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

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

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

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Total—102

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

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Lucas.

Pledge of Allegiance

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

Reading of the Journal

On joint motion of Reps. Walker and Frith, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Landrieu, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of June 22, 2003, was corrected to reflect him as voting nay on concurrence of the Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 1404.

On joint motion of Reps. Walker and Frith, the Journal of June 22, 2003, was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Murray, House Rule 6.14(A) was suspended.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 294: Reps. Morrell, Martiny, and Hunter.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 76: Reps. Toomy, Jack Smith, and Wooton.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 260: Reps. Broome, Jack Smith, and Wooton.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1064: Reps. Hill, Toomy, and Montgomery.

Conference Committee Appointment

Acting Speaker Cazayoux in the Chair
The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 27: Reps. Thompson, Hammett, and Townsend.

**Conference Committee Appointment**

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 802: Reps. Townsend, Johns, and Cazayoux.

**Conference Committee Appointment**

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 823: Reps. Townsend, Broome, and Fannin.

**Conference Committee Appointment**

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 963: Reps. Landrieu, LeBlanc, and Thompson.

**Conference Committee Appointment**

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1101: Reps. Broome, Futrell, and Quezaire.

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 154—**

BY SENATOR IRONS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue the Local Education Governance and Administration Task Force established pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 50 of the 2002 Regular Session for the purpose of providing background information, advice, and assistance as needed to the superintendent of the Orleans Parish School System and to the members of the school board during this period of transition, and for the purpose of monitoring the development as progress is made in New Orleans public schools.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education.

_**Speaker DeWitt in the Chair**_  

_**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration**_

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish a study commission to develop a plan for achieving reliable long-term funding for the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.

Read by title.

Rep. Farrar moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 88 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to research and document the number of ducks in federal refuges in the Mississippi Flyway.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Farrar, the resolution was concurred in.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—**

BY SENATOR THOMAS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue the efforts of the Task Force on the Working Uninsured to study and make further recommendations regarding possible solutions to Louisiana's serious problem of many working citizens who are without health insurance.

Read by title.

Rep. Morrish moved the concurrence of the resolution.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64—**

BY SENATOR MOUNT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Louisiana Waterfowl Study Commission to evaluate the waterfowl situation in Louisiana in order to make and recommend solutions and future management plans for Louisiana's waterfowl.

Read by title.

Rep. Hill moved the concurrence of the resolution.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—**

BY SENATOR MICHOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a special committee to study and develop recommendations for standards and records management technologies for clerks of court's offices.

Read by title.

Rep. Alexander moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 97 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY SENATOR SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request CBS Television to forgo its plans to develop and
air "The Real Beverly Hillbillies" television show.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Thompson, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—
BY SENATORS SCHEDLER AND MOUNT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To suspend until January 1, 2004 certain provisions of R.S. 39:127,
relative to the authority of the commissioner of administration
to allocate, sell, transfer, and reallocate buildings and vacated
spaces.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative DeWitt to Reengrossed
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 74 by Senators Schedler and Mount

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 39:127" and before "relative to" delete
the comma ",," and insert "and to amend and readopt Joint Rule No.
15 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the end of line 4, after "spaces" delete the period "." and insert a comma ",," and the following:
"and to provide for the allocation of space in the state capitol;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, after line 1, insert the following:

"BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of Louisiana that Joint
Rule No. 15 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of
Representatives is hereby amended and readopted to read as follows:
Joint Rule No. 15. Allocation of space in the state capitol
The specified floors of the State capitol are allocated as follows:

1. The seventh through twelfth floors, inclusive, and the
twenty-second and twenty-third floors are allocated to the House of
Representatives.

2. The thirteenth floor is allocated to the Legislative Budgetary
Control Council for the purpose of housing the legislative library and
the Huey P. Long Library collection.

3. The fourteenth through the seventeenth floors, inclusive, and
the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth floors are allocated to the
Senate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the amendment to Joint
Rule No. 15 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of
Representatives contained in this concurrent resolution shall become
effective on January 1, 2004."

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

Rep. Schneider moved the concurrence of the resolution, as
amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:
Rep. Winston moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 99 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create a special legislative committee to study the effects of mercury in seafood.

Read by title.

Rep. Broome moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 100 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To continue and provide with respect to the Louisiana Public Mental Health Review Commission.

Read by title.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 129—
BY SENATOR HINES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To establish the Physician Assistants Practice Committee to study and make recommendations regarding physician assistants and their scope of practice.

Read by title.

Rep. LaFleur moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 98 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 130—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To establish the Office of Group Benefits Medicare Study Commission.

Read by title.

Rep. Scalise moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 98 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 91—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create and provide for the Task Force on Louisiana Rural Internet Access to study and make recommendations with respect to solving problems of high-speed Internet access in Louisiana's rural communities.

Read by title.

Rep. Bruneau moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 96 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 110—
BY SENATOR IRONS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To establish a special committee to study, discuss, and make the plans necessary for being able to use state owned or sponsored facilities for instructional purposes for the students of the Orleans Parish School System.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Alario to Engrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 110 by Senator Irons

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the end of line 2, change "the plans" to "recommendations"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13, after "make" and before "necessary" change "the plans" to "recommendations"

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

Rep. Murray moved the concurrence of the resolution, as amended.

By a vote of 95 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution, as amended, was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 118—
BY SENATOR B. JONES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create and provide for a task force to study the health care information needs of health care purchasers, employers, and consumers and to study the feasibility of creating a Louisiana Health Care Information Council to benefit consumers and employers in both the public and private sectors.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Durand to Engrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 118 by Senator B. Jones

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 4, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

"(22) One member appointed by the Louisiana State Nurses Association.

(23) One member appointed by the Louisiana Physical Therapy Association.

(24) One member appointed by the Louisiana Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons.

(25) One member appointed by the Louisiana Independent Pharmacists Association."

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

Rep. Morrish moved the concurrence of the resolution, as amended.

By a vote of 95 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution, as amended, was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 138—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To extend the authority for the Forensic Strategic Task Force until July 1, 2003 and to add four members to the composition of such task force.

Read by title.

Rep. Winston moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 101 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 140—
BY SENATOR MOUNT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To establish the Mandatory Overtime Study Committee to study the extent of mandatory overtime required of registered nurses in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Durand to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 140 by Senator Mount

AMENDMENT NO. 1
In House Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 2003, on page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert:

"(13) A representative of the Louisiana Association of Focused Care Facilities."

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Johns to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 140 by Senator Mount

AMENDMENT NO. 1
In Amendment No. 2 proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House on June 18, 2003, on page 1, line 40, after "representative of the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "American Federation of"

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

Rep. Morrish moved the concurrence of the resolution, as amended.

By a vote of 98 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution, as amended, was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 128—
BY SENATOR SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the support of the legislature relative to the planned purchase by Vanguard SynFuels, LLC of the Farmland Industries, Inc. facilities in the town of Pollock.

Read by title.

Rep. Wright moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 96 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 102—
BY SENATOR THOMAS AND REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create and provide for a special task force to study and recommend implementation of a consolidated database of public data provided by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, office of group benefits, and office of workers' compensation that will allow predictive modeling and other actuarial analysis that may affect LaDoc and related programs for the uninsured.

Read by title.

Rep. Morrish moved the concurrence of the resolution.

By a vote of 100 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 112—
BY SENATOR C. JONES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create and provide with respect to a Workers' Compensation Advisory Council to study the workers' compensation laws of the state and make recommendations regarding proposed legislation before the next regular session of the legislature.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Bowler to Engrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 112 by Senator C. Jones

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, delete line 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"To request the House and Senate Committees on Labor and Industrial Relations to meet and function as a joint committee"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, delete "Council" and delete "make"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, delete line 4 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"to report the findings of the joint committee to the legislature prior to the convening of the next regular"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, delete lines 13 through 16 in their entirety, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"does hereby request the House and Senate Committees on Labor and Industrial Relations to meet and to function as a joint committee to study the workers' compensation laws of the state and to report the findings of the joint committee to the legislature prior to the convening of the next regular session of the legislature."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 27 in their entirety
AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 19 in their entirety. On motion of Rep. Guillory, the amendments were adopted. On motion of Rep. Guillory, the resolution, as amended, was concurred in.

Recess

On motion of Rep. Bruneau, the Speaker declared the House at recess until 11:30 A.M.

Joint Session of the Legislature

The joint session of the legislature was called to order at 11:00 A.M. by the Honorable John J. Hainkel, Jr., President of the Senate.

On motion of Sen. Bean, the calling of the roll on the part of the Senate was dispensed with.

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

The President of the Senate appointed the following special committee to escort the Honorable M. J. "Mike" Foster, Jr., Governor of the State of Louisiana, to the joint session.

On the part of the Senate: Senators Heitmeier, Mount, Lentini, Johnson, and McPherson.

On the part of the House: Representatives Flavin, Triche, Bruneau, Broome, Green, and Crowe.

The President of the Senate introduced the Honorable M. J. "Mike" Foster, Jr., who addressed the joint session of the legislature.

On motion of Sen. Bean, the Senate retired to its own chamber.

House Business Resumed

After Recess

Speaker DeWitt called the House to order at 11:30 A.M.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker Fruge Perkins
Alario Futeff Peychaud
Alexander Gallot Pierre
Ansardi Glover Pinac
Arnold Green Pitre
Baldone Guillory Powell
Baudoine Hammet Quezaire
Baylor Heaton Richmond
Beard Hebert Romero
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Diez Lucas Townsend
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Downs McDonald Triche
Durand McVea Tuck
Erdey Montgomery Walker
Fannin Morrell Walsworth
Farrar Morrish Welch
Faucheux Murray Winston
Flavin Nevers Wooton
Frisch Odinet Wright

Total—102

ABSENT

Doerge Kennard Lancaster

Total—3

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

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 70: Reps. Jack Smith, Diez, and Townsend.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 77: Reps. Cazayoux, Martiny, and Flavin.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 262: Reps. Stelly, Broome, and Johns.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 297: Reps. Walsworth, Durand, and Jack Smith.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 340: Reps. Landrieu, Hammet, and Alario.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the
disagreement to Senate Bill No. 476: Reps. Peychaud, Martiny, and Morrell.

Conference Committee Appointment
The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 637: Reps. Johns, Diez, and Powell.

Conference Committee Appointment
The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 792: Reps. Walsworth, Bruneau, and Green.

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

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 1 By Representative LeBlanc
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1 by Representative LeBlanc, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the following Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, be adopted: Nos. 1 and 2, 4, 7, 9 through 14, 16 through 26, 30, 32 and 33, 36 through 50, 52 through 56, 58 and 59, 78, 80, 82 and 83, 86, 88, 90 and 91, 95, 97 through 117, 119 through 133, 135 through 137, 139 through 143, 145 through 170, 172, 175, 177 through 182, 184, 187 and 188, 191, 193 through 195, 197 through 201, 204 through 212, 214, 220 through 222, 227 through 233, 235 through 243, 247 through 250, 252 and 253, 255 through 268, 270 through 274, 276, 285 through 307, 325 through 328, and 330 through 333.

2. That the following Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, be rejected: Nos. 3, 5 and 6, 8, 15, 27 through 29, 31, 34 and 35, 51, 57, 60 through 77, 79, 81, 84 and 85, 87, 89, 92 through 94, 96, 118, 134, 138, 144, 171, 173 and 174, 176, 183, 185 and 186, 189 and 190, 192, 196, 202 and 203, 213, 215 through 219, 223 through 226, 234, 244 through 246, 251, 254, 269, 275, 277 through 284, 308 through 324, and 329.

3. That the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 755) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

4. That the following Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 756) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted: Nos. 1 and 2, 4 through 6, 11 through 15, 19, 21 through 25, 27 through 35, 37 through 39, 41 through 62, 65 through 67.

5. That the following Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 756) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be rejected: Nos. 3, 7 through 10, 16 through 18, 20, 26, 36, 40, 63 and 64, and 68.

6. That the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 781) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

7. That the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 771) proposed by Senator Bajoie and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be rejected.

8. That the Senate Floor Amendment (designated No. 744) proposed by Senator Hines and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

9. That the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 789) proposed by Senators Hainkel and Hines and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

10. That the Senate Floor Amendment (designated No. 791) proposed by Senator Ellington and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be rejected.

11. That the Senate Floor Amendment (designated No. 794) proposed by Senator Schedler and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

12. That the Senate Floor Amendment (designated No. 768) proposed by Senator Irons and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

13. That the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 748) proposed by Senator Theunissen and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be rejected.

14. That the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 749) proposed by Senators Holden and Fontenot and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

15. That the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 786) proposed by Senator Theunissen and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be rejected.

16. That the Senate Floor Amendment (designated No. 743) proposed by Senator Romero and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

17. That the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 770) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

18. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1
In Senate Committee Amendment No. 4 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 2, line 13, change “1,860,400” to “2,000,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
In Senate Committee Amendment No. 14 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 2, line 36 change “15,000” to “40,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
In Senate Committee Amendment No. 30, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 4, delete lines 6 through 9 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Parish Councils on Aging Program for restoration of MJF 2002-29 reductions $250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 50, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 6, line 32, change "29,412,896" to "30,054,562"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 52, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 6, line 36, change "50,124,015" to "50,765,681"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 54, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 7, line 4, change "72,000" to "713,666"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 55, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 7, line 6, change "50,124,015" to "50,765,681"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 78, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 9, at the end of line 24, change "150,000" to "125,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 78, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 9, delete lines 35 and 36 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 10

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 78 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 9, line 34, change "$150,000" to "$250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 91, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 11, line 18, change "$75,000" to "$1,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 113, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 14, delete lines 9 through 17 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 13

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 133 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 16, line 26, after "directed to" and before "January 1", change "delay implementation of these services until" to "develop administrative rules and take other actions necessary to provide these services as of"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 177, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 20, line 21, change "36,180,200" to "39,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 178, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 20, line 23, change "8,360,400" to "8,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 180, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 20, line 27, change "8,934,400" to "9,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 184, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 21, line 3, change "$3,750,000" to "$4,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 238, proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 27, line 5, delete "the training of Health Literacy" and on line 6, delete "Outreach Coordinators" and insert "outreach clinics with the approval of the chancellor"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 285 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 31, line 17, change "among" to "to the" and at the end of line 18, change "parishes" to "school systems"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 285 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 31, line 29, change "$930,200" to "$3,750,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 22
"Interagency Transfers to the School and Community Support Program for additional"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 285 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 32, line 4, change "100,000" to "665,600"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 305 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 33, line 33, change "250,000" to "350,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 325 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 35, at the end of line 25, change "150,000" to "300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 325 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 35, delete line 27 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 27

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 325 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 17, 2003, on page 36, line 29, change "300,000" to "400,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

In Amendment No. 1 of the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 756) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, on page 1, line 4, change "seven-tenths" to "eight-tenths"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

In Amendment No. 1 of the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 756) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, on page 1, line 5, change "(7%)" to "(8%)"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

In Amendment No. 1 of the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 756) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, on page 1, line 6, change "$15,800,000" to "$17,300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 31

In Amendment No. 33 of the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 756) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, on page 4, line 21, after "each" and before "that" change "of the four hospitals" to "hospital" and at the end of the line, delete "for licensure by the department"

AMENDMENT NO. 32

In Amendment No. 33 of the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 756) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, on page 4, line 22, after "event" and before "Senate", insert "House Bill No. 1605, House Bill No. 1874, or"

AMENDMENT NO. 33

In Amendment No. 61 of the Senate Floor Amendments (designated No. 756) proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, on page 7, line 23, change "2003-2003" to "2002-2003"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 2, and the end of line 6, delete "prior" and insert a comma ",".

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 2, delete line 7 in its entirety and insert "to reduce the State"

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 2, at the end of line 17, delete "and shall not" and delete line 18 in its entirety and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 14, line 3, change "((579)" to "(603)"

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 14, line 3, change "87,429,390" to "83,980,409"

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 15, line 45, change "185,944,995" to "182,496,014"

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 15, line 47, change "55,609,162" to "49,558,162"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 15, line 55, change "185,944,995" to "182,496,014"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 16, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Executive Administration Program in the session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 6,051,000 Provided, however, that of the State General Fund (Direct) appropriated herein, $10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be transferred to the Department of Natural Resources through Interagency Transfers to provide for development and implementation of the ISIS upload utility program for entry of the Fiscal Year 2003-2004 budget, which program shall be made available to state agencies to the extent that resources are available to provide therefor."

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 18, after line 51, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Military Affairs Program for the Military Base Consolidation Project $ 200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 24, after line 47, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Contract Assistance Program for a veterans
assistance counselor for Bienville and Claiborne
Parishes $ 50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 45
On page 27, after line 55, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Administration Program for the Seventh
Ward Pilot Land Senior Center, Inc. for a weatherization program
$ 150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 46
On page 55, after "for" and before "Occupational" insert
"Forever Our Children for"

AMENDMENT NO. 47
On page 55, line 35, change "the Bass" to "bass fishing tournaments"
and on line 36, delete "Masters Tournament"

AMENDMENT NO. 48
On page 55, line 45, after "for" and before "Occupational" insert
"future We Children for"

AMENDMENT NO. 49
On page 55, delete lines 47 through 49 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 50
On page 56, line 46, change "50,000" to "100,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 51
On page 56, after line 48, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Central City Planning and Economic Development Commission
$ 25,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Vermilion Economic Development Board
$ 50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 52
On page 59, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Museum Program for the operations of the
Civil Rights Museum $ 25,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 53
On page 62, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the University of New Orleans Metropolitan College for the purpose of funding the UNO
Tourism Initiatives Program $ 75,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 54
On page 63, at the end of line 12, change "300,000" to "285,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 55
On page 104, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:
"Provided, however, that the commissioner is hereby authorized and
directed to add an amount not to exceed $1,500,000 in the Payments
to Private Providers Program for an increase in rates paid to long-
term acute care hospitals, as provided by rules and approved by the
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, but only to the extent
that Medical Vendor Payments (Schedule 09-306) has excess state
matching funds that carry forward from Fiscal Year 2003-2004, and all ongoing programmatic operational
needs of Medical Vendor Payments are met in Fiscal Year 2003-2004
from the state matching funds appropriated herein."

AMENDMENT NO. 56
On page 105, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:
"Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated herein for the
Office of Primary Care and Rural Health, $200,000 shall be allocated
for professional recruitment services to be provided by Louisiana
Area Health Education Centers (AHEC) in order to implement Med
Job Louisiana, a primary care provider recruitment program for all
health professional shortage areas in the state."

AMENDMENT NO. 57
On page 105, line 28, change "100,000" to "200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 58
On page 105, between lines 32 and 33, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Management and Finance Program - Office
of Rural Health for the support of the Family
Practice Residency Program serving the Lake
Charles community that is operated by the
Louisiana State University Health Sciences
Center-New Orleans and the Tulane University
of Louisiana Medical School $ 200,000

Provided, however, that the secretary shall consult with the
chancellors of each medical school before distribution of this
appropriation."

AMENDMENT NO. 59
On page 109, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:
"EXPENDITURES:
For the training of health care professionals,
including emergency medical services
personnel, across the state in the diagnosis
and treatment of stroke patients $ 250,000"

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 250,000

MEANS OF FINANCE:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 125,000
Federal Funds $ 125,000

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 60
On page 126, line 24, change "1,500,000" to "641,666"
AMENDMENT NO. 61
On page 127, line 9, change "6,000,000" to "6,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 62
On page 127, line 27, change "2,000,000" to "750,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 63
On page 127, line 33, change "375,000" to "500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 64
On page 127, delete lines 46 through 53 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 65
On page 128, line 19, change "FINDWORK" to "STEP"

AMENDMENT NO. 66
On page 128, line 27, change "FINDWORK Programmatic changes" to "programmatic changes and transitions from FINDWORK to STEP"

AMENDMENT NO. 67
On page 135, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers to the Management and Finance Program $ 10,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 68
On page 161, line 37, after "Initiative" and before the comma "," insert "and Health Care Workforce Development"

AMENDMENT NO. 69
On page 163, line 3, change "98,827,308" to "91,077,308"

AMENDMENT NO. 70
On page 164, line 9, change "98,827,308" to "91,077,308"

AMENDMENT NO. 71
On page 164, line 11, change "42,170,322" to "34,420,322"

AMENDMENT NO. 72
On page 164, line 22, change "98,827,308" to "91,077,308"

AMENDMENT NO. 73
On page 164, line 41, change "10,000,000" to "5,250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 74
On page 165, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 75
On page 165, delete lines 8 through 12 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 76
On page 165, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Health Care Workforce Development to be allocated $1,600,000 to Delgado Community College for nurse and allied health workforce training; an amount not to exceed $100,000 for two (2) positions and associated expenses of the Louisiana Health Works Commission; $300,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to Southeastern Louisiana University for nursing and allied health programs; and $700,000 to be allocated specifically for allied health and nursing education programs among the postsecondary educational institutions under the management and supervision of the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors, the Southern University Board of Supervisors, and the University of Louisiana Board of Supervisors, and community colleges under the management and supervision of the Louisiana Community and Technical Colleges Board of Supervisors $ 2,700,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 77
On page 165, line 24, change "7,000,000" to "2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 78
On page 165, line 25, change "7,000,000" to "2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 79
On page 165, line 27, change "7,000,000" to "2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 80
On page 165, line 28, change "7,000,000" to "2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 81
On page 227, line 54, change "150,000" to "170,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 82
On page 228, line 4 change "150,000" to "190,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 83
On page 228, line 7, change "72,000" to "52,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 84
On page 228, line 10, change "72,000" to "52,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 85
On page 228, line 13, change "72,000" to "52,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 86
On page 228, line 16, change "180,000" to "200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 87
On page 228, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:
"Payable out of Federal Funds for the Disadvantaged or Disabled Student Support Program from Title 1 and Individuals with
Disabilities Education Act Federal Funds; provided, however, that prior to the expenditure of such funds, the Department of Education shall submit a detailed plan for the use of these Federal Funds to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for review and approval $ 65,174,952

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for additional funding for the Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program associated with Temporary Assistance for Needy Families $ 500,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Academic Improvement Fund for the School Accountability and Improvement Program for High States Remediation and LEAP 21 Tutoring $ 1,500,000

AMENDMENT NO. 88
On page 228, line 25, change "K-8" to "K-12"

AMENDMENT NO. 89
On page 228, between lines 32 and 33, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the reorganized Milestone/SABIS charter school $ 332,594

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the International School of Louisiana charter school $ 142,406"

AMENDMENT NO. 90
On page 228, line 35, change "2,523,870,982" to "2,522,899,982"

AMENDMENT NO. 91
On page 229, line 16, change "2,523,870,982" to "2,522,899,982"

AMENDMENT NO. 92
On page 229, line 19, change "2,322,542,182" to "2,321,571,182"

AMENDMENT NO. 93
On page 229, line 25, change "2,523,870,982" to "2,522,899,982"

AMENDMENT NO. 94
On page 241, after line 43, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for implementation of the Louisiana Safety Net Health Insurance Program in the event that House Bill No. 1989 is enacted into law $ 30,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 95
On page 249, line 43, change "49,300,000" to "40,600,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 96
On page 251, at the beginning of line 7, change "No. 1492" to "No. 88 or Senate Bill No. 1099"

AMENDMENT NO. 97
On page 251, line 9, change "No. 1492" to "No. 88 or Senate Bill No. 1099"

AMENDMENT NO. 98
On page 251, at the beginning of line 8, change "is" to "are"

AMENDMENT NO. 99
On page 251, at the beginning of line 23, insert "to the city of Westwego"

AMENDMENT NO. 100
On page 251, line 33, change "for" to "to"

AMENDMENT NO. 101
On page 252, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the St. Landry Parish District Attorney for the Mentoring Program $ 60,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the city of Opelousas for community and economic development $ 125,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Sixteenth Judicial District Court for the Early Intervention Program $ 50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Downtown Design and Resource Center $ 20,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the city of New Orleans for fire, police, sanitation, health, transportation, and traffic services occasioned by the presence of the official gaming establishment in New Orleans $ 1,000,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the city of Baker for the purchase of public safety equipment $ 5,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the town of Clinton for the purchase of public safety equipment $ 5,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the town of Jackson for the purchase of public safety equipment $ 5,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the town of Slaughter for the purchase of public safety equipment $ 5,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 102
On page 252, between lines 38 and 39, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the town of Slaughter for the purchase of public safety equipment $ 5,000"

State-federal Trust Fund $ 690,000"
Respectfully submitted,
Representative Jerry Luke LeBlanc
Representative Charlie DeWitt
Representative Edwin R. Murray
Senator John L. "Jay" Dardenne
Senator John Hainkel
Senator Gregory Tarver

Rep. LeBlanc moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Futrell Peychaud
Alario Gallot Pierre
Alexander Glover Pinac
Arnold Green Pitre
Baldone Guillory Powell
Baudoin Hammett Quezaire
Baylor Heaton Richmond
Bowler Hebert Salter
Broome Hill Scalise
Bruce Honey Schneider
Bruneau Hopkins Schwegmann
Capella Hudson Shaw
Carter, K Hunter Smith, G.—56th
Carter, R Hunter Smith, J.H.—8th
Cayzayoux Iles Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe Jackson, L Smith, J.R.—50th
Curtis Johns Stelly
Daimico Katz Sneed
Daniel Kenney Swilling
Dartez LaFleur Thompson
Devillier Landrieu Toomy
Diez LeBlanc Townsend
Downer Lucas Triche
Downs McDonald Tucker
Durand McVea Waddell
Erdhey Montgomery Walker
Fannin Morrell Walsworth
Farrar Morris Welch
Faucheux Murray Winston
Flavin Nevers Wooton
Frith Odiset Wright
Fruge Perkins
Total—98

NAYS

Beard Romero
Total—2

ABSENT

Ansardi Kennard Martiny
Doerge Lancaster
Total—5

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 2 By Representative Hammett, et al.

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 2 by Representative Hammett, et al., recommend the following concerning the re-reengrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Committee Amendment Nos. 1 through 36, 39 through 85, and 87 through 315 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be adopted.

2. That the Senate Committee Amendment Nos. 37, 38, and 86 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the Senate Committee Amendment Nos. 3, 5, 9, 10, 14, 15, 18 through 25, 27, 28, 30 through 34, 41, 48, 52, 56 through 58, 61, 63 through 65, 67, 70 through 75, 77 through 79, 84, 85, 91, 93, 94, 98 through 100, 102 through 105, 107, and 110 through 115 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be adopted.

4. That the Senate Committee Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6 through 8, 11 through 13, 16, 17, 26, 29, 35 through 40, 42 through 47, 49 through 51, 53 through 55, 59, 60, 62, 66, 68, 69, 76, 80 through 83, 86 through 90, 92, 95 through 97, 101, 106, 108, and 109 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

5. That the Senate Floor Amendment Nos. 3 through 11, 13 through 15, 17, 20 through 24, 26, 28 through 30, 32, 34, 35, 37, 39, 40, 42, 44, 45, 47, 49, 50, 52, 54, 57, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 71, 73, 75, 76, 78, 80, and 83 proposed by Senators Barham and Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be adopted.

6. That the Senate Floor Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 12, 16, 18, 19, 55, 59, 65, 82, and 84 proposed by Senators Barham and Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be rejected.

7. That the set of three Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator C. D. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be adopted.

8. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator C. D. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be adopted.

9. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Irons and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be adopted.

10. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Johnson and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be adopted.

11. That the following amendments to the re-reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Amendment No. 236 of the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, on page 48, delete lines 5 and 6, and insert the following:
"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 50,000
Payable from General Obligation Bonds $ 225,000
Priority 2 Total $ 275,000

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 7, delete lines 28 through 30 in their entirety, and insert the following:
"Priority 2 $ 15,000,000
Total $ 19,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 14, at the end of line 29 in its entirety
AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 15, delete line 47, and insert the following:
"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 10,000
Pending submittal of capital outlay budget request and approval pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 16, delete line 13 in its entirety, and insert the following:
"Priority 2 $ 85,000
Priority 5 Total $ 1,750,000
Total $ 1,835,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 18, at the beginning of line 6, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 20, at the beginning of line 50, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 29, at the beginning of line 29 in its entirety
AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 47, delete lines 21 through 29 in their entirety
AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 48, delete line 11, and insert the following:
"Payable from Revenue Bonds $ 10,075,000
Payable from General Obligation Bonds $ 9,075,000
Priority 2 Total $ 19,150,000

Provided, however, that either the general obligation bond appropriation or the revenue bond appropriation will be used, but not both.

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 51, between lines 46 and 47, insert the following:
"Payable from General Obligation Bonds $ 300,000
Priority 5 Total $ 2,700,000
Total $ 3,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 52, between lines 46 and 47, insert the following:
"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 200,000"
AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 70, at the end of line 50, change "$1,200,000" to "$1,400,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 73, at the beginning of line 11, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 74, between lines 39 and 40, insert the following:
"50/J05 AVOYELLES PARISH"
(569) Cooperative Extension Building,
    Acquisitions, Planning and Construction
    ($50,000 Non-State Match)
    (Avoyelles)
    Payable from General Obligation
    Bonds
    Priority 2 $ 500,000
    Priority 3 $ 785,000
    Total $ 1,285,000

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 74, delete lines 41 through 48 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 78, at the beginning of line 32, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 81, at the beginning of line 34, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 81, at the beginning of line 45, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 26
On page 82, at the beginning of line 5, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 27
On page 84, at the beginning of line 20, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 85, at the beginning of line 5, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 29
On page 88, at the beginning of line 14, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 30
On page 92, at the beginning of line 7, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 31
On page 92, at the beginning of line 17, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 92, at the beginning of line 26, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 95, delete lines 24 and 25 in their entirety, and at the end of line 29, change "$1,220,000" to "$1,020,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 34
On page 95, at the beginning of line 41, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 35
On page 97, at the beginning of line 9, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 36
On page 99, delete line 46, and insert the following:
    "Priority 2 $ 195,000
    Total $ 345,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 37
On page 100, at the beginning of line 29, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 38
On page 104, at the beginning of line 14, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 39
On page 108, delete line 9, and insert the following:
    "(1429) Richwood Municipal Complex, Planning,
    Construction, and Land Acquisition"

AMENDMENT NO. 40
On page 109, at the beginning of line 5, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 41
On page 110, at the beginning of line 16, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 42
On page 111, at the beginning of line 25, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

AMENDMENT NO. 43
On page 111, at the beginning of line 31, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 44**

On page 111, at the beginning of line 39, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 45**

On page 120, at the beginning of line 7, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 46**

On page 121, at the beginning of line 7, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 47**

On page 122, at the beginning of line 32, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 48**

On page 126, at the beginning of line 49, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 49**

On page 127, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"50/NN5 BEAUREGARD PARISH COVERED ARENA AUTHORITY"

(570) Beauregard Parish Covered Arena, Expansion, Planning and Construction (Supplemental Funding) 
(Beauregard) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $325,000
Payable from General Obligation Bonds
    Priority 2 $265,000
    Priority 5 $425,000
Total $1,015,000

**AMENDMENT NO. 50**

On page 130, at the beginning of line 21, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 51**

On page 131, at the beginning of line 7, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 52**

On page 131, at the beginning of line 20, delete "Nonrecurring Revenues"

**AMENDMENT NO. 53**

On page 131, between lines 32 and 33, insert the following:

"50/ HEALTH EDUCATION AUTHORITY OF LOUISIANA"

(425) Cancer Consortium Building, Planning and Construction (Orleans) Payable from Revenue Bonds $37,822,000
Provided, however, that debt service for these revenue bonds is payable from the Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund, created by R.S. 47:841.1."

Respectfully submitted,
Representative Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.
Representative Jerry Luke LeBlanc
Representative John A. Alario, Jr.
Senator Robert J. Barham

Senators John L. “Jay” Dardenne
Senator John Hainkel

Rep. Hammett moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker Gallot Peychaud
Alario Glover Pierre
Alexander Green Pinac
Baldone Guillory Pitre
Baudoin Hammett Powell
Bayor Heaton Quezaire
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Frith Nevers Winston
Frugé Odinet Wooton
Futrell Perkins Wright
Total—96

**NAYS**

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Total—1

**ABSENT**

Ansardi Doerge Kennard
Arnold Farrar Lancaster
Crowe Hill

Total—8
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Strain, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments at this time.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions

Returned from the Senate with Amendments

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 88—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, NEVERS, POWELL, SCHWEGMANN,
SHAW, FLAVIN, GUILLORY, JOHNS, LANCASTER, JOHN SMITH,
WADDELL, WALKER, WINSTON, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS
DUPRE, GAUTREAUX, ADLEY, CAIN, ROMERO, AND THEUNISSEN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:392(B)(2)(b) and (3) through (6) and to enact R.S. 27:392(B)(7), relative to the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for the distribution of certain revenues; to make certain technical corrections; to establish the Equine Health Studies Program Fund in the state treasury; to provide for a portion of the monies in the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming Control Fund to be deposited into the Equine Health Studies Program Fund; to provide for the use of the monies in such fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 88 by Representative Strain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, delete lines 19 through 26 and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 6 and insert the following:

"(7) After complying with the provisions of (1) through (6) of this Subsection, two hundred thousand dollars each fiscal year shall be deposited in and credited to the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for the distribution of certain revenues; to make certain technical corrections; to establish the Equine Health Studies Program Fund in the state treasury; to provide for a portion of the monies in the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming Control Fund to be deposited into the Equine Health Studies Program Fund; to provide for the use of the monies in such fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"(7) After complying with the provisions of (1) through (6) of this Subsection, two hundred thousand dollars each fiscal year shall be deposited in and credited to the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for the distribution of certain revenues; to make certain technical corrections; to establish the Equine Health Studies Program Fund in the state treasury; to provide for a portion of the monies in the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming Control Fund to be deposited into the Equine Health Studies Program Fund; to provide for the use of the monies in such fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 7, line 7, change "(7)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 7, line 8, change "(6)" to "(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 7, line 18, change "July 1, 2004" to "May 21, 2003"

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 88 by Representative Strain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, delete lines 19 through 26 and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 6 and insert the following:

"(6) After complying with the provisions of Paragraphs (1) through

(5) of this Subsection and contingent upon the Revenue

Estimating Conference's recognition of revenues from the Bossier

Parish horse racing facility in the Fiscal Year 2003-2004 official

forecast and in each fiscal year thereafter, the state treasurer shall

deposit in and credit the following amounts to the following special

funds, which amounts shall be reduced on a pro rata basis if

insufficient funds are available to fully fund each item:

(a) One million five hundred thousand dollars each fiscal year shall

be deposited in and credited to the Equine Health Studies Program

Fund, which is hereby established in the state treasury. Monies in

the fund shall be withdrawn from the fund only by appropriations

made in accordance with this Subsection. Monies in the fund shall

be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund.

Interest earned on investment of monies in the fund shall be credited

to the state general fund. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in

the fund at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund.

(b) Two million dollars each fiscal year shall be deposited in and

credited to the fund previously established by R.S. 3:277. These

proceeds shall be expended, utilizing any or all powers granted to the

Louisiana Agricultural Finance Authority, including the funding or

securing of revenue bonds, exclusively for building, furnishing,

equipping and maintaining a building and related space on the Baton

Rouge campus of the Louisiana State University and Agricultural and

Mechanical College to be used as the Louisiana Veterinary Medical

Diagnostic Laboratory within the School of Veterinary Medicine and

for analytical and diagnosis laboratories.

(c) One million dollars each fiscal year shall be deposited in and

credited to the Southern University AgCenter Program Fund, which

is hereby established in the state treasury. Monies in the fund shall

be withdrawn from the treasury only by appropriations made in

accordance with this Subsection. Monies in the fund shall be

invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund.

Interest earned on investment of monies in the fund shall be credited

to the state general fund. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in

the fund at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund.

Monies in the fund shall be appropriated and expended solely and

exclusively to support the Southern University AgCenter programs.

(d) Five hundred thousand dollars each fiscal year shall be deposited

in and credited to the University of Louisiana, Monroe School of

Pharmacy Program Fund, which is hereby established in the state

treasury. Monies in the fund shall be withdrawn from the treasury

only by appropriations made in accordance with this Subsection.
Monies in the fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on investment of monies in the fund shall be credited to the state general fund. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund. Monies in the fund shall be appropriated and expended solely and exclusively to support the pharmacy studies programs at the University of Louisiana School of Pharmacy.

(c) One million dollars each fiscal year shall be deposited in and credited to the Department of Education Low Performing Schools Fund, which is hereby established in the state treasury. Monies in the fund shall be withdrawn from the treasury only by appropriations made in accordance with this Subsection. Monies in the fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on investment of monies in the fund shall be credited to the state general fund. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund. Monies in the fund shall be appropriated and expended solely and exclusively to provide funding for those public schools performing at the lowest level in the accountability program."

