The House of Representatives was called to order at 2:00 P.M., by the Honorable Joe R. Salter, 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 - 105

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

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Father Vicente Panaligan.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

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

Mr. Nathan Abbot sang *The National Anthem*.

**Reading of the Journal**

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

On motion of Rep. Winston, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of May 24, 2005, was corrected to reflect her as voting yea on final passage of House Bill No. 338.

On motion of Rep. Winston, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of May 24, 2005, was corrected to reflect her as voting nay on final passage of House Bill No. 371.

On motion of Rep. Cazayoux, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of May 24, 2005, was corrected to reflect him as voting yea on final passage of House Bill Nos. 249, 295, 310, and 338.

On motion of Rep. Beard, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of May 9, 2005, was corrected to reflect him as voting nay on final passage of House Bill No. 453.

On motion of Rep. Damico, the Journal of May 24, 2005, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**SENATE BILLS**

May 25, 2005

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 78, 118, 155, 225, 255, and 270

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate
Suspension of the Rules

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

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

SENATE BILL NO. 78—
BY SENATOR ADLEY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:1300.143(3)(a)(xii), relative to the rural hospital preservation act; to provide an additional definition of a rural hospital; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 118—
BY SENATORS BARHAM, CHEEK, CRAVINS, LENTINI, MURRAY AND NEVERS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 29:406(A) and (C) and 410(A)(introductory paragraph) and (A)(3), (E)(1)(introductory paragraph), (E)(1)(c) and (d), (E)(2)(a), (E)(3), and (F)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (l), and to enact R.S. 29:410(E)(4), relative to the Military Service Relief Act; to provide with respect to certain rights for employees who are in the uniformed services and called to active duty and who wish to return to positions of employment held prior to active duty service; to provide with respect to notification and accrual and entitlement to vacation leave; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 155—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1408(A) and (B), 1409(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (D), 1417, and 1419, relative to multi-year licenses for child care facilities and child placing agencies; to provide for advice and consultation from the child care committees; to provide for the promulgation of applicable rules; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 225—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:1253.1, relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide for the jurisdiction of the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 255—
BY SENATOR MICHOT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Chapter 6 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 32:1251 through 1269, relative to the distribution and sale of motor vehicles; to provide for a comprehensive reorganization of the law relative to the distribution and sale of motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 270—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:978 and 979(A), relative to health care for the uninsured; to provide for authorization for a Section 1115 of the Social Security Act waiver demonstration initiative; to provide for a Section 1115 demonstration program; to provide for expansion of coverage for families below two hundred percent of the federal poverty level; and to provide for related matters.

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 25, 2005

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. 58, 76, and 77

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—
BY SENATOR DUPRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Gillis and Lucille Thibodaux of Pointe-aux-Chenes, Louisiana on the occasion of their seventy-second wedding anniversary.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Baldone, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was 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. 57—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Roy J. Geesey for being named by the Crowley Chamber of Commerce as the Outstanding Business Person of the Year for 2004-2005.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 58—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate David Mire as being recognized by the Crowley Chamber of Commerce as an Outstanding Young Citizen for 2005.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 59—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC**
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Russ Freeland for being recognized by the Crowley Chamber of Commerce as an Outstanding Young Citizen for 2005.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 60—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC**
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Anna Brooke Trahan as being recognized by the Crowley Chamber of Commerce as an Outstanding Young Citizen for 2005.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 61—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC**
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Donald Gautreaux as the recipient of the Crowley Chamber of Commerce "Humanitarian of the Year" Award.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 62—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE MCVEA**
A RESOLUTION
To commend Jamie Johnell Roddy upon being crowned the 2005 Woodmen of the World Sausage Festival Pageant Teen Queen I at the Acadian Village in Lafayette, Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 141—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the continued state funding of the Mississippi River Corridor Initiative (MRCI) on the campus of the University of New Orleans, which assists ports and related industries to succeed in the highly competitive development of international trade along the Mississippi River.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 142—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create a study commission to consider the feasibility of funding a study on a single-payer health insurance system for the citizens of Louisiana.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 46—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE**
A RESOLUTION
To amend and readopt House Rules 6.5(A), 6.13(B), and 7.2(B) and (E) of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to provide that a motion to otherwise refer a legislative instrument or a motion to discharge a committee from further consideration of a legislative instrument and to recommit such instrument to another committee is not in order unless the author of the instrument is present in the chamber.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 48—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON**
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to amend the facility need review bed abeyance policy to provide for the partial abeyance of beds under certain circumstances.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 132—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the office of conservation, Department of Natural Resources, in cooperation with the Ground Water Resources Commission and the Ground Water Management Advisory Task Force, to develop a model by which to best educate the public in water conservation.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 133—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the Louisiana Emergency Response Network to establish up to nine regional commissions and begin working on the regional patient care protocols and data collection.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 134—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the secretary of the Department of Revenue to accept amended income tax returns for certain taxpayers and make refunds to reflect the appropriate amount of exemption for retirement income for certain persons sixty-five years or older.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 135—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHNS, K. CARTER, AND PINAC
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create and provide with respect to a Uniform Building Code Task Force, under the commissioner of insurance, to study current laws and regulations related to the construction of buildings and structures throughout the state and to make recommendations regarding legislation.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 136—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD AND TUCKER AND SENATOR HEITMEIER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the Base Closure and Realignment Act Commission to favorably consider the "federal city concept" for expanding the Naval Support Activity military installation on the west bank of the Mississippi River in New Orleans by consolidating the Navy, Marine, and Army flag/general commands in the New Orleans area, moving in the 8th Coast Guard District headquarters, and possibly housing a new regional Homeland Security headquarters at the renovated military installation.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 138—
BY REPRESENTATIVES GARY SMITH, FARRAR, AND MONTGOMERY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to make permanent the increases in Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance coverage and the Death Gratuity benefits to provide financial security of survivors of members of the Louisiana National Guard and other servicemembers who make the ultimate sacrifice with their lives while serving our country and the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 4—
BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 12:204.2, relative to nonprofit corporations; to provide with respect to the naming of certain nonprofit corporations; to authorize the use of "parish" in the name of a nonprofit corporation under certain circumstances; to provide limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 35—
BY SENATOR BARHAM
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:2405(H), relative to peace officer standards and training; to provide requirements for former peace officers to retain certain qualifications; to provide relative to the resumption of service as a peace officer; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 47—
BY SENATOR BARHAM
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3087.212, relative to public contracts, works and improvements; to provide for the Morehouse Parish Lake Commission to levy taxes, issue bonds, and incur indebtedness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 63—
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1254(N)(3)(k)(i)(bb), relative to motor vehicle dealer disclosure; to provide relative to dealer participation in finance charges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Commerce.
SENATE BILL NO. 84—
BY SENATORS SMITH AND ADLEY AND REPRESENTATIVE SALTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1871(A)(2), relative to membership of the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to provide relative to terms and qualifications of appointees to the board; to provide with regard to experience as a condition of appointment; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 157—
BY SENATORS CHAISSON AND MARIONNEAUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:98(D)(1)(a), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 14:98(D)(1)(b), (c), and (d) and (E)(1)(a), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 14:98(E)(1)(b), (c), and (d) and (1), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide with respect to the criminal penalties for third, fourth, and subsequent offenses of operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide for the court's discretion in suspending a portion of the criminal sentence for third, fourth, and subsequent offenses; to provide for the court's discretion in ordering an offender to substance abuse treatment and home incarceration; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 162—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 29:732(A), relative to price gouging; to prohibit price gouging during a named tropical storm or hurricane; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE BILL NO. 173—
BY SENATOR MICHOT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:306.1 and 337.20, relative to the method by which such dealers calculate and pay such taxes; and to provide for the optional payment of state and local sales and use taxes by interstate and foreign transportation dealers; to provide for related matters.
Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 184—
BY SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.39.1(A)(1)(e), (2)(a), (3)(a), and the introductory paragraph of (4), and the introductory paragraph of (G) and R.S. 40:1299.47 (A)(1)(e), (2)(a), (3)(a) and (c) and the introductory paragraph of (4), the introductory paragraph of (G), (L) and (M), to enact R.S. 40:1299.39.1(A)(5) and 1299.47(A)(5) and to repeal R.S. 40:1299.47(K); relative to medical liability; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

