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

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Hill.

Pledge of Allegiance

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

Reading of the Journal

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

On motion of Rep. Flavin, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of March 10, 2004, was corrected to reflect him as voting nay on final adoption of House Concurrent Resolution No. 11.

On motion of Rep. Flavin, the Journal of March 12, 2004, was adopted.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

March 16, 2004

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. 11

Returned with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN KOEPP
Acting Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

March 15, 2004

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:
I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted and asks your concurrence in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 8 and 9

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN KOEPP
Acting Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY SENATOR FIELDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend the Southern University women's basketball team for an outstanding season and for capturing the Southwestern Athletic Conference championship.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY SENATOR FIELDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend the Louisiana State University Lady Tigers basketball team on an outstanding season and for receiving a bid to the 2004 NCAA Division I Women's Basketball Tournament.

Read by title.

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

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS
March 16, 2004

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

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

Senate Bill No. 22

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN KOEPP
Acting Secretary of the Senate

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

Rep. Walsworth asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions just received from the Senate with a view of advancing same, which were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

SENATE BILL NO. 22—
BY SENATORS CAIN, MICHOT, SCHEDLER, ROMERO, FONTENOT, ADLEY, DUPLESSIS, BRONS, MALONE, AND MOUNT
AN ACT
To enact a special condition on the effectiveness of certain laws, relative to Subsections (F), (G), (H), (I), (J), (K), (L), (M), (N), (O), (P) and (Q) of Section 302, Section 305.50, or Paragraph (1) of Subsection O of Section 331 of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, which repeal or suspend state sales tax exemptions, and which such repeal or suspension will expire in 2004; to provide that the repeal or suspension of such exemptions shall become effective if and only if certain provisions implementing an individual income tax credit for individuals is enacted into law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Point of Order

Rep. Murray asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the object of the above bill is within the listing of objects contained in the governor's proclamation for this extraordinary session.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that the object of the above bill was not within the listing of objects contained in the governor's proclamation for this extraordinary session.

The bill was returned to the calendar.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Bruce, the Committee on Education was discharged from further consideration of House Concurrent Resolution No. 9.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the boards of supervisors of the Louisiana State University System, the Southern University System, the University of Louisiana System, and the Louisiana Community and Technical College System to consider the implementation of tuition exemption programs for law enforcement officers and firefighters or the enhancement of any such programs at institutions under the supervision of each where such programs currently exist and to submit a written report on any actions taken in the consideration of such program implementation or enhancement to the House Committee on Appropriations and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs by not later than May 15, 2004.

Read by title.
On motion of Rep. Bruce, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

Speaker Pro Tempore Broome in the Chair

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATOR HINES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To amend and readopt Joint Rule No. 14(A) and (B) of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, relative to the allocation and use of space in the Pentagon Barracks.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Salter to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 by Senator Hines

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 12, after "Representatives" and before "the second" delete "and" and insert a semicolon ";"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13, change "lower" to "first"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, at the end of line 14, after "Senate" delete the period "." and insert a semicolon ";" and "and the second floor of the north one-half of Building C is allocated to the House of Representatives."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, at the beginning of line 17, change "lower" to "first"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 1, change "upper" to "second"

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

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

Speaker Salter in the Chair

House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, ARNOLD, BRUNEAU, GALLOW, LANCASTER, MONTGOMERY, MURRAY, SMILEY, AND ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANNARD, BASON, BALDANE, BAUDON, BAYARD, BEARD, BOWLER, BROMLEY, BRENNER, BURNS, BURRELL, K. CARTER, C. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DREWITT, DORGE, DORSEY, DORES, DOWNS, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FIEGEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FUTUREL, GEGEMANN, GLOVER, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HERBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LABRUIZI, LAPOUL, LAMBERT, MARCHAN, MARTYNY, MCDONALD, MCMANUS, MORRILL, MOLLISON, ODOM, PETR, M. POWER, T. POWER, QUEZAR, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROYOM, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TRICHIE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALLER, WALSHWORTH, WHITE, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOE, BARMAN, BOASO, BOSSIERE, CAIN, CHASSION, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DURLES, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREUX, N. GAUTREUX, HAINKEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLTEN, HOLLI, IBONS, JACSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCHENRY, MICHOT, MOUNT, MVERS, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SMITH, THEUNISSEN, AND ULLO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To designate the ground floor breezeway of the Louisiana State Capitol as Elias "Bo" Ackal, Jr. Hall.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Regular Calendar

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. LaFleur, the rules were suspended in order to call House Bill No. 38 from the calendar at this time.
HOUSE BILL NO. 38—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LAFLEUR AND FAUCHEUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.50(B), relative to the state sales and use tax; to exempt repairs of rail rolling stock manufactured in this state for use in interstate commerce from the tax, under
Called from the calendar.
Read by title.
Rep. McDonald, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative McDonald on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 38 by Representative LaFleur

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 18, following "stock" and before "both" delete "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 19, following "(i)" and before "construction" change "Under" to "Is under"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative LaFleur to Engrossed House Bill No. 38 by Representative LaFleur

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after "stock" and before "for" change "manufactured in this state" to "when such rail rolling stock is"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the beginning of line 9, delete "manufactured in this state"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, at the end of line 15 after "stock" change "manufactured in this" to "when such rail rolling stock is"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, at the beginning of line 16 delete "state"

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 Faucheux Murray
Alario Flavin Odinet
Alexander Frith Pierre
Ansardi Futch Pitre
Arnold Geymann Powell, M.
Badon Glover Powell, T.
Baldone Gray Quezaire
Baudoin Heaton Richmond
Baylor Guillory, E. Ritchie
Beard Guillory, M. Romero
Bowler Hammett
Broome Heaton Scalise
Bruce Hebert Schneider
Bruneau Hill Shepheard
Burns Honey Smiley
Burrell Hopkins Smith, G.—56th
Carter, K. Hudson Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R. Hunter Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux Hutter Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane Jackson St. Germain
Crowe Jefferson Strain
Curtis Johns Thompson
Damico Katz Toomy
Daniel Kenney Townsend
Dartez LaBruzzo Trahan
DeWitt LaFleur Trique
Doerge Lambert Tucker
Dorsey Lancaster Waddell
Dove Marchand Walker
Downs Martiny Walsworth
Durand McDonald White
Erdey McVea Winston
Fannin Montgomery Wooton
Farrar Morrell Wright
Total—102

NAYS
Total—0

ABSENT
Kennard Morrish
Total—2

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

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.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications
The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

Message from the Senate
HOUSE BILLS
March 16, 2004
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:

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Respectfully submitted,

GLENN KOEPP  
Acting Secretary of the Senate

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

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 6—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT**

A RESOLUTION
To commend the Lady Tigers of Simsboro High School upon winning the Class B state basketball championship.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 7—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY**

A RESOLUTION
To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Wilma Mary West Boykin.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend the Louisiana State University (LSU) track and field program upon winning the 2004 National Collegiate Athletic Association Indoor Track and Field Championships as the first school in the National Collegiate Athletic Association's (NCAA) history to sweep both the men's and women's national indoor titles.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES HONEY AND QUEZAIRE**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate the 2003 Southern University Football Jaguars and Coach Pete Richardson upon winning the Southwest Athletic Conference championship and being named the 2003 national black college football champions.

Read by title.

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

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

March 16, 2004

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

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

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 5—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY**

A RESOLUTION
To commend Dunbar's Creole Cooking in New Orleans upon the celebration of its twentieth anniversary.

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.

**Leave of Absence**

Rep. Kennard - 1 day

**Adjournment**

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 6:15 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, March 17, 2004, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Wednesday, March 17, 2004.

ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House