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Cravins to Reengrossed House Bill No. 88 by Representative Strain, et al

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003.

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 4, 2003.

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 6, delete lines 19 through 26 and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 6 and insert the following:

"(6) After complying with the provisions of Paragraphs (1) through (5) of this Subsection and contingent upon the Revenue Estimating Conference's recognition of revenues from the Bossier Parish horse racing facility in the Fiscal Year 2003-2004 official forecast and in each fiscal year thereafter, the state treasurer shall deposit in and credit the following amounts to the following special funds, which amounts shall be reduced on a pro rata basis if insufficient funds are available to fully fund each item:

(a) Seven hundred fifty thousand dollars each fiscal year shall be deposited in and credited to the Equine Health Studies Program Fund, which is hereby established in the state treasury. Monies in the fund shall be withdrawn from the treasury only by appropriations made in accordance with this Subsection. Monies in the fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on investment of monies in the fund shall be credited to the state general fund. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund. Monies in the fund shall be appropriated and expended solely and exclusively to support the Equine Health Studies Program at the Louisiana State University School of Veterinary Medicine.

(b) Seven hundred fifty thousand dollars each fiscal year shall be deposited in and credited to the Southern University AgCenter Program Fund, which is hereby established in the state treasury. Monies in the fund shall be withdrawn from the treasury only by appropriations made in accordance with this Subsection. Monies in the fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on investment of monies in the fund shall be credited to the state general fund. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund. Monies in the fund shall be appropriated and expended solely and exclusively to support the Southern University AgCenter programs."

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 7, line 18, change "July 1, 2004" to "January 1, 2004"

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 725—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:636.1(B)(2), 636.2(D), 1466(A), and 1471 and to enact R.S. 22:636.2(E), 636.9, and 636.10, relative to the cancellation of insurance policies; to provide for property and casualty insurance; to provide for automobile insurance; to provide for premiums, deductibles, and surcharges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Hainkel to Engrossed House Bill No. 783 by Representative Daniel

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "42:1123(32)" insert "and (33)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 4, after "circumstances;" insert "to permit public officials of certain governing authorities and their immediate families and legal entities to perform certain transactions; to require written notice to the Board of Ethics and recusal from voting;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, below line 17, insert the following:

"(33) A member of a municipal or parish governing authority in a parish with a population not in excess of thirty-five thousand or in a municipality with a population not in excess of twenty-five thousand, according to the latest federal decennial census, or member..."
of his immediate family, or legal entity in which he has a controlling interest from making application to a planning or zoning commission or governing authority for approval of the subdivision, resubdivision or zoning classification of property, provided that (a) the zoning of such subdivided property shall not be less restrictive than the zoning of the original parcel, (b) no variance from any planning or zoning regulation or requirement or any building code or permit shall be requested or granted, (c) the elected official shall file written notice with his governing authority and with the Board of Ethics no later than ten days prior to any hearing pertaining to any such application, and (d) any such member of a governing authority shall recuse himself from any vote related to such application.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Perkins
Alario Futrell Peychaud
Alexander Gallot Pierre
Ansardi Glover Pinac
Arnold Green Pitre
Baldone Guillory Powell
Baudoin Hammett Richmon
Baylor Heaton Romero
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Frith Odinet

Total—98

NAYS

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ABSENT

Bruce Jackson, L Lancaster
Doerge Kennard Quezaire

Total—6

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 783: Reps. Daniel, Bruneau, and Alario.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1051—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1920, relative to court costs; to require the non-prevailing party to pay all costs if the suit is frivolous; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 1051 by Representative Hebert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 9, insert “A.”

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 14, insert “B.”

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator B Jones to Engrossed House Bill No. 1051 by Representative Hebert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after “defense” insert “when viewed in its totality,”

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator B Jones to Engrossed House Bill No. 1051 by Representative Hebert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after “defense to the suit” insert “when viewed in its totality,”

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator B Jones to Engrossed House Bill No. 1051 by Representative Hebert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, after “party.” insert the following: “The provisions of this Article shall not apply to medical malpractice litigation.”

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator B Jones to Engrossed House Bill No. 1051 by Representative Hebert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 identified as SFAHB1051 MIDDLETL89 proposed by B. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 22, 2003
AMENDMENT NO. 2
Delete Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 and 2 identified as SFAB1051 MIDDLETL69 proposed by B. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 22, 2003

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 11, after "defense of the suit" insert "when viewed in its totality"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 13, after "party." insert the following: "The provisions of this Article shall apply to medical malpractice litigation, however, the decision of a medical review panel alone shall not be determinative of the issue of whether the action or defense is frivolous."

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Mr. Speaker Frith Perkins
Alario Fruge Peychaud
Alexander Futrell Pierre
Ansardi Gallot Pinac
Arnold Guillory Pitre
Baldone Hammett Powell
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Fannin Morish Welch
Farrar Murray Winston
Faucheux Nevers Wooton
Flavin Odinet Wright

Total—99

NAYS

Doerge Green Lancaster
Glover Kennard Walker

Total—0

ABSENT

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1052—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4(15), relative to public records; to provide for the applicability of the public records law exception regarding certain records of the office of risk management and similar records of certain municipalities and parishes; to provide for the application of the exception to an attorney representing the state, municipality, or parish; to provide that members and committees of the legislature may obtain certain information from the office of risk management for certain purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 1052 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 7, change "members and committees of the legislature" to "the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 16, delete "legislator or"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Dardenne to Engrossed House Bill No. 1052 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 16, delete "committee thereof" and after "obtaining" insert "cost"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Barham to Engrossed House Bill No. 1052 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1
In Senate Committee Amendment No. 1, proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, on page 1, delete line 3, and insert "chairman and vice chairman of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget and the litigation subcommittee of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget"
In Senate Committee Amendment No. 2, proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, on page 1, delete line 6, and insert “the chairman and vice chairman of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget and the litigation subcommittee of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 3, proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003.

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, at the beginning of line 15, delete “committee thereof” and after “obtaining” delete “information regarding” and insert “dollar amounts billed by and paid to contract attorneys and experts in defense of”

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 16, after “that the” delete “legislator or committee” and insert “chairman or vice chairman, or the subcommittee”

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

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Katz Lancaster

Total—4

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1122—
BY REPRESENTATIVES QUEZAIRe AND CAZAYOUx
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 2:653(A) and 654(B)(introductory paragraph), (1), and (9), (H)(introductory paragraph) and (2), and (J) and to enact R.S. 2:654(B)(14), (15), and (16) and (H)(4) through (8), relative to the Louisiana Airport Authority; to provide relative to the territorial boundaries of such authority; to increase the number of members of the board of commissioners; to provide relative to the term of office for such members; to provide relative to the quorum for the board of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1122 by Representative Quezaire

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after "(J)" insert ", 655(9),".

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 15, after "(J)" insert ", 655(9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 4, after line 22, insert the following:

"§655. General powers of the authority"

The authority shall have all the rights, powers, and duties to give effect to and carry out the purpose and provisions of this Chapter, including, in addition to all other powers set forth in this Chapter, the power:

* * *

(9) To hold, encumber, control, acquire by donation, purchase, or condemnation, construct, own, lease as lessee or lessor, use, and sell real and personal property, or any interest or right therein within or without its territorial boundaries, for the location or protection of airports and airport facilities and improvements and access thereto, for the relocation of buildings, structures, and improvements situated on lands acquired by the authority, or for any other necessary purpose, or for obtaining or storing materials to be used in constructing, maintaining, and improving airports and airport facilities of the authority.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Gallo  Pierre
Alario  Glover  Pinac
Alexander  Green  Pite
Arnold  Guillory  Powell
Baldone  Hammett  Quezaire
Baylor  Heaton  Richmon
Bowler  Hebert  Romer
Broome  Hill  Salter
Bruce  Honey  Scalsie
Brunneau  Hopkins  Schneider
Capella  Hunter  Schwegman
Carter, K  Hutter  Shaw
Carter, R  Iles  Smith, G.—56th
Cazayoux  Jackson, L  Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane  Jackson, M  Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe  Johns  Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico  Katz  Snead
Daniel  Kenney  Stelly
Dartez  LaFleur  Strain
Diez  Landrieu  Swilling
Downer  LeBlanc  Thompson
Downs  Lucas  Townsend
Durand  McDonald  Tucker
Erdey  McVea  Waddell
Fannin  Morrell  Walker
Farrar  Morris  Walworth
Faucheux  Murray  Welch
Flavin  Nevers  Winston
Frith  Odinet  Wooton
Fruge  Perkins  Wright
Futrell  Peychaud

Total—92

NAYS

Baudoin  Beard  Devillier

Total—3

ABSENT

Ansardi  Kennard  Toomy
Curtis  Lancaster  Triche
Doerge  Martiny
Hudson  Montgomery

Total—10

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 1287 by Representative Perkins

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 12, 15 and 18, before "law" insert "uncompensated"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, before "law" insert "uncompensated"

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Fruge  Perkins
Alario  Futrell  Peychaud
Alexander  Gallot  Pierre
Arnold  Glover  Pinac
Baldone  Green  Pite
Baudoin  Guillory  Powell
Bayelor  Hammett  Quezaire
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Faucheux  Murray  Welch
Flavin  Nevers  Wooton
Frith  Odinet  Wright
Futrell  Peychaud

Total—99

NAYS

Baudoin  Beard  Devillier

Total—0

ABSENT

Ansardi  Kennard  Martiny
Curtis  Lancaster  Waddell
The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1688—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:424(E) and 425(E), relative to compensation of commissioners and commissioners-in-charge; to provide for commissioners and commissioners-in-charge to be paid timely for their services on election day; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Hines to Engrossed House Bill No. 1688 by Representative Lafleur

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, at the end of line 14, delete “-in-” and at the beginning of line 15, delete “charge”

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

- Mr. Speaker Fruge Peychaud
- Alario Futrell Pinac
- Alexander Gallot Pitre
- Arnold Glover Powell
- Baldone Guillory Richmond
- Baylor Hammett Romero
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- Flavin Nevers
- Frith Perkins

Total—94

**NAYS**

- Pierre Total—1

**ABSENT**

- Ansardi Kennard Quezaire
- Baudoin Lancaster Winston
- Doerge Martiny
- Green Odinet

Total—10

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1845—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO, PERKINS, PEYCHAUD, JANE SMITH, AND WADDELL**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2418(H)(introductory paragraph) and (3) and to enact R.S. 36:104(B)(8), relative to waste tires; to provide for agreements between the Departments of Environmental Quality and Economic Development; to provide for use of the Waste Tire Management Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Environmental Quality to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1845 by Representative Damico

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, delete line 4 and on line 5, delete “Economic Development” and insert “incentives for the use of waste tires”

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 11 and insert the following:

“(3) Beginning on July 1, 2003 and continuing until June 30, 2008, five percent of all monies from fees collected on the sale of new tires and deposited in the fund provided for in Subsection (G) of this Section shall be used to encourage the development of products which are marketable and provide a beneficial use and for promotion of those products which have a beneficial use. The”

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 12, change “departments” to “department”

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, line 25, after “businesses,” insert “No incentives shall be provided to persons who transport waste tires generated in this state and process those tires in any other state.”

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Fontenot to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1845 by Representative Damico

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, delete lines 4 and 5 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"agreements with the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for incentives for the use of waste tires; to provide for the use of the Waste Tire"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 11 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Beginning on July 1, 2003 and continuing until June 30, 2008, five percent of all monies from fees collected on the sale of new tires and deposited in the fund provided for in Subsection G of this Section shall be used to encourage the development of products which are marketable and provide a beneficial use and for promotion of those products which have a beneficial use. The"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 15, after "utilizing" delete the rest of the line and insert the following:

"waste tire material. No incentive shall be provided to persons who transport waste tires generated in this state and process those tires in another state."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 22 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(8) May contract with the"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 23, between "Quality" and "to" insert the following:

"to provide services to assist the department in reviewing proposals"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 24, after "for" delete "used or recycled tire rubber" and insert "waste tire material"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ellington to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1845 by Representative Damico

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 15, after "utilizing" delete "used and recycled tire rubber" and insert the following:

"waste tire material. If payments to waste tire processors are prorated due to insufficient funds in the Waste Tire Management Fund, any monies in the fund used to encourage the development of products which are marketable and provide a beneficial use and for promotion of those products which have a beneficial use shall also be prorated on the same basis as payments to waste tire processors."

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker FrUGE Peychaud
Arlario Futrell Pierre
Alexander Gallot Pinac
Ansardi Green Pitre
Arnold Guillory Powell
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Farrar Morrish Welch
Faucheux Nevers Winston
Flavin Odinet Wooton
Frith Perkins Wright
Total—99 NAYS

Total—0 ABSENT

Capella Glover Lancaster
Doerge Kennard Murray

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1845: Reps. Wooton, Jane Smith, and Damico.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2019 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1715 by Representative Glover)—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GLOVER AND L. JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:31.2, relative to public health; creates the Interagency Task Force on Health Literacy; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2019 by Representative Glover

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 3, line 7, following "at" delete "Northeast" and delete line 8 in its entirety and insert "the University of Louisiana at Monroe."

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senator McPherson to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2019 by Representative Glover

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, line 2 after "40:31.2" insert "and 40:2118"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 1, line 3 after "Literacy:" insert "to provide relative to fluoroscopy procedures;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page 2, line 5 after "40:31.2" delete "is" and insert "and 40:2118 are"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**
On page 5, between lines 9 and 10 insert the following:

"§2118. Fluoroscopy procedures in a hospital setting

40:2118 is all proposed new law.

With regard to the protection of the public health, in a hospital setting, fluoroscopy procedures may be conducted by a radiologist licensed in the state or by a radiology technician, licensed in the state and who is under the direct supervision of a radiologist or other physician."

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senator Bajoie to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2019 by Representative Glover

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 3, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"(p) A representative from the Louisiana Chapter of the National Medical Association.

(q) A representative from the Louisiana Minority Health Commission.

(r) A representative from Xavier School of Pharmacy."

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

**ROLL CALL**
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| Absent | | |
| Doerge Kennard Shaw | | |
| Hatter Lancaster | | |
| Total—5 | | |

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 273—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY AND SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:51(A)(1), (2), (4), (7), (16), (17), (19), (22), (23), (24), (26), (32), (36), and (41), relative to assistant district attorneys; to provide for additional assistant district attorneys for certain judicial districts; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Engrossed House Bill No. 273 by Representative Toomy

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "(36)," insert "(38),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 8, after "(36)," insert "(38)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 3, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"(38)(a) Except as provided in Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph, in the parish of Orleans, seventy-nine assistant district attorneys.

(b) Upon approval by the Governor's Commission on Additional Assistant District Attorneys and appropriation of state funding for each additional assistant district attorney over seventy-nine as provided in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph, up to eighty-two assistant district attorneys.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cain to Engrossed House Bill No. 273 by Senator Cain

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "(26)," insert "(30)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 8, after "(26)," insert "(30)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

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

"(30)(2) Except as provided in Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph, in the parish of Vernon, four assistant district attorneys.

(b) Upon approval by the Governor's Commission on Additional Assistant District Attorneys and appropriation of state funding for each additional assistant district attorney over four, as provided in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph, up to five assistant district attorneys.

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Senators: Fruge, Odinet, Wooton

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

**Conference Committee Appointment**

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 273: Reps. Toomy, Capella, and Murray.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1536—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:3129.5, relative to a state tuition and fee policy; to authorize the Board of Regents to study and formulate a state tuition and fee policy for public postsecondary education institutions and systems; to provide for legislative review and approval of such policy; to provide relative to policy implementation and annual reports; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Engrossed House Bill No. 1536 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, between "systems;" and "to" insert "to authorize the postsecondary education management boards to implement such policy guidelines under specified circumstances;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, between "cooperation" and "with" insert "and consultation"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, after "board" insert a period and delete the remainder of the line and insert "The Board of Regents shall take into consideration"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 1, after "Regents" and before the period insert "after consultation with the postsecondary education management boards"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 9, after "student" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 10 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "tuition and fees by the respective postsecondary education management boards. The delegation of authority to the postsecondary education management boards to establish tuition and fees in accordance with policies adopted by the Board of Regents pursuant heretofore shall not be construed to authorize the Board of Regents to set a specific tuition or fee."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 11, after "B." delete the remainder of the line and insert "The Board of Regents"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 15 after "meeting" insert ", and prior to the implementation of any increase in fees or tuition pursuant to such policy, the authority for such increases in the policy shall be approved by the legislature by law by the favorable vote of two-thirds of the elected members of both houses of the legislature"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 16, after "policy," delete "the Board of Regents and"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 17, after "authority to" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 18 through 22 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following: "impose tuition and fees in accordance with the policy. Any tuition or fee increase which would result in the need for a legislative appropriation of additional state funds or expenditure of additional state funds pursuant to existing appropriations of the legislature, or which would result in a tuition and fee level for an institution which exceeds the Southern Regional Education Board peer level for that institution as determined by the Board of Regents, shall be expressly approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Dardenne to Engrossed House Bill No. 1536 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Committee Amendments No 6, 7, 8, and 9 proposed by the Senate Committee on Education and adopted by the Senate on June 9, 2003

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, change "authorize" to "require"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, after "legislative" delete the remainder of the line and insert "approval of authority to increase tuition or fees; implementation;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 13, delete "have the power to"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 11 through 22 and insert the following:

"B. Prior to the implementation of the initial increase in fees or tuition pursuant to such policy, the authority for the postsecondary education management boards to increase tuition or fees consistent with the policy shall be approved by the legislature by law by the favorable vote of two-thirds of the elected members of both houses of the legislature. Such approval shall constitute compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 2.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana for any subsequent increases pursuant to the policy."

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Futrell Pierre
Alario Gallot Pinac
Alexander Glover Pitre
Ansardi Green Powell
Arnold Guillory Quezaine
Baldone Hammett Richmond
Baudoin Heaton Romero
Baylor Hill Salter
Beard Honey Scalise
Broome Hopkins Schneider
Bruce Hudson Schwegmann
Bruneau Hunter Shaw
Capella Hutter Smith, G.—56th
Carter, K Iles Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R Jackson, L Smith, J.—8th
Cazayoux Jackson, M Smith, J.R.—30th
Carr, T John Snead
Crowe Katz Stelly
Curtis Kenney Strain
Damico LaFleur Swilling
Daniel Landrieu Thompson
Dartez Leland Toomy
Devillier Lucas Townsend
Diez Martiny Triche
Downs
Durand
Erdey
Fannin
Farrar
Faucheux
Flavin
Frith
Frugé
Total—98
YEAS
NAYS
ABSENT

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

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1122: Reps. Quezaire, Diez, and Gary Smith.

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

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

CONFEREENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 501 By Representative Swilling

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 501 by Representative Swilling, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003, be adopted.

2. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety and insert the following:

"B. Boundaries. The district shall be coterminous with the Lake Barrington Subdivision as shown on a plan of the Lake Barrington Subdivision by B.L. Carter dated November 12, 1973, with revisions and additions dated January 4, 1974, March 14, 1974, and July 22, 1974, Drawing No. 25-26-126, approved by the New Orleans City Planning Commission on August 27, 1974, and registered in C.O.B. 728, Folio 229, Orleans Parish, Louisiana."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Patrick Swilling
Representative Sharon Weston Broome
Representative Edwin Murray
Senator Diana Bajoie
Senator Francis Heitmeier
Senator Jon Johnson

Rep. Swilling moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Baldone
Baudoin
Baylor
Beard
Bowler
Bruce
Bruneau
Capella
Carroll
Carter, R
Carter, K
Cazayoux
Crane
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
Deviiller
Diez
Downs
Erdey
Fannin
Farrar
Faucheux
Flavin
Frith
Frugé
Futrell

Total—96
NAYS
Total—0
ABSENT

Broome
Crowe
Doerge

Total—9

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFEREENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 549 By Representative Futrell
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 549 by Representative Futrell, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Theunissen and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be rejected.

2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Adley and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S." and before "relative" change "17:3048.1(A)(1)(B)(i)," to "3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii) and (b)(i), 4(a)(iii), (B)(3)(a), (C)(2)(f) and (h)(i), (K)(3)(a) and (b), (L), (P)(1)(a), and (Q)(1)(a) and (b), to enact R.S. 17:3048.1(M)," and the Tuition Opportunity Program for active duty with the United States armed forces who is stationed outside Louisiana but who claims Louisiana as his home of record and who has filed a Louisiana state income tax return for the most recent two years, or is the dependent child of a resident of Louisiana or an equivalent concordant residency for dependent students provided by Paragraph (C)(4) of this Section, or is the dependent child of a resident of Louisiana on active duty with the United States armed forces who is stationed outside Louisiana but who claims Louisiana as his home of record state of legal residence and who has filed a Louisiana state income tax return for the most recent two years, or is the dependent child of a nonresident on active duty with the United States armed forces who is stationed in Louisiana under permanent change of station orders and who not later than sixty days after reporting to such station changes his military personnel records to establish Louisiana as his official home of record state of legal residence and complies with Louisiana income tax laws and regulations for the time period while stationed in Louisiana. A student who is not a citizen of the United States but who is eligible to apply for such citizenship shall be deemed to satisfy the citizenship requirement of this Subparagraph if and when he or she obtains such citizenship within one year after the date of application.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "Award" and before "to provide" delete the semicolon ";" and add "and the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1 delete line 4 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"residency, citizenship, and initial and continuing academic eligibility requirements, including minimum scores on certain tests; to provide relative to the adoption of certain rules by the administering agency, including guidelines and procedures permitting the agency to receive and consider certain test scores of an applicant that are obtained on a testing date during a specified time period in the year of the applicant’s graduation from high school; to provide relative to initial qualification for more than one award; to refer to court-ordered custodians rather than legal guardians; to provide relative to the reinstatement of award benefits to certain students; to provide relative to the eligibility of students graduating from certain out-state-high schools, to remove provisions relative to the presentation of certain certificates of achievement and related procedures; to provide for effectiveness; and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 7, after “R.S.” delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii) and (b)(i), 4(a)(iii), (B)(3)(a), (C)(2)(f) and (h)(i), (K)(3)(a) and (b), (L), (P)(1)(a), and (Q)(1)(a) and (b) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(4) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1 delete lines 9 through 16 in their entirety and on page 2 delete lines 1 through 20 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"§3048.1. Program awards; eligibility; amounts; limitations; funding; administration

A.(1) As part of the Louisiana Tuition Opportunity Program for Students, the state shall financially assist any student who enrolls on a full-time basis in a public college or university in this state or a regionally accredited independent college or university in the state that is a member of the Louisiana Association of Independent Colleges or Universities, hereafter in this Chapter referred to collectively as "eligible colleges or universities", to pursue an academic undergraduate degree or, as provided by this Subsection, skill or occupational training as defined by the Board of Regents, including a vocational or technical education certificate or diploma program or a nonacademic undergraduate degree, and who meets the qualifications of Subparagraph (b), (c), or (d) of this Paragraph and all of the applicable following qualifications:

(a) * * *

(b)(i) Has been certified as provided in Subsection D of this Section to have graduated from a public high school or a nonpublic high school which has been approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, has a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.50 calculated on a 4.00 scale, has a composite score on the 1990 version of the American College Test which is at least equal to or higher than the state's average composite score, rounded to the nearest whole number, reported for the prior year but never less than twenty or an equivalent concordant value on an enhanced or revised version of such test or on the Scholastic Aptitude Test, and, unless granted an exception for cause by the administering agency, has enrolled in an eligible college or university as a first-time freshman not later than the semester, excluding summer semesters or sessions, immediately following the first anniversary of the date that the student graduated from high school or, if the student joins the United States Armed Forces within
one year after graduating from high school, has enrolled in an eligible college or university as a first-time freshman not later than the semester, excluding summer semesters or sessions, immediately following the fifth anniversary of the date that the student graduated from high school. As distinguished from all other students qualifying for this program, a student who meets the requirements of this Subparagraph shall be the recipient of an “Opportunity Award” for the purposes of this program.

(4) To maintain continued state payment of an amount equal to tuition and other amounts pursuant to an award under this Chapter once enrolled in college a student shall meet all of the following:

(a) Make steady academic progress as defined by the administering agency toward completion of the requirements of the program in which enrolled earning not less than the minimum number of hours of credit required for full-time standing or the required number of hours needed to complete the program’s requirements. If at any time a student fails to maintain the cumulative grade point average required for continuation in the program or as of the end of any semester or term during the academic year fails to make steady academic progress as defined by the administering agency, the student shall become ineligible for further payments. Payments may be reinstated upon attainment of the grade point average required for this Par...
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(3)(a)(i) Any student who receives a financial assistance award pursuant to this Section may elect to accept the award on the basis provided in this Paragraph. The student may elect to delay the acceptance of his financial assistance award until after the student, if he is not claimed as a dependent of a parent or guardian court-ordered custodian on a federal income tax return, or his parent or guardian court-ordered custodian, if he is claimed as a dependent on a federal income tax return, files his federal income tax return.

(ii) If the student delays the acceptance of his award and the student, parent, or guardian court-ordered custodian does not claim a federal income tax credit for money expended on educational tuition for the postsecondary education of the student, the administering agency shall pay directly to the student an amount equal to the amount of the award that would have been paid to the eligible institution on behalf of the student less the amount of the tax credit claimed plus an incentive for claiming the credit and thus reducing the cost to the state of this program, an amount equal to twenty-five percent of the amount of the credit claimed.

(iii) If the student delays the acceptance of his award and the student, parent, or guardian court-ordered custodian does not claim such a credit, then the amount of the award that would have been paid to the eligible institution on behalf of the student shall be paid directly to the student.

(b) In order to receive the additional incentive payment provided for in Item(a)(ii) of this Paragraph, the student, parent, or guardian court-ordered custodian filing the return shall provide such proof to the administering agency of the amount of federal income tax credit for money expended on educational tuition claimed as required by the agency, including access to their federal income tax records or other appropriate records.

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L. Each student who initially qualifies for more than one award under the provisions of this Section shall receive the award requiring the most rigorous eligibility criteria, unless the student chooses to receive the TOPS-Tech Award and enrolls in a Louisiana public postsecondary institution pursuant to Paragraph B(2) of this Section. Once the student who has chosen a TOPS-Tech Award enrolls in a Louisiana public postsecondary institution pursuant to Paragraph B(2) of this Section, his choice becomes irrevocable.

* * *

P.(1) Notwithstanding any initial student eligibility requirement of this Chapter to the contrary, a student shall be eligible to receive a TOPS-Tech Award pursuant to this Section provided each of the applicable following conditions are met:

(a) The student has been certified by the principal or headmaster to have graduated during the 2002-2003 school year or thereafter, from an out-of-state high school which has been approved by the appropriate state educational agency in the state in which the student is located; from an out-of-state high school which is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools' Commission on Secondary and Middle Schools and meets the standards adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for approval of nonpublic schools in Louisiana; or, for students certified to have graduated during the 2002-2003 school year or thereafter, from an out-of-state high school that is accredited by a regional accrediting organization recognized by the United States Department of Education and meets the standards adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for approval of nonpublic schools in Louisiana; or from a high school which has been approved by the United States Department of Defense.

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Q.(1) Notwithstanding any initial student eligibility requirement of this Chapter to the contrary, a student shall be eligible to receive a TOPS-Tech Award pursuant to this Section provided each of the following conditions are met:

(a) The student has been certified by a parent or legal guardian court-ordered custodian to have successfully completed at the twelfth grade level a home study program approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. Additionally, the student, if ever enrolled in a Louisiana public high school or nonpublic high school which has been approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, must have begun his studies in the approved home study program no later than the conclusion of the tenth grade year.

(b) The student has actually resided in Louisiana or has a parent or legal guardian who has actually resided in Louisiana during the twenty-four months prior to the date that the student's initial application is received by the administering agency. The student meets the citizenship and residency requirements provided in Subparagraph (A)(1)(a) of this Section.

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Section 2. R.S. 17:3048.1(M) is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 3. It is the intent of the legislature in enacting this Act that this Act and Acts Nos. 81 and 214 of this 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature shall all be given effect and none of them shall supersede any of the other two. The Louisiana State Law Institute shall merge the provisions of Acts Nos. 81 and 214 of this 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature with the provisions of this Act.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Mike Futrell
Representative Carl Crane
Representative Charlie DeWitt
Senator Robert Adley
Senator Gerald Theunissen
Senator Jay Dardenne

On motion of Rep. Futrell, the bill was recommitted to the Conference Committee.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 713 By Representative Hutter

June 22, 2003

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

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 713 by Representative Hutter, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Conforming Amendments Nos. 8 through 13 proposed by Senator Dupre and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be adopted.

2. That Senate Conforming Amendments Nos. 1 through 7 and 14 and 15 proposed by Senator Dupre and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be rejected.

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

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 20, after "of age" change "and" to "or"

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Nita Hutter
Representative John C. "Juba" Diez
Representative Billy Montgomery
Senator Reggie Dupre
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier


**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker  Gallot  Pinac
Alario  Glover  Pire
Alexander  Green  Powell
Arnold  Guillory  Quezairre
Baldone  Hammett  Richmond
Baudoin  Heaton  Romero
Baylor  Hebert  Salter
Beard  Hill  Scalise
Bowler  Honey  Schneider
Broome  Hopkins  Schwegmann
Bruce  Hudson  Shaw
Bruneau  Hunter  Smith, G.—56th
Capella  Hutter  Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, K  Iles  Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R  Jackson, L  Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane  Jackson, M  Snead
Crowe  Johns  Stelly
Curtis  Katz  Strain
Damico  Kenney  Swilling
Daniel  Landrieu  Thompson
Dartez  Lucas  Toomy
Diez  McVea  Townsend
Downs  Montgomery  Triche
Erdley  Morrell  Tucker
Fannin  Morrish  Waddell
Farrar  Murray  Walker
Faucheux  Nevers  Walsworth
Flavin  Odney  Welch
Frith  Perkins  Winston
Frugé  Peychaud  Wooton
Futrell  Pierre  Wright

**NAYS**

Ansardi  Downer  Lancaster
Cazayoux  Durand  LeBlanc
Devillier  Kennard  Martiny
Doerge  LaFleur  McDonald

Total—0  ABSENT

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**House Bill No. 784 By Representative Daniel**

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 784 by Representative Daniel, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003, be adopted.

2. That the following amendments be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 9:2721.1(A)" and before the comma ",," insert "and to enact R.S. 9:5167.2"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 4, after "leases;" insert "to require the mortgagee to instruct the mortgagor regarding the cancellation of the mortgage inscription; to provide exceptions;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 6, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 9:5167.2 is hereby enacted"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, after line 9, insert the following:

"§5167.2. Cancellation of mortgage inscription

A. A mortgagee servicing agent or any holder of the note shall execute and deliver sufficient acceptable documentation, including the original note or notes, 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.

B. A mortgagee servicing agent or any holder of the note shall charge a fee for the service of executing and delivering said documentation. The fee shall be based upon the amount of the balance owed on the debt secured by the mortgage.
B. The provisions of this Section shall apply only to residential mortgages where a mortgage has been granted on a consumer’s principal dwelling to finance the acquisition or initial construction of that dwelling.

C. This Section shall not apply to collateral mortgages as defined by R.S. 9:5550 or mortgages used to secure future advances as defined in Civil Code Article 3298.

3. That the following amendment be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 15, after "property" delete the comma ",," and the remainder of the line and on line 16, delete "mineral lease"

Respectfully submitted,

Representative William B. Daniel, IV
Representative Ronnie Johns
Representative Emile “Peppi” Bruneau
Senator Mike Michot
Senator Noble Ellington

Rep. Daniel moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker   Gallot   Pinac
Alario        Glover   Pire
Alexander    Green    Powell
Arnold       Guillory Quezaire
Baldone       Hammett   Richmond
Baudoin      Heaton    Romero
Baylor          Hebert   Salter
Beard            Hill    Scalse
Bowler       Honey    Schneider
Broome     Hopkins   Schwegmann
Bruce            Hudson   Shaw
Bruneau       Hunter    Smith, G.—56th
Capella      Hutter    Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, K  Iles       Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R Jackson, L Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane        Jackson, M Sneed
Curtis         Johns    Stelly
Damico       Kenney    Strain
Daniel       LaFleur   Swilling
Dartez       Landrieu Thompson
Devillier    Lucas     Toomy
Diez           McVea    Townsend
Downs        Montgomery Triche
Erdey         Morrell   Tucker
Fannin        Morish   Walker
Farrar        Murray   Walsworth
Faucheux  Nevers   Washo
Flavin        Odinet   Winston
Frith         Perkins   Wooten
Fruge         Peychaud Wright
Futrell      Pierre

Total—92

**NAYS**

Mr. Speaker   Fruge   Pierre
Alario        Futrell  Pinac
Alexander    Gallot   Pire
Arnold       Glover    Powell
Baldone       Green    Quezaire
Baudoin      Guillory  Richmond
Baylor          Hammett  Romero
Beard            Heaton   Salter
Bowler       Hebert    Scalse
Broome     Hopkins   Schwegmann
Bruce            Honey   Shaw
Bruneau       Hopkins   Smith, G.—56th
Capella      Hudson    Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, K  Hunter    Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R       Hutter   Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane        Jackson, L Sneed
Cazayoux     Kenard    Waddell
Crowe         Lancaster
Downer       LeBlanc

Total—13

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

House Bill No. 876 By Representatives Johns and Perkins

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 876 by Representatives Johns and Perkins, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Irons and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be rejected.

2. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on June 4, 2003, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Ronnie Johns
Representative Shirley Bowler
Representative Monica Walker
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Paulette R. Irons
Senator Tom Schedler


**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker   Fruge   Pierre
Alario        Futrell  Pinac
Alexander    Gallot   Pire
Arnold       Glover    Powell
Baldone       Green    Quezaire
Baudoin      Guillory  Richmond
Baylor          Hammett  Romero
Beard            Heaton   Salter
Bowler       Hebert    Scalse
Broome     Hopkins   Schwegmann
Bruce            Honey   Shaw
Bruneau       Hopkins   Smith, G.—56th
Capella      Hudson    Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, K  Hunter    Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R       Hutter   Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane        Jackson, L Sneed
Cazayoux     Kenard    Waddell
Crowe         Lancaster
Downer       LeBlanc

Total—92

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker   Fruge   Pierre
Alario        Futrell  Pinac
Alexander    Gallot   Pire
Arnold       Glover    Powell
Baldone       Green    Quezaire
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Carter, R       Hutter   Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane        Jackson, L Sneed
Cazayoux     Kenard    Waddell
Crowe         Lancaster
Downer       LeBlanc

Total—0
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 927 By Representative Guillory

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 927 by Representative Guillory, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Mount and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Elcie J. Guillory
Representative Sydnie Mae Durand
Representative Willie Hunter, Jr.
Senator J. "Tom" Schedler
Senator Donald Hines
Senator Willie Mount

Rep. Guillory moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker       Futrell    Peychaud
Alario            Gallot     Pierre
Alexander         Glover     Pinac
Arnold            Green      Pire
Baldone           Guillory   Powell
Baudoin           Hammett   Quezaire
Baylor            Heaton     Richmond
Beard             Hebert     Romero
Bowler            Hill       Salter
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Cazayoux          Iles       Smith, J.D.—50th
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Crowe             Jackson, M  Smith, J.R.—30th
Currit            Johns      Sneed
Damico            Katz       Stelly
Daniel            Kenney     Swilling
Dartez            LaFleur    Thompson
Devillier         Landrieu   Toomy
Diez              Morrish    Walker
Downs             Montgomery Tucker
Farrar            Murray     Walsworth
Fauchex           Nevers     Welch
Flavin            Odinet     Wooton
Frith             Perkins    Wright

Total—96

NAYS

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Flavin            Odinet     Wooton
Frith             Perkins    Wright

Total—0

ABSENT

Ansardi           Downer     Martiny
Broome           Kennard    McDonald
Doerge           Lancaster  Strain

Total—9

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1331 By Representative Winston

June 20, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1331 by Representative Winston, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Dean and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Diane G. Winston
Representative Ronnie Johns
Representative Hunt Downer
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Tom Schedler
Representative Katz, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be rejected.