SENATE BILL NO. 188—
BY SENATORS FONTENOT, BAJOIE, HINES AND MOUNT AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, HAMMETT AND SALTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2076.2(A)(3), (B)(3), (C)(1), and (D), relative to violations of the Louisiana Pollutant Discharge Elimination System; to authorize the costs of investigation and prosecution be included in the criminal penalties; to change such violations from a misdemeanor offense to a felony offense; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Environment.

SENATE BILL NO. 215—
BY SENATOR BARKHAM
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 5-N of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:380.111 through 380.116, and R.S. 36:744(Y) and 801.18, to create the Aviation and Military Museum of Louisiana, Inc., in the Department of State; to provide relative to the governing authority of the museum including its composition, powers, duties, responsibilities, meetings, and officers; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations and fees; to provide for receipt and use of funds and property; to provide relative to the authority of the secretary of state with respect to the museum; to provide relative to personnel and budgets of the museum; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 231—
BY SENATOR ADLEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:153(A), (C)(1)(a), (c) and (2), (D)(1) and (2)(a)(i) and (b) and (H), and to repeal R.S. 11:268(G), relative to consolidated public retirement systems; to provide with respect to provisions affecting more than one system; to authorize an employer of any member of a state or statewide public retirement system to purchase credit for regular or nonregular military service of a member; to delete the sunset provision requiring the governing authority of each state public retirement system or pension system to prepare a policy proposing how it intends to invest in small and emerging businesses, venture capital firms, and in-state money management firms; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 238—
BY SENATORS ELLINGTON, AMEDEE, FONTENOT, HOLLIS AND MICHOT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:318(B)(2), relative to the Department of Economic Development; to provide relative to the disposition of certain tax collections; to provide relative to the marketing fund; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Commerce.
SENATE BILL NO. 336—
BY SENATORS MALONE AND CHEEK
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:337.10(J), relative to exemptions from sales and use tax levied by certain political subdivisions of the state; to provide for the brand of plant he wishes to install and/or maintain, specifying that the applicant is qualified to install and/or maintain said plants, in compliance with the requirements of this Code. Applications will not be processed unless accompanied by the required endorsement.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To amend the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of public health, rules on installer/maintenance provider qualifications and to direct the Louisiana Register to print the amendments in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 1 by Representative Farrar

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 16, change "51:737(B)" to "51:737"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 18 through 21 and insert in lieu thereof:

"A. For a basic license, the applicant shall submit, along with the license application and evidence of successful completion of an examination, an affidavit certifying that he has obtained, read, and understands the provisions of this Part of the sanitary code, including Chapter 7 Subchapter B of this Part, and the requirements for minimum distance to sources of contamination in Part XII and will make installations and/or provide maintenance in compliance therewith. Copies of a standard affidavit form and request for examination form may be obtained from any parish health unit.

B. For a combination license, the applicant shall submit, along with the license application and evidence of successful completion of an examination, an endorsement from the licensed manufacturer for the brand of plant he wishes to install and/or maintain, specifying that the applicant is qualified to install and/or maintain said plants, in compliance with the requirements of this Code. Applications will not be processed unless accompanied by the required endorsement.

C. For a maintenance license, the applicant shall submit the license application and evidence of successful completion of an examination.

D. All persons seeking to apply for a new license or renewal must, at their own expense, attend and successfully complete a training course approved by the Sanitarian Services Section of the Office of Public Health, Department of Health and Hospitals, as a prerequisite for licensure. This course will be offered at least once annually.

E. All licensees must successfully repeat this training course every five years.

F. A listing of training course dates, times, and locations shall be maintained in the various regional offices by the sanitarian regional directors.

G. In the event an approved training course is not available within sixty days, the sanitarian services section may issue a temporary license provided the applicant meets all of the other requirements cited in this Section and successfully completes an examination administered by the sanitarian regional director. This temporary license shall terminate upon failure to attend the next available approved training course. Applicants who fail to attend the required training course shall not be issued another temporary license, but may reapply for a license upon successful completion of the required training course.

H. Applicants for an Installer/Maintenance Provider License installer’s, combination, or maintenance license shall submit, along with the license application, proof that they have secured, for at least the duration of the license, general liability insurance in an amount of no less than $100,000/$300,000."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 4 in their entirety

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

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To request the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice to study whether juvenile correctional officers should be included in the definition of a peace officer for purposes of the Peace Officers Standards and Training Law and to report its findings to the speaker of the House of Representatives and the president of the Senate no later than February 1, 2006, and to create the Juvenile Correctional Officers Task Force to assist in this study.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 79 by Representative Bruce

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 8, after "justice" and before "or" delete "commission"

On motion of Rep. Martiny, the amendments were adopted.
On motion of Rep. Martiny, the resolution, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to meet and function as a joint committee to study the current laws and regulations governing children in foster care in the state, to study the laws, regulations, and procedures which govern social workers charged with monitoring children in foster care, and to make recommendations for changes in the laws, rules, and procedures governing children in foster care in Louisiana.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry to formulate proposed legislation providing for a volunteer license, which would allow retired dentists to practice at nonprofit health care facilities for no remuneration.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 85—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES JACK SMITH AND ST. GERMAIN**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish, in the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, the Wild-Caught Crawfish Task Force and to provide for its membership and responsibilities.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 85 by Representative Jack Smith

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 19, change “Land Owners” to “Louisiana Landowners”

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

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana Department of Social Services, bureau of licensing, to promulgate rules and regulations to provide for the licensing of after-school enrichment programs, pursuant to Chapter 14 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 96 by Representative Doerge

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 21, delete “shall immediately thereafter” and insert in lieu thereof “within sixty days thereafter shall”

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

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy to study the feasibility and effectiveness of implementing a prescription monitoring program for controlled dangerous substances and to report its findings to the speaker of the House of Representatives and the president of the Senate no later than February 1, 2006, and to create the Prescription Monitoring Program Task Force to assist in this study.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 98 by Representative Badon

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, between lines 21 and 22 insert the following:

“(17) The president of the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America or his designee.”

