — SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Provides for state supplemental compensation for district attorney's investigators

HB 1529 J D SMITH — PURCHASING: Provides relative to the procurement code and preferences given to domesticated and wild catfish

HB 1659 FUTRELL — FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Infrastructure Trust Fund in the state treasury and provides for the establishment of a program to provide funding for construction and maintenance of state roads that do not qualify for federal funding

HB 1663 FUTRELL — FUNDS/FUNDING: Dedicates a portion of certain income tax receipts in lieu of truck and trailer registration and licensing fees for repair and maintenance of roads in the state highway system which are not eligible for federal assistance and creates the Hi Rainy Day Fund

HB 1755 FAUCHEUX — PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS: Provides relative to binding arbitration, wrongful disqualification, and calling on a surety bond

HB 1858 LEBLANC — SUPPLEMENTAL PAY: Provides relative to extra compensation for school support personnel

HB 1911 FUTRELL — PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides for a 5% preference to Louisiana companies when bidding on food distribution services

HB 1918 DOWNS — FUELS/LIQ PETROLEUM GAS: Provides for the use of monies in the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission Rainy Day Fund

HB 2023 FUTRELL — MEDICAID: Authorizes implementation of an optional Medicaid eligibility program for certain individuals sixty-five years of age or older
SB 120 LENTINI — PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Authorizes a parish or municipality with a population exceeding 425,000 to require a contractor to pay for additional costs incurred for inspection of a project under certain conditions. (gov sig)

SB 147 M SMITH — FORESTRY: Provides an exception for treated wood poles and piling from preferences for products produced or manufactured in the state. (gov sig)

SB 323 LENTINI — ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Requires construction involving lane closures on controlled access interstate highways during off-peak hours.

SB 349 HOLDEN — FUNDS/FUNDING: Exempts the Louisiana Community and Technical College System from the requirement of depositing all funds into the state treasury.

SB 359 THEUNISSEN — PROCUREMENT CODE: Exempts the Louisiana Community and Technical College System from the requirement to conduct procurement through the central purchasing agency.

SB 382 SCHEDLER — HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Requires DHH to seek a HIFA waiver from DHHS to extend health care coverage to certain low-income uninsured.

SB 646 HEITMEIER — PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides for an exception to the Public Bid Law in the event of an extreme public emergency.

SB 683 ULLO — LOCAL OFFICIALS: Repeals provision for extra compensation for coroners and provides for effective dates.

SB 688 ULLO — PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides for acceptance of bids for public works via electronic medium.

SB 1011 MICHOT — PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Requires performance-based energy contracts to be reviewed, approved, and overseen by the office of facility planning and control division of administration according to regulations it promulgates.

SB 1028 LENTINI — LAW ENFORCEMENT: Expands eligibility for payment of supplemental pay to certain elected chiefs of police.

SB 505 DARDENNE — SUNSET LAW: Re-creates the Department of the Treasury and its agencies. (6/30/03)

SB 607 HOLDEN — TUITION: Establishes a program providing tuition of skill training at public technical colleges for graduates from the La. National Guard's Youth Challenge Program who earn a GED. (gov sig)

SB 673 ULLO — WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT: Extends the Fisherman's Gear Compensation Fund for more than three years. (07/01/03)

SB 704 IRONS — FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the Housing Development Trust Fund. (7/1/03)

SB 749 HAINKEL — FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Louisiana Arts and Entertainment Industry Development Fund.

SB 1024 C ROMERO — FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the enforcement emergency situation response account for the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries in the Conservation Fund.

SB 1099 DARDENNE — FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for the reinvestment of cash collateral by the treasurer.

JERRY LUKE LEBLANC
Chairman

Committee on Education

Wednesday, June 11, 2003
Committee Room No. 1
9:00 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HB 1381 HEATON — FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Louisiana Arts and Entertainment Industry Development Fund

SB 21 CAIN — FUNDS/FUNDING: Revises dedications of money in the Vernon Parish Community Improvement Fund. (7/1/03)

SB 151 CAIN — COURTS: Provides for justices of the peace courts and their constables to be indemnified by the state. (gov sig)

SB 227 HOLLIS — GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM: Prohibits the state from assessing any health and accident insurance deficits to the plan members.

SB 314 SCHEDLER — HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Changes the number of months in the initial term of the Department of Health and Hospitals contracts for fiscal intermediary services from between thirty-six months and sixty months.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HB 761 DANIEL — SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES: Provides relative to the minimum number of BESE-certified school nurses that must be employed by city, parish, and other local public school systems

HB 1657 HONEY — STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIPS: Provides relative to TOPS high school core curriculum requirements for Opportunity, Performance, and Honors awards

HB 1265 GLOVER — STUDENTS: Provides under specified circumstances for school attendance and participation in interscholastic athletic activity by certain secondary school students in public schools

HB 1513 GLOVER — SCHOOLS: Permits certain high schools to participate in extracurricular interscholastic athletic activities in a classification higher than the one to which such school would otherwise be assigned

HB 1551 GLOVER — STUDENT/ASSESSMENT: Requires the state Dept. of Education to report graduation exit exam results to certain students prior to April 1st

SB 398 FONTENOT — EDUCATION DEPARTMENT: Provides for the coordination of a health education curriculum by a physical education coordinator at the Dept. of Education. (gov sig)

SB 235 DUPRE — TEACHERS: Increases the maximum duration a local school board is required to grant leave without pay to the president of large statewide professional organizations from two years to six consecutive years.
SB 706  IRONS — SCHOOLS: Provides for the establishment of a parental involvement demonstration program beginning in the 2003-2004 school year. (gov sig)

Thursday, June 12, 2003
9:00 A.M.

ITEM FOR DISCUSSION:
To receive and discuss information from the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education relative to the proposed minimum foundation program (MFP) formula for the 2003-2004 school year.

CARL CRANE
Chairman
Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

Friday, June 13, 2003
Committee Room No. 6
9:30 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:
SB 262  MOUNT — MUNICIPALITIES: Authorizes the city of Westlake to transfer certain property.

SB 836  MCPHERSON — SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Authorizes municipalities and parishes to provide for the creation of certain business improvement districts.

SB 1008  MCPHERSON — LOCAL EMPLOYEES: Provides relative to the Rapides Parish Civil Service System and Personnel Administration.

SB 1054  HOYT — LAW ENFORCEMENT: Provides certain powers to the chief of police in certain municipalities.

SHARON WESTON BROOME
Chairman
Committee on Natural Resources

Wednesday, June 11, 2003
Committee Room No. 5
10:00 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

SB 75  MARIONNEAUX — HUNTERS/HUNTING: Provides for statewide uniformity in size and number of antlers, an antlered buck deer must possess.

SB 1102  SCHEDLER — WATER/WATERWAYS: Removes exemption from Scenic Rivers Act for certain portions of the Tchefuncte River in the parish of St. Tammany.

SB 1117  GAUTREAUX — NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT: Provides for the duties of the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources in the Atchafalaya Basin Program. (gov sig)

Thursday, June 12, 2003