2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator Fields and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Kay Katz
Representative Henry "Tank" Powell
Representative John C. "Juba" Diez
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier
Senator Arthur J. Lentini


ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Diez Lucas Townsend
Downs McVea Triche
Durand Montgomery Waddell
Erdey Morrell Walker
Fannin Morrish Welch
Farrar Murray Winston
Faucheux Nevers Wooton
Flavin Odinet Wright
Frith Perkins
Total—92

NAYS

Walsworth
Total—1

ABSENT

Ansardi Green Martiny
Bruce Hill McDonald
Doerge Kennard Quezaire
Downer Lancaster Tucker
Total—12

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1935 By Representative Katz

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1935 by

Represent. Winston moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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ABSENT

Ansardi Green Martiny
Bruce Hill McDonald
Doerge Kennard Quezaire
Downer Lancaster Tucker
Total—12
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1147 By Representative Durand

June 19, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1147 by Representative Durand, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Cravins, and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Sydnie Mae Durand
Representative Kay Iles
Representative Gil J. Pinac
Senator J. "Tom" Schedler
Senator Donald R. Cravins
Senator Paulette R. Irons

Rep. Durand moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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NAYS

Mr. Speaker
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Recess

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

After Recess

Speaker Pro Tempore Bruneau called the House to order at 1:15 P.M.

ROLL CALL

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

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Wooton
Wright

ABSENT
The Speaker Pro Tempore announced there were 94 members present and a quorum.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 476: Reps. Heaton Vice Martiny.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 294: Senators C. D. Jones, Fields, and Cravins.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1476: Senators Hainkel, Tarver, and Boissiere.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1476: Senators Hainkel, Tarver, and Boissiere.

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

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 23, 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. 78, 174, 332, 500, 504, 732, and 867

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

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS
June 23, 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 House Bills:

House Bill No. 19
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 65
Returned without amendments.

House Bill No. 454
Returned without amendments.

House Bill No. 545
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 583
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 664
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 1235
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 1352
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 1383
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 1384
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 1803
Returned without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 545—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 30:2054(B)(2)(b)(ix), relative to air quality control; to provide for powers of the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for an exemption from permitting regulations for certain sources of air emissions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 664—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CAZAYOUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3049(B)(1)(b) and (2)(a) and to enact R.S. 13:3049(B)(1)(e), relative to jury service in criminal and civil trials; to increase the daily compensation for serving on a jury; to increase the jury filing fees in civil cases to the clerk of court; to increase the amount deposited into the registry of the court; to provide for an additional fee in criminal cases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Reengrossed House Bill No. 664 by Representative Cazayoux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 18 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(e)(i) The compensation of jurors in criminal matters provided for by this Subsection shall be paid from costs of court collected from every criminal defendant who is convicted after trial or who pleads guilty or no contest, or who forfeits bond in each district or parish court or in any court exercising juvenile jurisdiction, which shall be assessed as a part of the costs of court to be collected in such cases. The judge or judges for the judicial district wherein the parish, or city of New Orleans is situated shall adopt a schedule of costs that shall be applicable in each criminal case before that court to which such costs are applicable. All of such costs shall be placed, as they are collected, in a special fund that shall be maintained and be administered by the governing authority and the governing authority shall pay out of said fund the compensation for jurors in criminal matters herein provided for.

(ii) The judge or judges shall, as the needs of the special fund require, adjust the schedule of costs to insure that the proceeds are adequate to fully pay the juror compensation herein provided."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 4 in their entirety and delete lines 5 through 7 in their entirety and insert "the amount ordered by the
court pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1734.1. In all civil cases in which a civil jury trial is requested, a deposit at the time of the request shall be made in the sum of three hundred thirty-six dollars which deposit shall be applied to court costs in the case for which the request for jury trial was made. No such trial shall

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux to Reengrossed House Bill No. 664 by Representative Cazayoux

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 16, after "shall be" delete "not less than"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 17, after "dollars" delete the remainder of the line and insert "for each day of"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 20, change "fifty" to "twenty-five"

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

**ROLL CALL**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1352—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:40.2(B)(3), relative to the crime of stalking; to provide that orders issued by a magistrate prohibiting contact with the victim of the crime of stalking can serve as the basis for increased penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Engrossed House Bill No. 1352 by Representative LaFleur

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 14:40.2(B)(3)" insert "and R.S.14:122" and after "stalking" insert "and retaliation against an elected office"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 5, after "penalties;" insert "to provide for the crime of retaliation of an elected official and to provide for penalties;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, after line 5, insert the following:

> "Section 2.  R.S. 14:122 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

**§14:122. Public intimidation and Retaliation**

A. Public intimidation is the use of violence, force, or threats upon any of the following persons, with the intent to influence his conduct in relation to his position, employment, or duty:

*          *          *

B. Retaliation against elected official is the use of violence, force or threats upon a person who is elected to public office, where:

   (1) the violence, force or threat is related to the duties of the elected official.

   (2) Is in retaliation or retribution for actions taken by the elected official as part of his official duties.

   C. Whoever commits the crime of public intimidation or retaliation against an elected official shall be fined not more than one thousand dollars, or imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for not more than five years, or both."

Rep. LaFleur moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.
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The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 545—

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 30:2054(B)(2)(b)(ix), relative to air quality control; to provide for powers of the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for an exemption from permitting regulations for certain sources of air emissions; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Environmental Quality to Reengrossed House Bill No. 545 by Representative Daniel

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 30:2054(B)(2)(b)(ix)" insert ", (9) and (10)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 5, after "emissions;" insert "to provide for permits by rule and expedited permit review of certain minor air emissions;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 7, after "R.S. 30:2054(B)(2)(b)(ix)" insert ", (9) and (10)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

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

\[
(9)(a) \text{To develop permits by rule for certain temporary air emissions of less than one hundred eighty days in duration provided the conditions in Subparagraph (b) are satisfied.}
\]

\[
(9)(b)(i) \text{A permit by rule cannot be used for any facility which is a new major stationary source or for any major modification of an existing source subject to the New Source Review (NSR) requirements of the Federal Clean Air Act.}
\]

\[
(9)(b)(ii) \text{A facility shall comply with all applicable provisions of Section 3 (New Source Performance Standards) and Section 112 (Hazardous Air Pollutants) of the Federal Clean Air Act.}
\]

\[
(9)(b)(iii) \text{Use of a permit by rule may be precluded by specific permit conditions contained within a Federal Clean Air Act Part 70 Operating Permit.}
\]

\[
(9)(b)(iv) \text{A permit by rule may not authorize the maintenance of a nuisance or a danger to public health or safety. All emissions control equipment shall be maintained in good condition and operated properly.}
\]

\[
(10) \text{To develop rules and regulations providing for an expedited review process for permit applications with minor air emissions.}\
\]

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

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article V, Section 23(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize a judge who reaches the mandatory retirement age of seventy prior to finishing his term of office to complete that current term; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1235—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CAZAYOUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4574.1-A(I), relative to the occupancy taxes levied by certain tourist commissions; to authorize certain tourist commissions to increase such taxes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 1235 by Representative Cazayoux

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "date;" insert "to require ordinances by local governing authorities and a vote of the electorate before the tax may be levied and collected;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 10, after "I" insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, between lines 16 and 17 insert the following:

"(2) Before the additional tax authorized by this Subsection may be levied and collected by the commission, the following shall occur:

(i) The governing authority shall enact an ordinance approving the additional tax levied by the commission.

(ii) A majority of the electors residing in the district shall vote to approve the additional tax levied by the commission."

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Perkins
Alario Futrell Peychaud
Alexander Gallot Pierre
Ansardi Glover Pinac
Arnold Green Pitre
Baldone Guillory Powell
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Downs McDonald Waddell
Durand McVea Walker
Erdey Montgomery Walsworth
Fannin Morrell Welch
Farrar Morrish Winston
Faucheux Murray Wooton
Flavin Nevers Wright
Total—100

NAYS

Alexander Gallot Pierre
Ansardi Glover Pinac
Arnold Green Pitre
Baldone Guillory Powell
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Erdey Montgomery Welch
Fannin Morrell Wooton
Farrar Morrish Wooton
Faucheux Murray Wright
Flavin Nevers Wright
Frith Odinet
Total—99

NAYS

ABSENT

Doerge Kennard Schneider
Green Lancaster Strain
Total—6
Total—0

ABSENT

Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Baldone
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Perkins

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1383—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 279, relative to extradition costs and expenses; to provide that a person’s commercial surety shall pay the expenses of extradition; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Engrossed House Bill No. 1383 by Representative Durand

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after “extradition” delete the semicolon and insert “under certain circumstances; to establish a time period in which such payment shall be made;”

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 14, and insert the following:

"A. Necessary Whenever a person has been released on bail pursuant to a commercial surety bond and is subsequently located in another state, the reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in having that person returned to the parish in which charges are pending against him, whether through extradition proceedings or otherwise, shall be paid by the commercial surety provided that the surety was given notice of extradition or waiver of extradition and was provided seventy-two hours to return the person to the parish at his cost. Payment of these expenses shall be due within thirty days after written notice thereof has been given to the surety at the address provided pursuant to Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 322. The commercial surety shall not be relieved of his obligation on the bond until the commercial surety has paid said reasonable and necessary costs for the return of the wanted person.

B. Except as provided in Paragraph (A) of this Article, the necessary and reasonable expenses connected with an extradition in all other cases shall be paid by the authority for whom it was requested.”

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Futrell
Peychaud
Glover
Pierre

Total—94

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, K
Devillier
Doerge
Frige

Total—11

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1384—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 339, relative to types of bail; to provide that defendants may combine different types of bail; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Engrossed House Bill No. 1384 by Representative Durand

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, after “combination” insert “or percentage”

Rep. Durand moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.
ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Odet
Alario Futrell Perkins
Alexander Gallot Peychaud
Ansardi Glover Pierre
Arnold Green Pinac
Baldone Guillory Pierre
Baudoin Hammett Powell
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Durand McDonald Walker
Erdey McVea Walsworth
Fannin Montgomery Welch
Farrar Morrell Winston
Faucheux Morish Wooton
Flavin Murray Wright
Frith Nevers
Total—98

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, R Lancaster Waddell
Doerge Strain
Kennard Swilling
Total—7

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 583—

By Representatives Farrar, Cazayoux, Hopkins, and Thompson

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article XII, Section 6(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Lottery Proceeds Fund; to require annual appropriation of certain monies in the Lottery Proceeds Fund for the minimum foundation program and services for compulsive and problem gaming; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator CD Jones to Reengrossed House Bill No. 583 by Representative Farrar, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 6 through 8 and insert the following:

“fund for any purpose:

(a) The first Five hundred thousand dollars for services related to compulsive and problem gaming, as may be provided by law.

(b) The next one hundred million dollars for the purposes of the minimum foundation program.

(c) The next five million dollars for educational enhancements for the poorest performing schools, as may be provided by law.

(d) After satisfying the provisions of Subparagraphs (a) through (c) of this Paragraph, for the purposes of the minimum foundation program.”

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, delete lines 16 through 20 and insert the following:

“appropriated by the legislature as follows: five hundred thousand dollars for services related to compulsive and problem gaming, one hundred million dollars for the minimum foundation program for public elementary and secondary schools, five million dollars for educational enhancement programs for the poorest performing schools, and after satisfying the previous allocations, the minimum foundation formula program. (Effective July 1, 2004) (Amends Article XII, Section)”

Rep. Farrar moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be rejected.
Devillier LeBlanc Toomy
Diez Lucas Townsend
Downer Martiny Triche
Downs McDonald Tucker
Durand McVea Waddell
Erdey Montgomery Walker
Fannin Morrell Walsworth
Farrar Morrish Welch
Faucheux Murray Winston
Flavin Nevers Wooton
Frith Odinet Wright

Total—102

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Doerge Kennard Lancaster

Total—3

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 583: Reps. Farrar, LeBlanc, and Triche.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 331: Reps. Peychaud, Martiny, and Morrell.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 331: Reps. Heaton Vice Martiny.

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article V, Section 23(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize a judge who reaches the mandatory retirement age of seventy prior to finishing his term of office to complete that current term; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Reengrossed House Bill No. 19 by Representative Frith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, lines 2 and 12, change “2005” to “2004”

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith Odinet
Alario Fruge Perkins
Alexander Futrell Peychaud
Ansardi Gallot Pierre
Arnold Glover Pinac
Baldone Green Pitre
Baudoin Guillory Powell
Baylor Hammett Quezaire
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Farrar Morrell Walsworth
Faucheux Nevers Wooton
Flavin Nevers Wright

Total—96

NAYS

Bowler Walsworth

Total—2

ABSENT

Doerge Lancaster Tucker
Hunter Murray
Kennard Richmond

Total—7

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

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

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

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 138 By Representative Triche

June 22, 2003
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 138 by Representative Triche, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Retirment and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2003, be adopted.

2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator C. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Warren J. Triche, Jr.
Representative Tom McVea
Representative Pete Schneider
Senator Lambert Boissiere, Jr.
Senator D. A. "Butch" Gautreaux
Senator Charles D. Jones

Rep. Triche moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gallot Pierre
Alario Glover Pinac
Alexander Green Pitre
Ansardi Guillory Powell
Arnold Hammett Quezaire
Baldone Heaton Richmond
Baudoin Hebert Romero
Bayor Hill Salter
Brower Honey Scalise
Browne Hopkins Schneider
Bruce Hudson Schwegmann
Bruneau Hunter Shaw
Capella Hutter Smith, G.—56th
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Carter, R Jackson, L Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux Jackson, M Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe Katz Sneed
Curtis Kenney Stelly
Damico LaFleur Strain
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Farrar Morrish Welch
Faucheux Murray Winston
Flavin Nevers Wooton
Frith Odinet Wright
Frugé Perkins
Futrell Peychaud

Total—97
NAYS

Total—0
ABSENT

Beard Doerge Lancaster
Crane Johns Swilling
Dartez Kennard

Total—8

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 201 By Representative Walker

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 201 by Representative Walker, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 4, proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs and adopted on June 05, 2003, be adopted.

2. That Senate Committee Amendments No. 5, proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs and adopted on June 05, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the Legislative Bureau Amendments, proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on June 9, 2003, be adopted.

4. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, at the end of line 5, delete the period "." and insert the following:

"who shall be nominated by the Louisiana AFL-CIO."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Monica Walker
Representative Sharon Weston Broome
Representative Michael Walsworth
Senator J. Ken Hollis, Jr.
Senator Donald Hines
Senator William Joseph McPherson, Jr.

Rep. Walker moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Speaker DeWitt in the Chair

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 236 By Representative Townsend

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 236 by Representative Townsend, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003 be adopted.

2. That the following amendments be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after “To” insert "amend and reenact R.S. 56:171(A) and to”

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, before “and to” insert “to provide relative to raising and selling wildlife;”

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Amendment No. 3 of the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, on line 10, after “Section 2.” insert "R.S. 56:171(A) is hereby amended and reenacted and”

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Amendment No. 3 of the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, after line 20, add the following:

§171. Wildlife; business of raising and selling; breeder's license

A. Whoever desires to engage in raising, selling, or raising and selling domestic white-tailed deer or other domesticated deer native to North America; squirrels, rabbits, or other wild game quadrupeds; pheasants, quail, doves, or other domesticated wild game birds; domesticated wild waterfowl, resident or migratory; or their parts, on breeding farms or propagating preserves of which he is the owner or lessee, shall apply to the secretary for a license to do so. Provided that commission requirements have been satisfied, including payment of a fee of twenty-five dollars, a license shall be issued permitting the applicant to breed and propagate such animals and sell them alive, or in the case of domesticated wild game birds, to release them or to sell their parts and to kill and transport them and sell their carcasses for food, as hereinafter provided in this Subpart.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative T. Taylor Townsend
Representative Wilfred Pierre
Senator Craig F. Romero
Senator Joe McPherson
Senator Robert Marionneaux, Jr.

Rep. Townsend moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Glover Peychaud
Alario Green Pierre
Ansardi Guillory Pinac

NAYS

Total—101

ARSEN

Total—0

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.
### Conference Committee Report

House Bill No. 409 By Representative Martiny

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 409 by Representative Martiny, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 4, 2003 be rejected.

2. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 409 By Representative Martiny

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 409 by Representative Martiny, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 4, 2003 be rejected.

2. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 and 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"amend and reenact R.S. 27:371, relative to the Louisiana Gaming Control Law; to prohibit the game of poker to be offered on slot machines at eligible horse racing facilities; to provide for a reduction in the number of slot machines offering the game of poker; to provide that this reduction shall be phased in over a period of years; and to provide for related"

### Total—92

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The roll was called with the following result:

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:
Mr. Speaker Fruge Pierre
Alario Gallot Pinac
Ansardi Glover Pitre
Arnold Green Quezaire
Baldone Guillory Richmond
Baylor Hammett Romero
Bowler Heaton Schwegmann
Bruce Hebert Shaw
Bruneau Honey Smith, G.—56th
Capella Hopkins Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, H Hudson Smith, J.H.—30th
Carter, K Hutter Smith, J.H.—8th
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Devillier Martiny Triche
Downer McDonald Waddell
Durand Montgomery Walker
Farrar Morrish Welch
Faucheux Murray Winston
Flavin Odinet Wooton
Frith Peychaud

Total—71 YEAS

Alexander Hill Salter
Baudoin Iles Schneider
Beard Kenney Strain
Broome LeBlanc Thompson
Crowe Lucas Tucker
Diez Nevers Wright
Erdey Perkins
Frutrell Powell

Total—25 NAYS

Doerge Hunter Lancaster
Downs Katz Morrell
Fannin Kennard Scalise

Total—9 ABSENT

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 604 By Representative Devillier

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conference appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 604 by Representative Devillier, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 6 proposed by Senator McPherson and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator C. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

3. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by Senator Fields and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Devillier moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Peychaud
Alario Futrell Pierre
Alexander Gallot Pinac
Ansardi Glover Pitre
Arnold Guillory Powell
Baldone Hammett Quezaire
Baudoin Heaton Richmond
Baylor Hebert Shaw
Bruneau Honey Smith, G.—56th
Bruce Hopkins Schneider
Carter, H Hudson Schwegmann
Carter, K Jackson, L Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R Jackson, M Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux Jackson, M Smith, J.H.—30th
Crane Johns Sneed
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Diez Lucas Townsend
Downer McDonald Triche
Downs McVea Tucker
Durand Montgomery Waddell
Erdey Morrish Welch
Fannin Murray Wooton
Farrar Morrell Wright
Frith Perkins

Total—98 NAYS

Total—0 ABSENT

Doerge Hunter Lancaster
Fannin Kennard Walsworth
The Conference Committee Report, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 812 By Representative Townsend
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 812 by Representative Townsend, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Smith and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative T. Taylor Townsend
Representative Wilfred Pierre
Representative Jack D. Smith
Senator Craig F. Romero
Senator Mike Smith
Senator Noble E. Ellington

Rep. Townsend moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker               Gallot               Pierre
Alario                   Glover               Pinac
Alexander                 Green               Pitre
Ansardi                   Guillot              Powell
Arnold                   Hammett              Quezaire
Baldone                   Heaton               Richmond
Baydor                    Hebert              Romero
Beard                      Hill               Salter
Bowler                    Honey               Scalise
Broome                    Hopkins             Schneider
Bruce                       Hudson             Schwegmann
Bruneau                   Hunter              Shaw
Capella                   Hutter               Smith, G.—56th
Carter, K                Iles                 Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R                Jackson, L           Smith, J.H.—8th
Carayoux                 Jackson, M           Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane                      Katz               Sneed
Curtis                    Kenney             Stelly
Damico                   LaFleur             Strain
Daniel                    Landrieu            Swilling
Dartez                    LeBlanc             Thompson
Devillier                  Lucas               Toomy
Diez                       Martiny            Townsend
Downer                    McDonald            Triche
Downs                      McVea               Tucker
Durand                    Montgomery           Waddell
Erdey                       Morrell           Walker
Fannin                    Morrish             Walsworth

Total—98

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 862 By Representatives Alario and Daniel
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 862 by Representatives Alario and Daniel, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Amendment Nos. 1, 2, and 3 in the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be adopted.

2. That Amendment No. 4 in the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"J. In addition to all other forms of compensation which are authorized for assessors under the provisions of this Section, any assessor may increase his annual compensation by an amount not to exceed seven thousand dollars."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative John A. Alario, Jr.
Representative Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.
Representative Billy Montgomery
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier
Senator Robert J. Barham
Senator Lambert Boissiere, Jr.

Rep. Alario moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**House Bill No. 892 By Representative Hammett**

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 892 by Representative Hammett, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Amendment Nos. 2 through 4, 6, and 8 through 15 in the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2003, be adopted.

2. That Amendment Nos. 1, 5, and 7 in the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line, and insert the following:

"R.S. 47:6007(B)(1) and (C)(1), R.S. 51:1787(A)(1), (B)(5), (C)(1), (D)(5), (H)(4), and 2453(4) and to enact R.S. 47:303(H) and 6007(C)(4) and (5),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 3, line 3, after "Section 3." change "R.S. 47:6007(C)(4) is" to "R.S. 47:6007(B)(1) and (C)(1) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 47:303(H) and 6007(C)(4) and (5) are"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 3, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"B. Definitions. For the purposes of this Section:

(1) "Base investment" shall mean eighty-five percent of the funds actually invested and expended within the state as production-related costs.

* * *

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 3, delete line 6, and insert the following:

"C. Investment tax credit; specific projects. (1) There is hereby authorized a tax credit against state income tax for taxpayers domiciled in the state of Louisiana, other than motion picture production companies. The tax credit shall be earned by investors at the time of such investment in such state-certified productions and calculated as a percentage of the investment according to the total base investment dollars certified per project.

(a) For state-certified productions approved by the Louisiana Film and Video Commission, or its successor, before January 1, 2004, if total base investment is greater than three hundred thousand dollars and less than or equal to one million dollars, each taxpayer shall be allowed a tax credit of ten percent of the actual investment made by that taxpayer.

(b) For state-certified productions approved by the Louisiana Film and Video Commission, or its successor, before January 1, 2004, if the total base investment is greater than one million dollars, each taxpayer shall be allowed a tax credit of fifteen percent of the investment made by that taxpayer."
(c) For state-certified productions approved by the Louisiana Film and Video Commission, or its successor, on or after January 1, 2004:

(i) If the total base investment is greater than three hundred thousand dollars and less than or equal to eight million dollars, each taxpayer shall be allowed a tax credit of ten percent of the actual investment made by that taxpayer.

(ii) If the total base investment is greater than eight million dollars, each taxpayer shall be allowed a tax credit of fifteen percent of the actual investment made by that taxpayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.
Representative Steve Scalise
Representative Emile "Peppi" Bruneau
Senator Ken Hollis
Senator Robert Adley
Senator Paullette Irons

Rep. Hammett moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker   Futrell    Pierre
Alario        Gallot     Pinac
Alexander     Glover     Pire
Ansardi       Green      Powell
Arnold        Guillory   Quezaire
Baldone       Hammett   Richmond
Baudoin       Heaton     Romero
Baylor        Hebert     Salter
Beard         Hill       Scalise
Bowler        Honey      Schneider
Broome        Hopkins    Schwegmann
Bruce         Hudson     Shaw
Bruneau       Hunter     Smith, G.—56th
Capella       Hutter     Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, K     Iles       Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R     Jackson, L Smith, J.R.—30th
Cazayoux     Jackson, M Sneed
Crane         Johns      Steely
Crowe         Katz       Strain
Curtis        Kenney     Swilling
Damico        LaFleur    Thompson
Daniel        Landrieu  Toomy
Devillier     LeBlanc    Townsend
Diez          Lucas      Tiche
Downer        Martin     Tucker
Downs         McDonald   Waddell
Durand        McVea      Walker
Erdey         Montgomery Walsworth
Fannin        Morrell    Welch
Farrar        Morris     Winston
Faucheux      Murray     Wooton
Flavin        Nevers     Wright
Frith         Odinet    
Fruge         Perkins

Total—100

NAYS

Dartez        Kenndard   Peychaud
Doerge        Lancaster

Total—5

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1204 By Representative Montgomery

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1204 by Representative Montgomery, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Billy Montgomery
Representative Pete Schneider, III
Representative Rick Gallot
Senator Lambert Boissiere, Jr.
Senator Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.
Senator D. A. "Butch" Gauthreaux

Rep. Montgomery moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker   Futrell    Peychaud
Alario        Gallot     Pierre
Alexander     Glover     Pinac
Arnold        Green      Pire
Baldone       Guillory   Powell
Baudoin       Hammett   Quezaire
Baylor        Heaton     Romero
Beard         Hebert     Salter
Bowler        Hill       Scalise
Broome        Honey      Schneider
Bruce         Hopkins    Schwegmann
Bruneau       Hunter     Shaw
Capella       Hunter     Smith, G.—56th
Carter, K     Iles       Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R     Jackson, L Smith, J.R.—30th
Cazayoux     Jackson, M Sneed
Crane         Johns      Strain
Crowe         Katz       Tiche
Curtis        Kenney     Tucker
Downs         McDonald   Waddell
Durand        McVea      Walker
Erdey         Montgomery Walsworth
Fannin        Morrell    Welch
Farrar        Morris     Winston
Faucheux      Murray     Wooton
Flavin        Nevers     Wright
Frith         Odinet    
Fruge         Perkins

Total—100

NAYS
Dartez LeBlanc Townsend
Devillier Lucas Triche
Diez McDonald Tucker
Downs McVea Waddell
Durand Montgomery Walker
Erdey Morrell Walsworth
Fannin Morish Welch
Farrar Murray Winston
Faucheux Nevers Wooton
Flavin Odinet Wright
Frith Perkins

Total—95

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Ansardi Jackson, M Richmond
Doerge Kennard Stelly
Downer Lancaster
Frugé Martiny

Total—10

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1416 By Representative Gallot

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1416 by Representative Gallot, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be adopted.

2. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 2 and 3 proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, after "plan;" and before "and to" insert "to allow certain municipal and parochial elected officials and certain related persons and legal entities to enter into certain transactions regarding certain property; to require certain written notice of such transactions; to require recusal from voting;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, after "reenacted" and before "to read" insert "and R.S. 42:1123(32) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following: "(32) A member of a municipal or parish governing authority in a parish or municipality with a population of twenty-five thousand persons or less according to the latest federal decennial census or a member of such elected official's immediate family or a legal entity in which he has a controlling interest from making application for the approval of the subdivision or resubdivision of property and for the zoning of such property or for a building permit and any inspections performed pursuant thereto, provided that (a) the zoning of such subdivided property shall not be less restrictive than the zoning of the original parcel, (b) no variance or special exception from any planning or zoning regulation or requirement or any building code or permit shall be requested or granted, (c) the subdivision, resubdivision, or zoning of such property shall be for residential purposes only, (d) the application or applications submitted by or on behalf of the elected official, a member of his immediate family, or legal entity in which he has a controlling interest, collectively, shall be limited to the subdivision, resubdivision, or zoning of not more than twelve lots per calendar year and the construction of not more than twelve residential units per calendar year, (e) no public funds shall be used to construct any infrastructure for the use or benefit of such property or development, (f) the elected official shall file written notice containing all details regarding the transaction deemed necessary by the Board of Ethics with his governing authority and with the Board of Ethics no later than ten days prior to any hearing pertaining to any such application, or if no hearing is held pertaining to such application, shall file such notice at least ten days prior to final action on any such application, and (g) any such member of a governing authority shall recuse himself from any vote related to such application and shall not participate in any other aspect of the application or transaction."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Rick Gallot
Representative Donald J. Cazayoux
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator John Hainkel


ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Guillory Odinet
Alario Hammett Peychaud
Ansardi Heaton Pierre
Arnold Hebert Pinac
Baldone Honey Pitre
Broome Hunter Richmond
Capella Hutter Romero
Carter, K Iles Smith, G.—56th
Carter, R Jackson, L Smith, J.D.—50th
Curtis Jackson, M Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico Johns Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel Kenney Sneed
Dartez LaFleur Stelly
Devillier Landrieu Strain
Diez Lucas Swilling
Erdey Landry Thompson
Farrar Landry Townsend
Faucheux LeBlanc Townsend
Flavin McVea Walker
We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1944 by Representative Montgomery, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That all of the Senate Floor Amendments of the set of Senate Floor Amendments consisting of thirteen amendments proposed by Senator Adley and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003 be rejected.

2. That all of the Senate Floor Amendments of the set of Senate Floor Amendments consisting of thirteen amendments proposed by Senator Adley and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2003 be rejected.

3. That the set of Legislative Bureau Amendments proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2003 be rejected.

4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

   **AMENDMENT NO. 1**
   
   On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 through 7 in their entirety and insert the following:
   
   "R.S. 27:93(A)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (i) and (7) and (B), relative to admission fees for riverboats; to provide for the levying of admission fees in Bossier Parish in certain cases; and to".

   **AMENDMENT NO. 2**
   
   On page 1, line 13, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 14 and 15 in their entirety and insert the following:
   
   "R.S. 27:93(A)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (i) and (7) and (B) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:"

   **AMENDMENT NO. 3**
   
   On page 1, delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety

   **AMENDMENT NO. 4**
   
   Delete pages 2 and 3 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

   "A.(1) The local governing authority of the parish or municipality in which the licensed berth of a riverboat is located may levy an admission fee of up to two and one-half dollars for each passenger boarding or embarking upon a riverboat; provided that in Bossier Parish, other than in Bossier City, and Caddo Parish an admission fee of up to three dollars may be levied. The governing authority of Bossier City, for each riverboat located in Bossier City in Bossier Parish, shall levy an assessment in the amount of four and five-tenths percent of the monthly net gaming proceeds as defined in R.S. 27:44(15) as the admission fee. For purposes of this Section, "licensed berth" shall mean the berth, dock, facility, or boarding area
from which a riverboat excursion is authorized to originate by the commission or from which a riverboat is authorized by the commission to operate.

(2) Funds derived from the admission fee which the local governing authority of the parishes of Caddo and Bossier or the municipalities of Shreveport and Bossier City may levy for each passenger in accordance with Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, when the riverboat is licensed to operate within their jurisdiction, shall be allocated as follows:

(a) Eighty percent of the revenues collected within the parish of Bossier, other than Bossier City, to the governing authority where the boat is located; sixty-nine percent of the revenues collected within the parish of Caddo to the governing authority where the boat is located.

(i) In Bossier Parish, other than Bossier City, if the local governing authority levies an additional fifty-cent admission fee as authorized by Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the funds derived from this additional fee shall be used in their entirety for the parish road fund and shall be used to provide that Airline Drive from I-220 to the Linton Road Cutoff be made into a four-lane highway. After this project has been completed, the funds derived from this additional fee shall be used for general use in the parish road fund.

(7) In Bossier Parish, if the local governing authority levies an additional admission fee, or the equivalent, as authorized by Paragraph (1) of this Subsection on riverboats initially licensed for operation after January 1, 1997, the funds derived from the three-dollar boarding fee, or the equivalent. The admission fee which the governing authority of Bossier City shall levy for any riverboat located within Bossier City in Bossier Parish shall be four and five-tenths percent of the monthly net gaming proceeds from each riverboat. The funds derived from the assessment of the monthly net gaming proceeds shall be allocated as follows:

(a) Two dollars Two and ninety-five hundredths percent of the monthly net gaming proceeds to the city of Bossier City.

(b) Fifty cents Sixty-three hundredths percent of the monthly net gaming proceeds to the parish road fund for four-laning Airline Drives; and after this project has been completed, the funds derived from this fee shall be used for general use by the parish road fund.

(c) Twenty-five cents Fifty-six hundredths percent of the monthly net gaming proceeds to the Bossier Educational Excellence Fund, as provided for in R.S. 17:408.2.

(d) Twenty cents Twenty hundredths percent of the monthly net gaming proceeds to the Bossier Parish Juvenile Detention Center operation.

(e) Five cents Four hundredths percent of the monthly net gaming proceeds to the Johnny Gray Jones Youth Shelter and Bossier Parish Juvenile Detention Center operation.

(f) Twelve hundredths percent of the monthly net gaming proceeds to the Greater Bossier Economic Development Foundation.

B. Other than to levy the admission fee, or the assessment of the monthly net gaming proceeds by the governing authority of Bossier City in Bossier Parish, authorized by Subsection A of this Section, no local governing authority may license or regulate the operation of riverboats and the gaming operations conducted thereon.

Section 2. Nothing contained in the provisions of this Act shall operate to impair the obligation of any contract previously executed by the city of Bossier City and/or the Bossier Police Jury which is in effect on the effective date of this Act.

Respectfully submitted,
Representative Billy Montgomery
Representative Daniel R. Martiny
Representative Lydia P. Jackson
Senator Robert Adley
Senator Donald R. Cravins
Senator Max T. Malone

Rep. Montgomery moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker        Glover        Pierre
Alario             Green         Pinac
Alexander          Guillory      Pire
Arnold             Hammett       Powell
Baldone            Heaton        Quezaire
Baucoin            Hebert        Richmond
Baylor             Hill           Romero
Bowler             Honey         Saltier
Bruce              Hopkins       Schwiegmann
Brneau             Hudson        Shaw
Capella            Hunter        Smith, G.—56th
Carter, K          Hutter        Smith, J.D.—50th
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Cazayoux           Jackson, L    Smith, J.R.—30th
Cran              Johns           Sneed
Crowe              Kenney         Stelly
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Dartez             Lucas         Toomy
Devillier          Martiny       Townsend
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Durand             McVea         Tucker
Erdey              Montgomery     Waddell
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Faucheux           Morrish       Walsworth
Flavin             Murray        Welch
Firth             Nevers         Winston
Fruge             Odinet        Wooton
Futrell            Perkins       Wright
Gallot             Peychaud

Total—92

NAYS

Downs             Katz
Fannin            Schneider

Total—4

ABSENT

Ansardi           Diez           Kennard
Beard             Doerge        Lancaster
Broome           Jackson, M    Scalise

Total—9

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 2004 By Representative Crowe

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 2004 by Representative Crowe, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. Committee amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2003, be adopted.

2. Floor amendment nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Senator Thomas and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be adopted.

3. Floor amendment no. 3, proposed by Senator Thomas and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be rejected.

4. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, after line 10, add the following:

§1138.1. Specialty limited lines credit insurance

A. No producer shall sell, solicit, or negotiate credit life, credit health and accident, or credit property and casualty insurance pursuant to a specialty limited lines credit insurance producer license other than (i) in connection with retail sales transactions not exceeding ten thousand dollars per retail sales transaction; or (ii) as provided by rules and regulations adopted by the commissioner of insurance.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative A. G. Crowe
Representative Troy Hebert
Representative T. Taylor Townsend
Senator Tom Schedler
Senator Gregory Tarver

Rep. Crowe moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Fruge  Peychaud
Alario  Futrell  Pierre
Ansardi  Gallot  Pitre
Arnold  Glover  Powell
Baldone  Green  Quezaire
Baudoin  Guillory  Richmond
Baylor  Hammett  Romero
Beard  Heaton  Salter
Bowler  Hebert  Scalise
Broome  Hill  Schneider
Bruce  Honey  Schwegmann
Bruneau  Hopkins  Shaw
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Crane  Jackson, M  Sneed
Crowe  Johns  Stelly
Curts  Katz  Strain
Dannico  Kenney  Swilling
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Dartez  LeBlanc  Toomy
Deviller  Lucas  Townsend
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Faucheux  Nevers  Wright
Flavin  Odinet
Frith  Perkins
Total—97

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Alexander  Kennard  Pinac
Doerge  LaFleur  Walsworth
Hutter  Lancaster
Total—8

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, 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
SENATE BILL NO. 1099—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 49:321.1, relative to state funds; to provide with respect to the authority of the treasurer to manage state funds; to authorize the reinvestment of cash collateral; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative LeBlanc to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1099 by Senator Dardenne

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before the comma ",", delete "enact R.S. 49:321.1" and insert:
"amend and reenact R.S. 39:97(B), to enact R.S. 29:731.1 and R.S. 49:321.1, and to repeal R.S. 17:3042.8 and R.S. 39:137(F) and (G) and R.S. 39:137"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 4, after "collateral;" delete the remainder of the line and insert:
"to correct an incorrect reference to the Budget Stabilization Fund; to create the State Disaster or Emergency Relief Fund in the state treasury and to provide for deposit of monies into the fund and for the use of such monies; to repeal certain obsolete funds; to provide for the transfer of certain monies to the State General Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert:
"Section 1. R.S. 29:731.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:
§731.1. State Disaster or Emergency Relief Fund

A. There is hereby established in the state treasury the "State Disaster or Emergency Relief Fund", hereinafter referred to in this Section as the "fund". The fund shall be administered by the Military Department, office of homeland security and emergency preparedness.

B. The sources of monies deposited in the fund shall be funds from specific legislative appropriations and from donations, gifts, grants, and matching or other funds provided by regional or local governments. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the State General Fund, an amount equal to that deposited as provided in this Subsection and monies appropriated by the legislature shall be credited to this fund, again following compliance with the requirements of Article VII, relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund.