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

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 100—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Waterfowl Study Commission to study the possibility of permitting the taking of pen-raised mallards south of Interstate Highway 10 and Interstate Highway 12.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.

On motion of Rep. Pierre, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101—
BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON AND BALDONE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize and request the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to sponsor a pilot program to study the breeding and release of waterfowl in Louisiana.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To continue and provide with respect to the Task Force on Legal Representation in Child Protection Cases created in the 2003 Regular Session pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 44 and continued in the 2004 Regular Session pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 59.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committee

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND TRICHE
AN ACT
Making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 1 by Representative Alario

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 9, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

“(3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law or this Act to the contrary, if the name of an entity subject to Paragraph (B) of this Section is misspelled or misstated in this Act, the state treasurer may pay the funds appropriated to the entity without obtaining the approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, but only after the entity has provided proof of its correct legal name to the state treasurer and transmitted a copy to the staffs of the House Committee on Appropriations and the Senate Committee on Finance.”

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 11, line 25, change “2,530,915” to “2,613,471”

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page 12, line 32, change "47,341,538” to ”55,366,763”

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**
On page 12, line 34, change "19,838,429” to ”24,070,276”

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**
On page 12, line 40, change "3,793,555” to ”7,586,933”

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**
On page 12, line 45, change "47,341,538” to ”55,366,763”

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**
On page 14, line 4, change "351,014” to ”381,014”

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**
On page 14, line 5, change ”99,243” to ”69,243”

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**
On page 14, line 9, change ”654” to ”659”

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**
On page 14, line 9, change ”95,460,049” to ”95,991,196”

**AMENDMENT NO. 11**
On page 15, line 26, change ”196,222,841” to ”196,753,988”

**AMENDMENT NO. 12**
On page 15, line 30, change ”49,313,477” to ”49,459,385”

**AMENDMENT NO. 13**
On page 15, between lines 32 and 33, insert the following:

"Statutory Dedications:
Energy Performance Contracting Fund   $ 385,239"

**AMENDMENT NO. 14**
On page 15, line 34, change ”196,222,841” to ”196,753,988”

**AMENDMENT NO. 15**
On page 15, after line 45, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that the supporting objective in the Executive Budget Supporting Document for the Office of State Buildings shall be changed as follows:
Objective 5 in the Executive Budget Supporting Document shall be modified as follows: change "90%" to "85%".”

**AMENDMENT NO. 16**
On page 16, line 3, change "(37)” to "(38)”

**AMENDMENT NO. 17**
On page 16, line 3, change "2,530,915” to ”2,613,471”

**AMENDMENT NO. 18**
On page 16, line 25, change ”2,530,915” to ”2,613,471”
AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 16, line 29, change "2,530,915" to "2,613,471"

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 16, line 30, change "2,530,915" to "2,613,471"

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 19, between lines 45 and 46, insert the following:
"Provided, however, that of the state general funds appropriated herein, $800,000 shall be used to fund domestic violence contracts, including children's services. The total sum of $800,000 shall be expended for actual services, and no portion of this amount shall be used for administrative expenses."

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Faith House for a children's advocate for Vermilion and Acadia Parishes $ 25,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for family violence programs throughout the state $ 50,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Louisiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence programs $ 50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 21, line 4, change "24,995,881" to "24,996,083"

AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 22, line 1, change "9,465,556" to "9,965,354"

AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 22, line 32, change "34,461,437" to "34,961,437"

AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 22, line 40, change "314,099" to "814,099"

AMENDMENT NO. 26
On page 22, line 43, change "34,461,437" to "34,961,437"

AMENDMENT NO. 27
On page 22, between lines 43 and 44, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the State Programs Program for Victims and Citizens Against Crime $ 50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 24, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Parish Councils on Aging for building and facility improvements in Clinton, Louisiana $ 50,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Avoyelles Parish Council on Aging for roof repairs to the Simmesport Council on Aging building $ 20,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Calcasieu Parish Police Jury for the Ward

One Senior Citizen Group for renovation and improvements of Moss Bluff Middle School $ 15,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Senior Centers Program for the EJ Morris Senior Citizen Center $ 20,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Senior Centers Program for the Katherine J. Florent Senior Center $ 20,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Parish Councils on Aging Program for the St. Mary Parish Council on Aging $ 75,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Senior Centers Program for additional operating costs for the Senior Citizens Outreach Entity (SCORE) $ 100,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Parish Councils on Aging Program for the Ouachita Parish Council on Aging to assist with increased operational costs $ 50,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Parish Councils on Aging Program for the West Ouachita Council on Aging to assist with increased operational costs $ 25,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Parish Councils on Aging Program for the Vernon Parish Council on Aging for maintenance and operations costs $ 45,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Parish Councils on Aging Program for the St. Martin Parish Council on Aging $ 75,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Senior Centers Program for the Gentilly Senior Center, Inc. $ 150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 29
On page 29, line 41, change "73,461,893" to "74,171,116"

AMENDMENT NO. 30
On page 29, line 50, after "program" and before the semicolon ";", insert "using unclassified employees"

AMENDMENT NO. 31
On page 31, line 50, change "92,314,479" to "93,023,702"

AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 32, line 2, change "28,952,477" to "29,661,700"

AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 32, line 2, after "Revenues" insert", more or less estimated"

AMENDMENT NO. 34
On page 32, line 2, after "(Direct)" insert", more or less estimated"

AMENDMENT NO. 35
On page 32, line 12, change "92,314,479" to "93,023,702"
AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 32, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"FOR:
Elections Program $ 711,015
TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 711,015"

FROM:
State General Fund by:
Statutory Dedications:
Help Louisiana Vote Fund, Election Administration Account $ 80,838
Help Louisiana Vote Fund, Voting Systems Account $ 121,000
Help Louisiana Vote Fund, HAVA Requirements Account $ 383,386
Help Louisiana Vote Fund, Voting Access Account $ 125,791
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 711,015

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Museum and Other Operations Program for two (2) positions at the Louisiana State Exhibit Museum $ 34,228
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Museum and Other Operations Program for the Jean Lafitte Marine Fisheries Museum $ 35,000

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 35, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Civil Law Program for support of the Community Living Ombudsman Program in the Lake Charles region $ 26,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Civil Law Program for support of the Community Living Ombudsman Program in the Alexandria region $ 99,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 35, line 24, change "1,425,210" to "1,574,009"

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 35, line 36, change "3,943,388" to "4,028,388"

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 35, line 52, change "5,368,598" to "5,602,397"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 36, line 2, change "1,425,210" to "1,574,009"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 36, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"Fees & Self-generated Revenues $ 85,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 36, line 6, change "5,368,598" to "5,602,397"

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 36, line 10, change "(23)" to "(24)"

AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 36, line 10, change "7,258,663" to "7,305,568"

AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 36, line 19, change "74%" to "80%"

AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 36, line 20, change "(19)" to "(20)"

AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 36, line 20, change "3,010,133" to "3,068,033"

AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 36, line 30 change "35%" to "10%"
AMENDMENT NO. 50
On page 36, line 33, change "(9)" to "(10)"

AMENDMENT NO. 51
On page 36, line 33, change "1,890,132" to "1,952,772"

AMENDMENT NO. 52
On page 37, delete line 13 in its entirety and insert "Permanent and Support Fund to $1 billion."