C. Monies in the fund shall be used for declared disasters or emergencies or both including use as state match requirements for the payment of claims submitted and approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Section 2. R.S. 39:97(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
§97. Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund

* * *

B. After making the allocations provided for in Subsection A of this Section, the treasurer shall then deposit in and credit to the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund any such remaining revenues. Any revenues deposited in and credited to the fund shall be considered mineral revenues from severance taxes, royalty payments, bonus payments, or rentals for purposes of determining deposits and credits to be made in and to the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund as provided in Article VII, Section 10.2 of the Constitution of Louisiana. Any revenues deposited in and credited to the fund shall not be considered mineral revenues for purposes of the Budget Stabilization/Mineral Trust Fund as provided in Article VII, Section 10.3 of the Constitution of Louisiana. Money in the fund shall be invested as provided by law. The earnings realized in each fiscal year on the investment of monies in the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund shall be deposited in and credited to the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund.

* * *

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, at the beginning of line 7, change "Section 1." to "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, between lines 11 and 12, insert:
"Section 4. R.S. 17:3042.8 is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 5.A. R.S. 39:137(F) and (G) are hereby repealed in their entirety.

B. R.S. 39:137 is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 6. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer any unexpended and unobligated balance in the Teacher Preparation Loan Fund to the State General Fund. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, any agency receiving repayments for loans made through or with funds from the Teacher Preparation Loan Fund shall forward any such payments to the state treasurer for deposit in the State General Fund.

Section 7. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer any amounts held in the state treasury to the account of or for the benefit of the Louisiana Employment Opportunity Loan Program to the State General Fund.

Section 8. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer any

State General Fund, and interest earned on the investment of these monies shall be credited to this fund, again following compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B), relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund.
unexpended and unencumbered balance in the Deficit Elimination/Capital Outlay Escrow Replenishment Fund to the State General Fund.

Section 9. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary and specifically notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 27:270(B), the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer any unexpended and unobligated balance in the Casino Gaming Proceeds Fund to the State General Fund.

Section 10. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary and specifically notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 46:114.4(E), the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer Five Hundred Thousand Dollars of the unexpended and unencumbered balance in the Fraud Detection Fund at the end of the 2002-2003 Fiscal Year to the State General Fund.

Section 11. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary and specifically notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 22:1077(C), unexpended and unencumbered monies in the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund at the close of the 2002-2003 Fiscal Year shall not revert to the State General Fund and shall remain in the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund.

Section 12. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary and specifically notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 22:1077(C), the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer the unexpended and unencumbered balance in the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund, which balance is attributable to the 2002-2003 Fiscal Year, to the State General Fund."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the beginning of line 12, delete "Section 2. This" and insert the following:

Section 13. Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5(A), 6, 7, 11, and 13 of this"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 15, after "Louisiana" change the period ",." to a semicolon "," and change "If" to "if"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 16, change "this Act" to "Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5(A), 6, 7, 11, and 13 of this Act"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, at the end of line 17, insert the following:

"Sections 8, 9, 10, and 12 of this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2003; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, Sections 8, 9, 10, and 12 of this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2003, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later. Section 5(B) of this Act shall become effective on August 15, 2003."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:
provide for penalties for filing certain forged documents or false statements; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Landrieu moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 809—
BY SENATOR JOHNSON

To enact R.S. 51:2303(11), relative to economic development; to define the term "Louisiana Entrepreneurial Business"; to provide for qualifications; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Pinac to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 809 by Senator Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "51:" and before "2303" insert "1787(J) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "qualifications;" insert "to provide for enterprise zones;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "51:" and before "hereby" delete "2303(11) is" and insert "1787(J) and 2303(11) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7 insert the following"

"§1787. Incentives

* * *

(J) For purposes of filing the application provided for in Paragraphs (A)(1) and (C)(1) of this Section, the business filing the application, upon request, shall receive a thirty day extension of time in which to file its application, provided such request for extension is received by the Department of Revenue prior to the expiration of such filing period. The Department of Revenue is also authorized to grant the business an additional extension of time, not to exceed sixty days, in which to file its application provided that the business shows reasonable cause for granting such extension.

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Downs  Lucas  Triche
Durand  Martin  Waddell
Erdey  McVea  Walker
Fannin  Montgomery  Welch
Farrar  Morrell  Wooton
Flavin  Murray
Total—83

Alexander  Johns  Stelly
Bowler  Kennard  Toomy
Devillier  Lancaster  Tucker
Doerge  McDonald  Walsworth
Downer  Morrish  Winston
Faucheux  Romero  Wright
Frugue  Shaw
Futrell  Smith, G.—56th
Total—22

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Pinac 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. 1122—
BY SENATOR JOHNSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 33:9074(D), and (D)(3), (4), and (5), (E), and (H)(2), relative to the Spring Lake Subdivision Improvement District; to provide for a majority approval of any fees or taxes imposed within the district; to extend the taxing authority; to authorize a collection fee for the city; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Richmond to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1122 by Senator Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, delete "(D)(3), (4), and (5), (E)," and insert ":(E)(1)(a) and (2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 8 through 20 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, delete lines 16 through 26 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, delete lines 1 through 5 in their entirety and insert:

** Motion 

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

Motion

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

SENATE BILL NO. 60—
BY SENATOR LENTINI
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article I, Section 4 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the right to property; to provide that no person may enter or remain in or upon the private property of another without authorization, either express, legal or implied; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Farrar to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 60 by Senator Lentini

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Change author from "LENTINI" to "MCPHERSON"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, change "amend" to "add"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 2, change "Section 4" to "Section 27"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 3, after "property;" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 4 and 5 in their entirety and insert the following: "to provide for the right to the wildlife property of the state; to preserve the freedom to hunt, fish and trap, subject to regulation, restriction, or prohibition imposed pursuant to law; and to specify an election for"
On page 1, line 11, between change "amend" to "add"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 1, line 11, change "Section 4" to "Section 27"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 15, delete page 2, and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 3 and insert the following:

"§27. Freedom to Hunt, Fish and Trap

Section 27. Every person has the right to hunt, fish, and trap the wildlife property of the state, including all aquatic life, traditionally taken by hunters, trappers and anglers, and this valued natural heritage shall be forever preserved for the people. This right to hunt, fish, and trap shall be managed by law and regulation consistent with Article IX, Section 1 of this Constitution to protect, conserve and replenish the natural resource property of the state. This Section shall not alter the burden of proof requirements otherwise established by law for any challenge to a law or regulation pertaining to hunting, fishing or trapping the wildlife property of the state, including all aquatic life. Nor shall the provisions of this Section diminish or otherwise alter the right to property or the right of any person to restrict or deny access to immovable property for hunting, fishing or trapping purposes in the same manner and to the same extent as such person may lawfully restrict or deny access to such property for any other purpose."

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 3, delete lines 11 through 14, and insert the following:

"To guarantee the right of every citizen to hunt, fish and trap the wildlife property of the state, subject to regulation, restriction or prohibition as provided by law. (Adds Article 1, Section 27)"

**Point of Order**

Rep. Pierre asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

**Ruling of the Chair**

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were not germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

On motion of Rep. Farrar, the amendments were withdrawn.

**Motion**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 450 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 995)—**

BY SENATOR CRAVINS AND REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:558(A)(4) and (5) and to enact R.S. 11:558(A)(6), relative to judges and court officers who are members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for retirement of judges and court officers with ten years of creditable service upon attaining the age of sixty-five years; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative LaFleur to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 450 by Senator Cravins

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, at the beginning of line 15, change "(4)" to "(4)(a)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, at the beginning of line 3, change "(5)" to "(b)" and delete lines 6 through 16 in their entirety

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker Fruge Perkins
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Baudoin Guillory Powell
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**NAYS**

Walsworth Total—1

**ABSENT**

Ansardi Hopkins McDonald
Carter, R Katz Schneider
Doerge Kennard Smith, G.—56th
Downer Lancaster Smith, G.—56th
Downs McVea Waddell
Faucheux Martiny
program shall be limited in duration to allow only one project at a cost not to exceed five million dollars for each project; two projects to be performed under the design-build method. One project shall be the construction of the New Mississippi River Bridge at St. Francisville (connection to US 61) including approach structures and connecting roadways, which is included in the Transportation Infrastructure Model For Economic Development program. The second project shall be chosen at the discretion of the secretary; however, the cost of the second project shall not exceed five million dollars.

Total—14

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. LaFleur 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. 422—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:225.2, relative to public contracts; to prohibit the state of Louisiana and any state or local entity from utilizing the "design-build" concept unless authorized by law; to prohibit the state of Louisiana and any state or local entity from entering into any agreement to purchase unimproved property which requires the successful design and construction of a structure prior to transfer of title unless authorized by law; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Diez to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 422 by Senator McPherson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and lines 3 through 8 in their entirety and insert the following:

"amend and reenact R.S. 48:250.2(A) and (C), to enact R.S. 48:250.3, and to repeal R.S. 48:250.2(B), relative to public contracts; to provide relative to contracts let by the Department of Transportation and Development; to remove certain limitations of the design-build program in the Department of Transportation and Development; to authorize the department to construct the New Mississippi River Bridge at St. Francisville, including approach structures and connecting roadways, using the design-build method; to provide relative to procedures regarding the design-build method; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 11 through 15 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 5 in their entirety and insert the following:

"R.S. 48:250.2(A) and (C) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 48:250.3 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§250.2. Design-build contracts; administration

A. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary or the requirements of this Part, if the secretary determines in his discretion that it is in the best interest of the taxpayers, the Department of Transportation and Development may formulate, develop, and implement a pilot program to study the feasibility of combining the design and construction phases of a transportation facility facilities not intended for human occupancy, including but not limited to highways, interchanges, or bridges, or buildings into a single contract.

C. This pilot program shall be limited in duration to allow only one project at a cost not to exceed five million dollars for such project; two projects to be performed under the design-build method. One project shall be the construction of the New Mississippi River Bridge at St. Francisville (connection to US 61) including approach structures and connecting roadways, which is included in the Transportation Infrastructure Model For Economic Development program. The second project shall be chosen at the discretion of the secretary; however, the cost of the second project shall not exceed five million dollars.

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§250.3. Design-build contracts; qualification of bidders; public announcement procedures; letters of interest; selection of short list; bid proposals by competitors; technical review committee; selection and process of award

A. To qualify for a design-build contract with the department, a single legal entity shall possess professional engineering design capability or qualified construction contracting capability. The department's standard technical qualification requirements for firms providing professional engineering services as provided for in R.S. 48:290 shall apply to the components providing design services, and the standard contractor qualifications as provided for in R.S. 37:2150 through 2164 and the current rules and regulations of the State of Louisiana Licensing Board for Contractors shall apply to the component providing construction services utilized by the design-build firm, based upon the applicable categories for the specific project. All qualification requirements for each component shall be finalized by the department prior to the closing date for the submittal of letters of interest.

B. (1) A notice of intent to select a firm for design-build services and to request letters of interest and statements of qualifications from qualified firms or teams shall be distributed by the department through advertisement in the Daily Journal of Commerce, the Baton Rouge Advocate, by appearance on the Department of Transportation and Development's internet home page, and by other means to ensure adequate response including newspapers, trade journals, and other forms of media which may be appropriate for specialty services. All notices of intent shall be advertised a minimum of thirty days prior to the deadline for receipt of responses and shall contain a brief description of the project, the required scope of services, and sufficient information for design or construction firms to determine their interest and to enable them to submit a letter of interest and statement of qualifications. The department may re-advertise the notice of intent using additional media or publications in an attempt to solicit additional responses if the number of responses received by the department is inadequate.

(2)(a) The department may use a private design professional to develop the description of the project and the required scope of services; however, if the department uses a private design professional, the private design professional shall be selected in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 48:291(A).

(b) The description of the project and the required scope of services shall include design criteria, analyses, reports, and cost estimates for the design-build project as prepared by a private design professional or the department.

(c) The department or the private design professional shall provide technical advice, construction review services, and professional expertise as needed throughout the design-build process.

(d) The design-build team shall include a registered design professional who shall be independent from the department's design
professional and shall be named in the team's proposal and retained for the duration of the design-build project.

C. The department shall identify all required information in the notice of intent and in the standard response forms provided by the department. The notice of intent shall include statements of qualification by credential and experience of design team members for the areas of expertise specific to the project and statements of qualification by experience and resources of the construction team component. The completed response form and any other required information shall be transmitted to the department by the responding firm prior to the date of settlement of the project. Any response failing to meet all of the requirements contained in the notice of intent shall not be considered by the department. False or misrepresented information furnished in response to a notice of intent shall be grounds for rejection by the department.

D.(1) A primary design-build evaluation committee, whose membership is provided for in R.S. 48:291(A), shall evaluate the responses to the notice of intent received by the department. The following general criteria used by the primary evaluation committee in allocating scores to the notice of intent for design-build services shall apply to both the design entity and the construction entity of any responding firm or team:

(a) Experience of both the firm and of key personnel as related to the project under consideration.
(b) Past performance on department projects.
(c) Any project-specific criteria as may apply to project needs.

(2) The primary evaluation committee shall evaluate the responding firms or teams on the basis of the criteria set forth in this Subsection and shall select a short list of not less than three nor more than five of the highest rated firms. The selected firms shall be invited to submit a detailed technical and cost proposal for the design-build project. The primary evaluation committee may, at its discretion, be assisted by other department personnel but shall not consider recommendations by others in its evaluation of firm qualifications.

E.(1) Depending upon the complexity of the project and the degree of flexibility with respect to the cost or construction method, the specific requirements of the technical proposal shall be identified by the department to the firms making the short list by means of a "Scope of Services Package". Generally, the technical proposal shall include discussions of design strategy and preliminary design concepts, construction sequencing, technique, materials and methods, the estimated time for commencement and completion of all phases of work, and a lump sum cost for all services in fulfillment of the requirements and within the constraints of the 'Scope of Services Package'.

(2) For more complex projects and projects with scopes which permit flexibility and innovation in the design and construction process, the department shall compensate all short list firms for the expense of preparing the technical proposal. The amount of compensation paid for the technical proposal shall be predetermined by the department and shall be revealed to the firm at the time the firm is notified of its selection to the short list.

F. The technical review committee shall include representatives from the construction, road design, bridge design, and planning divisions of the department. With the approval of the chief engineer, the technical review committee shall act as a project manager, who will become a member of the technical review committee for the project. The technical review committee, including the project manager, shall identify specific technical elements of the project, depending on the characteristics of the project, to be included in the technical score. Additionally, the technical review committee shall, with the approval of the chief engineer, select additional committee members to score each technical element of the project. Members of the technical review committee shall not have served as members of the primary evaluation committee. Each member of the technical review committee shall make his scoring of assigned elements available for public review. Such scores shall be considered public record.

G.(1) An adjusted score approach shall be used by the department in determining the winning proposal. An adjusted score shall be determined using the following three components:

(a) The technical score determined by the technical review committee. Weighing factors may be assigned to each element depending on its relative magnitude or significance to the overall project. Each technical review committee member shall rate his assigned element for the proposal from each of the firms on the short list and shall submit such scores to the chairman of the technical review committee. The price bid shall not be made known to the technical review committee during the scoring process. The chairman of the technical review committee shall adjust the scores for any applicable weighing factors and shall determine the total technical score for each proposal.

(b) The time value, consisting of the product of the proposed contract time expressed in days and the value-per-day expressed in dollars established by the department and included in the 'Scope of Services Package'. The design-build process shall normally include a bid adjustment for the value of time based on the firm's proposed number of days to complete the project multiplied by the value-per-day established by the department. This adjustment shall be used for selection purposes and shall not affect the department's liquidated damages schedule or constitute an incentive or disincentive to the contract.

(c) The price proposal.

(2) The adjusted score shall be the sum of the time value and price proposal divided by the technical score. The winning proposal shall be the proposal with the lowest adjusted score. The adjusted score for each technical proposal shall be determined by the following formula: Adjusted Score = (Price Bid + Time Value) / Technical Score. If the Time Value is not used, the Adjusted Score shall be determined by the following formula: Adjusted Score = Price Bid / Technical Score.

Section 2. R.S. 48:250.2(B) is hereby repealed in its entirety."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 6, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Peychaud
Alario Futrell Pierre
Ansardi Gallot Pinac
Arnold Glover Pitre
On page 1, line 3, after "(H)(2)," and before "relative to" insert "and to enact R.S. 33:2828 and 9033.4,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "city;" insert the following:

"to create the Ninth Ward Tax Increment Financing District; to provide for the powers and duties of the district, including the power to engage in tax increment financing; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to establish the St. Claude Avenue Economically Disadvantaged Enterprise Zone; to specify the boundaries of the zone; to authorize the city of New Orleans to grant tax exemptions;

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 33:33:2828 and 9033.4 are hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 11 and 12 insert the following:

"§2828. St. Claude Avenue Economically Disadvantaged Enterprise Zone; declaration of purpose; creation; boundaries; exemptions

A. The Legislature of Louisiana hereby finds and declares that the continued viability of retail shopping areas is of vital importance to the people of this state and in particular in economically distressed or disadvantaged areas. Retail shopping areas provide substantial employment and economic activity and bring the availability of goods and services into the midst of our cities. In a number of large metropolitan areas the continued existence or economic viability of these important areas is being threatened. Therefore, it is declared that the purpose of this Section is to provide appropriate local tax relief to enable these economically threatened retail shopping areas to continue to be an economic hub of their respective communities.

B. The St. Claude Avenue Economically Disadvantaged Enterprise Zone, hereinafter referred to as the "zone", is hereby created and established in the parish of Orleans.

C. The boundaries of the zone shall be as follows: those retail establishments whose municipal address is within that portion of St. Claude Avenue from the parish line to the Industrial Canal; all within the boundaries of Orleans Parish.

D. The governing authority of the city of New Orleans may grant tax exemptions on retail purchases made at such retail establishments within the zone from any sales and use tax imposed by the city of New Orleans.

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§9033.4. Ninth Ward Tax Increment Financing District

A. Creation. (1) The Ninth Ward Tax Increment Financing District, referred to in this Section as the "district", is hereby created within the parish of Orleans. The district shall be a special district and political subdivision of the state created to plan and facilitate the revitalization of the residential and commercial areas within the district.

(2) The district shall be comprised of the area which comprises House of Representatives District No. 99 as established by Act No. 3 of the 2001 Second Extraordinary Session.
B. Governance. (1) The district shall be governed by a nine-member board of commissioners. The members of the board shall be appointed as follows:

(a) The member or members of the Louisiana House of Representatives who represent the area which comprises the district shall appoint two members.

(b) The member or members of the Louisiana Senate who represent the area which comprises the district shall appoint one member.

(c) The member or members of the governing authority of the city of New Orleans who represent the area which comprises the district shall appoint one member.

(d) The mayor of the city of New Orleans shall appoint one member.

(e) The governing board of the United Business and Community Coalition, Inc. shall appoint one member.

(f) The governing board of Gatekeepers, Inc. shall appoint two members.

(g) The governing board of the ByWater Neighborhood Association shall appoint one member.

(2) Each commissioner shall be a qualified voter of Orleans Parish and shall have his principal place of business or profession in, or own property in, the district.

(3) (a) Members shall serve four-year terms after initial terms as provided in Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph.

(b) Three members shall serve an initial term of one year; two shall serve an initial term of two years; two shall serve an initial term of three years; and two shall serve an initial term of four years, as determined by lot at the first meeting of the board.

(4) Any vacancy which occurs prior to the expiration of the term for which a member of the board has been appointed shall be filled for the remainder of the unexpired term in the same manner as the original appointment.

C. Administration. (1) As soon as practical after being appointed, the board members shall meet and elect from their membership a chairman, a vice chairman, a secretary, and a treasurer, and such other officers as they may deem appropriate.

(2) The duties of the officers shall be fixed by the bylaws adopted by the board. It shall hold regular meetings as shall be provided in the bylaws and may hold special meetings at such time and places within or without the district as may be prescribed in the bylaws.

(3) The minute books and archives of the board shall be maintained by the secretary of the board.

(4) A majority of the members of the board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The board shall keep minutes of all meetings and shall make them available to the public in conformance with law.

(5) The members of the board shall serve without compensation; however, they may receive a travel allowance as reimbursement for expenses incurred while attending to the business of the board or the district.

D. Revenue bonds. The district may issue revenue bonds payable from revenues generated by economic development projects with a pledge and dedication of up to the full amount of sales tax increments annually to be used as a guaranty of any shortfall, or at the option of the district, payable solely from an irrevocable pledge and dedication of up to the full amount of sales tax increments, in an amount to be determined by the district, to finance or refinance all or any part of an economic development project as specified in Subsection P of this Section. For purposes of this Section, a sales tax increment shall consist of that portion of the designated sales tax, hereinafter defined, collected each year on the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption and storage for use or consumption of tangible personal property, and on sales of services, all as defined in R.S. 47:301 et seq., or any other appropriate provision or provisions of law as amended, from taxpayers located within an economic development area which exceeds the sales tax revenues of the designated sales tax that were collected in the year immediately prior to the year in which the area was designated as an economic development area. Dedication of sales tax increments to pay the revenue bonds shall not impair existing obligations and shall not include tax revenues previously dedicated for a special purpose, nor revenues of any sales taxes collected by the state of Louisiana or any political subdivision other than the district.

E. Economic development area. At such time as the district proposes to issue revenue bonds pursuant to this Section, it shall designate the boundaries of the economic development area, hereinafter called the “sales tax area”, from which sales tax increments are to be pledged and dedicated to the payment of the revenue bonds. Prior to designating the boundaries of the sales tax area, a notice describing the boundaries of the proposed sales tax area or containing a map showing the boundaries thereof shall be published two times in the official journal of the city of New Orleans.

F. Sales tax dedication. After the designation of the boundaries of the sales tax area, the district shall designate the local sales taxes which are to be used in determining the sales tax increments and the initial annual baseline collection rate for the sales tax area, which shall be the amount of such designated sales taxes collected in the sales tax area in the fiscal year of the district most recently completed prior to the establishment of the sales tax area. In addition, a monthly baseline collection rate shall be determined by dividing the initial annual baseline collection rate by twelve. The initial annual baseline collection rate and the monthly baseline collection rate shall be certified by the chief financial officer or equivalent of the district. The certification shall also be published once in the official journal of the city of New Orleans. If the amounts of the initial annual baseline collection rate and the monthly baseline collection rate are not contested within thirty days after the said publication, then such amounts shall be conclusively presumed to be valid, and no court shall have any jurisdiction to alter or abate the designation of the amount of either the initial annual baseline collection rate or the monthly baseline collection rate.

G. Pledged sales taxes. The increment of the designated sales taxes which are to be pledged and dedicated to the payment of the revenue bonds shall be the amount of the designated sales taxes which are collected in the sales tax area each year in excess of the initial annual baseline collection rate. Such pledged sales tax increment may include all or any portion of the said excess, as may be determined by the district issuing the revenue bonds.

H. Payment. All sales tax increment revenue bonds issued hereunder shall be payable semiannually as to interest and annually as to principal and may be issued in series from time to time on a parity with any other revenue bonds issued by the district and payable from the same pledged sales tax increment. Upon the issuance of the revenue bonds, the district shall establish a sinking fund to be used to accumulate monies for the payment of principal and interest on the
the debt service reserve fund shall be transferred to the district and be deposited in a special fund to be created and used to promote other economic development opportunities.

M. Additional powers. The powers and rights conferred by this Section shall be in addition to the powers and rights conferred by any other general or special law. This Section, and any provisions of this Chapter not inconsistent therewith, does and shall be construed to provide a complete and additional method for the issuance of revenue bonds secured by a pledge of sales tax increments. No election, proceeding, notice, or approval shall be required for the issuance of any revenue bonds secured by a pledge of sales tax increments except as provided herein. The provisions of this Section shall be liberally construed for the accomplishment of its purposes.

N. District powers. The district may propose to carry out the purposes of this Chapter without the necessity of creating and organizing an economic development corporation and shall have all of the powers, rights, duties, and obligations of such a corporation under this Chapter and may do any act or take any action which such a corporation is authorized to do under this Chapter. However, the requirements of R.S. 33:9023 through 9026 shall not be deemed to apply.

O. Publication. A copy of the instrument authorizing the issuance of bonds hereunder shall be published immediately after its adoption in one issue of the official journal of the city of New Orleans. For thirty days after the date of publication, any person in interest may contest the legality of such document, any provision of the bonds, the provisions therein made for the security and payment of the bonds, and validity of all other provisions and proceedings relating to the authorization and issuance of the bonds. After the expiration of such period, no person may contest the regularity, formality, legality, or effectiveness of the document, any provisions of the bonds to be issued pursuant thereto, the provisions for the security and payment of the bonds, and the validity of all other provisions and proceedings relating to their authorization and issuance for any cause whatever. Thereafter, it shall be conclusively presumed that the bonds, the legal documents providing for the security and payment of the bonds, and all security for the bonds is legal and that every legal requirement for the issuance of the bonds has been complied with. No court shall have authority to inquire into any of these matters after the aforementioned publication period.

P. Economic development projects. For the purposes of this Section, the term “economic development project” shall mean and include, without limitation, any and all projects suitable to any industry determined by the district or, as appropriate, the issuers of revenue bonds, to create economic development. Economic development projects shall include, without limitation, the following industries:

(1) Industrial, manufacturing, and other related industries;
(2) Housing and related industries;
(3) Hotel, motel, and related industries;
(4) Commercial, retail, and related industries;
(5) Amusement, places of entertainment, theme parks, and any other tourism-related industry;
(6) Transportation-related industries;
(7) Hospital, medical, health, nursery care, nursing care, clinical, ambulance, laboratory, and related industries.
(8) Any other industry determined by the district or issuer of revenue bonds, as appropriate, whose assistance will result in economic development.

Point of Order

Rep. Bowler asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

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

Rep. Richmond 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 Peychaud
Alexander Glover Pierre
Ansardi Green Pinac
Arnold Guillory Pitre
Baldone Hammett Powell
Baudoin Heaton Quezaire
Baylor Hebert Romero
Broome Hill Salter
Bruce Honey Schwegmann
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Total—8

ABSENT

Doerge Kennard Richmond
Downer Lancaster Walsworth

Katz McVea
Total—8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Richmond 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. Devillier, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 330.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 577.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 699.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 33.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

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

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 949 by Senator Schedler

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 949 by Senator Schedler recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That all House Committee Amendments proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 11, 2003 be adopted.

2. That all House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Ansardi and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 2003 be adopted.

3. That all House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Alario and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 2003 be rejected.

4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 2, after "9:1202" insert "and Civil Code Art. 1493(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "spouse;" insert "to provide relative to forced heirship;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 296.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
On page 2, line 2, after "reenacted" insert "and Civil Code Art. 1493(E) is hereby enacted"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, between 13 and 14, insert the following:

"Art. 1493. Forced heirs; representation of forced heirs

* * *

Article 1493(E) is all proposed new law.

E. For purposes of this Article "permanently incapable of taking care of their persons or administering their estates at the time of the death of the decedent" shall include descendants who, at the time of death of the decedent, have, according to medical documentation, an inherited, incurable disease or condition that may render them incapable of caring for their persons or administering their estates in the future.

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Respectfully submitted,

Senators Tom Schedler
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator John Hainkel
Representative Emma Devillier
Representative Ronnie Johns

Rep. Devillier moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 1064 by Senator Marionneaux

June 20, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 1064 by Senator Marionneaux recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That all House Committee Amendments proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 18, 2003 be rejected.

2. That all House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Faucheux and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be rejected.

3. That all House Floor Amendments proposed by Representatives Devillier and Cazayoux and adopted by the House of representatives on June 19, 2003 be rejected.

4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, between "To" and "enact" insert "amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(I), and R.S. 13:2488.62(C)(2) and to" and after "enact" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"R.S. 13:587.3, 1000.6, and 2488.62(E), relative to courts; to authorize the judges in the Nineteenth Judicial District by court rule to assign matters to be heard by specified divisions; to authorize the assessment of an additional fee for convictions in the drug division of the Nineteenth Judicial District Court; to provide that the additional fee shall be used for the cost of treatment programs; to provide for auditing of the fees; and to authorize the City Court of Plaquemine"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "authorize the court"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page, 1, line 4, after "treatment;" insert the following:
"to increase the jurisdictional amount of the city courts of Alexandria and Minden; to provide for an increase in court costs for the public defender;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." delete remainder of the line and insert the following:
"R.S. 13:2488.62(C)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 13:587.3, 1000.6, and 2488.62(E) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:
"§587.3. Nineteenth Judicial District; divisions; subject matter
R.S. 13:587.3 is all proposed new law.

A. Respecting seniority and the requirement that all cases be assigned randomly within multi-judge groupings, the judges of the Nineteenth Judicial District Court, by rule adopted by a majority vote of the judges sitting en banc, with the consent of the judge of a division, may assign to that division criminal matters or civil matters or drug court matters or any or all types of matters of which the court has jurisdiction.

B. Notwithstanding any principal assignments to divisions, all divisions of the court shall retain general jurisdiction to hear all matters.

§1000.6. Nineteenth Judicial District Court, drug division; additional fees for treatment programs
R.S. 13:1000.6 is all proposed new law.

A. In all criminal cases of which the drug division of the Nineteenth Judicial District Court has jurisdiction, there may be assessed as an additional fee against every defendant who is convicted after trial or who pleads guilty or who forfeits bond a sum in an amount not to exceed what is necessary to pay for the cost of or part of the cost of the defendant's participation in a treatment program as defined in R.S. 13:5303(9).

B. A judge of the drug division shall cause to be conducted annually an audit of the account and the books and accounts relating thereto and shall file the audit with the office of the legislative auditor where it shall be available for public inspection.

§2488.62. Compensation of judge, marshal, clerk, and deputy clerk; collection and disposition of fines, forfeitures, and costs

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(2) The salary of the public defender shall may be fixed by the judge of the court and shall may be paid out of the court costs assessed for the public defender, except that the public defender shall receive a minimum salary of five hundred dollars per month. Such court costs shall not exceed seventeen dollars and fifty cents thirty dollars for each misdemeanor violation.

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 1, line 9, change "violations" to "convictions"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 1, below line 11, insert the following:
"Section 2. Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(I) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Art. 4843. City court jurisdiction; amount in dispute; injunctive actions by state or political subdivision

Respectfully submitted,
Senator Robert "Rob" Marianneaux, Jr.
Senator Diana E. Bajoie
Senator Joel T. Chaixson, II
Representative Herman R. Hill
Representative Joseph F. Toomy
Representative Billy Montgomery

Rep. Cazayoux moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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48th Day's Proceedings - June 23, 2003
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 577 by Senator Fontenot

June 1, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 577 by Senator Fontenot recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Damico and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 27, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Heulette "Clo" Fontenot
Senator James David Cain
Senator John J. Hainkel, Jr.
Representative N. J. Damico
Representative William B. Daniel, IV
Representative Dan W. "Blade" Morrish

Rep. Morrish moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Baudoin
Beard
Bowler
Gallot

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NAYS

Scalise
Total—91

ABSENT

Ansardi
Durand
Baylor
Farra
Downer
Total—12

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 33 by Senator Dupre

June 4, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 33 by Senator Dupre recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments 1, 2, 4, and 5 proposed by the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and adopted by the House on May 20, 2003, be adopted.

2. That House Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and adopted by the House on May 20, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier
Senator Joel T. Chaisson, II
Representative John C. "Juba" Diez
Representative Loulan J. Pitt, Jr.
Representative Henry Powell
Rep. Pitre moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 699 by Senator Ullo

June 3, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 699 by Chris Ullo recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 28, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Chris Ullo
Senator Arthur J. "Art' Lentini
Senator Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.
Representative Daniel R. Martiny
Representative Emma Devilliers
Representative Donald J. Cazayoux, Jr.

Rep. Martiny moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 330 by Senator Boissiere

June 16, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 330 by Senator Boissiere recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 28, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Floor Amendment No. 3 proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 28, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Lambert Boissiere, Jr.
Senator Butch Gautreaux
Senator Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.
Representative Richard "Rick" Gallot, Jr.
Representative Billy Montgomery

Rep. Montgomery moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Walker
Walsh
Welch
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NAYS

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 296 by Senator Dardenne

June 16, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 296 by Senator Dardenne recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Bowler and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 3, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Floor Amendments No. 2 and 3 proposed by Representative Bowler and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 3, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted:

Senator Jay Dardenne
Senator Tom Schedler
Senator Bill Jones
Representative Sydnie Mae Durand
Representative Mike Walsworth
Representative Ronnie Johns

Rep. Walsworth moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Futrell Pinac
Total—94

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a
like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to
House Bill No. 398: Senators Ellington, Lentini, and Dupre.

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

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a
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Respectfully submitted,
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Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a
like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to
House Bill No. 1002: Senators Ullo, Hollis, and Michot.

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

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
June 23, 2003
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of
Representatives:
Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1137: Senators Barham, Romero, and B. Jones.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2027: Senators Cravins, Hollis, and Hainkel.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1432: Senators Holden, Ullo, and Mount.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1889: Senators Holden, Hollis, and Ellington.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1984: Senators Chaisson, Lentini, and C. D. Jones.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 568.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 2003

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

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MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 908.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 214.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
HOUSE BILLS
June 23, 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 House Bills:

House Bill No. 1779
Returned with amendments.

House Bill No. 1781
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

House Bills and Joint Resolutions
Returned from the Senate with Amendments

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1779—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LeBLANC
AN ACT
To provide for the establishment and reestablishment of agency ancillary funds, to be specifically known as internal service funds, auxiliary accounts, or enterprise funds for certain state institutions, officials, and agencies; to provide for appropriation of funds; and to regulate the administration of said funds.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1779 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 6, between lines 40 and 41, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for transfer of eleven (11) positions and network support $ 733,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 7, lines 27 and 46, change "12,102,932" to "12,383,090"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 8, line 4, change "3,004,382" to "3,284,540"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 8, line 6, change "12,102,932" to "12,383,090"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 10, line 3, change "$79,000,000" to "$45,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 10, line 18, change "$79,000,000" to "$45,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 10, delete line 23 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 10, line 24, change "$79,000,000" to "$45,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 10, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:
"21-861 SAFE DRINKING WATER REVOLVING LOAN FUND EXPENDITURES:
Safe Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund $ 34,000,000"

Program Description: These funds are used to make low interest loans to local political subdivisions (municipalities, water districts, for-profit and non-profit water systems) for the construction of water system improvements.

The Safe Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund is used by the Department of Health and Hospitals/Office of Public Health for assisting public water systems with improving their drinking water to meet or maintain Environmental Protection Agency Drinking Water standards. This assistance improves Louisiana’s overall drinking water quality, thereby improving public health. The impact of this
fund is part of the improvement to drinking water quality being brought about by the various programs in the department shown in the performance levels for this department.

**Objective:** To review 100% of the loan applications and associated documents within 60 days of receipt.

**Performance Indicator:**
Percentage of loan applications and associated documents processed within 60 days of receipt 100%

**TOTAL EXPENDITURES** $34,000,000

**MEANS OF FINANCE:**
State General Fund by:
Statutory Dedications:
Safe Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund $34,000,000

**TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING** $34,000,000

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

**ROLL CALL**
The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**
Mr. Speaker  Gallot  Pierre
Alario  Glover  Pinac
Alexander  Green  Pitre
Arnold  Guillory  Powell
Baldone  Hammett  Quezaire
Baudoin  Heaton  Richmond
Baylor  Hill  Romero
Beard  Honey  Salter
Bowler  Hopkins  Scalise
Broome  Hudson  Schneider
Bruce  Hunter  Schwegmann
Bruce  Hutter  Shaw
Capella  Iles  Smith, G.—56th
Carter, K  Jackson, L  Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R  Jackson, M  Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux  Johns  Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane  Katz  Sneed
Curtis  Kenney  Stelly
Daniel  LaFleur  Strain
Devillier  Landrieu  Swilling
Diez  LeBlanc  Thompson
Downer  Lucas  Toomy
Downs  McDonald  Townsend
Durand  McVea  Triche
Erdey  Montgomery  Tucker
Fannin  Morrell  Waddell
Farrar  Morris  Walker
Faucheux  Murray  Welch
Flavin  Nevers  Winston
Frisch  Odinet  Wooton
Fruge  Perkins  Wright
Futrell  Peychaud
Total—95

**NAYS**

**ABSENT**
Ansardi  Doerge  Martiny

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1781—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEBLANC, DEWITT, AND TOWNSEND

To appropriate funds to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary, including the Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, District Courts, Criminal District Court of Orleans Parish, and other courts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1781 by Representative LeBlanc, et al.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, delete lines 7 and 8 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Section 1.A. The sum of One Hundred Ten Million Four Hundred Forty-one Thousand Three Hundred Forty-two and No/100 ($110,441,342.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 3, at the end of line 12, change "$6,711,658" to "$6,410,035"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page 3, at the end of line 16, change "$2,734,761" to "$2,515,168"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**
On page 3, at the end of line 30 change "$766,829" to "$740,582"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**
On page 3, at the end of line 36, change "$256,581" to "$250,562"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**
On page 3, at the end of line 43, change "$800,434" to "$622,389"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**
On page 3, at the end of line 46, change "$1,403,137" to "$1,396,615"

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**
On page 4, at the end of line 10, change "$142,672" to "$139,038"
On page 4, at the end of line 20 change "$599,154" to "$608,908"
AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 4, at the end of line 21, change "$1,750,883" to "$1,743,184"
AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 4, delete lines 30 through 39 in their entirety
AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 4, at the end of line 42, change "$32,790,975" to "$30,125,835"
AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 5, delete lines 24 through 27 in their entirety
AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 5, line 28, change “22” to “21”
AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 5, line 33, change “23” to “22”
AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 5, line 44, change “12,260,192” to “9,830,000”
AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 5, at the end of line 45, change "$50,793,116" to "$45,697,784"
AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 6, at the end of line 48, change "$7,013,520" to "$6,936,657"
AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 6, at the end of line 51, change "$3,881,031" to "$3,716,232"
AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 7, at the end of line 3, change "$5,598,024" to "$5,476,345"
AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 7, at the end of line 6, change "$5,701,897" to "$5,480,268"
AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 7, at the end of line 9, change "$3,926,411" to "$3,824,770"
AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 7, at the end of line 10, change "$31,546,466" to "$30,859,855"
AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 9, at the end of line 18, change "$315,597" to "$301,380"

AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 9, at the end of line 20, change "$208,830" to "$203,053"
AMENDMENT NO. 26
On page 9, at the end of line 23, change "$25,332,405" to "$25,311,411"
AMENDMENT NO. 27
On page 10, at the end of line 6, change "$556,699" to "$538,890"
AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 10, at the end of line 7, change "$444,431" to "$432,387"
AMENDMENT NO. 29
On page 10, at the end of line 8, change "$129,885" to "$124,959"
AMENDMENT NO. 30
On page 10, at the end of line 10, change "$267,321" to "$263,837"
AMENDMENT NO. 31
On page 10, at the end of line 11, change "$4,184,109" to "$4,145,846"
AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 10, at the end of line 20, change "$31,337,763" to "$31,278,506"
AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 10, at the end of line 36, change "$379,756" to "$367,017"
AMENDMENT NO. 34
On page 10, at the end of line 40, change "$59,693" to "$57,928"
AMENDMENT NO. 35
On page 11, at the end of line 4, change "$469,449" to "$454,945"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Dardenne to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1781 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 12, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

“G. There is hereby appropriated the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand and No/100 ($250,000.00) out of the State General Fund (Direct) for additional support for the expenditure items contained in Section 1 of this Act. In accordance with the provisions of this Section and subject to the approval of the Judicial Budgetary Control Board or as approved by the Supreme Court, such monies shall be allocated for the support of court operations as appropriate and necessary.”

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

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

**Conference Committee Reports for Consideration**

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

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 567 by Senator Lentini recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments No. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Gallot and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 5, 2003 be rejected.

2. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 5, after “premium” insert “until thirty days after the date the bond is posted”

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Arthur J. "Art" Lentini
Senator Gregory Tarver
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier
Representative T. Taylor Townsend
Representative Troy Hebert
Representative Cedric Richmond

Rep. Townsend moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 908 by Senator Hainkel

June 21, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 908 by Senator Hainkel recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments No. 1 and 2 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House on June 18, 2003 be accepted.

2. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Walsworth and adopted by the House on June 19, 2003 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, between "To" and "enact" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 44:7(A) and to" and on line 3, between "772," and "relative" insert "and R.S. 44:4(36) and 4.1(B)(15.1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 11, between "Section 1." and "Chapter" insert "R.S. 44:7(A) is hereby amended and reenacted and" and on line 12, change "is" to "are" and R.S. 44:4(36) and 4.1(B)(15.1) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, change "MODEL" to "LOUISIANA"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 25, between "amended" and ", and" insert "(R.S. 29:701 et seq.)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 5, between "Emergency" and "Plan" insert "Operations"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 9, change "Custody" to "custody" and on page 6, at the end of line 14, add the following:

""Protected health information" includes any health or medical information, document, or record designated as confidential by state or federal law."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 8, line 2, delete "Public Health", delete line 3, and insert the following:

"Homeland Security Advisory Council"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 8, line 5, between "The" and "Homeland" insert "Subcommittee on Chemical and Biological Terrorism of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 8, lines 7 and 8, change "state emergency plan" to "State Emergency Operations Plan"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 8, line 11, between "The" and "Homeland" insert "Subcommittee on Chemical and Biological Terrorism of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 8, line 14, between "State" and "Emergency" insert "Operations"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 8, line 18, between "amended" and ", and" insert "(R.S. 29:701 et seq.)"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 9, line 22, change "city" to "municipality"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 11, lines 5 and 22, change "council" to "Homeland Security Advisory Council and on line 22, delete "to"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 11, at the end of line 24, add a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 13, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:

D.(1) As used in this Subsection, "reporting entity" includes a health care provider, coroner, laboratory official, veterinarian, medical examiner, public health authority, public safety authority, and other state or local government agency.

(2) A reporting entity shall submit protected health information in the custody of the entity to the office of emergency preparedness, the Military Department, state of Louisiana, office of public health, public health authority, governor, public safety authority, tribal authority, and federal health and public safety authorities as required in this Section, in order that they may perform their respective functions and duties as provided in this Chapter.

(3) Protected health information submitted pursuant to this Chapter to the office of emergency preparedness, Military Department, state of Louisiana, office of public health, public health
authority, governor, public safety authority, tribal authority, and
federal health and public safety authority shall be confidential and
shall be disclosed only as provided in this Chapter or as otherwise
required or authorized by state or federal law.

(4) The furnishing of protected health information or in
accordance with this Section by any reporting entity shall not expose
the entity to liability and shall not be considered a violation of any
privileged or confidential relationship.

(5) Nothing in this Subsection shall prohibit the publishing of
statistical compilations pertaining to potential causes of a public
health emergency which do not identify individual cases, confidential
sources of information, religious affiliations, or individual health care
providers.

(6) Any person who intentionally discloses any protected health
information to any third person, unless authorized or required by state
or federal law, shall be subject to civil penalties as provided in R.S.
40:3.1(G) which shall be paid to the person whose record was
unlawfully disclosed. Nothing in this Subsection shall prevent a
person damaged by an unauthorized intentional disclosure from
collecting civil damages to the extent of any actual damages suffered
because of such a disclosure.

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 14, line 8, change "indicated" to "indicates"

AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 16, line 4, between "preparedness" and "through" insert a
comma ",".

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 16, line 5, between "Hospitals" and "shall" insert comma
".

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 16, line 7, between "preparedness" and "through" insert a
comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 16, line 9, between "Hospitals" and "shall", insert a comma
".

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 17, line 7, delete "adopt and promulgate" and on line 8,
between "and" and "his" insert "pursuant to" and on line 9 between
"Guard," and "such" insert "adopt"

AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 17, line 13, before the period "." insert "(R.S. 29:701 et seq.)"

AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 17, line 19, change "disaster or" to "public health"

AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 18, line 3, change "disaster or" to "public health"

AMENDMENT NO. 26
On page 18, line 23, between "preparedness" and "in" insert a comma
","

AMENDMENT NO. 27
On page 18, line 24, change ", in consultation with" to "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 19, line 1, between "public" and "emergency" insert "health"

AMENDMENT NO. 29
On page 20, line 4, change the period "." to a colon ":"

AMENDMENT NO. 30
On page 22, lines 23 and 24, change "Section 731 of the Louisiana
Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act of 1973, as amended" to
"R.S. 29:731"

AMENDMENT NO. 31
On page 23, lines 1 and 2, change "Section 735 of the Louisiana
Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act of 1973, as amended" to
"R.S. 29:735"

AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 24, line 16, change "Act" to "Chapter"

AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 25, lines 4 and 5, change "Section 736 of the Louisiana
Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act of 1973, as amended" to
"R.S. 29:736"

AMENDMENT NO. 34
On page 25, after line 5, add the following:

"Section 2. RS 44:4(36) and 4.1(15.1) are hereby enacted to read
as follows:

§4. Applicability
This Chapter shall not apply:

*  *  *

R.S. 4-4(36) is all proposed new law.

(36) To any protected health information as defined in R.S.
29:762(J) pursuant to the Louisiana Public Health Emergency Act.

§4.1. Exceptions

*  *  *

B. The legislature further recognizes that there exist exceptions,
exemptions, and limitations to the laws pertaining to public records
throughout the revised statutes and codes of this state. Therefore, the
following exceptions, exemptions, and limitations are hereby
continued in effect by incorporation into this Chapter by citation:

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R.S. 4-4.1(15.1) is all proposed new law.
§7. Hospital records

A. Except as provided in Subsections B, C, and E of this Section and R.S. 44:17, the charts, records, reports, documents, and other memoranda prepared by physicians, surgeons, psychiatrists, nurses, and employees in the public hospitals of Louisiana, adult or juvenile correctional institutions, public mental health centers, and public schools for the mentally deficient to record or indicate the past or present condition, sickness or disease, physical or mental, of the patients treated in the hospitals are exempt from the provisions of this Chapter, except the provisions of R.S. 44:36 and 39. Nothing herein shall prevent hospitals from providing necessary reports pursuant to R.S. 22:213.2, R.S. 29:765, R.S. 40:2019, and R.S. 44:17, nor shall any liability arise from the good faith compliance therewith.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator John J. Hainkel
Senator Willie Mount
Senator Tom Schedler
Representative Peppi Bruneau
Representative Joe Toomy

Rep. Bruneau moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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| Ansardi    | Gallot | Pierre |
| Arnold     | Glover | Pinac |
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| Baylor     | Hammett | Richmond |
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| Alexander | Heaton | Lancaster |
| Doerge    | Hudson | Pitre |
| Fruge     | Kennard | Walsworth |

Total—9

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 214 by Senator Dupre

June 11, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 214 by Senator Dupre recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 20, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Committee Amendments No. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 20, 2003 be rejected.

3. That House Committee Amendments No. 1 and 2 proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2003 be rejected.

4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "10.5(C)" to "10.5(B) and (C)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 11, after "Fund;" and before "and to specify" insert "to correct an incorrect reference to the Budget Stabilization Fund;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 19, after "funds are available" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 20 and 21 and insert ", without excluding highway projects otherwise eligible as capital projects under other provisions of this constitution."

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On page 2, line 26, change "10.5(C)" to "10.5(B) and (C)"

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On page 3, line 12, after "law" and before the period "." insert ", but in no event shall the amount provided by law be less than five hundred million dollars"

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On page 3, line 26, after "law" and before the period "." insert ", but in no event shall the amount provided by law be less than five hundred million dollars"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 4, line 8, after "law" and before the period "." insert ", but in no event shall the amount provided by law be less than five hundred million dollars"

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 4, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"(B) After making the allocations provided for in Paragraph (A), the treasurer shall then deposit in and credit to the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund any such remaining revenues. Any revenues deposited in and credited to the fund shall be considered mineral revenues from severance taxes, royalty payments, bonus payments, or rentals for purposes of determining deposits and credits to be made in and to the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund as provided in Article VII, Section 10.2 of this constitution. Any revenues deposited in and credited to the fund shall not be considered mineral revenues for purposes of the Revenue Stabilization Mineral Trust Fund Budget Stabilization Fund as provided in Article VII, Section 10.3 of this constitution. Money in the fund shall be invested as provided by law. The earnings realized in each fiscal year on the investment of monies in the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund shall be deposited in and credited to the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund."

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

On page 4, line 17, change "twenty-five" to "thirty-five"

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**

On page 5, delete line 13 and insert "Requires that thirty-five million dollars annually of monies in the Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund"

**AMENDMENT NO. 11**

On page 5, line 16, after "highway construction" delete "and" and on line 17 delete "insurance pool purposes"

**AMENDMENT NO. 12**

On page 5, line 22, after "District" and before "and provides" insert ", corrects an incorrect reference to the Budget Stabilization Fund,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 13**

On page 5, line 24, after "law" and before the period "." insert ", but in no event shall the amount provided by law be less than five hundred million dollars"

**AMENDMENT NO. 14**

On page 5, line 25, change "10.5(C)" to "10.5(B) and (C)"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.
Senator John Hainkel
Senator Jay Dardenne
Representative Loulan J. Pitre, Jr.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Pitre, the Conference Committee Report was returned to the calendar.

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**Petitions, Memorials and Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 273: Senators Lentini, Dardenne, and Barham.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the Senate**

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 583: Senators McPherson, Dardenne, and C. D. Jones.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the Senate**

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**
June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 783: Senators Dardenne, Ullo, and Hainkel.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1122: Senators Marionneaux, Heitmeier, and Fontenot.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 133.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 133.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

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

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 133 by Senator Hoyt

June 20, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 133 by Senator Hoyt recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Schneider and adopted by the House on June 17, 2003, be adopted.

2. That House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Cazayoux and adopted by the House on June 17, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Fred Hoyt
Senator Francis Heitmeier
Senator Tom Schedler
Representative T. D. “Tommy” Wright
Representative Joe R. Salter

Rep. Salter moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.
As a substitute motion, Rep. Cazayoux moved the bill be recommitted to the Conference Committee.


The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

By a vote of 44 yeas and 50 nays, the House refused to recommit the bill to the Conference Committee.

Rep. Salter moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Heaton  Pinac
Alario  Hebert  Powell
Alexander  Hill  Richmond
Baylor  Honey  Salter
Broome  Hopkins  Scalise
Bruce  Hudson  Schwegmann
Bruneau  Hunter  Shaw
Capella  Hutter  Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R  Iles  Smith, J.R.—30th
Curtis  Jackson, L  Snead
Dumicio  Jackson, M  Stelly
Dartez  Johns  Strain
Diez  Katz  Swilling
Downs  Kenney  Thompson
Erdey  LeBlanc  Triche
Fannin  Lucas  Tucker
Farrar  McDonald  Waddell
Flavin  McVea  Walker
Frith  Montgomery  Walsworth
Fruge  Morrish  Welch
Futrell  Murray  Winston
Glover  Nevers  Wooton
Green  Odinet  Wright
Guillory  Perkins
Hammett  Pierre
Total—76

NAYS

Ansardi  Crowe  Pitre
Arnold  Devillier  Quezaire
Baldone  Faucheux  Romero
Baudoin  LaFleur  Smith, G.—56th
Bowler  Martiny  Smith, J.D.—56th
Carter, K  Morrell  Toomy
Cazayoux  Peychaud
Total—20

ABSENT

Beard  Doerge  Kennard
Crane  Downer  Lancaster
Daniel  Gallot  Schneider
Total—9

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 214 by Senator Dupre

June 11, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 214 by Senator Dupre recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 20, 2003 be adopted.
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Respectfully submitted,
Senator Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.
Senator John Hainkel
Senator Jay Dardenne
Representative Loulan J. Pitre, Jr.

Rep. Pitre moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker        Gallot        Pierre
Alario            Glover        Pinac
Alexander         Green         Pitre
Ansardi           Guillory      Powell
Arnold            Hammett      Quezaire
Baldone           Heaton        Richmond
Baudouin          Hebert        Romero
Baylor            Hill          Salter

NAYS

ABSENT

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

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 568 by Senator Dupre
June 11, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 568 by Senator Dupre recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 21, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Committee Amendment No. 6 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 21, 2003 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, line 4, after "funds are available" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 5 and 6 and insert "without excluding highway projects otherwise eligible as capital projects under other provisions of law."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 13, change "twenty-five" to "thirty-five"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, after line 3, insert:

"Section 10. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or applications, and to this end the provisions of this Act are hereby declared severable."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.
Senator John Hainkel
Senator Jay Dardenne
Representative Loulan J. Pitre, Jr.

Rep. Pitre moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 340 by Senator Irons

June 21, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 340 by Senator Irons recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by the Representative John A. Alario, Jr. and adopted by the House of representatives on June 10, 2003 be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Paulette R. Irons
Senator Robert J. Barham
Senator Diane E. Bajoie
Representative John A. Alario, Jr.
Representative Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.
Representative Mitch Landrieu

Rep. Alario moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.
On page 2, lines 2 and 12, change "2005" to "2004"

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

As a substitute motion, Rep. Townsend moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be rejected.


The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Townsend, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments at this time.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments**

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

**Motion**

Rep. Townsend moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 19 were concurred in.


By a vote of 55 yeas and 43 nays, the vote by which the Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 19 were concurred in was reconsidered.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 19—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH**

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article V, Section 23(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize a judge who reaches the mandatory retirement age of seventy prior to finishing his term of office to complete that current term; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Reengrossed House Bill No. 19 by Representative Frith

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

The House refused to reject the amendments.

Rep. Frith insisted on his motion that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:
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YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Faucheux  Morrish
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Alexander  Frith  Odinet
Ansardi  Futrell  Perkins
Arnold  Gallot  Pinac
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Erdey  McVea  Wooton
Fannin  Montgomery  
Farrar  Morell  
Total—79

NAYS

Baylor  Hunter  Thompson
Bowler  Jackson, M  Townsend
Carter, K  Peychaud  Walsworth
Crane  Shaw  Wright
Hill  Smith, G.—56th  
Total—14

ABSENT

Doerge  Kennard  Richmond
Frugue  Lancaster  Smith, J.D.—50th
Hammett  Murray  Swilling
Honey  Pierre  Tucker
Total—12

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

Suspension of the Rules

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 388.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 968.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1046.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1039.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1096.

Respectfully submitted,
Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 70.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 77.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

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

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 388 by Senator Schedler
June 20, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 388 by Senator Hainkel recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments 2, 3, 4, and 5 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 1, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Floor Amendments 2 and 3 proposed by Representative Alario and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 3, 2003 be adopted.

3. That House Floor Amendments, 1, 2, and 3, proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted on June 3, 2003 be rejected.

4. That House Committee Amendment 1 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 1, 2003 be rejected.

5. That House Floor Amendment 1 proposed by Representative Alario and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 3, 2003 be rejected.

6. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 6 and insert the following:

"To enact R.S. 46:153.3(C), relative to prescription drugs used in the treatment of HIV/AIDS, hepatitis C, and schizophrenia or mental illness with psychotic symptoms; to provide an exemption of certain therapeutic drug classes from the Department of Health and Hospitals prior authorization process; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1 line 15, delete "laboratory or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, delete lines 1 and 2 and insert the following:

"included in certain therapeutic drug classes, as prescribed and determined by a prescribing practitioner licensed by the state, to be medically necessary for"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 5, delete "Prescription drugs" and insert:

"Therapeutic classes containing prescription drugs which shall be"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 10, after "inhibitors" insert "prescribed for the treatment of HIV/AIDS"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 11 and 12, and insert "(b) Immunomodulators and Hepatitis C-specific antiviral drugs prescribed for the treatment of hepatitis C."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 14 delete "for a person diagnosed with this disease"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Tom Schedler
Senator Bill Jones
Senator Willie Mount
Representative Yvonne Welch
Representative Sydnie Mae Durand

Rep. Welch moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL
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Total—7

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

*Senate Bill No. 968 by Senator B. Jones*

*June 22, 2003*

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 968 by Senator B. Jones recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted by the House on June 10, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Bill Jones
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Michael J. Michot
Representative Hollis Downs

Rep. Downs moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

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**ABSENT**

| Doerge         | Lancaster    |         |
| Hebert         | Winston      |         |

Total—4

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

*Senate Bill No. 1039 by Senator Lentini*
June 18, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 1039 by Senator Lentini, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments No. 1 through 10 proposed by the House Committee on the Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 28, 2003 be rejected.

2. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Townsend and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 3 through 8, in their entirety and insert "enact R.S. 26:597, relative to alcoholic beverages; to authorize the inclusion of a proposition relative to such beverages in certain elections in certain areas; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 15, and insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 26:597 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§597. Alcoholic beverage sales in restaurants; authorization for propositions to be submitted to voters in certain elections

R.S. 26:597 is all proposed new law.

A. The governing authority of any municipality established by legislative charter with a population of not less than thirteen thousand nor more than fourteen thousand may submit to the voters in any election held in compliance with provisions of either R.S. 18:402(A), (B), or (F) a proposition that would determine whether or not the business of selling alcoholic beverages only in restaurant may be conducted and licensed therein.

B. As used in this Section "restaurant" shall mean any business licensed to sell alcoholic beverages under the provisions of R.S. 26:73, R.S. 26:272, or both."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

Delete pages 2 through 5, and on page 6, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Arthur J. "Art" Lentini
Senator Robert Adley
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier
Representative Jean M. Doerge
Representative T. Taylor Townsend
Representative Joseph F. Toomy

Rep. Townsend moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gallot Peychaud
Alario Glover Pierre
Alexander Green Pinac
Ansardi Guillory Pitre
Arnold Hammert Powell
Baldone Heaton Quezaire
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Total—94

NAYS

Broome Perkins Walsworth
Bruneau Schneider
Crowe Tucker

Total—7

ABSENT

Doerge Kennard
Fruge Lancaster

Total—4

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 1046 by Senator Bill Jones

June 19, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 1046 by Senator Bill Jones, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:
1. That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, and 3 proposed by Representative Hammett and adopted by the House on June 11, 2003 be rejected.

2. That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 8 proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 11, 2003 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 6, after "fifty" and before the semicolon ";" insert the following:

"and by municipalities and parishes with ongoing Louisiana Small City Community Development Block Grants projects relating to health and safety"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, at the end of line 6, insert the following:

"AND BY MUNICIPALITIES AND PARISHES WITH ONGOING LOUISIANA SMALL CITY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANTS PROJECTS RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 17, after "census" and before the period "." insert the following:

"and by municipalities and parish with ongoing Louisiana Small City Community Development Block Grants projects relating to health and safety"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Bill Jones
Senator Robert Adley
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Representative Ronnie Johns
Representative Billy Montgomery
Representative Richard "Rick" Gallot, Jr.


**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 70 by Senator Gautreaux

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 70 by Senator Gautreaux recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments proposed by the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and adopted by the House on June 5, 2003, be adopted.

2. That House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Perkins and adopted by the House on June 10, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator D. A. "Butch" Gautreaux
Senator Francis c. Heitmeier
Senator Joel T. Chaissou, II
Representative John C. "Juba" Diez
Representative Jack D. Smith
Representative T. Taylor Townsend


**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:
YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gallot Peychaud
Alario Glover Pierre
Alexander Green Pinac
Ansardi Guillory Pitre
Baldone Hammett Powell
Baylor Heaton Quezaire
Beard Hebert Richmond
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Faucheux Morrish Winstone
Flavin Murray Wooton
Frith Nevers Wright
Fruge Odinet
Futrell Perkins
Total—94

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Arnold Doerge Scalise
Baudoin Hutter Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane Kennard Walsworth
Curtis Lancaster
Total—11

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Acting Speaker Pinac in the Chair

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 77 by Mount

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 77 by Mount recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 11, 2003 to be rejected.

2. That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 proposed by Representative Martiny and adopted by the House of June 26, 2003 Representatives on June 18, 2003 to be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Willie L. Mount
Senator Arthur J. Lentini
Senator Tom Schedler
Representative Donald J. Cazayoux, Jr.
Representative Daniel T. Flavin
Representative Daniel R. Martiny

Rep. Flavin moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alario Glover Pierre
Alexander Green Pinac
Ansardi Guillory Pitre
Baldone Hammett Powell
Baylor Hebert Richmond
Bowler Hill Romero
Broome Honey Salter
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Frith Nevers Wright
Fruge Odinet
Futrell Perkins
Gallot Peychaud
Total—98

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker Cazayoux Lancaster
Arnold Doerge
Baudoin Kennard
Total—7

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 2002 By Representative Pitre
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 2002 by Representative Pitre, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by Senator Heitmeier and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be rejected.

2. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 5 proposed by Senator Smith and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "To enact" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"R.S. 32:1305(H) and (I) and R.S. 45:164(E) and 858, relative to carriers; 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; to provide relative to movers of household goods; to require all movers other physical location shall be more than temporary. The permanent place of business shall be a particular building or office, or a terminal. The permanent establishment may include a place of management, a branch, an agency located in the state may be served on any means provided by the applicable rules or procedure for that court or agency providing service of process.

The provisions of this Section shall apply only when the contract for moving household goods exceeds two hundred fifty dollars.

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 32:1305(H) and (I) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1305. Appointment of official inspection stations

* * *

H. The department shall provide for a safety inspection program for the purpose of inspecting and certifying vehicles which transport forest products in their natural state in compliance with the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations. The program shall include a mobile unit that will function as an official inspection station and which will conduct safety inspections, on a voluntary basis, at or near sawmills, chip mills, and paper mills in the state. The secretary shall adopt and promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act necessary to implement the provisions of this Subsection.

I. The department shall provide for a safety inspection program for the purpose of inspecting and certifying vehicles that transport general freight and commodities in compliance with the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations. The program shall include a mobile unit that will function as an official inspection station and which will conduct motor carrier safety inspections, on a voluntary basis, at the permanent weight scales in the state. The secretary shall adopt and promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act necessary to implement the provisions of this Subsection."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, delete line 7 and insert the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 45:164(E) and 858 are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§164. Common carrier's certificate; contract carrier's permit

* * *

E.(1) All movers of household goods shall be required to apply for and secure a registration permit from the Louisiana Public Service Commission, shall secure and maintain the insurance policies required by the Louisiana Public Service Commission for movers of household goods, shall comply with all other requirements of the Louisiana Public Service Commission, shall carry motor truck cargo insurance of at least fifty thousand dollars per truck and one hundred thousand dollars per catastrophe, shall secure and maintain workers' compensation insurance, and shall file a surety bond by a Louisiana Public Service Commission in the amount of five thousand dollars, prior to engaging in any activities related to moving household goods.

(2)(a) Any carrier providing the intrastate transportation of household goods shall maintain a permanent establishment in the state. A permanent establishment shall mean a fixed place of business through which the business of the carrier is wholly or partly carried on. The place of business shall be a particular building or physical location used by the carrier for the conduct of its business, and it shall be foreseeable that the carrier's use of this building or other physical location shall be more than temporary. The permanent establishment may include a place of management, a branch, an office, or a terminal. The permanent establishment may be operated by an employee of the carrier or an agent of the carrier provided that the agent has and habitually exercises the authority to conclude transportation contracts in the name of the carrier.

(b) The carrier shall register the address and telephone number of its permanent establishment with the Louisiana Public Service Commission. Service of process with respect to all civil, criminal, or administrative proceedings brought before any court or administrative agency located in the state may be served on the carrier at its permanent establishment by any means provided by the applicable rules or procedure for that court or agency providing service of process.

(c) Should the carrier cease to maintain a permanent establishment in the state, its right to conduct business in the state shall be immediately suspended.

(3) The Louisiana Public Service Commission shall adopt and promulgate rules and regulations necessary to the proper implementation and administration of this Subsection, subject to the oversight of the standing committees on transportation, highways and public works of the Senate and the House of Representatives pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act. The provisions of this Section shall apply only when the contract for moving household goods exceeds two hundred fifty dollars.

* * *"
On page 2, line 11, change “Section 2.” to “Section 3.”

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, line 13, change “Section 3.” to “Section 4.”

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Loulan J. Pitre, Jr.
Representative John C. "Juba" Diez
Representative T. Taylor Townsend
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier
Senator Mike Smith
Senator Reggie Dupre

Rep. Pitre moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

- Mr. Speaker Gallot Pierre
- Alario Glover Pinac
- Alexander Green Pitre
- Ansardi Guillory Powell
- Arnold Hammett Quezaire
- Baldone Heaton Richmond
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- Frith Odinet Wright
- Fruge Perkins Peychaud

Total—100

**NAYS**

**ABSENT**

- Total—0
- Baudoin Downs Lancaster
- Doerge Kennard

Total—5

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**Speaker DeWitt in the Chair**

**CONFEREE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**House Bill No. 549 By Representative Futrell**

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 549 by Representative Futrell, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Theunissen and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be rejected.

2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Adley and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S." and before "relative" change "17:3048.1(A)(B)(i)," to "17:3023(A)(9) and (10), 3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii) and (b)(i), 4(a)(iii), (B)(3)(a), (C)(2)(f) and (h)(i), (K)(3)(a) and (b), (L), (P)(1)(a), and (Q)(1)(a) and (b), to enact R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(4) and 3128.2, and to repeal R.S. 17:3048.1(M),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 3, after "Award" and before "to provide" delete the semicolon ";" and add "the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students, and other student financial assistance;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1 delete line 4 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"residency, citizenship, and initial and continuing academic eligibility requirements, including minimum scores on certain tests; to provide relative to the adoption of certain rules by the administering agency, including guidelines and procedures permitting the agency to receive and consider certain test scores of an applicant that are obtained on a testing date during a specified time period in the year of the applicant’s graduation from high school, and for other agency powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities; to provide limitations; to provide relative to initial qualification for more than one award; to refer to court-ordered custodians rather than legal guardians; to provide relative to the reinstatement of award benefits to certain students; to provide relative to the eligibility of students graduating from certain out-state-high schools, to remove provisions relative to the presentation of certain certificates of achievement and related procedures; to grant the Board of Regents certain authority relative to student financial assistance policy; to provide for effectiveness; and"
On page 1, line 7, after “R.S.” delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“17:3023(A)(9) and (10), 3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii) and (b)(i), 4(a)(iii), (B)(3)(a), (C)(2)(f) and (h)(i), (K)(3)(a) and (b), (L), (P)(1)(a), and (Q)(1)(a) and (b) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(4) and 3128.2 are hereby enacted”

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1 delete lines 9 through 16 in their entirety and on page 2 delete lines 1 through 20 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“§3023. Powers and duties

A. The Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission may:

   * * * 

(9) Adopt rules and regulations in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, not inconsistent with the provisions of this Chapter, governing the guarantee, disbursement, and/or servicing of loans made by the commission, and governing any other matters relating to the activities of the commission. Such rules and regulations shall include procedures for the denial of licenses, permits, and certificates required by the state to practice or engage in a trade, occupation, or profession to applicants and renewal applicants in default on the repayment of loans guaranteed by the commission, for the conditional issuance or renewal of such a license, permit, or certificate pending an applicant’s compliance with loan repayment requirements, and for other matters necessary to implement the provisions of R.S. 37:2951. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the rule-making authority of the commission shall be subject to the provisions of R.S. 17:3128.2(C);

(10) Perform such other acts as may be necessary or appropriate to carry out effectively the objects and purposes of the commission.

Make recommendations to the Board of Regents concerning formulation of policies with respect to student financial assistance which support the goals and objectives of the state’s Master Plan for Postsecondary Education.

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§3048.1. Program awards; eligibility; amounts; limitations; funding; administration

A.(1) As part of the Louisiana Tuition Opportunity Program for Students, the state shall financially assist any student who enrolls on a full-time basis in a public college or university in this state or a regionally accredited independent college or university in the state that is a member of the Louisiana Association of Independent Colleges or Universities, hereafter in this Chapter referred to collectively as “eligible colleges or universities”, to pursue an academic undergraduate degree or, as provided by this Subsection, skill or occupational training as defined by the Board of Regents, including a vocational or technical education certificate or diploma program or a nonacademic undergraduate degree, and who meets the qualifications of Subparagraph (b), (c), or (d) of this Paragraph and all of the applicable following qualifications:

(a) * * * 

(ii) For a student graduating from high school during the 1999-2000 school year or thereafter, is a citizen of the United States and if an independent student, as defined by the administering agency, is a resident of Louisiana or if a dependent student, as defined by the administering agency, has a parent or legal guardian court-ordered custodian who is a resident of Louisiana during the twenty-four months preceding the date of the student’s graduation from high school, or is eligible pursuant to the alternative means of determining residency for dependent students provided by Paragraph (C)(4) of this Section, or is the dependent child of a resident of Louisiana on active duty with the United States armed forces who is stationed outside Louisiana but who claims Louisiana as his home of record state of legal residence and who has filed a Louisiana state income tax return for the most recent two years, or is the dependent child of a nonresident on active duty with the United States armed forces who is stationed in Louisiana under permanent change of station orders and who not later than sixty days after reporting to such station changes his military personnel records to establish Louisiana as his official home of record state of legal residence and complies with Louisiana income tax laws and regulations for the time period while stationed in Louisiana. A student who is not a citizen of the United States but who is eligible to apply for such citizenship shall be deemed to satisfy the citizenship requirement of this Subparagraph if within sixty days after the date the student attains the age of majority, the student applies to become a citizen of the United States and obtains such citizenship within one year after the date of application.

(b)(i) Has been certified as provided in Subsection D of this Section to have graduated from a public high school or a nonpublic high school which has been approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, has a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.50 calculated on a 4.00 scale, has a composite score on the 1990 version of the American College Test which is at least equal to or higher than the state's average composite score, rounded to the nearest whole number, reported for the prior year but never less than nineteen twenty or an equivalent concordant value on an enhanced or revised version of such test or on the Scholastic Aptitude Test, and, unless granted an exception for cause by the administering agency, has enrolled in an eligible college or university as a first-time freshman not later than the semester, excluding summer semesters or sessions, immediately following the first anniversary of the date that the student graduated from high school or, if the student joins the United States Armed Forces within one year after graduating from high school, has enrolled in an eligible college or university as a first-time freshman not later than the semester, excluding summer semesters or sessions, immediately following the fifth anniversary of the date that the student graduated from high school. As distinguished from all other students qualifying for this program, a student who meets the requirements of this Subparagraph shall be the recipient of an “Opportunity Award” for the purposes of this program.

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(4) To maintain continued state payment of an amount equal to tuition and other amounts pursuant to an award under this Chapter once enrolled in college a student shall meet all of the following:

(a) * * * 

(iii) If at any time a student fails to maintain the cumulative grade point average required for continuation in the program or as of the end of any semester or term during the academic year fails to make steady academic progress as defined by the administering agency, such student shall become ineligible for further payments. Payments limited to those provided in Paragraph (A)(2) of this Section regardless of whether the originally granted award was an
Opportunity, Performance, or Honors Award may be reinstated upon attainment of the grade point average required by this Paragraph for a student to maintain continued state payments once enrolled in college and the standards for steady academic progress as defined by the administering agency, provided that the student has maintained other continuation requirements and the period of ineligibility did not persist for more than two years from the date of loss of eligibility. If this two-year period is interrupted due to a student's active duty service in the United States Armed Forces, the two-year period shall be extended for a length of time equal to the student's active duty service, not to exceed four years.

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B.

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(3) To maintain continued state payment of an amount equal to tuition pursuant to a TOPS-Tech Award once enrolled in an institution, a student shall meet all of the following:

(a) Make steady academic progress as defined by the administering agency toward completion of the requirements of the program in which enrolled earning not less than the minimum number of hours of credit required for full-time standing or the required number of hours needed to complete the program's requirements. If at any time a student fails to maintain the cumulative grade point average required for continuation in the program or as of the end of any term during the school year fails to make steady academic progress as defined by the administering agency, the student shall become ineligible for further payments. Payments may be reinstated upon attainment of the grade point average required for continuation of the original award and the standards for steady academic progress as defined by the administering agency, provided that the student has maintained other continuation requirements and the period of ineligibility did not persist for more than one year from the date of loss of eligibility. If this one-year period is interrupted due to a student's active duty service in the United States Armed Forces, the one-year period shall be extended for a length of time equal to the student's active duty service, not to exceed four years.

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(2) Except as otherwise provided by this Paragraph, the administering agency by rule shall provide for:

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(f) Guidelines and procedures directing that when tuition is paid from a source other than the award made pursuant to this Section, the award shall be applied by the institution attended by the student toward payment of expenses other than tuition which are described in the term “cost of attendance” as that term is defined in 20 U.S.C. 1087(II), as amended, for the purpose of qualifying the student or his parent or guardian to receive and consider, beginning with awards made for the 2000-2001 academic year and thereafter, an applicant's qualifying score on the American College Test or on the Scholastic Aptitude Test that is obtained on an authorized testing date after the date of the applicant's high school graduation but prior to July first of the year of such graduation.

(b) Guidelines and procedures permitting the administering agency to receive and consider, beginning with awards made for the 2003-2004 academic year and thereafter, an applicant's qualifying score on the American College Test or on the Scholastic Aptitude Test which is first obtained on an authorized testing date after the national April ACT testing date in the year of the applicant's high school graduation but prior to July first of the year of such graduation.

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(4) For the purpose of determining award eligibility of a dependent student, any such student who meets each of the following guidelines shall be considered a resident:

(a) The student graduates during the 2001-2002 school year or thereafter from a Louisiana public high school or from a nonpublic high school that is approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and that meets other applicable requirements of this Section.