AMENDMENT NO. 53
On page 37, line 17, change "Permanent Fund" to "Permanent and Support Fund"

AMENDMENT NO. 54
On page 37, line 30, change "15,075,830" to "15,243,275"

AMENDMENT NO. 55
On page 37, line 36, change "6,465,860" to "6,633,305"

AMENDMENT NO. 56
On page 37, line 43, change "15,075,830" to "15,243,275"

AMENDMENT NO. 57
On page 40, line 47, change "4,400" to "3,480"

AMENDMENT NO. 58
On page 40, line 61, change "60%" to "50%"

AMENDMENT NO. 59
On page 41, line 32, after "size of" and before "acres" change "13.2" to "15.0"

AMENDMENT NO. 60
On page 41, line 36, after "meeting" and before "of their" change "95%" to "90%"

AMENDMENT NO. 61
On page 41, line 38, after "with" and before "acres" change "35,000" to "25,000" and after "and" and before "acres" change "20,000" to "18,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 62
On page 41, line 44, after "that" and before "of forest" change "85%" to "80%

AMENDMENT NO. 63
On page 42, at the end of line 1, change "48%." to "40%."

AMENDMENT NO. 64
On page 42, after line 56, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Marketing Program for the Louisiana Future Farmers of America program $ 75,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 65
On page 43, line 14, change "18,641,469" to "19,139,879"

AMENDMENT NO. 66
On page 44, line 65, change "28,146,568" to "28,644,978"

AMENDMENT NO. 67
On page 45, line 3, change "26,791,290" to "27,307,720"

AMENDMENT NO. 68
On page 45, line 6, change "332,039" to "329,666"

AMENDMENT NO. 69
On page 45, line 7, change "98,583" to "82,936"

AMENDMENT NO. 70
On page 45, line 9, change "28,146,568" to "28,644,978"

AMENDMENT NO. 71
On page 47, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for economic development efforts of the Louisiana Minority Business Council in the New Orleans area $ 100,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for economic development efforts of the Southwest Louisiana Partnership for Economic Development $ 150,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the Ouachita Economic Development Corporation $ 150,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the Northeast Louisiana Economic Alliance $ 35,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the economic development efforts of the Lower Ninth Ward Economic Development Uplift Foundation $ 50,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for economic development efforts of the Central City Economic Development Corporation $ 50,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for economic development efforts of the North Shreveport Development Corporation $ 100,000
Payable out of State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for economic development efforts of the Coordinating and Development Corporation $ 350,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for fishing and other recreational tournaments $ 50,000"
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for economic development efforts of the South Louisiana Economic Development Council $ 200,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the National Hot Air Balloon Championship $ 50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the Minority Business Council to assist in the promotion of entrepreneurship and expansion of existing businesses, with a particular focus in the South Monroe area $ 100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the Sabine River Authority $ 100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the Monroe Symphony for music programs $ 5,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for HTV-Channel 10 for the Write-On Program $ 50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the New Orleans Jazz Orchestra $ 40,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the Northeast Louisiana Film and Video Commission $ 126,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Rapid Response Fund, in the event that House Bill No. 460 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 5,000,000

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to decrease the State General Fund (Direct) contained in the Governor's Supplementary Budget Recommendations to the Office of Business Development by $5,000,000, in the event that House Bill No. 460 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law."

AMENDMENT NO. 72

On page 47, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Rapid Response Fund, in the event that House Bill No. 460 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 5,000,000

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to decrease the State General Fund (Direct) contained in the Governor's Supplementary Budget Recommendations to the Office of Business Development for the Governor's Rapid Response Program, in the event that House Bill No. 460 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law."

AMENDMENT NO. 74

On page 50, between lines 39 and 40, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Friends of E.D. White for improvements to the E.D. White State Commemorative Area $ 25,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 75

On page 51, after line 59, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Arts Program for the Foundation for Arts, Music, and Education $ 100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Marketing Program for the Sci-Port Discovery Center in Shreveport $ 300,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Marketing Program for the New Orleans Word Festival $ 20,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Marketing Program for the Art in April Festival in St. Bernard Parish $ 10,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Marketing Program for the International Rice Festival $ 50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 76

On page 53, after line 55, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Office of the Secretary for the expenses of the Zachary Taylor Parkway Commission $ 75,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Office of the Secretary for the operating expenses of the Lafayette Expressway Commission $ 250,000"
AMENDMENT NO. 78
On page 55, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Water Resources and Intermodal Program to contract with the University of New Orleans to conduct a study of water borne cargo transportation among the ports located along the lower Mississippi River $ 25,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Water Resources and Intermodal Program for the Fifth Levee District for maintenance and construction expenses $ 150,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Water Resources and Intermodal Program for additional operating expenses of the Poverty Point Reservoir Commission $ 50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Water Resources and Intermodal Program for operating expenses of the Amite River Basin Commission $ 50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Aviation Program for operating expenses of the Louisiana Airport Authority $ 300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 79
On page 58, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the District Operations Program for improvements to Lemon Road in East Feliciana Parish $ 50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the District Operations Program to be used exclusively for construction of an enclosed drainage pipe along LA Highway 48 (Jefferson Highway) in the state owned right-of-way of the northeast quadrant of the intersection of LA Highway 48 and Folse Drive in Harahan, in the event that the sale, lease, conveyance, transfer, assignment, or delivery of that certain parcel of state property located in Jefferson Parish as more fully described in House Bill No. 349 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is effected and revenue from such transaction in the amount of one hundred forty thousand dollars is deposited into the State General Fund $ 140,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the District Operations Program for a turn lane on Highway 84 East in Concordia Parish $ 40,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 80
On page 59, line 32, change "18,883" to "18,839"

AMENDMENT NO. 81
On page 59, line 33, change "98.7%" to "99.21%"

AMENDMENT NO. 82
On page 59, line 43, after "released" and before "GED" change "with" to "who earned a"
AMENDMENT NO. 100
On page 62, delete line 48 in its entirety and insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 76"

AMENDMENT NO. 101
On page 62, line 51, change "(176)" to "(173)"

AMENDMENT NO. 102
On page 62, line 51, change "16,139,101" to "15,830,241"

AMENDMENT NO. 103
On page 62, line 60, change "47.79%" to "18.15%"

AMENDMENT NO. 104
On page 63, line 14, change "106,471,762" to "105,020,953"

AMENDMENT NO. 105
On page 63, line 16, change "100,377,766" to "98,926,957"

AMENDMENT NO. 106
On page 63, line 20, change "106,471,762" to "105,020,953"

AMENDMENT NO. 107
On page 63, line 33, change "(310)" to "(309)"

AMENDMENT NO. 108
On page 63, line 33, change "15,239,872" to "15,204,494"

AMENDMENT NO. 109
On page 64, delete line 4 in its entirety and insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 1,507"

AMENDMENT NO. 110
On page 64, line 16, change "40.20%" to "11.23%"

AMENDMENT NO. 111
On page 64, line 30, change "21,597,674" to "21,562,296"