(b) The student has been continuously enrolled in and has attended such a school from at least the beginning of the student’s senior year in high school as certified by the high school principal or headmaster or his designee.

(c) The student has a parent or court-ordered custodian who is a resident of a state that adjoins Louisiana and the parent or legal guardian resides in a municipality having geographic boundaries that include a portion of the state of Louisiana.

(d) The parent or custodian has filed a Louisiana state income tax return and has complied with state income tax laws and regulations, or is assessed ad valorem taxes on property owned in Louisiana.

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(3)(a)(i) Any student who receives a financial assistance award pursuant to this Section may elect to accept the award on the basis provided in this Paragraph. The student may elect to delay the acceptance of his financial assistance award until after the student, if he is not claimed as a dependent of a parent or guardian court-ordered custodian on a federal income tax return, or his parent or guardian court-ordered custodian, if he is claimed as a dependent on a federal income tax return, files his federal income tax return.

(ii) If the student delays the acceptance of his award and the student, parent, or guardian court-ordered custodian claims a federal income tax credit for money expended on educational tuition for the postsecondary education of the student, the administering agency shall pay directly to the student an amount equal to the amount of the award that would have been paid to the eligible institution on behalf of the student less the amount of the tax credit claimed plus as an incentive for claiming the credit and thus reducing the cost to the state of this program, an amount equal to twenty-five percent of the amount of the credit claimed.

(iii) If the student delays the acceptance of his award and the student, parent, or guardian court-ordered custodian does not claim
such a credit, then the amount of the award that would have been paid to the eligible institution on behalf of the student shall be paid directly to the student.

(b) In order to receive the additional incentive payment provided for in Item(a)(ii) of this Paragraph, the student, parent, or guardian court-ordered custodian filing the return shall provide such proof to the administering agency of the amount of federal income tax credit for money expended on educational tuition claimed as required by the agency, including access to their federal income tax records or other appropriate records.

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L. Each student who initially qualifies for more than one award under the provisions of this Section shall receive the award requiring the most rigorous eligibility criteria, unless the student chooses to receive a TOPS-Tech Award pursuant to Paragraph B(2) of this Section. Once the student who has chosen a TOPS-Tech Award enrolls in a Louisiana public postsecondary institution pursuant to Paragraph B(2) of this Section, his choice becomes irrevocable.

* * *

P.(1) Notwithstanding any initial student eligibility requirement of this Chapter to the contrary, a student shall be eligible to receive a TOPS-Tech Award pursuant to this Section provided each of the applicable following conditions are met:

(a) The student has been certified by the principal or headmaster to have graduated during the 1996-1997 or the 1997-1998 school year or thereafter from an out-of-state high school which has been approved by the appropriate state educational agency in the state in which the school is located; from an out-of-state high school which is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Secondary and Middle Schools and meets the standards adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for approval of nonpublic schools in Louisiana; or, for students certified to have graduated during the 2002-2003 school year or thereafter, from an out-of-state high school that is accredited by a regional accrediting organization recognized by the United States Department of Education and meets the standards adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for approval of nonpublic schools in Louisiana; or from a high school which has been approved by the United States Department of Defense.

* * *

Q.(1) Notwithstanding any initial student eligibility requirement of this Chapter to the contrary, a student shall be eligible to receive a TOPS-Tech Award pursuant to this Section provided each of the following conditions are met:

(a) The student has been certified by a parent or legal guardian, court-ordered custodian to have successfully completed at the twelfth grade level a home study program approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. Additionally, the student, if ever enrolled in a Louisiana public high school or nonpublic high school which has been approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, must have begun his studies in the approved home study program no later than the conclusion of the tenth grade year.

(b) The student has actually resided in Louisiana or has a parent or legal guardian who has actually resided in Louisiana during the twenty-four months prior to the date that the student’s initial application is received by the administering agency. The student meets the citizenship and residency requirements provided in Subparagraph (A)(1)(a) of this Section.

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§3128.2. Powers relative to student financial assistance

A. The Board of Regents shall formulate policies with respect to student financial assistance which support the goals and objectives of the state’s Master Plan for Postsecondary Education. The board shall receive and consider the comments and recommendations of the Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission in formulating such policy.

B. The Board of Regents shall be the sole agency responsible for providing advice and recommendations concerning student financial assistance policies to the governor and the legislature, including making recommendations concerning legislation to be proposed as well as pending legislation except that the board may authorize other agencies as deemed appropriate by the board to make recommendations to the governor and the legislature concerning the administration and implementation of such policies.

C. The Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission shall submit to the Board of Regents, at the time required by the Administrative Procedure Act for submission to legislative committees, its notice of intent of rulemaking and the report required by R.S. 49:968(D). If the Board of Regents objects to the adoption of the rule and submits such objection in writing to the commission not later than the last day provided by the Administrative Procedure Act for a legislative committee to find the rule unacceptable, the commission shall not adopt the rule. The commission shall not adopt an emergency rule as authorized by the Administrative Procedure Act unless the commission has submitted such proposed emergency rule to the Board of Regents and the Board of Regents has not objected to the adoption of such rule within ten days after receipt of the proposed emergency rule by the Board of Regents.

Section 2. R.S. 17:3048.1(M) is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 3. It is the intent of the legislature in enacting this Act that this Act and Acts Nos. 81 and 214 of this 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature shall all be given effect and none of them shall be made to lose any of its force or effect.

Section 4. (A) Except as otherwise provided in Subsection B of this Section, 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 in Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, except as otherwise provided in Subsection B of this Section, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

(B) The provisions of this Act amending and reenacting R.S. 17:3023(A)(9) and (10) and enacting R.S. 17:3128.2 shall become effective on July 1, 2004.”

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Mike Futrell
Representative Carl Crane
Representative Charlie DeWitt
Senator Robert Adley
Senator Jay Dardenne
Rep. Futrell moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report. Representative Pinac, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 5 of the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senators Hollis and Michot and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be rejected.

2. That Amendments No. 4 of the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senators Hollis and Michot and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be adopted.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 5, after "exception for" delete "attorney" and insert "certain"

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Gil J. Pinac
Representative Daniel T. Flavin
Representative Edwin R. Murray
Senator Ken Hollis
Senator Michael J. Michot
Senator Chris Ullo

Rep. Pinac moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

The roll was called with the following result:

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**NAYS**

| Carter, R         | Glover  | Swilling |
| Doerge            | Kennard |          |
| Flavin            | Lancaster |        |
| Total—7          |         |          |

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

House Bill No. 1002 By Representative Pinac

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1002 by
On motion of Rep. Martiny, the Conference Committee was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 2027.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2027 (Substitute for House Bill No. 466 by Representative Martiny)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:317(B) and 318(A), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide with respect to residence and domicile requirements for certain licensees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2027 by Representative Martiny

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after “R.S. 27:317” and before the comma “,” delete “and to enact R.S. 27:302.1”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after “Law;” delete the remainder of the line and delete line 4 and at the beginning of line 5 delete “licensed manufacturer and distributor; to delete” and insert in lieu thereof “to provide with respect to”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 9, after “R.S. 27:317” and before “is” insert “(B)”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 4 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003.

AMENDMENT NO. 5
Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003.

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, delete lines 2 through 13 and insert in lieu thereof

"*          *          *

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cravins to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2027 by Representative Martiny

AMENDMENT NO. 1
Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003.

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 27:317" and before the comma ",," delete "and to enact R.S. 27:302.1" and insert in lieu thereof "(B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 3, after "Law;" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 4 and at the beginning of line 5 delete "licensed manufacturer and distributor; to delete" and insert in lieu thereof "to provide with respect to"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 9, after "R.S. 27:317" and before "is" insert "(B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003.

AMENDMENT NO. 6
Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003.

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, delete lines 2 through 13 and insert in lieu thereof

"*          *          *

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker         Green         Peychaud
Alario             Guillory        Pierre
Ansardi           Hammett        Pinac
Arnold            Heaton         Pitre
Baldone           Hebert         Powell
Baylor            Hill           Quezaire
Bowler            Honey          Richmond
Bruce             Hopkins        Romero
Bruneau           Hudson         Salter
The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by 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 RESOLUTION NO. 164—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE**

A RESOLUTION

To express the support of the House of Representatives for the “America’s Legislators Back to School Week” slated for September 15 through 19, 2003, sponsored by the National Conference of State Legislatures.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 165—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD, TRICHE, STELLY, JOHN SMITH, LEBLANC, JOHNS, FLAVIN, MORRELL, JANE SMITH, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BEARD, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, CAPELLA, CARTER, CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DOWNS, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GALLOWAY, GLOVER, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANDRIEU, LUCAS, MARTINY, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PEYCHAUD, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAFFER, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, SNEED, STRAIN, SWILLING, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSOUR, WELCH, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Honorable H.B. “Hunt” Downer and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Lafourche and Terrebonne parishes and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his twenty-eight-year tenure as a distinguished member and his term as former speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

Read by title.

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1068—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:87.2, relative to performance-based budgeting; to provide for a process by which an agency's performance data may be adjusted after the budget has been enacted; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed House Bill No. 1068 by Representative LeBlanc

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 17, change “August fifteenth,” to “September first,”

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker Fruge Perkins
Alario Furrer Pyschaud
Alexander Gallot Pierre
Arnold Glover Pinac
Baldone Green Pite
Baudoin Guillory Powell
Baylor Hammett Quezaria
Beard Heaton Richmond
Bowler Hebert Romdeo
Broome Hill Salter
Bruce Honey Scalise
Bruneau Hopkins Schneider
The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

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

Acting Speaker Walsworth in the Chair

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1984 By Representative Gary Smith

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1984 by Representative Gary Smith, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by Senator C. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 22, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Gary L. Smith, Jr.
Representative Daniel R. Martiny
Representative Damon J. Baldone

Speaker DeWitt in the Chair

Motion

On motion of Rep. Hunter, the bill was recommitted to the Conference Committee.

SENATE BILL NO. 77—

BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:81(C), and (D) and 281(C), (D) and (F) and to enact R.S. 17:405(A)(1)(h) and (i), and (4), relative to the status and location of licensed day care centers; to provide relative to the proximity of licensed day care centers to alcohol service providers; to place such day care centers within drug free zones; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Martiny, the bill was recommitted to the Conference Committee.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 370 By Representative Faucheux

June 21, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 370 by Representative Faucheux, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendments, proposed by Senator Chaisson and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

2. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "government to" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 4, and on line 5, delete "prerequisites;" and insert in lieu thereof "use certain revenues for industrial development purposes and to provide for use of property of the local governmental subdivision by a person, association, or corporation for such purposes; to provide limitations;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the end of line 17, delete "or (11) the" and delete lines 18 through 26 and on page 4, delete lines 1 through 3, and insert:

"or (11) the use by a local governmental subdivision of tax revenues dedicated to industrial or economic development or proceeds from
bonds secured by such revenues for the acquisition of immovable property by the local governmental subdivision or for maintenance of such immovable property or other immovable property of the local governmental subdivision, or the granting of the use of such immovable property or any other immovable property of the local governmental subdivision to a person, association, or corporation that, by cooperative endeavor agreement, agrees to locate or expand industrial enterprises within the local governmental subdivision, provided the consideration to be provided by the person, association, or corporation for use of such property shall be of any such amount or nature as is provided in the cooperative endeavor agreement, a number of residents of the subdivision are employed as a result of such development as specified in the cooperative endeavor agreement, and the cooperative endeavor agreement is approved by the State Bond Commission. For purposes of this Subparagraph, "immovable property" shall mean tracts of land with their component parts.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, delete lines 12 through 21, and insert in lieu thereof:

"To authorize local governments, in exchange for economic or industrial development, to use tax revenues dedicated to such development or proceeds of bonds secured by such revenues to acquire immovable property or maintain immovable property of the local government or to grant the use of such immovable property or other immovable property of the local government to persons, associations, or corporations that enter into an agreement to locate or expand industrial operations in the area, provided the consideration to be provided by the person, association, or corporation for use of such property is of any such amount or nature as provided in the agreement, a number of area residents are employed as specified in the agreement, and the agreement is approved by the State Bond Commission."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Sharon Weston Broome
Representative Robert R. "Bobby" Faucheux, Jr.
Representative Roy Quezaire, Jr.
Senator Diane E. Bajoie
Senator Joel T. Chaisson, Jr.
Senator John L. "Jay" Dardenne, Jr.

Rep. Faucheux moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker       Futrell       Pierre
Alario           Gallot        Pinac
Alexander        Glover        Pitre
Ansardi          Green         Powell
Arnold           Guilory       Quezaire
Baldone          Hammett       Richmond
Baudoin          Heaton        Romero
Baylor           Hebert        Salter
Broome           Hill          Scalsie
Bruce            Honey         Schwegmann
Bruneau          Hopkins       Shaw
Carter, K        Hudson        Smith, G.—56th
Carter, R        Hutter        Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux         Iles          Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane            Jackson, L     Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe            Jackson, M     Sned
Damico           Johns         Stelly
Daniel           Katz          Strain
Dartez           Kenney        Swilling
Devillier        LaFleur       Thompson
Diez             Landrieu      Toomy
Downer           LeBlanc       Townsend
Downs            Lucas         Triche
Durand           Martiny       Tucker
Erdey            McDonald      Waddell
Fannin           McVea         Walker
Farrar           Montgomery    Welch
Faucheux         Morrell       Winston
Flavin           Nevers        Wooton
Frith            Odinet        Wright
Fruge            Peychaud
Total—92

NAYS

Beard            Perkins
Bowler           Schneider
Total—4

ABSSENT

Capella          Hunter        Morrish
Curtis           Kennard       Murray
Doerge           Lancaster     Walsworth
Total—9

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1043 By Representative Faucheux

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1043 by Representative Faucheux, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Committee Amendments, proposed by the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works and adopted by the Senate on June 10, 2003, be adopted.

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

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 21, after "by the governor" delete the period "." and insert "from nominations submitted to him jointly by the members of the House of Representatives and the Senate whose districts include any part of the parkway area."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Sharon Weston Broome
Representative Robert R. "Bobby" Faucheux, Jr.
Representative Roy Quezaire, Jr.
Senator Joel T. Chaisson, Jr.
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier
Senator Bill Jones

Rep. Faucheux moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Futrell Pierre
Alario Gallot Pitre
Alexander Glover Powell
Ansardi Green Quezaire
Arnold Guillory Richmond
Baldone Hammett Romero
Baudoin Heaton Salter
Baylor Hebert Scalise
Beard Hill Schwegmann
Broome Hopkins Shaw
Bruce Hudson Smith, G.—56th
Bruneau Hutter Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R Iles Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane Jackson, L Sneed
Crowe Jackson, M Stelly
Curtis Johns Strain
Damico Katz Swilling
Dartez Kenney Thompson
Devillier LaFleur Townsend
Diez LeBlanc Triche
Dowds Lucas Tucker
Durand Martiny Waddell
Erdey McDonald Walker
Fannin McVea Walsworth
Farrar Montgomery Welch
Faucheux Morrell Winston
Flavin Nevers Wooton
Frith Perkins Wright
Frueg Peychaud
Total—89

NAYS

Schneider
Total—1

ABSENT

Capella Downer Morrish
Carter, K Hunter Murray
Cazayoux Kennard Odinet
Daniel Lancaster Pinac
Doerge Landrieu Toomy
Total—15

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Acting Speaker LeBlanc in the Chair

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 335 By Representative Pinac

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 335 by Representative Pinac, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 5, 2003, be adopted.

2. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senators Hollis and Michot and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Gil J. Pinac
Representative Mickey Frith
Representative Beverly G. Bruce
Senator Ken Hollis
Senator Michael J. Michot
Senator Mike Smith

Rep. Pinac moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gallot Pinac
Alario Glover Pitre
Alexander Green Powell
Ansardi Guillory Quezaire
Arnold Hammett Richmond
Baldone Heaton Romero
Baudoin Hebert Salter
Baylor Honey Smith, G.—56th
Broome Hopkins Smith, J.D.—50th
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Erdey McDonald Walker
Fannin McVea Walsworth
Farrar Montgomery Welch
Faucheux Morrell Winston
Flavin Nevers Wooton
Frith Perkins Wright
Frueg Peychaud
Total—91

NAYS

Schneider
Total—1

ABSENT

Capella Downer Morrish
Carter, K Hunter Murray
Cazayoux Kennard Odinet
Daniel Lancaster Pinac
Doerge Landrieu Toomy
Total—15

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.
ABSENT

Beard  Hill  Odinet
Broome  Hutter  Smith, J.R.—30th
Capella  Hutter  Stelly
Daniel  Lancaster  Morrish
Doerge  Total—13

The roll was called with the following result:

Broome  Hutter  Smith, J.R.—30th
Capella  Kennard  Stelly
Daniel  Lancaster  Morrish
Doerge  Total—13

YEAS

Alario  Diez  Odinet
Ansardi  Downs  Pinac
Arnold  Farrar  Pitre
Baldone  Gallot  Smith, G.—56th
Bruce  Hebert  Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R.  Johns  Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux  LaFleur  Townsend
Crane  Lucas  Triche
Curtis  Martiny  Wooton
Dartez  Montgomery  Total—29

NAYS

Mr. Speaker  Glover  Powell
Alexander  Green  Quezaire
Baudoin  Guillory  Richmond
Beard  Hammett  Romero
Beard  Heaton  Salter
Bowler  Hill  Scalice
Broome  Hutter  Schneider
Bruneau  Iles  Schwegmann
Capella  Jackson, L.  Shaw
Carter, K.  Jackson, M.  Sneed
Crowe  Katz  Stelly
Damico  Kenney  Strain
Downer  Landrieu  Swilling
Durand  LeBlanc  Thompson
Erdey  McDonald  Tucker
Fannin  Morrell  Waddell
Fauchois  Morrish  Walker
Flavin  Nevers  Walsworth
Frith  Perkins  Welch
Fruge  Peychaud  Winston
Putrell  Pierre  Wright
Total—63

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 2 and 7, following "1734.1" insert "(A)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17, after "exceed" and before "dollars" change "one thousand five hundred" to "three thousand five hundred"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, after "plus" and before "hundred" change "three hundred" to "three hundred fifty"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 2, after "last" and before the period "." insert "not to exceed a total of seven thousand five hundred dollars for the entire trial"

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Damon J. Baldone
Representative Donald J. Cazayoux
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Reggie Dupre

Rep. Baldone moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alario  Diez  Odinet
Ansardi  Downs  Pinac
Arnold  Farrar  Pitre
Baldone  Gallot  Smith, G.—56th
Bruce  Hebert  Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R.  Johns  Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux  LaFleur  Townsend
Crane  Lucas  Triche
Curtis  Martiny  Wooton
Dartez  Montgomery  Total—29

NAYS

Mr. Speaker  Glover  Powell
Alexander  Green  Quezaire
Baudoin  Guillory  Richmond
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Fannin  Morrell  Waddell
Fauchois  Morrish  Walker
Flavin  Nevers  Walsworth
Frith  Perkins  Welch
Fruge  Peychaud  Winston
Putrell  Pierre  Wright
Total—63

ABSENT

Beard  Hill  Odinet
Broome  Hutter  Smith, J.R.—30th
Capella  Kennard  Stelly
Daniel  Lancaster  Morrish
Doerge  Total—13

The House refused to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 439 By Representative Martiny

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 439 by Representative Martiny, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003, be rejected.
2. That the set of Legislative Bureau Amendments proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2003, be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 2 and 7, following "1734.1" insert "(A)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17, after "exceed" and before "dollars" change "one thousand five hundred" to "three thousand five hundred"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, after "plus" and before "hundred" change "three hundred" to "three hundred fifty"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 2, after "last" and before the period "." insert "not to exceed a total of seven thousand five hundred dollars for the entire trial"

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Damon J. Baldone
Representative Donald J. Cazayoux
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Reggie Dupre

Rep. Baldone moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.
Representative Martiny, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator B. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be rejected.

2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Theunissen and adopted by the Senate on June 20, 2003, be adopted.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 26, after "calculation" and before "based" change

"includes an adjustment" to "is"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 3 delete lines 10 through 16 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(dd) No student graduating from high school during the 2006-2007 school year or thereafter shall receive an initial award under the provisions of this Item. However, any student granted an award pursuant to the provisions of this Item prior to the 2006-2007 school year, including those granted an award prior to the amendment of this Item by the Act that originated as House Bill No. 439 of the 2003 Regular Session of the legislature, may continue under such award as long as continuation requirements in this Section are met."

Respectfully submitted,
Representative Daniel R. Martiny
Representative Carl Crane
Representative Diane G. Winston
Senator Arthur Lenti
Senator Tom Schedler
Senator Gerald Theunissen

Rep. Martiny moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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Bruneau
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Total—14

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**Petitions, Memorials and Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 138.

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

**Message from the Senate**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 174.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 201.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 236.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 335.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 334.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 370.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 409.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 501.
Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 549.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 604.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 631.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 713.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
RECOMMITTAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 2003

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has recommitted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 784.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 812.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 862.

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

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 876.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 892.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 927.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 932.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1002.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1007.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1021.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1342.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1342.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1476.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1812.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 476.

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

Message from the Senate
REJECTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 2003
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has rejected the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 398.

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

Message from the Senate
DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL
June 23, 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. 1009 by Sen. McPherson, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement; and to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following members as conferees on the part of the Senate: Senators Barham, McPherson, and Ellington.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 476.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 705.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 262.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 331.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 802.

Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1101.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1111.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 297.

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

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 260.

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

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1009: Reps. Farrar, Richmond, and Townsend.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 795: Reps. LaFleur Vice DeWitt.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1111: Reps. Jack Smith, LeBlanc, and Townsend.

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

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

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 1934 By Representative Baldone
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. HB1934 by Representative Baldone, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by Senator Ellington and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be adopted.

2. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,
Representative Damon J. Baldone
Representative Ronnie Johns
Representative Billy Montgomery
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Reggie Dupre
Senator John L. “Jay” Dardenne

Rep. Baldone moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:
Respectfully submitted,

Representative Rick Farrar
Representative Jerry Luke LeBlanc
Representative Warren J. Triche, Jr.
Senator Joe McPherson

Rep. Farrar moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Guillory  Pitre
Alario  Gallot  Peychaud
Alexander  Glover  Pierre
Ansardi  Green  Pinac
Arnold  Guillory  Pitre
Baldone  Hammett  Powell
Baudoin  Heaton  Quezaire
Baylor  Hebert  Richmond
Beard  Hill  Romero
Broome  Honey  Salter
Bruce  Hopkins  Scalise
Bruneau  Hudson  Schneider
Capella  Hunter  Shaw
Carter, K  Hutter  Smith, G—56th
Carter, R  Iles  Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane  Jackson, L  Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe  Jackson, M  Smith, J.R.—30th
Curtis  Johns  Sneed
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Dartez  LaFleur  Swilling
Devillier  Landrieu  Thompson
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Durand  McDonald  Tucker
Erdey  McVea  Waddell
Fannin  Montgomery  Walker
Farrar  Morrell  Welsh
Faucheux  Morrish  Winston
Flavin  Murray  Wooton
Frith  Nevers  Walthall
Fruge  Odinet

Total—97

NAYS

Erdey  McVea  Tucker
Fannin  Montgomery  Waddell
Frith  Nevers  Walthall
Flavin  Murray  Wooton
Fruge  Odinet
Gallot  Peychaud  Wright
Glover  Pinac

Total—0

ABSENT

Bowler  Kennard  Walsworth
Cazayoux  Lancaster  Wright
Doerge  Schwegmann

Total—8

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 583 By Representative Farrar

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 583 by Representative Farrar, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator C.D. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Rick Farrar
Representative Jerry Luke LeBlanc
Representative Warren J. Triche, Jr.
Senator Joe McPherson

Rep. Farrar moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Guillory  Pitre
Alario  Gallot  Peychaud
Alexander  Glover  Pierre
Ansardi  Green  Pinac
Arnold  Guillory  Pitre
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Bruneau  Hudson  Schneider
Capella  Hunter  Shaw
Carter, K  Hutter  Smith, G—56th
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Crane  Jackson, L  Smith, J.H.—8th
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Total—97

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Total—0

ABSENT

Bowler  Kennard  Walsworth
Cazayoux  Lancaster  Wright
Doerge  Schwegmann

Total—8

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

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 774 By Representative Perkins

June 23, 2003
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 774 by Representative Perkins, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 7, and Nos. 9 through 11 of the set of Senate Floor Amendments consisting of eleven amendments proposed by Senator Fontenot and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 8 of the set of Senate Floor Amendments consisting of eleven amendments proposed by Senator Fontenot and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.
3. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 of the set of Senate Floor Amendments consisting of three amendments proposed by Senator Fontenot and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be adopted.
4. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 3 of the set of Senate Floor Amendments consisting of three amendments proposed by Senator Fontenot and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.
5. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of this Paragraph any construction or maintenance project which requires the temporary closure of a lane on a controlled access principal arterial interstate shall be in compliance with the provisions of Subsection C of this Section."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page , at the end of the bill, insert:

"D. Any company that violates the provisions of this Section."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Anthony R. Perkins
Representative John C. "Juba" Diez
Representative John A. Alario, Jr.
Senator H. "Clo" Fontenot
Senator Arthur J. Lentini

Rep. Perkins moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**Senate Bill No. 297 by Senator Dardenne**

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 297 by Senator Dardenne recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments No. 1 through 6 proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted by the House on June 3, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Jay Dardenne
Senator Tom Scheller
Senator Bill Jones
Representative Mike Walsworth
Representative Sydnie Mae Durand
Representative J. D. Smith

Rep. Walsworth moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Flavin Perkins
Alario Frith Peychaud
Alexander Fruge Pinac
Ansardi Futrell Pitre
Arnold Gallot Powell
Baldone Glover Quezaire
Baudoin Green Richmond
Baylors Guilory Romero
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Broome Hebert Schneider
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Fannin Murray Wooton
Farrar Nevers Wright
Faucheux Odinet Perkins
Total—95

NAYS

Jackson, M. Morrish
Montgomery Townsend
Total—4

ABSENT

Doerge Lancaster Pierre
Kennard McVea Tucker
Total—6

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 476 by Senator Bajoie

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 476 by Senator Bajoie recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments 1 through 10 and Amendment 13 proposed by Representative Peychaud and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Floor Amendments No. 11, 12, 14, 15, and 16 proposed by Representative Peychaud and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,
Senator Diana Bajoie
Senator Arthur J. Lentini
Senator Paulette Irons
Representative Rosalind Peychaud
Representative Daniel Martiny
Representative Arthur Morrell

Rep. Peychaud moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Flavin Perkins
Alario Gallot Peychaud
Alexander Glover Pinac
Ansardi Green Pitre
Arnold Guillory Powell
Baldone Hammett Quezaire
Beard Heaton Richmond
Bowler Hebert Romero
Bruce Hill Salter
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Daniel Kenney Smith, M.—50th
Dartez LaFleur Smith, M.—50th
Devillier Landrieu Smith, M.—50th
Diez LeBlanc Smith, M.—50th
Downer Lucas Smith, M.—50th
Downs Martiny Smith, M.—50th
Durand McDonald Smith, M.—50th
Erdey Morrell Smith, M.—50th
Fannin Murray Smith, M.—50th
Farrar Nevers Smith, M.—50th
Faucheux Odinet Smith, M.—50th
Total—96

NAYS

Jackson, M. Katz Stelly
Montgomery Townsend
Total—4

ABSENT

Doerge Lancaster Pierre
Kennard McVea Tucker
Total—6

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 705 by Senator Schedler

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 705 by Senator Schedler recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the House Committee Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 11, 2003 be adopted.

2. That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Baldone and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Tom Schedler
Senator Arthur J. "Art" Lentini
Senator Chris Ullo
Representative Hunt Downer
Representative Ronnie Johns

Rep. Downer moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Fruge  Pierre
Alario  Futrell  Pinac
Alexander  Gallot  Pitre
Ansardi  Glover  Powell
Arnold  Green  Quezaire
Baldone  Guillory  Rich mond
Baudoin  Hammett  Romero
Baylor  Heaton  Sal ter
Beard  Hill  Scalise
Bowler  Honey  Schneider
Broome  Hopkins  Schwegmann
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Bruneau  Hunter  Smith, G.—56th
Capella  Hunter  Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, K  Iles  Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R  Jackson, L  Smith, J.R.—30th
Cazayoux  Jackson, M  Sne ed
Crane  Johns  Steely
Crowe  Kautz  Strain
Curtis  Kenney  Swilling
Damico  LaFleur  Thompson

Total—100

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Doerge  Kennard  Perkins
Hebert  Lancaster

Total—5

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 823 by Senator Smith

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 823 by Senator Smith recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the House Committee Amendments No. 1 through 12 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 10, 2003 be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Mike Smith
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Chris Ullo
Representative T. Taylor Townsend
Representative Sharon Weston Broome
Representative Daniel T. Flavin

Rep. Townsend moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Futrell  Pierre
Alario  Gallot  Pinac
Alexander  Green  Pitre
Ansardi  Guillory  Powell
Arnold  Hebert  Quezaire
Baldone  Hill  Romero

Total—56

ABSENT

Total—5
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 909 by Senator Cain

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 909 by Senator Cain recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 2 and 3 proposed by Representative Tucker and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1, 3, and 5 proposed by Representative Tucker and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO.1**

On page 1, line 2, between “To” and “enact” insert “amend and reenact R.S. 44:844.12 and (4)(c) and to” and after “45:844.8” insert “and 844.12(4)(h)”

**AMENDMENT NO.2**

On page 1, line 6, after “Section 1.” insert “R.S. 45:844.12 and (4)(c) are hereby amended and reenacted and” and change “is” to “and 844.12(4)(h)” are

**AMENDMENT NO.3**

On page 1, below line 11, insert the following:

§844.12. Definitions

As used in this Chapter, the following terms and phrases shall have the meanings hereinafter ascribed to them:

* * *

(c) To any person with whom the telephonic solicitor has an existing business relationship, or a prior business relationship that was terminated or lapsed within six months of such call, except as provided in Paragraph (h) of this Subsection.

R.S. 45:844.12(4)(h) is all proposed new law.

(b) By a person or business that conducts automobile sales and does not complete the sales presentation during the telephone solicitation and is made in contemplation of the sales presentation being completed at a later face-to-face meeting between the telephonic solicitor and the person contacted and where the contacted person has previously made purchases from the automobile dealership.

* * *

Section 2. The provisions of this Act are shall supersede the provisions of House Bill 150 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature should House Bill 150 be enacted into law.

Section 3. The provisions of this Act are severable. If any provision or item of this Act, or the application thereof, is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items, or applications of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision, item, or application.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Senator James David Cain
Senator Ken Hollis
Senator Mike Smith
Representative Gillis J. Pinac
Representative Jim Tucker
Representative Wayne Waddell

Rep. Tucker moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith Odinet
Alario Fruge Perkins
Alexander Futrell Peychaud
Ansardi Gullot Pierre
Arnold Glover Pinac
Baldone Green Pitre
Baudoin Guillory Powell
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Durand McVea Tucker
Erevey Montgomery Waddell
Fannin Morrell Walker
Farrar Morris Walworth
Fauchaux Murray Welch
Flavin Nevers Wright
Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Doerge Kennard Winston
Hunter Lancaster Wooton
Total—6

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 76 by Senator Ellington

June 21, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 76 by Senator Ellington recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 2, and 3 proposed by Representative Jack Smith and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Daniel and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 33:1448(K)" insert "and (L)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "employees;" insert "to require the sheriff of any parish with a population of between 26,000 and 28,000 to pay certain premium costs of specified group insurance for certain retired officials and employees;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 9, after "R.S. 33:1448(K)" delete "is" and insert "and (L) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, after line 7, insert the following:

"R.S. 33:1448(K) is all proposed new law."

K. Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsection D of this Section, effective July 1, 2003, the premium costs of group hospital, surgical, medical expense, and dental insurance and the first ten thousand dollars of life insurance contracted for under the provisions of this Section shall be paid in full by the sheriff of any parish with a population of between twenty-six thousand and twenty-eight thousand according to the latest federal decennial census from the sheriff's general fund for all sheriffs and deputy sheriffs who retired from the sheriff's office of that parish with at least twelve years of service with that sheriff's office and who have either (1) at least fifteen years of service and being at least fifty-five years of age or (2) at least thirty years of service at any age."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Diana E. Bajoie
Senator Mike Smith
Representative Joseph F. Toomy
Representative Jack D. Smith
Representative Ernest D. Wooton

Rep. Wright moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

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Mr. Speaker    Gallot    Pierre
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Ansardi        Hammett  Quezaire
Arnold         Heaton    Richmond
Baldone        Hebert    Romero
Baudoin        Hill      Salter
Bayor          Honey     Scalise
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Crane          Johns     Sneed
Crowe          Katz      Stelly
Damico         Kenney    Strain
Daniel         LaFleur   Swilling
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Devillier      LeBlanc   Toomy
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Flavin         Nevers    Wooton
Frith          Odinet    Wright
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Futrell        Perry     WC

Total—100

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Beard          Doerge    Lancaster
Bowler         Kennard  

Total—0

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 262 by Senator Mount
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement
between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 262 by Senator
Mount recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That all Legislative Bureau Amendments proposed by the
Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives
on June 17, 2003 be adopted.

2. That all House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative
Walsh and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Willie L. Mount
Senator Diana E. Bajoie
Senator Bill Jones
Representative Victor T. Stelly
Representative Sharon Westen Broome
Representative Ronnie Johns

Rep. Stelly moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Flavin    Perkins
Alario        Fritchie  Peychaud
Alexander     Futrell   Pinac
Ansardi       Glover    Pitre
Arnold        Green     Powell
Baldone       Guindory  Richmond
Baudoin       Hebert    Romero
Bayor         Hill      Salter
Beard         Hebert    Scalise
Bowler        Hill      Schneider
Broome        Honey     Schwengmann
Bruce         Hopkins   Shaw
Bruneau       Hudson    Smith, G.—56th
Capella       Hunter    Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, K     Iles      Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux      Jackson, L Smith, J.R.—30th
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Curtis        Katz      Strain
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Durand        Montgomery Walker
Erdey         Morish    Walsworth
Fannin        Murray    Welch
Farrar        Nevers    Winston
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Futrell        Perry     WC

Total—93

NAYS

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ABSENT

Carter, R     Jackson, L McVea
Doerge        Kennard   Pierre
Frueg         LaFleur   Quezaire
Gallot        Lancaster Wooton

Total—12

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 331 by Senator Bajoie
June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 331 by Senator Bajoie recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30 proposed by Representative Peychaud and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2003, be adopted. Total—94

2. That House Floor Amendment No. 16 proposed by Representative Peychaud and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2003 be rejected. Total—2

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

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 4, line 5, change "between four hundred" to "in excess of two hundred thousand persons, according to the latest federal decennial census."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 4, delete line 6 in its entirety

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Diana E. Bajoie
Senator Ken Hollis
Senator Joe McPherson
Representative Rosalid Peychaud
Representative Daniel Martiny
Representative Arthur Morrell

Rep. Peychaud moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

House Bill No. 1432 By Representative Daniel

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1432 by Representative Daniel, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Holden and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003 be adopted.

2. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 9, after "purchase" and before "land" insert "or develop"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, line 13, after "the purchase" and before "of land" insert "or development"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 3, line 6, change "seventeen" to "nineteen"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 4, line 15, change "purchase undeveloped" to "purchase or develop"
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 802 by Senator Smith

June 21, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 802 by Senator Smith recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 12, 2003 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Mike Smith
Senator John L. “Jay” Dardenne
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Representative Ronnie Johns
Representative Thomas Taylor Townsend
Representative Donald J. Cazayoux, Jr.


ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 1101 by Senator Holden

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 1101 by Senator Holden recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That all House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative R. Carter and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be accepted.
2. That all House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative McVea and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 19, 2003 be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, between "1093," and "relative" insert the following:


AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, between “indebtedness;” and “and” insert the following:

"to provide relative to St. Tammany Parish Hospital Service District No. 2;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 11 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“A.1. A parish hospital service district is hereby created and shall be composed of all of the following areas, except as specifically excluded in this Part:

(a) Parishes having a population in excess of four hundred ten thousand but not more than four hundred fifty thousand, based on the latest federal decennial census.

(b) Parishes whose boundary is contiguous to a parish having a population in excess of four hundred ten thousand but not more than four hundred fifty thousand, based on the latest federal decennial census.

(c) Parishes having a population in excess of fourteen thousand seven hundred fifty but not more than fifteen thousand three hundred fifty, based on the latest federal decennial census.