AMENDMENT NO. 112
On page 64, line 32, change "19,733,586" to "19,698,208"

AMENDMENT NO. 113
On page 64, line 36, change "21,597,674" to "21,562,296"

AMENDMENT NO. 114
On page 65, delete line 19 in its entirety and insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 2,784"

AMENDMENT NO. 115
On page 65, line 30, change "33.43%" to "19.41%"

AMENDMENT NO. 116
On page 66, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 775"

AMENDMENT NO. 117
On page 66, line 42, change "36.67%" to "13.48%"

AMENDMENT NO. 118
On page 67, between lines 33 and 34, insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 2,784"

AMENDMENT NO. 119
On page 67, line 40, change "31.61%" to "11.05%"

AMENDMENT NO. 120
On page 68, delete line 41 in its entirety and insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 162"

AMENDMENT NO. 121
On page 68, line 53, change "37.79%" to "16.48%"

AMENDMENT NO. 122
On page 69, line 54, change "30.25%" to "11.15%"

AMENDMENT NO. 123
On page 70, delete line 17 in its entirety and insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 32,000
Provided, however, that the performance standard for the key indicator"Number of inmates per Corrections Security Officer" shall decrease from 4.4 to 4.3."

AMENDMENT NO. 124
On page 70, between lines 31 and 32, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Incarceration Program for an inmate work crew at the England Industrial Airpark, including one (1) corrections security officer position $32,000
Provided, however, that the performance standard for the key indicator"Number of inmates per Corrections Security Officer" shall decrease from 4.4 to 4.3."

AMENDMENT NO. 125
On page 71, delete line 20 in its entirety and insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 2,574"

AMENDMENT NO. 126
On page 71, line 31, change "43.21%" to "22.05%"

AMENDMENT NO. 127
On page 72, delete line 47 in its entirety and insert the following:
"Number participating in pre-release programs 1,968"
AMENDMENT NO. 128
On page 72, line 59, change "28.49%" to "14.03%"

AMENDMENT NO. 129
On page 73, delete line 41 in its entirety and insert the following:

"Number participating in pre-release programs 500"

AMENDMENT NO. 130
On page 73, line 48, change "30.00%" to "14.03%"

AMENDMENT NO. 131
On page 74, delete line 32 in its entirety and insert the following:

"Number participating in pre-release programs 150"

AMENDMENT NO. 132
On page 74, line 39, change "10.00%" to "14.03%"

AMENDMENT NO. 133
On page 75, line 17, change "(816)" to "(815)"

AMENDMENT NO. 134
On page 75, line 17, change "47,473,648" to "47,437,267"

AMENDMENT NO. 135
On page 75, line 36, change "51,017,821" to "50,981,440"

AMENDMENT NO. 136
On page 75, line 38, change "37,287,843" to "37,251,462"

AMENDMENT NO. 137
On page 75, line 42, change "51,017,821" to "50,981,440"

AMENDMENT NO. 138
On page 76, delete line 29 in its entirety and insert the following:

"Number participating in pre-release programs 1,463"

AMENDMENT NO. 139
On page 76, line 41, change "42.16%" to "17.18%"

AMENDMENT NO. 140
On page 79, line 36, change "6,488,576" to "6,433,853"

AMENDMENT NO. 141
On page 79, line 39, change "33,141,172" to "33,076,009"

AMENDMENT NO. 142
On page 79, line 43, change "53,177,141" to "54,042,304"

AMENDMENT NO. 143
On page 79, line 44, change "4,037,387" to "3,237,387"

AMENDMENT NO. 144
On page 79, line 52, change "1,231,519" to "1,286,242"

AMENDMENT NO. 145
On page 79, after line 57, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Criminal Identification and Information Fund to the Operational Support Program for information technology upgrades $ 7,778,915"

AMENDMENT NO. 146
On page 80, line 31, change "33" to "22"

AMENDMENT NO. 147
On page 80, delete line 42 in its entirety and insert the following:

"Number of hazardous material drivers required to be fingerprinted 10,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 148
On page 80, after line 51, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Office of Motor Vehicles for Organ Donor Awareness Initiative $ 100,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 149
On page 81, between lines 39 and 40, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Legal Program for increases in the Division of Administrative Law hearing fees $ 65,163"

AMENDMENT NO. 150
On page 82, line 14, change "2,490,902" to "2,840,902"

AMENDMENT NO. 151
On page 82, line 17, change "600,463" to "250,463"

AMENDMENT NO. 152
On page 84, line 18, change "31,459,134" to "30,421,990"

AMENDMENT NO. 153
On page 84, line 40, change "19,276,495" to "19,448,193"

AMENDMENT NO. 154
On page 85, line 10, change "24,998,525" to "25,193,181"

AMENDMENT NO. 155
On page 85, line 40, change "8,298,369" to "8,416,509"

AMENDMENT NO. 156
On page 86, line 1, change "16,410,057" to "16,462,707"

AMENDMENT NO. 157
On page 86, line 13, change "37,694,840" to "38,194,840"
AMENDMENT NO. 158
On page 86, between lines 41 and 42, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund to the Office of Youth Development for a certificated personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 213,076
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund to the Office of Youth Development for a support personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 21,608"

AMENDMENT NO. 159
On page 87, line 32, change "16,851,098" to "16,856,598"

AMENDMENT NO. 160
On page 88, line 32, change "16,851,098" to "16,856,598"

AMENDMENT NO. 161
On page 88, line 36, change "1,658,762" to "1,664,262"

AMENDMENT NO. 162
On page 88, line 37, change "16,851,098" to "16,856,598"

AMENDMENT NO. 163
On page 88, line 40, change "16,730,216" to "17,400,331"

AMENDMENT NO. 164
On page 89, line 12, change "16,730,216" to "17,400,331"

AMENDMENT NO. 165
On page 89, line 16, change "8,028,742" to "8,668,599"

AMENDMENT NO. 166
On page 89, line 17, change "14,130" to "33,288"

AMENDMENT NO. 167
On page 89, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:
"Federal Funds $ 11,100"

AMENDMENT NO. 168
On page 89, line 18, change "16,730,216" to "17,400,331"

AMENDMENT NO. 169
On page 89, line 21, change "23,566,616" to "23,575,274"

AMENDMENT NO. 170
On page 90, line 17, change "23,566,616" to "23,575,274"

AMENDMENT NO. 171
On page 90, line 21, change "9,208,371" to "9,217,029"

AMENDMENT NO. 172
On page 90, line 24, change "23,566,616" to "23,575,274"

AMENDMENT NO. 173
On page 90, line 27, change "2,266,453" to "2,336,453"

AMENDMENT NO. 174
On page 90, line 40, change "$1,507,377" to "$1,577,377"

AMENDMENT NO. 175
On page 90, line 51, change "2,266,453" to "2,336,453"

AMENDMENT NO. 176
On page 90, line 54, change "$1,559,953" to "$1,629,953"

AMENDMENT NO. 177
On page 90, line 55, change "2,266,453" to "2,336,453"

AMENDMENT NO. 178
On page 91, line 3, change "27,331,019" to "27,443,323"