(2) The hospital service district shall be known as the "Parish Hospital Service District for the Parish of (name of parish having the greatest population in the district)", hereinafter referred to in this Part as the "district", the boundaries of the district shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the parishes listed in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection.”

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 12, between “B.(1)” and “The” insert “(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 12, delete “nine”

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 15, between “authority” and the period “.” insert the following:

“as provided in Paragraph (1)(b) of this Subsection”

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 18, change “Three” to “As far as practicable, one-third”

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete line 20 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“one-third shall be appointed for an initial term of four years, and one-third shall”

AMENDMENT NO. 9

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

“(b)One member shall be appointed to serve on the board of commissioners from each parish included in the district; however, the board membership shall be increased and additional members appointed to serve on the board until a majority of the members of the board are qualified voters and residents of the parish having a population in excess of four hundred ten thousand but not more than four hundred fifty thousand.”

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:

“Section 2. Sections 2.1(L) of Act No. 180 of the 1984 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 999 of the 1991 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 570 of the 1992 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Act No. 440 of the 1997 Regular Session of the Legislature, is hereby enacted to read as follows:}
Section 2.1. Board of commissioners; nomination; appointment; terms; vacancies; officers; meetings; compensation; St. Tammany Parish Hospital Service District No. 2

* * *

Section 2.1(L) is all new law.

L. Members or officers of the medical staff, employees or officers of the health care facilities of the district, commission members, and persons who occupy management positions or any other office whatsoever for a facility of the district or for the district may possess a property interest in or own stocks, bonds, or other securities issued by health management organizations and preferred provider organizations and may refer members of these organizations to the health care facilities of the district.

* * *


AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, line 23, change "Section 2." to "Section 4."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Melvin "Kip" Holden
Senator John T. "Tom" Schedler
Senator Jay Dardenne
Representative Sharon Weston Broome
Representative Mike Futrell
Representative Roy Quezaire, Jr.

Rep. Broome moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith Perkins
Alario Fruge Peychaud
Alexander Futrell Pierre
Ansardi Gallot Pinac
Arnold Glover Pitre
Baldone Green Powell
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Flavin Odinet Wright

Total—96

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 260 by Ellington

June 21, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 260 by Ellington recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be adopted.

3. That House Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be adopted.

4. That House Committee Amendment No. 4 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be rejected.

5. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 3, delete lines 9 and 10 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(3) The election on the proposition to levy the tax shall be held prior to January 1, 1996; if not approved by such date, the tax shall not be levied. The duration of the tax set forth in the proposition shall not exceed five years; however, such tax may be renewed for an additional period not to exceed five years.

* * *

§130.211. Ad valorem tax prohibition

Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the governing authority of an economic development district with boundaries coterminous with a parish having a population between thirteen thousand and thirteen thousand eight hundred persons, as established by the most recent federal decennial census, shall not levy or collect, or cause to be levied or collected, any ad valorem tax.

A. Subject to the provisions of R.S. 33:130.205, the district may levy and cause to be collected an ad valorem tax within the boundaries of the district for such purposes and at such rate as provided by the proposition authorizing its levy, provided the proposition is approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the district voting at an election held for that purpose.

B. Such an election shall be conducted in accordance with the provision of the Louisiana Election Code and at the time another election is being conducted throughout the state.

C. The duration of the tax set forth in the proposition shall not exceed five years; however, such tax may be renewed for an additional period not to exceed five years.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Diana E. Bajoie
Senator Mike Smith
Representative Sharon Weston Broome
Representative Jack D. Smith
Representative Ernest D. Wooton


ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS


Total—97

NAYS

Total—0

Doerge LaFleur Lancaster Stelly Kennard Total—8

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Motion

Rep. Wright moved to reconsider the vote by which the Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill No. 260 was adopted.


By a vote of 88 yeas and 3 nays, the vote by the Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill No. 260 was adopted was reconsidered.

SENATE BILL NO. 260—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.202(A)(3),(4),(5),(6), and (7), and (G), and 130.210(A)(1) and to repeal R.S. 33:130.202(A)(8), 130.210(A)(3), and 130.211, relative to parish development boards; to provide for revisions to the LaSalle Economic Development District; to provide for changes among the district's commissioners; to establish a quorum, to remove restrictions upon the district's authority; and to provide for related matters.

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.202(A)(3),(4),(5),(6), and (7), and (G), and 130.210(A)(1) and to repeal R.S. 33:130.202(A)(8), 130.210(A)(3), and 130.211, relative to parish development boards; to provide for revisions to the LaSalle Economic Development District; to provide for changes among the district's commissioners; to establish a quorum, to remove restrictions upon the district's authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill was recommitted to the Conference Committee.

Speaker DeWitt in the Chair

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1137 By Representative Townsend

June 23, 2003

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

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1137 by Representative Townsend, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Barham and adopted by the Senate on June 19, 2003, be adopted.

2. That the following amendments be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, delete line 2 in its entirety and on line 3, delete "to repeal R.S. 56:140," and insert in lieu thereof "To amend and reenact R.S. 56:103(B) and (C)(1), 104(A)(3) and (4), and 140(A),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, delete line 6 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "Section 1. R.S. 56:103(B) and (C)(1), 104(A)(3) and (4), and 140(A) are hereby"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 3, delete line 5 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"§140. Foxes; bobcats

A. It shall be unlawful to trap foxes or bobcats or to kill foxes or bobcats by use of any firearm or other weapon, device, or poison at any time, except that foxes and bobcats may be included in the open season for taking nongame quadrupeds provided by R.S. 56:260. In such event foxes and bobcats may be taken by any legal means unless otherwise restricted by law or regulation.

* * *"

Respectfully submitted,

Representative T. Taylor Townsend
Representative Wilfred Pierre
Representative Bryant Hammett
Senator Robert Barham
Senator Craig Romero
Senator Bill Jones

Rep. Townsend moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Daniel, the vote by which the Conference Committee Report on House Bill No. 784 was adopted was reconsidered.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 784—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2721.1(A), relative to the recordation of leases of immovable property; to provide for recordation of certain mineral leases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Daniel, the above bill was recommitted to the Conference Committee.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 77 by Mount

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 77 by Mount recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:
1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 11, 2003 be accepted.

2. That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 proposed by Representative Martiny and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 18, 2003 be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Willie L. Mount
Senator Arthur J. Lentini
Senator Tom Schedler
Representative Donald J. Cazayoux, Jr.
Representative Daniel T. Flavin
Representative Daniel R. Martiny

Rep. Flavin moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 273 By Representative Toomy

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 273 by Representative Toomy, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary C and adopted by the Senate on June 4, 2003, be rejected.

2. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by Senator Cain and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"enact R.S. 16:54, relative to the Advisory and Review Commission on Assistant District Attorneys; to establish the commission; to provide for the purposes of the commission; to provide for membership and appointment to the commission; to provide for expenses of the commission members; to provide for rules and meetings of the commission; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 16:54 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete line 8 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 16 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

§54. Advisory and Review Commission on Assistant District Attorneys; purposes; membership; appointments; expenses; rules; meetings

A. There is hereby created within the office of the governor the Governor’s Advisory and Review Commission on Assistant District Attorneys, hereafter referred to as the commission, to advise the governor and the legislature with respect to state funded additional assistant district attorney positions in the respective judicial districts and the parish of Orleans. Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 16:53, the determination of the commission as to the necessity for
each additional district attorney position in each judicial district shall be final, and no position of additional assistant district attorney to be paid by the state shall be enacted without the approval of the commission.

B.(1) The commission shall be composed of the following members:

(a) The judicial administrator of the Supreme Court of Louisiana.

(b) The speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives, or his designee.

(c) The president of the Louisiana Senate, or his designee.

(d) The chairman of the House Committee on the Judiciary.

(e) The chairman of the Senate Committee on Judiciary B.

(f) The president of the Louisiana District Attorneys Association.

(g) The executive counsel to the governor.

(2) The executive counsel to the governor shall serve as chairman of the commission.

C. Members of the commission shall not receive compensation or per diem for attendance of commission meetings, but may be reimbursed reasonable expenses.

D. The commission shall adopt rules necessary for the transaction of business and shall keep a record of its resolutions, transactions, findings, and determinations.

E. The commission shall meet regularly as determined by the chairman, provided, however, that the chairman shall call an extraordinary meeting when requested to do so, in writing, by four or more members of the commission.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 26 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 12 in their entirety

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Joseph F. Toomy
Representative Tom Capella
Representative Edwin R. Murray
Senator Robert J. Barham
Senator John L. "Jay" Dardenne
Senator Arthur J. "Art" Lentini

Rep. Toomy moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Futrell Peychaud
Alario Gallot Pierre
Alexander Glover Pinac

NAYS

Ansardi Green Pitre
Arnold Guillory Powell
Baldone Hammett Quezaire
Baudoin Heaton Richmond
Baylor Hebert Romero
Beard Hill Salter
Bowler Honey Scalice
Broome Hopkins Schneider
Bruce Hudson Schwegmann
Bruneau Hutter Shaw
Cazayoux Iles Smith, G.—56th
Crane Jackson, L Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe Jackson, M Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico Johns Sneed
Daniel Katz Stelly
Dartez Kenney Strain
Devillier LaFleur Swilling
Diez LeBlanc Thompson
Downer Lucas Tomy
Downs Martiny Townsend
Durand McDonald Trice
Erdey McVea Tucker
Fannin Montgomery Waddell
Farrar Morrell Walker
Faucheux Murray Walsworth
Flavin Nevers Welch
Frisch Odinet Winston
Fruge Perkins Wright

Total—93

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Capella Doerge Landrieu
Carter, K Hunter Morrish
Carter, R Kennard Smith, J.H.—8th
Curtis Lancaster Wooton

Total—12

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 294 By Representative Morrell

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 294 by Representative Morrell, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4, proposed by Senator C. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 22, 2003, be rejected.

2. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after R. S.15:529.1(C) delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof: "and to enact R.S. 15:574.22(G)(2)(d), relative to sentencing in criminal cases;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "conviction:" insert "to provide for eligibility for consideration by risk review panels;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 3, change "applicability" to "the applicability of the habitual offender law;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 6, after "reenacted" insert "and "R.S. 15:574.22(G)(2)(d) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

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

"§574.22. Louisiana Risk Review Panel

* * * G. The panel shall have the duty to evaluate the risk of danger to society which each person who has been convicted of a crime not defined or enumerated as a crime of violence in R.S. 14:2(13), and who is confined in a prison facility of any kind, may present if released from confinement. However, the panel shall not evaluate the risk of danger to society presented by:

* * * (2) A person convicted of a violation of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law except for any of the following:

* * *

(d) A person sentenced to a term of life imprisonment for a violation of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law who has served at least twenty years of the term of imprisonment in actual custody. However, the provisions of this Subparagraph shall not apply to any person who has been convicted of a sex offense as provided for in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection or to any person who has been convicted and sentenced under R.S. 15:529.1 as a crime of violence defined or enumerated in R.S. 14:2(13) as provided for in Paragraph (3) of this Subsection.

* * *

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Arthur A. Morrell
Representative Daniel R. Martiny
Representative Willie Hunter, Jr.
Senator Charles D. Jones
Senator Donald R. Cravins

Rep. Martiny moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Guillory  Murray
Alario  Hammet  Odinet
Arnold  Heaton  Peychaud
Baldone  Hebert  Pierre
Baylor  Honey  Pinac
Bowler  Hopkins  Quezaire
Broome  Hudson  Richmond
Carter, K  Hunter  Romero
Curtis  Jackson, L  Saller
Damico  Jackson, M  Smith, G.—56th
Daniel  Johns  Smith, J.D.—50th
Dartez  Kenney  Smith, J.H.—8th
Diez  LaFleur  Stelly
Downer  Landrieu  Swilling
Downs  Lucas  Thompson
Farrar  Martiny  Townsend
Flavin  McDonald  Waddell
Futrell  McVea  Walker
Gallot  Montgomery  Welch
Glover  Morrell
Green  Morrish
Total—61

NAYS

Alexander  Faucheu  Scalise
Baudoin  Frith  Schneider
Beard  Fruge  Schwegmann
Bruce  Hill  Shaw
Bruno  Hutter  Sneed
Capella  Iles  Strain
Carter, R  Katz  Toomy
Cazayoux  LeBlanc  Triche
Crowe  Nevers  Tucker
Devillier  Perkins  Walsworth
Erdey  Pitre  Winston
Fannin  Powell
Total—35

ABSENT

Ansardi  Durand  Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane  Kennard  Wooton
Doerge  Lancaster  Wright
Total—9

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1442 By Representative Swilling

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1442 by Representative Swilling, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:
1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be adopted.

2. That the following amendments be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

In Amendment No. 4 of the set of floor amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, at the beginning of line 20, change “11:3682(9)” to “11:3682(19)”

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

In Amendment No. 4 of the set of floor amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, line 31, change “House Bill No. 1441” to “House Bill No. 1442”

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

In Amendment No. 4 of the set of floor amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, line 36, delete “be eligible to”

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

In Amendment No. 4 of the set of floor amendments proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, line 38, change “House Bill No. 1441” to “House Bill No. 1442”

Respectfully submitted,
Representative Patrick Swilling
Representative Jeffery Arnold
Senator Lambert Boissiere, Jr.
Senator Francis Heitmeier
Senator Paulette Irons

Rep. Swilling moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**House Bill No. 1476 By Representative Hebert**

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1476 by Representative Hebert, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. Committee amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2003, be adopted.

2. Committee amendment No. 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2003, be rejected.

3. Floor amendment No. 1 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Troy Hebert
Representative Gregory L. Fruge
Senator John Hainkel
Senator Gregory Tarver

Called from the calendar.

Rep. Hebert moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:
YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith Pinac
Alario Fruge Pitre
Alexander Futrell Powell
Baylor Glover Salter
Bowler Green Scalsie
Bruneau Hebert Schneider
Capella Hopkins Schwemmann
Carter, K Hudson Smith, G.—56th
Carter, R Hutter Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux Iles Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe Johns Smith, J.R.—30th
Curtis Katz Sneed
Damico Kenney Stelly
Daniel Landrieu Strain
Dartez LeBlanc Thompson
Devellier Lucas Townsend
Diez Martiny Triche
Downer McDonald Tucker
Downs McVea Waddell
Durand Montgomery Walker
Erdey Morrell Walsworth
Fannin Morrish Winston
Farrar Nevers Wooton
Faucheux Odinet Wright
Flavin Perkins
Total—74

NAYS

Ansardi Honey Quezaire
Baudoin Hunter Richmond
Broome Jackson, L Romero
Gallot Jackson, M Swilling
Guillory Murray Toomy
Heaton Peychaud Welch
Hill Pierre
Total—20

ABSENT

Arnold Crane LaFleur
Baldone Doerge Lancaster
Beard Hammett Shaw
Bruce Kennard
Total—11

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1812 By Representative Faucheux

June 22, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1812 by Representative Faucheux, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate floor amendments proposed by Senator Chaissen and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

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

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, after line 26, add the following:

"E. Any action for damages against a sponsor who is covered by the Louisiana Governmental Claims Act shall be subject to the provisions of R.S. 13:5101 et seq. The same limitations on the total amount recoverable provided in R.S. 13:5106(B)(1) and (2) shall be applicable to any action for damages against a nonpublic sponsor."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Robert R. Faucheux, Jr.
Representative Ronnie Johns
Representative Shirley Bowler
Senator Joel T. Chaissen, II
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator John Hainkel

Rep. Faucheux moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Fruge Peychaud
Alario Fruge Pierre
Alexander Gallot Pinac
Ansardi Glover Pitre
Arnold Green Powell
Baldone Guillory Quezaire
Baudoin Hammett Richmond
Bayor Heaton Romero
Beard Hebert Salter
Bowler Hill Scalsie
Broome Honey Schneider
Bruce Hopkins Schwemmann
Bruneau Hudson Shaw
Capella Hunter Smith, G.—56th
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Carter, R Jackson, L Smith, J.R.—30th
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Damico Landrieu Toomy
Daniel LeBlanc Townsend
Dartez Lucas Triche
Devellier Martiny Tucker
Downer McDonald Waddell
Downs McVea Walker
Durand Montgomery Walsworth
Erdey Morrell Welch
Fannin Morrish Winston
Farrar Murray Wooton
Faucheux Nevers Wright
Flavin Odinet
Frith Perkins
Total—97

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 410 By Representatives McVea and Strain

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 410 by Representatives McVea and Strain, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator C. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be rejected.

2. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 2 and 4 proposed by Senator Hoyt and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be adopted.

3. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 3 proposed by Senator Hoyt and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be rejected.

4. That Senate Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be rejected.

5. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 4 proposed by Senator Boissiere and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, be adopted.

6. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "11:144," insert "416(A)(3), 448(B), and 606(B)(2)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, after "such purpose;" and after the language inserted by Senate Floor Amendment No. 2, proposed by Senator C. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 21, 2003, insert "to authorize the purchase in accordance with actuarial requirements of an upgrade in service credit; to provide for inclusion of the cash value of emoluments of office in final average compensation through payment in accordance with actuarial requirements; to provide for the upgrade of accrual rate through payment in accordance with actuarial requirements;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, after "11:144," delete "is" and insert "416(A)(3), 448(B), and 606(B)(2) are"
Downer  McDonald  Walker
Downs  Montgomery  Walsworth
Erdey  Morell  Welch
Fannin  Morrish  Winston
Farrar  Murray  Wooton
Faucheux  Nevers  Wright
Flavin  Odom  Peychaud
Frith

Total—91

NAYS

Schneider

Total—1

ABSENT

Crowe  Heaton  Perkins
Diez  Hutter  Romero
Doerge  Kennard  Smith, J.R.—30th
Durand  Lancaster
Green  McVea

Total—13

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 1111 By Senator Schedler
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No.1111 by Senator Schedler, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Hopkins and adopted by the House on June 18, 2003, be rejected.

2. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after “To” and before “enact” insert “amend and reenact R.S. 38:2251(A)(2) and to”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 2, after “R.S. 38:2251(L)” insert “R.S. 39:1595(A)(5),”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 2, after “contracts” and the semicolon “;” and before “to” insert “to provide for definitions;”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 6, after “Section 1.” and before “R.S. 38:2251(L),” insert “R.S. 38:2251(A)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted and”

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

A. As used in this Section, the following terms shall have the following meanings ascribed to them:

* * *

(2) “Louisiana products” means products which are manufactured, processed, produced, or assembled in Louisiana.

* * *

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

“(3) The provisions of this Subsection shall be null, void, and of no effect on August 15, 2004.”

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, delete line 5 and insert the following:

“Section 2. R.S. 39:1595(A)(5) and (K) are hereby enacted to read as follows:”

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

“A. As used in this Section, the following terms shall have the following meanings ascribed to them:

* * *

(5) “Louisiana product” means products which are manufactured, processed, produced, mined, or assembled in Louisiana.”

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, after line 18, insert the following:

“(3) The provisions of this Subsection shall be null, void, and of no effect on August 15, 2004.”

Respectfully submitted,
Representative Jack Smith
Representative Jerry Luke LeBlanc
Representative Taylor Townsend
Senator Tom Schedler
Senator Craig F. Romero


ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Gallot  Nevers
Alario  Glover  Odinet
Alexander  Green  Perkins
Ansardi  Guillory  Peychaud
Arnold  Hammett  Pierre
Baldone  Hebert  Pinac
Baudoin  Hill  Pitre
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 23, 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 appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1122: Senators Johnson, Bajoie, and Fontenot.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1122: Reps. Swilling, Richmond, and Broome.

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1122.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 1776 By Representative Montgomery
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1776 by Representative Montgomery, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That the amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2003, be rejected.

2. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 27:392(B), delete the remainder of the line and insert "(3)(b),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 6, change "Bossier" to "St. Landry"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 6, delete "to make certain" and at the beginning of line 7, delete "technical corrections;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 10, after "R.S. 27:392(B), delete the remainder of the line and insert "(3)(b) is"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, delete lines 16 and 17 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 8 in their entirety and

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, delete lines 14 through 26 in their entirety and insert
"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, delete lines 1 through 26 in their entirety and insert the following:
"

(b)(i) The St. Landry Parish Excellence Fund in St. Landry Parish which is hereby created in the state treasury from proceeds derived from the licensed eligible facility in St. Landry Parish. Monies in the St. Landry Parish Excellence Fund, for purposes of this Subparagraph referred to as the "fund", shall be withdrawn only pursuant to appropriation by the legislature and shall be used solely and exclusively by the St. Landry School Board and the Louisiana Community and Technical College System as provided in this Subparagraph. Monies in the fund shall be used solely and exclusively for elementary and secondary education, or for the construction and operation of a Career and Technology Center to be located in St. Landry Parish and/or the enhancement and expansion of existing vocational and technical programs and curricula. The Career and Technology Center shall serve secondary, including junior high school, and postsecondary students and shall provide occupational and workforce training. All courses of instruction provided at the Career and Technology Center shall be approved by the school board in collaboration with the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges. Monies in the fund appropriated to the St. Landry Parish School Board shall be used solely and exclusively for enhancements to the education program in St. Landry Parish.

(ii) Monies in the fund shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earnings on investment of monies in the fund shall be credited to the fund. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund.

AMENDMENT NO. 9
Delete page 4 in its entirety and on page 5, delete lines 1 through 10 in their entirety and insert the following:
"Section 2. In the event of a conflict between the provisions of this Act and Act Number 352 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, the provisions of this Act shall prevail.

Section 3. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2003; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2003, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.
Representative Eric LaFleur
Representative Gregory L. Fruge
Senator Donald R. Cravins
Senator John Hainkel

Rep. LaFleur moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Faucheux Nevers
Alario Flavin Odinet
Alexander Frith Perkins
Ansardi Fruge Peychaud
Arnold Futrell Pierre
Baldone Gallot Pinac
Baudoin Glover Pitre
Baylor Green Powell
Beard Guillory Quezaire
Bowler Hammett Richmond
Broome Heaton Romero
Bruce Hebert Saler
Bruneau Hill Scalise
Capella Honey Schwegmann
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 1122 by Senator Johnson

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 1122 by Senator Johnson recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Richmond and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 23, 2003 be rejected.

2. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Swilling and adopted by the House of Representative on June 23, 2003 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "(D)(3), (4) and (5),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 9, delete "(D)(3),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 10, delete "(4) and (5),"

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 260 by Senator Ellington
June 21, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill 260 by Ellington recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be adopted.

2. That House Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be adopted.

3. That House Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be adopted.

4. That House Committee Amendment No. 4 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2003 be rejected.

5. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, delete lines 9 and 10 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(3) The election on the proposition to levy the tax shall be held prior to January 1, 1996; if not approved by such date, the tax shall not be levied. The duration of the tax set forth in the proposition shall not exceed five years; however, such tax may be renewed for an additional period not to exceed five years.

* * *"

§130.211. Ad valorem tax prohibition authorization

Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the governing authority of an economic development district with boundaries coterminous with a parish having a population between thirteen thousand and thirteen thousand eight hundred persons, as established by the most recent federal decennial census, shall not levy or collect, or cause to be levied or collected, any ad valorem tax.

A. Subject to the provisions of R.S. 33:130.205, the district may levy and cause to be collected an ad valorem tax within the boundaries of the district for such purposes and at such rate as provided by the proposition authorizing its levy, provided the proposition is approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the district voting at an election held for that purpose.

B. Such an election shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Louisiana Election Code and at the time another election is being conducted throughout the state.

C. The duration of the tax set forth in the proposition shall not exceed five years; however, such tax may be renewed for an additional period not to exceed five years."
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 783 by Representative Daniel, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by Senator Hainkel and adopted by the Senate on June 22, 2003, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative William B. Daniel, IV
Representative Emile "Peppi" Bruneau
Representative John A. Alario, Jr.
Senator John L. "Jay" Dardenne
Senator Chris Ullo
Senator John Hainkel

Motion

On motion of Rep. Bruneau, the Conference Committee Report was returned to the calendar.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1984 By Representative Gary Smith

June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1984 by Representative Gary Smith, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator C. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 22, 2003, be adopted.

2. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 2 and 3 proposed by Senator C. Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 22, 2003, be rejected.

3. That the following amendments be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "murder;" and before "and" insert "to provide relative to the authority of the attorney general to supersede in criminal actions or proceedings;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 14, add the following:

"Art. 62. Authority of attorney general; supervision of district attorney

(A) The attorney general shall exercise supervision over all district attorneys in the state.

(B) The attorney general has authority to institute and prosecute, or to intervene in any proceeding, as he may deem necessary for the assertion or protection of the rights and interests of the state.

(C) In any criminal action or proceeding involving a homicidal death, if deemed necessary for the assertion or protection of the rights and interests of the state, and in accordance with the provisions of Art. IV, Section 8 of the Constitution of Louisiana, the attorney general may, with the consent of the district attorney, investigate, prosecute or intervene in the action or proceeding."
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 795 By Representative Martiny
June 23, 2003

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 795 by Representative Martiny, recommend the following concerning the reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendment Nos. 1 through 12 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on June 11, 2003 be rejected.
2. That the set of the Legislative Bureau Amendments proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2003 be rejected.
3. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Malone and adopted by the Senate on June 18, 2003 be rejected.
4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 2, delete "231(B),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "371(A)," and insert "371,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 11, delete "to" and delete lines 12 and 13 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 14 delete "casinos;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 1, after "facilities:" and before "and" insert "to provide for a reduction in the number of slot machines offering the game of poker; to provide that this reduction shall be phased in over a period of years;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 4, after "85(D)," delete "231(B), 371(A)," and insert "371,"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, delete lines 5 through 11 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 7, line 5, after "occurs." and before "slot" delete "No" and insert "Except as provided in Subsection B of this Section, on or after June 1, 2003, no"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 7, between lines 8 and 9 insert the following:

"B. The owner of an eligible facility where slot machine gaming is being conducted on June 1, 2003, in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter, shall have until December 31, 2006, to bring the eligible facility into full compliance with the provisions of Subsection A of this Section. The owner of the eligible facility shall reduce the number of slot machines which offer the game of poker for operation or play as follows:

(1) By July 1, 2004, ten percent of the slot machines offering the game of poker on June 1, 2003, shall be replaced or modified so that they no longer offer the game of poker for operation or play.

(2) By July 1, 2005, an additional forty percent of the slot machines offering the game of poker on June 1, 2003, shall be replaced or modified so that they no longer offer the game of poker for operation or play.

(3) By December 31, 2006, all remaining slot machines offering the game of poker on June 1, 2003, shall be replaced or modified so that they no longer offer the game of poker for operation or play.

B.C. Nothing in this Chapter shall be construed to permit the operation or play of any type of game the play of which requires the participation of an employee of the licensee."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Daniel R. Martiny
Representative Ernest D. Wooton
Representative Eric LaFleur
Senator John Hainkel
Senator Ken Hollis

Rep. Martiny moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

On page 2, after line 9, insert the following:

"§5167.2. Cancellation of mortgage inscription

A. A mortgagee servicing agent or any holder of the note shall execute and deliver sufficient acceptable documentation, including the original note or notes, 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.

B. The provisions of this Section shall apply only to residential mortgages where a mortgage has been granted on a consumer’s principal dwelling to finance the acquisition or initial construction of that dwelling.

C. This Section shall not apply to collateral mortgages as defined by R.S. 9:5550 or mortgages used to secure future advances as defined in Civil Code Article 3298.”

3. That the following amendment be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, after "property," delete the comma and the remainder of the line and on line 16, delete "mineral lease"
The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**Petitions, Memorials and Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 273.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the Senate**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 294.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 410.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 439.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 583.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 622.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 783.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1009.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1043.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1091.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1137.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1147.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1154.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1204.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1211.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1331.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1416.
Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1468.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1499.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1889.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1934.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate
Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1935.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1984.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2002.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2004.

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

Message from the Senate
ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 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 the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2018.

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

Message from the Senate
RECOMMITTAL OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
June 23, 2003
To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has recommitted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 795.

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

Message from the Senate
SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS
June 23, 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:


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

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

Message from the Senate
SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
June 23, 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. 12, 13, 19, 20, 21, 30, 57, 58, 61, 64, 67, 71, 74, 91, 100, 101, 102, 104, 110, 112, 118, 129, 130, 138, and 140

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

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

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

Message from the Senate
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
June 23, 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. 56
Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Landrieu, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Concurrent Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments at this time.

House Concurrent Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRIEU, HUNTER, MARTIN, WINSTON, RICHMOND, BRUCE, AND FAUCHEUX AND SENATORS CRAVINS, BAJIOE, LENTINI, MICHOT, AND MOUNT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To propose a plan for juvenile justice reform in the state of Louisiana by establishing a comprehensive strategy and directing action for implementation.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Reengrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 56 by Representative Landrieu

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 5, line 32, after "justice" and before "adopt" insert "are urged and requested to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 6, line 24, after "justice" and before "adopt" insert "are urged and requested to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 7, line 4, after "goals," and before "the" insert "all agencies included in juvenile justice are urged and requested to cooperate in implementing"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 7, line 8, delete "as affirmed by the legislature, be implemented"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 7, line 22, after "juveniles" insert "are urged and requested to"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cravins to Reengrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 56 by Representative Landrieu, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 7, line 8, after "juveniles" delete the remainder of the line

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

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. 166—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
A RESOLUTION
To authorize and request the House Committee on Insurance to
appoint a special subcommittee to study health insurance
companies and HMOs and their impact on enrollees, insureds,
and health care providers, and otherwise to provide with respect
thereto.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 167—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MONTGOMERY, BRUNEAU, AND DEWITT
A RESOLUTION
To commend E. Anne Dunn upon her receipt of the 2003 Southern
Legislative Conference Carter/Hellard Legislative Staff Award
for Distinguished and Outstanding Service.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 168—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEYCHAUD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Mount Zion United Methodist Church in New Orleans
on its one hundred thirty-third anniversary as a church
community.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 169—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to add a
comment to Children's Code Article 603 to express the
legislative intent of the term "counseling".

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 170—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
A RESOLUTION
To recognize August 2003 as Louisiana Purchase Cypress Heritage
Month.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 171—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON, BROOME, BAUDOIN, BOWLER,
BRUCE, K. CARTER, DARTZ, DEVILLIER, DOERGE, DURAND,
HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, KATZ, SCHWEGMANN, JANE SMITH,
WALKER, AND WELCH
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Melinda Schwegmann and to express
enduring gratitude for her outstanding contributions to Orleans
Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during her six-
year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of
Representatives.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 172—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON, BAUDOIN, BOWLER, BROOME,
BRUCE, K. CARTER, DARTZ, DEVILLIER, DOERGE, DURAND,
HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, KATZ, SCHWEGMANN, JANE SMITH,
WALKER, AND WELCH
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Jennifer L. Sneed and to express
enduring gratitude for her outstanding contributions to Jefferson
Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during her four-
year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of
Representatives.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 173—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEARD
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality and
Louisiana State University to seek funds, including funds from
federal sources, to research utilization of benthic fauna found in
the abyssal plain to reduce mercury.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 174—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BEARD AND CROWE
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Anthony Richard "Tony" Perkins and to
express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to East Baton Rouge and Livingston parishes and the state of
Louisiana, particularly during his eight-year tenure as a
distinguished member of the Louisiana House of
Representatives.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 175—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Ben Wayne Nevers and to express
enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Tangipahoa and Washington parishes and the state of Louisiana,
particularly during his four-year tenure as a distinguished
member of the Louisiana House of
Representatives.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Strain, and under a suspension of the rules,
the resolution was adopted.
HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 176—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LUCAS
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the New Orleans City Council to designate that portion of St. Claude Avenue from the parish line to the Industrial Canal, all within the boundaries of Orleans Parish, as an economically disadvantaged enterprise zone; to declare those retail establishments whose municipal address is within that portion of St. Claude Avenue as economically distressed and disadvantaged; and to grant such tax relief and financial assistance to those establishments, as is in their authority to grant.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 177—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEARD
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to develop and implement incentives for major air emission sources, particularly natural gas-fired compressor stations, to reduce pollution.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 178—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request that the Board of Regents formulate policies with respect to student financial assistance which support the goals and objectives of the state's master plan for postsecondary education, serve as the lead agency responsible for providing advice and recommendations concerning student financial aid policies to the governor and the legislature, including making recommendations concerning legislation to be proposed as well as pending legislation, and review and comment on the actions of executive branch agencies charged with the administration of student financial aid programs, including review and comment on proposed agency rules, if such administrative actions impact financial aid policies or the master plan, or both.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 179—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU
A RESOLUTION
To welcome to New Orleans delegates and participants for the sixth round of negotiations on the Central American Free Trade Agreement to be held from July 28 through August 2, 2003.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 180—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality, the office of conservation within the Department of Natural Resources, and the oil spill coordinator's office within the office of the governor to test, analyze, and evaluate the use of innovative products manufactured in Louisiana to remediate oil spills, and to urge and request the Department of Economic Development to review and recommend available funding sources, such as loans and grants, which would assist such Louisiana manufacturers of such products in establishing their businesses.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 181—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
A RESOLUTION
To memorialize the secretary of the United States Department of the Interior and the director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to modify Louisiana's migratory bird hunting season to include an ibis hunting season.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 182—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRIEU AND MORRELL
A RESOLUTION
To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Maynard Jackson.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 183—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the speaker of the House of Representatives to appoint a special committee to study preferences granted by state law regarding public contracting and purchasing, including the economic impact of such preferences to determine if certain preferences unduly burden individuals and businesses competing for public contracts.

Read by title.