AMENDMENT NO. 179
On page 91, line 30, change "27,331,019" to "27,443,323"

AMENDMENT NO. 180
On page 91, line 34, change "10,363,109" to "10,364,759"

AMENDMENT NO. 181
On page 91, line 35, change "38,589" to "44,243"

AMENDMENT NO. 182
On page 91, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:
"Federal Funds $ 105,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 183
On page 91, line 36, change "27,331,019" to "27,443,323"

AMENDMENT NO. 184
On page 91, line 39, change "(1,311)" to "(1,333)"

AMENDMENT NO. 185
On page 91, line 39, change "178,397,467" to "186,803,035"

AMENDMENT NO. 186
On page 92, line 24, change "178,397,467" to "186,803,035"

AMENDMENT NO. 187
On page 92, line 26, change "65,604,676" to "67,466,290"

AMENDMENT NO. 188
On page 92, line 28, change "40,000" to "169,629"

AMENDMENT NO. 189
On page 92, line 32, change "109,981,020" to "116,395,345"
AMENDMENT NO. 190
On page 92, line 33, change "178,397,467" to "186,803,035"

AMENDMENT NO. 191
On page 92, between lines 33 and 34, insert the following:
"Contingent upon enactment of Senate Bill No. 271 of the 2005
Regular Session of the Legislature, the secretary of the Department
of Health and Hospitals may, with the approval of the Commissioner
of Administration via midyear budget adjustment (BA-7), add six (6)
new positions to the Table of Organization and transfer up to
$250,000 between budget units or programs within Schedule 09 to
establish the direct care workers registry.

Payable out of State General Fund by
Fees and Self-generated Revenues for
licensure activities transferred from the
Department of Social Services, including six
(6) new positions, contingent upon enactment
of House Bill No. 528 of the 2005
Regular Session of the Legislature $ 346,400"

AMENDMENT NO. 192
On page 92, line 36, change "3,197,745,001" to "3,398,001,015"

AMENDMENT NO. 193
On page 93, line 1, change "628,581,746" to "647,060,007"

AMENDMENT NO. 194
On page 93, at the end of line 23, change "156,434" to "159,228"

AMENDMENT NO. 195
On page 93, line 26, change "718,454,969" to "753,835,377"

AMENDMENT NO. 196
On page 93, line 36, change "4,735,393,352" to "4,989,508,035"

AMENDMENT NO. 197
On page 93, line 38, change "972,808,765" to "1,042,117,776"

AMENDMENT NO. 198
On page 93, line 45, change "103,609,139" to "113,989,139"

AMENDMENT NO. 199
On page 93, line 46, change "177,072,296" to "173,127,995"

AMENDMENT NO. 200
On page 93, line 47, change "4,357,427" to "4,364,331"

AMENDMENT NO. 201
On page 93, line 48, change "12,176,616" to "12,469,170"

AMENDMENT NO. 202
On page 93, line 52, change "3,399,710,891" to "3,577,781,406"

AMENDMENT NO. 203
On page 93, line 53, change "4,735,393,352" to "4,989,508,035"

AMENDMENT NO. 204
On page 94, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:
"Provided, however, that the supporting performance indicators in the
Executive Budget Support Document for the Medicare Buy-Ins &
Supplements Program shall be changed as follows:
The proposed performance standard value for "Buy-In Expenditures
(Part A)" shall be changed from "$24,398,400" to "$37,507,848".
The proposed performance standard value for "Total number of
recipients (Part A)" shall be changed from "5,200" to "7,994".

FOR:
Payments to Private Providers Program for costs
associated with increased utilization and inflation,
contingent upon enactment of House Bill No. 802
of the 2005 Regular Session of the Louisiana
Legislature $123,745,819
TOTAL EXPENDITURES $123,745,819
FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 37,000,000
Federal Funds $ 86,745,819
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $123,745,819

FOR:
Payments to Private Providers for an additional
fifty (50) slots in the New Opportunities Waiver
(NOW) Program $ 1,321,347
TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 1,321,347
FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 395,083
Federal Funds $ 926,264
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 1,321,347

FOR:
Uncompensated Care Costs Program for
Biloxi General Hospital, contingent upon
enactment of Senate Bill No. 78 of the 2005
Regular Session of the Legislature and upon
Biloxi General qualifying as a rural hospital
under the provisions of R.S. 40:1300.143 $ 250,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 250,000
FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 75,525
Federal Funds $ 174,475
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 250,000

Contingent upon enactment of House Bill No. 802 of the 2005
Regular Session of the Legislature, the commissioner of
administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means
of finance for the Private Providers Program by increasing the
appropriation of State General Fund (Direct) by $16,000,000 and
reducing the appropriation of Federal Funds by $16,000,000 to offset
the decrease in Federal Funds being generated from certifications of
expenditures by non-rural public hospitals.

Contingent upon enactment of House Bill No. 802 of the 2005
Regular Session of the Legislature, the commissioner of
administration is hereby authorized and directed to transfer
$1,510,000 State General Fund (Direct) from Uncompensated Care
Costs to Private Providers and is further authorized to transfer and adjust the matching Federal Funds.

FOR:
Payments to Public Providers for New Orleans Home and Rehabilitation Center $1,935,789

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $1,935,789

FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $578,801
Federal Funds $1,356,988

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $1,935,789

Provided, however, that the drug cost reimbursement provided to retail pharmacies shall be Average Wholesale Price (AWP) minus 13.5% for independent pharmacies and shall be Average Wholesale Price (AWP) minus 15% for chain pharmacies.

AMENDMENT NO. 205
On page 94, between lines 27 and 28, insert the following:

"FOR:
Hospital rate adjustments
Payments to Private Providers Program $101,147,000
Uncompensated Care Costs Program $75,658,000

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $176,805,000

FROM:
State General Fund by:
Statutory Dedications:
Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund - Provider Fees $53,099,235
Federal Funds $123,705,765

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $176,805,000

Provided, however, that the additional hospital rate amounts do not exceed the amounts appropriated and are contingent upon enactment of House Bill No. 802 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Contingent upon enactment of House Bill No. 802 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature, the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Private Providers Program by reducing the appropriation of State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund by $39,000,000 and Federal Funds by $91,434,783, for a total adjustment of $130,434,783."

AMENDMENT NO. 206
On page 95, line 3, change "36,772,599" to "38,612,392"

AMENDMENT NO. 207
On page 95, line 50, change "45,660,543" to "47,500,336"

AMENDMENT NO. 208
On page 95, line 52, change "33,572,131" to "34,183,474"

AMENDMENT NO. 209
On page 95, line 54, change "225,000" to "402,400"

AMENDMENT NO. 210
On page 95, line 56, change "5,095,168" to "6,146,218"

AMENDMENT NO. 211
On page 95, line 57, change "45,660,543" to "47,500,336"

AMENDMENT NO. 212
On page 95, after line 57, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Grants Program for the Northwest Community Health Care Center $100,000"

09-311 NEW ORLEANS HOME AND REHABILITATION CENTER

EXPENDITURES:
Administration and General Support - Authorized Positions (20) $1,292,775

Program Description: Administers this certified skilled nursing facility serving the chronically ill, most of whom are indigent, in the New Orleans region.

Objective: To maintain compliance with Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) licensing and certification through annual inspection by inspection by health standards, fire marshal, and health inspectors.

Performance Indicator: Percentage compliance with CMS Long Term Care standards 92.5%

Patient Services - Authorized Positions (143) $5,916,135

Program Description: Provides medical and nursing care and ancillary services to resident patients. Patient conditions include birth defects, accident trauma, debilitating illnesses, and dependency due to old age, stroke, and Multiple Sclerosis. Provides a comprehensive integrated system of medical care for residents requiring temporary or long-term care, nursing care, and rehabilitation services.

Objective: To maintain the health of the residents it serves at a cost at or below the annual medical inflation rates set forth by the Division of Administration while maintaining an occupancy rate of 93%.

Performance Indicators:
Total clients served 210
Cost per client day $148
Occupancy rate 93%

Auxiliary Account (0) $2,000

Account Description: Provides therapeutic activities to patients as approved by treatment teams, funded by the sale of merchandise in the patient canteen.

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $7,210,910

MEANS OF FINANCE:
State General Fund by:
Interagency Transfers $6,012,264
Fees & Self-generated Revenues $896,439
Federal Funds $302,207

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $7,210,910

AMENDMENT NO. 213
On page 96, line 3, change "7,507,481" to "6,498,571"

AMENDMENT NO. 214
On page 96, line 13, change "15,330,707" to "12,096,642"

AMENDMENT NO. 215
On page 96, line 26, change "59,500" to "50,000"
AMENDMENT NO. 216
On page 96, line 30, change "22,897,688" to "18,645,213"

AMENDMENT NO. 217
On page 96, line 33, change "21,145,050" to "17,068,575"

AMENDMENT NO. 218
On page 96, line 34, change "890,392" to "770,392"

AMENDMENT NO. 219
On page 96, line 35, change "862,246" to "806,246"

AMENDMENT NO. 220
On page 96, line 36, change "22,897,688" to "18,645,213"

AMENDMENT NO. 221
On page 96, delete lines 37 and 38 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 222
On page 96, line 41, change "4,852,054" to "4,920,979"

AMENDMENT NO. 223
On page 97, line 1, change "296,682,170" to "301,041,891"

AMENDMENT NO. 224
On page 97, line 21, change "147,372" to "147,385"

AMENDMENT NO. 225
On page 97, line 32, change "49,500" to "56,250"

AMENDMENT NO. 226
On page 97, line 34, change "2,970" to "3,020"

AMENDMENT NO. 227
On page 97, line 58, change "28,035,689" to "28,108,689"

AMENDMENT NO. 228
On page 98, line 24, change "329,569,913" to "334,071,559"

AMENDMENT NO. 229
On page 98, between lines 33 and 34, insert the following:
"Vital Records Conversion Fund $ 68,925"

AMENDMENT NO. 230
On page 98, line 34, change "210,774,688" to "215,207,409"

AMENDMENT NO. 231
On page 98, line 35, change "329,569,913" to "334,071,559"

AMENDMENT NO. 232
On page 99, line 1, change "16,866,203" to "16,020,760"

AMENDMENT NO. 233
On page 99, line 23, change "22,205,637" to "21,360,194"

AMENDMENT NO. 234
On page 99, line 25, change "7,084,432" to "7,039,432"

AMENDMENT NO. 235
On page 99, line 27, change "5,182,511" to "5,433,118"

AMENDMENT NO. 236
On page 99, line 28, change "9,938,694" to "8,887,644"

AMENDMENT NO. 237
On page 99, line 29, change "22,205,637" to "21,360,194"

AMENDMENT NO. 238
On page 99, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Abstract House/Last Hope, Inc. of New Orleans $ 100,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 239
On page 100, line 1, change "40,542,167" to "41,632,120"

AMENDMENT NO. 240
On page 100, line 38, change "49,380,284" to "50,470,237"

AMENDMENT NO. 241
On page 100, line 40, change "21,338,893" to "22,428,846"

AMENDMENT NO. 242
On page 100, line 45, change "49,380,284" to "50,470,237"

AMENDMENT NO. 243
On page 101, line 25, change "(1,281)" to "(1,279)"

AMENDMENT NO. 244
On page 101, line 25, change "83,153,930" to "84,850,224"

AMENDMENT NO. 245
On page 101, line 65, change "98,619,284" to "100,315,578"

AMENDMENT NO. 246
On page 102, line 2, change "48,720,620" to "50,416,914"

AMENDMENT NO. 247
On page 102, line 7, change "98,619,284" to "100,315,578"

AMENDMENT NO. 248
On page 102, line 27, change "(796)" to "(795)"

AMENDMENT NO. 249
On page 102, line 27, change "57,279,594" to "59,470,708"

AMENDMENT NO. 250
On page 103, line 4, change "71,750,852" to "73,941,966"
AMENDMENT NO. 251
On page 103, line 6, change "22,419,673" to "24,635,123"

AMENDMENT NO. 252
On page 103, line 8, change "36,765,604" to "36,741,268"

AMENDMENT NO. 253
On page 103, line 11, change "71,750,852" to "73,941,966"

AMENDMENT NO. 254
On page 103, line 14, change "7,913,827" to "7,471,055"

AMENDMENT NO. 255
On page 103, line 30, change "Protective Services" to "Community Supports and Services"

AMENDMENT NO. 256
On page 104, line 7, change "(628)" to "(625)"

AMENDMENT NO. 257
On page 104, line 7, change "35,623,120" to "35,597,090"

AMENDMENT NO. 258
On page 104, line 54, change "44,058,378" to "43,996,550"

AMENDMENT NO. 259
On page 105, line 1, change "1,970" to "1,967"

AMENDMENT NO. 260
On page 105, line 17, change "17,665,331" to "17,632,832"

AMENDMENT NO. 261
On page 106, line 1, change "96,422,513" to "96,343,056"

AMENDMENT NO. 262
On page 108, line 1, change "1,122,779" to "1,152,779"

AMENDMENT NO. 263
On page 108, line 4, change "251,939,244" to "251,326,658"

AMENDMENT NO. 264
On page 108, line 6, change "33,390,728" to "33,354,385"

AMENDMENT NO. 265
On page 108, line 8, change "209,701,156" to "209,336,713"

AMENDMENT NO. 266
On page 108, line 9, change "8,215,741" to "8,245,741"

AMENDMENT NO. 269
On page 108, line 10, change "631,619" to "389,819"

AMENDMENT NO. 270
On page 108, line 11, change "251,939,244" to "251,326,658"

AMENDMENT NO. 271
On page 108, line 16, change "20,000" to "50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 272
On page 108, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:
"Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 39:73(C)(1), no budget authority may be transferred from any developmental center within this budget unit without the approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget."