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
June 23, 2003
To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:
To commend the Honorable Kyle Mark Green and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Jefferson Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his twelve-year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 155—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LUCAS
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the New Orleans City Council to take all appropriate measures to ensure the improvement of street lighting on North Claiborne Avenue between Poland Avenue and the Franklin Bridge.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 156—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to establish public campgrounds at the Big Lake and Buckhorn Wildlife Management Areas.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 157—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO
A RESOLUTION
To commend Chelsie Boudreaux for her selection to represent south Louisiana at the Hugh O’Brian World Leadership Congress in July in Washington, D.C.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 158—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNS, GALLOT, AND FANNIN
A RESOLUTION
To commend Melissa Clark of Ruston upon being crowned Miss Louisiana 2003.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 159—
BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON AND KENNEY
A RESOLUTION
To memorialize the United States Department of Agriculture and the Food and Drug Administration to develop a comprehensive plan for eliminating salmonella in turtles and opening the national market to the sale of turtles.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 160—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to cease issuing permits to facilities that do not have a fixed, permanent point of discharge for discharges into certain portions of the Mississippi River, and to request that the House Committee on Environment study issues pertaining to discharges by such facilities.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 161—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUCE, BAUDOIN, KATZ, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDE, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BAYLOR, BEARD, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUENEAU, CAPELLA, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, LANDRUE, MARTIN, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PEYCHAUD, PIERRE, PINAC, SCALIE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SMITH, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSORTH, WELCH, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable B.L. "Buddy" Shaw and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Caddo Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his eight-year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.
HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 162—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO, ALARIO, GREEN, TOOMY, AND TUCKER
A RESOLUTION
To commend and recognize Joseph LeBlanc on his selection to represent south Louisiana at the Hugh O'Brian World Leadership Congress in Washington, D.C.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 163—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE
A RESOLUTION
To express the support of the House of Representatives for the "America's Legislators Back to School Week" slated for September 15 through 19, 2003, sponsored by the National Conference of State Legislatures.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 164—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIES
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable H.B. "Hunt" Downer and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Lafourche and Terrebonne parishes and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his twenty-eight-year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 165—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD, TRICHE, STELLY, JOHN SMITH, LEBLANC, JOHNS, FLAVIN, MORRISH, JANE SMITH, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BEARD, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, CAPELLA, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYoux, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVLiLLER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOWNS, ERLiEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUx, FRITH, FRIEGE, FUTRELL, GALLOW, GLOVER, GUIlLORY, HAMMET, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANDRIEU, LUCAS, MARTINy, MONTGOMERY, MORREll, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PENkIS, PEYCHAUD, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, QUEZAiRE, RICHMOND, ROMERO, SALIER, SCALISI, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, SNEED, STRAIN, SWILLING, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRICHeL, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WELCH, WInston, WootON, AND WRIGHT
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honoroble H.B. "Hunt" Downer and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Lafourche and Terrebonne parishes and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his twenty-eight-year tenure as a distinguished member and his term as former speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 166—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the New Orleans City Council to designate that portion of St. Claude Avenue from the parish line to the Industrial Canal, all within the boundaries of Orleans Parish, as an economically disadvantaged enterprise zone; to declare those

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 167—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MONTGOMERY, BRUNEAU, AND DEWITT
A RESOLUTION
To commend E. Anne Dunn upon her receipt of the 2003 Southern Legislative Conference Carter/Hellard Legislative Staff Award for Distinguished and Outstanding Service.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 168—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEYCHAUD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Mount Zion United Methodist Church in New Orleans on its one hundred thirty-third anniversary as a church community.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 169—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality and the Department of Health and Hospitals to add a provision to the rules and regulations of the Department of Environmental Quality for Distinguished and Outstanding Service.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 170—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Ben Wayne Nevers and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Jefferson Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his six-year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 171—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON, BROOME, BAUDOIN, BOWLER, BRUCE, K. CARTER, DARTEZ, DEVLiLLER, DOERGE, DURAND, HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, KATZ, JANE SMITH, SNEED, WALKER, AND WELCH
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Jennifer L. Sneed and to express enduring gratitude for her outstanding contributions to Jefferson Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during her four-year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 172—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON, BAUDOIN, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, K. CARTER, DARTEZ, DEVLiLLER, DOERGE, DURAND, HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, KATZ, SCHWEGMANN, JANE SMITH, WALKER, AND WELCH
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Jennifer L. Sneed and to express enduring gratitude for her outstanding contributions to Jefferson Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during her four-year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 173—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEARD
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality and Louisiana State University to seek funds, including funds from federal sources, to research utilization of benthic fauna found in the abyssal plain to reduce mercury.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 174—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BEARD AND CROWE
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Anthony Richard "Tony" Perkins and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to East Baton Rouge and Livingston parishes and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his eight-year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 175—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Honorable Ben Wayne Nevers and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Tangipahoa and Washington parishes and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his four-year tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 176—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LUCAS
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the New Orleans City Council to designate that portion of St. Claude Avenue from the parish line to the Industrial Canal, all within the boundaries of Orleans Parish, as an economically disadvantaged enterprise zone; to declare those
retail establishments whose municipal address is within that portion of St. Claude Avenue as economically distressed and disadvantaged; and to grant such tax relief and financial assistance to those establishments, as is in their authority to grant.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 177—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEARD
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to develop and implement incentives for major air emission sources, particularly natural gas-fired compressor stations, to reduce pollution.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 178—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request that the Board of Regents formulate policies with respect to student financial assistance which support the goals and objectives of the state’s master plan for postsecondary education, serve as the lead agency responsible for providing advice and recommendations concerning student financial aid policies to the governor and the legislature, including making recommendations concerning legislation to be proposed as well as pending legislation, and review and comment on the actions of executive branch agencies charged with the administration of student financial aid programs, including review and comment on proposed agency rules, if such administrative actions impact financial aid policies or the master plan, or both.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 179—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU
A RESOLUTION
To welcome to New Orleans delegates and participants for the sixth round of negotiations on the Central American Free Trade Agreement to be held from July 28 through August 2, 2003.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 180—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality, the office of conservation within the Department of Natural Resources, and the oil spill coordinator’s office within the office of the governor to test, analyze, and evaluate the use of innovative products manufactured in Louisiana to remediate oil spills, and to urge and request the Department of Economic Development to review and recommend available funding sources, such as loans and grants, which would assist such Louisiana manufacturers of such products in establishing their businesses.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 181—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
A RESOLUTION
To memorialize the secretary of the United States Department of the Interior and the director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to modify Louisiana’s migratory bird hunting season to include an ibis hunting season.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 182—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRIEU AND MORRELL
A RESOLUTION
To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Maynard Jackson.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 183—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the speaker of the House of Representatives to appoint a special committee to study preferences granted by state law regarding public contracting and purchasing, including the economic impact of such preferences to determine if certain preferences unduly burden individuals and businesses competing for public contracts.

Respectfully submitted,
DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
June 23, 2003

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

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

The following House Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRIEU, HUNTER, MARTINY, WINSTON, RICHMOND, BRUCE, AND FAUCHEUX AND SENATORS CRAVINS, BAJOE, LENTINI, MICHOT, AND MOUNT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To propose a plan for juvenile justice reform in the state of Louisiana by establishing a comprehensive strategy and directing action for implementation.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 197—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Board of Regents, in consultation with the Boards of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, Louisiana State University, Southern University, and University of Louisiana Systems, to study all aspects of the effect on degree-granting institutions of full implementation of admissions criteria as provided for in the Board of Regents’ Master Plan for Public Postsecondary Education: 2001, and to report in writing on study findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and to the Senate Committee on Education by not later than sixty days prior to the convening of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 266—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BAUDON, BAYLOR, BEARD, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUENEAU, CAPELLA, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAYAYOUX, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DIEZ, DOERGE, DOWNER, DOWNS, DUARD, ERDÉY, FANNIN, FARRAK, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FRUTZ, GALLOT, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMET, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LAPLIEU, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MCGEE, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ONETTE, PERKINS, PFEYCHAUD, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, QUEZARE, RICHMOND, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWIEGMANN, SHAW, SMITH, SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, SWILLING, THOMPSON,
TOOEY, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WELCH, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS ADLEY, BAJORE, BARHAM, BEAN, BOISSIERE, CAIN, CHARISSON, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, GAUTREAUX, HAINKEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLDEN, HOLLIS, HOYT, IRONS, JOHNSON, R. JONES, C. JONES, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCHERSON, MICHOT, MONT, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, THOMAS, AND ULLO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize the Saturday after Mother's Day, annually, as Kids Kicking Cancer Day.

Respectfully submitted,
DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
June 23, 2003

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

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

The following Joint Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article V, Section 23(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to add a new Article XII, Section 15, relative to administrative law; to provide for the establishment of a system of administrative law, for the employment, qualifications, and authority of administrative law judges, and with respect to appeals by governmental agencies seeking review of administrative decisions; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electorate to determine if the amendment should become part of the Constitution; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,
DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
June 23, 2003

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

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

The following House Bills have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC
AN ACT
Making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT AND LEBLANC AND SENATORS BARHAM AND DARDENNE
AN ACT
To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 65—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 2628, relative to immovable property; to provide for the reduction of terms for options and rights of first refusal exceeding ten years; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 87—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHNS AND ANSARDI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 395 and 1482 and Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4541(introductory paragraph), 4548, 4549(A)(1), and 4552(B) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4541(B), relative to the interdiction of persons; to provide for the capacity of an interdict; to provide for the proof of incapacity; to provide for the petition for interdiction; to provide for temporary interdiction; to provide for the recordation of judgments; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 88—
BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, NEVERS, POWELL, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, FLAVIN, GUILLORY, JOHNS, LANCASTER, JOHN SMITH, WADDELL, WALKER, WINSTON, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS DUPRE, GAUTREAUX, ADLEY, CAIN, ROMERO, THEUNISSEN, AND CRAVINS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:392(B)(2)(b), (3)(a) and (c), and (4) through (6) and to enact R.S. 27:392(B)(7) and (8), relative to the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for the distribution of certain revenues; to make certain technical corrections; to establish the Equine Health Studies Program Fund in the state treasury; to provide for a portion of the monies in the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming Control Fund to be deposited into the Equine Health Studies Program Fund; to provide for the use of the monies in such fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.
HOUSE BILL NO. 138—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
AN ACT
To provide with respect to the Early Retirement and Payroll Reduction Act; to provide for a reduction in state employment and for early retirement of members of the Louisiana State Employees’ Retirement System, including but not limited to provisions for eligibility, retirement benefits, restrictions on hiring of new employees, abolition of vacated positions, reductions in appropriated funds, and funding; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 174—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE
AN ACT
To enact Part XXVI of Chapter 13 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:3087.191 through 3087.203, to create and provide for the Webster Parish Watershed District; to provide for the boundaries and purposes of the district; to create and provide for a board of commissioners of the district; to provide for the powers and duties of the board; to authorize the board to promulgate rules and regulations and to provide for the enforcement thereof; to provide for violations and penalties; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the Department of Transportation and Development with respect to the district; to provide for the regulation of commercial establishments and to provide relative to licensing of such establishments and fees to be imposed thereon; to provide for creation and construction of playgrounds and recreational facilities; to provide relative to mineral leases; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 201—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALKER AND SENATOR HINES
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.581(A), 130.582(A)(introductory paragraph) and (5) and (B), and 130.584(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (1), (2), (5), (10), (11), and (14), and (C)(2) and to enact R.S. 33:130.582(A)(6), (7), and (8) and 130.584(B)(15), (16), (17), (18), and (19), relative to the Economic Development Board for the Parish of Avoyelles; to increase the membership of the board; to provide relative to the membership of the advisory board to the economic development board; to provide relative to the appointment of advisory board members; to provide relative to the terms of office of the members of such boards; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 236—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND AND SENATOR MCPHERSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:171(A) and to enact R.S. 36:609(B)(4) and R.S. 56:115.1, relative to the responsibilities of the office of wildlife, Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; to provide that the firearm and hunter education programs shall be administered by the office of wildlife; to provide for the definition of a legal buck; to provide for uniformity in size and number of antlers which an antlered buck deer must possess in order to be taken; to provide for exceptions; to provide relative to raising and selling wildlife; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 250—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:639.8(E), relative to the Artificial Reef Development Fund; to include evaluation of the program in the authorized uses of the fund; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 273—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY AND SENATORS LENTINI AND ULLO
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 16:54, relative to the Advisory and Review Commission on Assistant District Attorneys; to establish the commission; to provide for the purposes of the commission; to provide for membership and appointment to the commission; to provide for expenses of the commission members; to provide for rules and meetings of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 294—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:529.1(C) and to enact R.S. 15:574.22(G)(2)(d), relative to sentencing in criminal cases; to provide for the applicability of the habitual offender law based upon the period of time between each conviction; to provide for eligibility for consideration by risk review panels; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 334—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3654(E), relative to financing statements for farm products; to provide for registry requirements on financing statements; to repeal the requirement of the signature of the debtor; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 335—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3561(D) and 3561.1(A) and (B), relative to consumer credit; to provide relative to consumer loan licensees; to provide for change of control; to provide relative to fees for consumer loan licenses; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 370—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 14(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize a local government to use certain revenues for industrial development purposes and to provide for use of property of the local governmental subdivision by a person, association, or corporation for such purposes; to provide limitations; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 409—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 27:25.1, relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to prohibit the assessment of costs on the prevailing party in an administrative proceeding or an appeal; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 410—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCVEA AND STRAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:144, 416(A)(3), 448(B), and 606(B)(2), relative to the Louisiana State Employees’ Retirement System; to allow for the repayment of refunded contributions from state, parochial, or municipal retirement systems; to provide for members of the Louisiana State Employees’ Retirement System to purchase service credit earned in another system directly rather than repaying the refunded contributions to reestablish membership in such system; to provide for the actuarial sufficiency of such purchase; to provide for the reemployment of retirees; to provide for the
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii), relative to the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students Performance Award; to provide eligibility requirements for an initial award; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 439—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY, CAPELLA, AND FAUCHEUX  
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(c)(iii), relative to the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students Performance Award; to provide eligibility requirements for an initial award; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 454—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL  
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:578.10 and 578.11, relative to catfish packaging; to prohibit the possession or exchange of certain mislabeled catfish; to provide for prohibitions on the possession or exchange of certain species of catfish; to provide relative to inspection of catfish packaging facilities; to provide for penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 501—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHWEGMANN  
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:9076, to create the Lake Barrington Subdivision Improvement District; to provide related to the boundaries, purpose, and governance of the district; to provide related to taxes or fees to be levied and collected in the district; to provide related to district plans; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 540—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SWILLING AND SENATOR JOHNSON  
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 46:333(D), relative to operation of concessions in public buildings; to provide for operation of concessions by blind persons; to provide for the exemption of certain facilities; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 545—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHWEGMANN  
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:9076, to create the Lake Barrington Subdivision Improvement District; to provide related to the boundaries, purpose, and governance of the district; to provide related to taxes or fees to be levied and collected in the district; to provide related to district plans; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 549—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FUTRELL AND SENATORS DARDEENNE AND THEUNISSEN  
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii) and (b)(i), (4)(a)(iii), (B)(3)(a), (C)(2)(f) and (h)(i), (K)(3)(a) and (b), (L), (P)(1)(a), and (Q)(1)(a) and (b), to enact R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(4), and to repeal R.S. 17:3048.1(M), to adopt the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students Performance Award and the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to provide residency, citizenship, and initial and continuing academic eligibility requirements, including minimum scores on certain tests; to provide relative to the adoption of certain rules by the administering agency, including guidelines and procedures permitting the agency to receive and consider certain test scores of an applicant that are obtained on a testing date during a specified time period in the year of the applicant’s graduation from high school; to provide relative to initial qualification for more than one award; to refer to court-ordered custodians rather than legal guardians; to provide relative to the reinstatement of award benefits to certain students; to provide relative to the eligibility of students graduating from certain out-state-high schools; to remove provisions relative to the presentation of certain certificates of achievement and related procedures; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 583—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FARRAR, CAZAYOUX, HOPKINS, AND THOMPSON  
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article XII, Section 6(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Lottery Proceeds Fund; to require annual appropriation of certain monies in the Lottery Proceeds Fund for the minimum foundation program and services for compulsive and problem gaming; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 604—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEVILLIER AND MURRAY  
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article I, Section 4 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the right to property; to provide for the protection of the ownership rights of personal property; to clarify that contraband has no such protection; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 631—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CURTIS  
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.46(B)(2) and (C) and to enact R.S. 33:2740.55, relative to economic development in Alexandria; to provide with respect to the Alexandria Central Economic Development District; to provide relative to the boundaries of the district; to decrease the membership of the governing board of the district; to provide relative to the appointment, removal, and terms of board members; to provide for the creation of a special taxing district for economic development in the city of Alexandria; to provide for district governance, powers, and duties; to provide for the levy and collection of a hotel occupancy tax; to provide for the issuance of bonds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 664—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CAZAYOUX  
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3049(B)(1)(b) and (2)(a) and to enact R.S. 13:3049(B)(1)(e), relative to jury service in criminal and civil cases; to increase the jury filing fees in civil cases to the clerk of court; to increase the daily compensation for serving on a jury; to increase the amount deposited into the registry of the court; to provide for an additional fee in criminal cases; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 713—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER  
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295(A), (B)(2), (C), (D), and (H) and to enact R.S. 32:295(B)(3), (I), and (J), 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; to provide relative
to the nature of certain violations; to provide relative to penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 714 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 277)—**

By Representative Johns and Senator Ellington and coauthored by Representative Perkins and Senator Schedler

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1731(A)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 37:1731(A)(2)(c) and (d), relative to emergency care at public and private hospitals; to provide for a limitation of liability of certain persons providing gratuitous emergency care; to define "on-call physician"; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 787—**

By Representative Daniel and Senator Fields

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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 812—**

By Representative Townsend

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:410.7 and the introductory paragraph of Section 5 of Act No. 191 of the 1926 Regular Session of the Legislature, as enacted by Act No. 120 of the 1946 Regular Session of the Legislature, and amended by Act No. 307 of the 1948 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Act No. 17 of the 1956 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, and Act No. 66 of the 1988 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Act No. 539 of the 1990 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Act No. 550 of the 1995 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Northwest Louisiana Game and Fish Preserve Commission; to provide relative to certain powers to regulate the taking of game and fish; to provide relative to permitted and prohibited fishing gear on Black Lake, Clear Lake, and Prairie Lake; to provide relative to possession of a recreational use license on said lakes; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 813—**

By Representative Townsend

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2801.1, relative to community property; to provide for the allocation of community property equal to the value of a pension or retirement plan when federal law precludes community classification.

**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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 876—**

By Representatives Johnson, Perkins, Bowler, Broome, Triche, and Winston

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:34(B)(1)(a)(iv), relative to vital records forms; to provide for contents of the birth certificate; to provide for the surname of an illegitimate child in certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 884—**

By Representative Heaton

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 893(F) and 894(E) and R.S. 44:9(J), relative to expungement of criminal arrest records under the public records law; to provide for waiver of filing fees in certain cases; to provide for application; to provide for eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 892—**

By Representative Hammett

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2453(4) and to enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(4), relative to economic development incentives; to provide that certain out-of-state employees locating in Louisiana qualify as "new direct jobs" when determining the amount of rebates under the Quality Jobs Rebate Program; to provide relative to certain transactions of motion picture investors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 927—**

By Representative Guillory

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:18, relative to disability; to provide for access to medical records; to provide for costs associated with photocopying; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 980—**

By Representatives Snead, Lancaster, and Schneider

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:968(C)(1), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to require that the copy of a rule as it is proposed for adoption, amendment, or repeal provided to the appropriate legislative oversight committee be in a certain form; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1002—**

By Representative Pinac

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3578.4(C) and 3578.6(A)(1), relative to consumer credit; to provide relative to deferred presentment transactions and small loans; to provide for an exception for attorney fees and costs; to provide for prohibited acts; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1007—**

By Representatives Brueneau and Richardson and Senator Boissiere

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:1(7) and (26), 656, 657, 658, 661, and 662 and R.S. 37:831(9), (16), and (23), 846(A)(6), (11), (13), and (14) and 849 and to enact R.S. 37:831(53) through (70) and 846(A)(16) through (19), and Part III of Chapter 10 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:871 through 885, relative to crematories; to provide for definitions; to provide for records of cemetery authorities; to provide relative to the Louisiana State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors; to provide for grounds for administrative action; to provide for injunction proceedings; to prohibit certain actions; to provide for qualifications for licenses and exceptions; to provide for renewal of licenses; to provide for license fees; to provide for authorizing agents for cremation; to provide for authorizations to cremate and refusals to cremate; to provide for cremation containers; to provide for cremation procedures and delivery and packaging of cremated human remains; to provide for the disposition of cremated human remains; to provide for violations and penalties; to provide relative to liability; to provide for administration and the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide relative to pre-arranged or prepaid cremation services; and to provide for related matters.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1009—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHWEGMANN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:34.5.1, relative to offenses against the person; to create the crime of battery of a bus operator; to provide for definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1021—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEVILLIER, BRUCE, AND MURRAY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:81.1(F) and 283(D) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(26) and (27) and to enact R.S. 14:283(E) and R.S. 46:1845, relative to evidence of child pornography, obscenity, and video voyeurism; to declare that certain items of evidence are contraband; to provide for the seizure and disposition of contraband involving child pornographic, video voyeuristic, and obscene evidence; to provide relative to the privacy of victims; to provide for limitation of access to pornographic, video voyeuristic, or obscene evidence; to provide for the disposition of such evidence; to provide for definitions; to provide for a contradictory hearing; to provide for the disposition of evidence; to provide for the issuance of a court order; to provide for guidelines to be used when deciding whether to limit access to certain evidentiary items; to provide for exceptions to the public records law; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEVILLIER AND MURRAY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:5304(B)(10.1), relative to eligibility for the drug division probation program; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:982(E), relative to certain district court judges; to set the per page court reporter fees for transcribed and copied testimony in civil and criminal matters; to authorize the judges to provide for additional matters to be held on the east bank of the Mississippi River with the consent of all of the judges after a certain date; to authorize the judges in the Nineteenth Judicial District by court rule to assign matters to be heard by specified divisions; to authorize a defendant to waive the requirement that certain criminal matters be held on the west bank of the river; to repeal R.S. 13:982(G)(1)(a) and (I)(2)(b), to enact R.S. 13:501(B)(3)(d) and (e) and 587.3, and to repeal R.S. 13:982(E), relative to certain district court judges; to set the per page court reporter fees for transcribed and copied testimony in civil and criminal matters; to authorize the judges to provide for additional matters to be held on the east bank of the Mississippi River with the consent of all of the judges after a certain date; to authorize the judges in the Nineteenth Judicial District by court rule to assign matters to be heard by specified divisions; to authorize a defendant to waive the requirement that certain criminal matters be held on the west bank of the river; to repeal certain duties of the court reporters; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1068—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:87.2, relative to performance-based budgeting; to provide for a process by which an agency's performance data may be adjusted after the budget has been enacted; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1075—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROOME, MORRELL, MURRAY, AND PEYCHAUD AND SENATOR HOLDEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:421.9, relative to public school social workers; to provide a salary supplement for certain public school social workers who have acquired certification by the National Association of Social Workers; to provide conditions and guidelines for receiving the supplement; to provide for payment; to provide limitations; to provide definitions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:103(B) and (C)(1), 104(A)(3) and (4), and 140(A); to authorize the taking of bobcats under a big game hunting license; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1109—
BY REPS. TOWNSEND, PEYCHAUD AND SENATOR HOLDEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:81.1(F) and 283(D) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(26) and (27) and to enact R.S. 14:283(E) and R.S. 46:1845, relative to evidence of child pornography, obscenity, and video voyeurism; to declare that certain items of evidence are contraband; to provide for the seizure and disposition of contraband involving child pornographic, video voyeuristic, and obscene evidence; to provide relative to the privacy of victims; to provide for limitation of access to pornographic, video voyeuristic, or obscene evidence; to provide for the disposition of such evidence; to provide for definitions; to provide for a contradictory hearing; to provide for the disposition of evidence; to provide for the issuance of a court order; to provide for guidelines to be used when deciding whether to limit access to certain evidentiary items; to provide for exceptions to the public records law; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1113—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 28:381(11) and to enact R.S. 28:20, relative to admission to or services of treatment facilities of the Department of Health and Hospitals; to limit admission to or services of such facilities to persons who meet certain criteria; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1135—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, R. CARTER, FAUCHEUX, TOOMY, AND WELCH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:2012, to enact the Louisiana Fire Service Bill of Rights; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1147—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER
AN ACT
To provide relative to violations of the authorized weight limit; to provide relative to an appeal process for violations; to provide relative to special permits for trucks hauling sugar cane; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1154—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:387.7, relative to special permits; to provide relative to special permits for trucks hauling sugar cane; to provide relative to violations of the authorized weight limit; to provide relative to an appeal process for violations; to provide relative to certain duties of the court reporters; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1155—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:2012, to enact the Louisiana Fire Service Bill of Rights; and to provide for related matters.

the Budget may obtain certain information from the office of risk management for certain purposes; and to provide for related matters.
prohibit the issuance of special permits to certain trucks
beginning August 1, 2008; to authorize the promulgation
of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1173—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:326.5, relative to taking of bowfin; to
provide for a minimum size for taking of bowfin; and to provide
for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2183, relative to tax sales of
immoveable property; to provide for notice to the prior owner; to
provide for applicability to parishes or municipalities; to provide
for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1204—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2180.2(C) and 2180.3(C)(3) and to
enact R.S. 11:2178.1(C)(14) and 2180.5, relative to the Sheriffs'
Pension and Relief Fund; to provide for calculation of Back-
DROP benefits to assure compliance with the Internal Revenue
Code, for an increase in the annual compensation limit subject
to federal law that is used for purposes of certain calculations
used in determining benefits, for the definition of "eligible
retirement plan" for purpose of transfers of benefits, and for
creation of an excess benefit plan; to provide for an effective
date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1211—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUENAU, DOWNER, AND MURRAY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:31(B)(as enacted by Acts 2001, No.
451) and (C), 103(A), 104(A)(15) and (16), 110(B)(1), 111(B),
154(C), 401.1(I) and (D)(1), 423(H), 425(A)(1)(b) and (2),
435(A)(1), 463(A)(2), 552(B), 553(B)(4), 563, 564(C),
574(A)(2), 576(B) and (C), 1259(B)(1) and (4), 1284(F)(1),
1286(A), 1299.1(A), 1300.2(C)(2), 1300.3(B), 1306(A)(3),
1307(C), 1354(C), and 1400.3(D)(1), to enact R.S. 18:18.1,
110(B)(3), 401.1(G), 401.2, 425(B)(4), 552(C), and 1309(E)(4)
and (5), and to repeal R.S. 18:425(A)(3) and R.S. 36:742.1,
relative to the Election Code; to make technical changes to the
Election Code; to prohibit the commissioner of elections and
certain unclassified civil service employees from engaging in
political activities; to provide relative to the name a woman may
use to register to vote; to provide relative to charges for
preparation of lists of voter registration information; to provide
relative to form and signature requirements on applications to
register to vote; to provide for procedures in circumstances of
election emergency; to provide for transmission of certain voter
registration data where necessary for verification purposes; to
provide relative to a designee attending a board of election
supervisors meeting; to provide for filing a list of watchers to be
present at the precinct; to provide relative to the certification of
a candidate in the notice of candidacy; to provide for the
secretary of state to issue information as necessary under the
Help America Vote Act; to provide for the definition of casting
a vote; to provide for procedures for assisted voting; to provide
relative to the transmission of election results to the secretary of
state by the clerks of court; to provide relative to the format of
ballots and statements of propositions and the manner of
marking on a ballot; to provide relative to recall petitions and
written requests to delete or add from such petitions; to provide
relative to mail applications to vote absentee by mail; to provide
for procedures for when a voter fails to activate the cast ballot
mechanism; to prohibit a parish custodian from appointing a
candidate or his family member from serving at certain polling
places; to provide relative to compensation of certain employees
of registrars of voters; to allow students age seventeen who are
seniors in high school to serve as commissioners on election
day; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1235—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CAZAYOUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4574.1-A(I), relative to the occupancy taxes levied
by certain tourist commissions; to authorize certain tourist
commissions to increase such taxes; to provide for an effective
date; to require ordinances by local governing authorities and a
vote of the electorate before the tax may be levied and collected;
and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1259—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ILES
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.45(B)(1), relative to drivers'
licenses; to provide relative to the suspension of a driver's
license for nonpayment of child support; and to provide for
related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1266—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 914(B),
relative to appeals; to provide for the time in which a motion for
an appeal must be made; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PERKINS AND TOOMY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:1123(32), relative to the Code of Governmental
Ethics; to allow certain volunteer firemen and law enforcement
officers and legal entities in which they have any interest to
engage in certain transactions under jurisdiction of their
agencies; to provide restrictions; and to provide for related
matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1317—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROOME AND PEYCHAUD AND SENATOR
HOLDEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:421.9, relative to public school speech-language
pathologists and audiologists; to provide a salary supplement for
certain public school speech-language pathologists and
audiologists who have acquired certification by the American
Speech-Language Hearing Association; to provide conditions
and guidelines for receiving the supplement; to provide
limitations; to provide procedures for payment of such
supplement; to provide definitions; to provide for effectiveness;
and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1331—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:34(B)(1)(h)(vi), relative to birth certificates; to
provide for the inclusion of the name of the father; to provide
for certain evidence and procedures; and to provide for related
matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1342—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, CRANE, ALEXANDER, CURTIS,
DOWNER, HONEY, KENNARD, KENNEY, NEVERS, PEYCHAUD,
Powell, Jane Smith, and Swilling, and Senator Theunissen
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:416.18, relative to the rights of teachers; to
establish the Educators' Right to Teach for teachers in city,
parish, or other local public schools relative to disciplinary
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1123(22), relative to exemptions from.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1416**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR AND MURRAY**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2738.84, relative to local sales and use taxes; to provide for the use of the proceeds derived from such tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1404**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:40.2(B)(3) and 122, relative to the Commemorative Act Commission as an agency of the state; to establish the Louisiana Purchase Commemorative Act Commission as an agency of the state within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide relative to the authority and responsibilities of the commission; to establish three funds to receive monies available to purchase land for public parks and green spaces; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1393**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 339, relative to types of bail; to provide that defendants may combine different types of bail; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1387**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHWEGMANN**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:964.1 and 992(H), relative to judicial review of adjudications; to provide for the payment of attorney fees and court costs; to provide for a report of such payments; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1393**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 339, relative to types of bail; to provide that defendants may combine different types of bail; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1384**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:209(T) and 802.18 and Chapter 15 of Title 41 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 41:1751 through 1753, relative to the Louisiana Purchase Commemorative Act; to establish the Louisiana Purchase Commemorative Act Commission as an agency of the state within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide relative to the authority and responsibilities of the commission; to establish three funds to receive monies available to purchase land for public parks and green spaces; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1421**

**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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1488**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER**

AN ACT

To enact Part XXXI-A of Chapter 1 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1481 through 1494, relative to the use of credit information for personal insurance; to provide for requirements and restrictions; to provide for corrections; to provide for notification; to provide for filings; to provide for indemnification; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1468**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND**

AN ACT

To provide that orders issued by a magistrate prohibiting contact with the victim of the crime of stalking can serve as the basis for increased penalties; to provide for the crime of retaliation against an elected official and to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1416**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT**

AN ACT

To provide for bonds; to provide for exemption; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1449 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 777)**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES PITRE AND SENATOR GAUTREAUX AND WALSCH**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:4617(D), (E), and (F), relative to the labeling of food products; to prevent advertisement or sale of certain food products; to prevent advertisement or sale of certain food products; to provide for the definition of "Cajun" and "Cajun" and "Louisiana Creole in advertising certain food products; prohibits deceptive packaging; provides relative to registered trade names and trademarks; and to provide for related matters.
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matters relating to the tobacco settlement proceeds to be received by the state pursuant to the Master Settlement Agreement; to provide that affiliates of a signatory of the agreement and all other defendants are included in the maximum amount of security required for appeals; to provide for an effective date; to provide for the sale of certain assets; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1828—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DANIEL AND FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:118(H) and (I), relative to individual income tax; to require the secretary of the Department of Revenue to notify certain taxpayers of the requirement for filing a declaration of estimated tax; to permit the secretary to waive the penalty for the 2002 tax year in certain situations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1852—
BY REPRESENTATIVES R. CARTER AND WELCH AND SENATOR MARIONNEAUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:992.1 and 996.60, relative to judicial expense funds of district courts; to authorize the Nineteenth Judicial District Court and the clerk of court of the Nineteenth Judicial District Court to impose additional costs of court and service charges in certain civil matters; to provide for collection of such costs and charges; to establish a judicial building fund; to provide for the dedication and disbursement of such funds; to establish a judicial expense fund for a district court comprised of two parishes with one parish having a population of between fourteen thousand seven hundred fifty-one and fifteen thousand two hundred fifty and one parish having a population between twenty-one thousand two hundred eighty and twenty-one thousand five hundred according to the most recent federal decennial census; to provide for assessment of fees in civil and criminal matters; to require the clerks of court to place all sums collected into a separate account designated as the judicial expense fund; to require annual audits; to provide for uses of the fund; to prohibit the use of the fund for salaries; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1854—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER AND SENATOR JOHNSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 35:12 and 191(C)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 35:202, 215, 216, and 409, relative to notaries public; to require the filing of annual reports and filing fees; to provide for late charges and penalties; to provide for uniform standards for notary examinations; to provide for the authority of the secretary of state; to provide for certain fees; to provide for a database of all notaries; to provide for the authority of ex officio notaries; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1875—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, LEBLANC, AND HUNTER AND SENATORS HAINKEL, LAMBERT, BARHAM, DARDEEN AND ULLO
AN ACT
To appropriate the sum of Fifty-two Million Nine Hundred Forty Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Nine and No/100 ($52,940,129.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of the state general fund and the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand and No/100 ($350,000.00) Dollars out of the state general fund to provide for the Legislative Auditor, Ancillary Enterprise Fund, and the sum of Eight Million Nine Hundred Thirteen Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-eight and No/100 ($8,913,988.00) Dollars out of self-generated funds, to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; to provide with respect to appropriations to certain entities within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; and otherwise to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1916—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DARTEZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:233(B)(2)(a) and to repeal R.S. 33:233(B)(3), relative to the disposition of stolen, seized, or relinquished property; to provide with respect to the disposition of noncontraband property; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1918—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNS AND STRAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1849(D)(5), relative to the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission Rainy Day Fund; to provide for use of certain monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.96(A)(2)(b), relative to health care records; to provide that defense counsel and insurance companies shall have access to health care records; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1935—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KATZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:63(A)(3), relative to special prestige license plates; to require an organization to prepay the secretary of the office of motor vehicles for one thousand license plates or provide a guarantee that one thousand license plates will be purchased before such a plate is created; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1944—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:93(A)(2)(introductory paragraph) and (a), (7)(introductory paragraph) and (e), and (8), to enact R.S. 27:93(A)(9), and to repeal R.S. 27:93(A)(2)(a), (b), and (f), relative to admission fees for riverboats; to provide for allocation of funds derived from riverboat boarding fees on certain riverboats in Bossier Parish; to provide for the levying of boarding fees in Bossier Parish in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

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), and (ix), and (ii), 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.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1984—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 62 and to enact R.S. 14:30(A)(8), relative to homicide; to provide with respect to the crime of first degree murder; to provide relative to the authority of the attorney general to supersede in criminal actions or proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2004 (Substitute for House Bill No. 386 by Representative Crowe)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:10, relative to life insurance policies; to provide for procedures; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2007 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1502 by Representative Landrieu)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRIEU, MURRAY, AND PEYCHAUD
AN ACT
To enact Part III-F of Title 19 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 19:136 through 136.11, relative to expropriation by a declaration of taking; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability to municipalities with a population greater than four hundred fifty thousand; to provide for the authority to expropriate; to provide for the contents of the petition; to provide for a determination of value; to provide for vesting of title; to provide for notice; to provide for opposition and waiver of defenses; to provide for procedures and delays for filing an answer; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2018 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1683 by Representative Landrieu, et al.)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRIEU, HUNTER, MARTINY, WINSTON, ALARKI, ANSARDA, ARNOLD, BALDWIN, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BROOME, BRUCE, CAPELLA, K. CARTER, CROWE, DAMICO, DANIEL, DAVIES, DOWRE, DOWNES, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOW, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILORY, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HUDSON, ILES, L. JACKSON, JOHNS, KENNARD, LAFLER, LUCAS, MORRELL, MORTISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PEYCHAUD, PIERRE, PITRE, Powell, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, ROMERO, SCHWEGMANN, JACK, SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, WELCH, WOOTON, WRIGHT, CAZAYOUX, AND DANIEL, and SENATORS CRAVINS, BADOIE, LENTINI, MICHOT, MOUNT, BOISSIERE, CHAISIN, FIELDS, HOLDEN, HOLLIS, IRRS, JONES, B. JONES, MARIONNEAUX, SCHEDLER, TARVER, AND THOMAS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2601 through 2606 as "Part II. Children's Cabinet, Children's Budget, and Affiliated Boards", all relative to the reform of juvenile justice; to create the Juvenile Justice Reform Act of 2003; to provide with respect to the closure of Swanson Correctional Center for Youth-Madison Parish Unit; to create a juvenile placement review process; to establish juvenile detention standards and licensing procedures; to establish interagency agreements for sharing of juvenile information; to create the Juvenile Justice Reform Act Implementation Commission, including as one of its duties the creation of a plan for a single state entity for providing services to children and their families; to create the Education/Juvenile Justice Partnership Act; to continue until August 15, 2008, the Children's Cabinet; to provide definitions for certain provisions governing the Children's Cabinet and related boards and programs; to provide with respect to the powers and duties of the Children's Cabinet; to provide with respect to the preparation of the children's budget; to create the Children's Cabinet Research Council; to create the Louisiana Juvenile Justice Planning and Coordination Board; to provide for the standardization of service regions; to create the Louisiana Children's Children, Youth, and Families Investment Fund, to create the Community-based Sanctions and Services Grant Program; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2021 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1162 by Representative Dicz)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIZE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:408(40), 408(C), 1301, and 1304(A)(1) and (2) and R.S. 47:463(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 32:300.1, relative to motor vehicles; to provide relative to the definition of "motor vehicle"; to include "low-speed vehicles" within the definition of "motor vehicle"; to provide relative to requirements of "low-speed vehicles"; to exempt "low-speed vehicles" from certain requirements of motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2027 (Substitute for House Bill No. 466 by Representative Martin)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:317(B) and 318(A), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide with respect to residence and domicile requirements for certain licensees; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2029 (Substitute for House Bill No. 989 by Representative Townsend) (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 935)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND AND SENATOR HINES and COAUTHORED BY SENATOR HOLDEN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:495, 495(A) and (C), 1046(B) and (C), 1048(5) and (6), 1049(6), 1063(B), (C), and (D), and 1064(5) and (6) and to repeal R.S. 37:1063(9) and (10), and (11), relative to optometry; to provide for the public purpose to provide for a limitation from liability; to provide for travel, hearings, and subpoena authority; to provide for licensure fees, violations, and civil penalties; to
provide for exception to the public records law; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Bruneau, the Speaker appointed the following special committee to notify the Governor that the House has completed its labors and is prepared to adjourn sine die: Reps. LeBlanc, Walker, Jane Smith, Alario, and Hebert.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Bruneau, the Speaker appointed the following special committee to notify the Senate that the House has completed its labors and is prepared to adjourn sine die: Reps. Baudoin, Iles, Schwegmann, Peychaud, and Katz.

Reports of Special Committees

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

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

The Speaker thanked and discharged the committees.

Committee from the Senate

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

The Speaker thanked and dismissed the committee.

Leave of Absence

Rep. Kennard- 1 day
Rep. Lancaster - 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Alario, at 6:00 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn sine die.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned sine die

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House