AMENDMENT NO. 273
On page 108, line 22, change "(29)" to "(30)"

AMENDMENT NO. 274
On page 109, line 1, change "(325)" to "(348)"

AMENDMENT NO. 275
On page 109, line 1, change "74,702,727" to "74,996,915"

AMENDMENT NO. 276
On page 109, line 67, change "77,891,875" to "78,186,063"

AMENDMENT NO. 277
On page 110, line 4, change "6,746,661" to "7,065,661"

AMENDMENT NO. 278
On page 110, line 5, change "622,944" to "598,132"

AMENDMENT NO. 279
On page 110, line 12, change "77,891,875" to "78,186,063"

AMENDMENT NO. 280
On page 110, line 36, change "61,141,518" to "61,224,028"

AMENDMENT NO. 281
On page 111, line 7, change "61,141,518" to "61,224,028"

AMENDMENT NO. 282
On page 111, line 11, change "54,038,196" to "54,120,706"

AMENDMENT NO. 283
On page 111, line 13, change "61,141,518" to "61,224,028"

AMENDMENT NO. 284
On page 111, line 35, change "(2,534)" to "(2,533)"

AMENDMENT NO. 285
On page 111, line 35, change "215,322,061" to "215,271,794"
AMENDMENT NO. 286
On page 113, line 26, change "546,263,743" to "546,213,476"

AMENDMENT NO. 287
On page 113, line 28, change "100,407,542" to "98,341,415"

AMENDMENT NO. 288
On page 113, line 34, change "428,369,035" to "430,384,895"

AMENDMENT NO. 289
On page 113, line 35, change "546,263,743" to "546,213,476"

AMENDMENT NO. 290
On page 114, between lines 37 and 38, insert the following:
"Payable out of Federal Funds for fifty (50)
positions and related expenditures for Support
Enforcement Services activities in the Adminis-
trative and Client Services Programs $ 2,596,628
Payable out of Federal Funds to the
Client Services Program for activities of
Support Enforcement Services $ 4,170,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 291
On page 116, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Child Welfare Services Program for the
Rapides Children's Advocacy Center for child
abuse prevention services $ 100,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Child Welfare Services Program for the
Safe Haven Initiative $ 75,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Child Welfare Services Program for Tree
of Life Mentoring, Inc. for after-school and youth
services programs for at-risk youth $ 50,000
FOR:
Child Welfare Services Program for residential
care $ 3,518,955
TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 3,518,955
FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 2,040,994
Federal Funds $ 1,477,961
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 3,518,955"

AMENDMENT NO. 292
On page 116, line 34, change "(350)" to "(349)"

AMENDMENT NO. 293
On page 116, line 34, change "52,266,042" to "52,216,844"

AMENDMENT NO. 294
On page 117, line 64, change "65,696,726" to "65,647,528"

AMENDMENT NO. 295
On page 118, line 2, change "12,260,677" to "12,250,198"

AMENDMENT NO. 296
On page 118, line 10, change "47,677,510" to "47,638,791"

AMENDMENT NO. 297
On page 118, line 11, change "65,696,726" to "65,647,528"

AMENDMENT NO. 298
On page 118, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Vocational Rehabilitation Services Program
for activities of the Supported Training and
Employment Project, Inc., in conjunction with
Bayou Industrial Maintenance Services $ 75,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 299
On page 118, line 37, change "(58)" to "(59)"

AMENDMENT NO. 300
On page 119, line 11, change "(19)" to "(18)"

AMENDMENT NO. 301
On page 120, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Atchafalaya Basin Program for a study on
the drainage of False River and its outlets $ 15,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 302
On page 124, after line 56, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by
Fees and Self-generated Revenues in the
Alcohol and Tobacco Control Program for
wireless Internet access cards and service plan $ 30,695"

AMENDMENT NO. 303
On page 129, line 42, change "95%" to "100%"

AMENDMENT NO. 304
On page 129, line 56, after "plans and" and before "corrective", insert
"88% of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 305
On page 130, line 8, after "process" and before "of analyses" change
"98% " to "95%"

AMENDMENT NO. 306
On page 133, after line 53, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Community Based Services Program for
the Avoyelles Progress Action Committee, Inc.
to provide state match for federal funds $ 75,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 307
On page 135, line 5, change "10,335,103" to "10,192,329"
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<td>On page 139, between lines 21 and 22, insert: “Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Higher Education Initiatives Fund to provide for performance incentives in support of institutional efforts to achieve the goals and objectives of the Master Plan for Postsecondary Education and for continued growth and development of community and technical colleges and learning centers $ 4,000,000”</td>
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<td>On page 146, between lines 13 and 14, insert: “Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Higher Education Initiatives Fund to provide for performance incentives in support of institutional efforts to achieve the goals and objectives of the Master Plan for Postsecondary Education and for continued growth and development of community and technical colleges and learning centers $ 4,000,000”</td>
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Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Higher Education Initiatives Fund to provide for performance incentives in support of institutional efforts to achieve the goals and objectives of the Master Plan for Postsecondary Education and for continued growth and development of community and technical colleges and learning centers $ 4,000,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Higher Education Initiatives Fund to the Board of Regents for Endowed Chairs and Professorships $ 9,300,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Board of Regents for merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs for Fiscal Year 2005-2006 $ 53,550

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Health Care Workforce Development to be distributed in accordance with a plan adopted by the Board of Regents and approved by the division of administration $ 3,000,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Board of Regents to provide for a fund flow analysis of the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center $ 300,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund to the Board of Regents for a faculty pay increase which shall be distributed in
accordance with a plan adopted by the Board of Regents and approved by the division of administration, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session is enacted into law $ 31,167,478

**AMENDMENT NO. 333**

On page 147, after line 53, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium for merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs for Fiscal Year 2005-2006 $ 17,704"

**AMENDMENT NO. 334**

On page 148, line 13, change "1,221,713,555" to "1,221,621,583"

**AMENDMENT NO. 335**

On page 148, line 14, change "1,221,713,555" to "1,221,621,583"

**AMENDMENT NO. 336**

On page 148, line 16, change "489,929,115" to "489,837,143"

**AMENDMENT NO. 337**

On page 148, line 27, change "1,221,713,555" to "1,221,621,583"

**AMENDMENT NO. 338**

On page 149, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors for the Truancy Assessment and Services Centers $ 175,000"

**AMENDMENT NO. 339**

On page 149, after line 57, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Fireman Training Fund for operational expenses of the Fire and Emergency Training Institute at Louisiana State University - A & M College $ 300,000"

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues for general operational expenses $ 1,900,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Department of Education and the Minimum Foundation Program to Louisiana State University and A&M College - Baton Rouge $ 84,649"

**AMENDMENT NO. 340**

On page 150, delete line 35 in its entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 341**

On page 150, line 38, change "51,118,400" to "51,427,400" and change "122,436,216" to "122,745,216"

**AMENDMENT NO. 342**

On page 151, at the end of line 2, change "2004" to "2009"

**AMENDMENT NO. 343**

On page 151, line 30, change "102,615,167" to "102,523,195" and change "183,416,884" to "183,324,912"

**AMENDMENT NO. 344**

On page 152, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - New Orleans for the 4% tuition increase provided in Act 788 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 592,821"

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for debt service payments of the LSU Charity Hospital Nursing Building $ 340,227"

**AMENDMENT NO. 345**

On page 152, line 26, change "45,263,210" to "44,954,210" and change "314,052,465" to "313,743,465"

**AMENDMENT NO. 346**

On page 153, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - Shreveport for the 4% tuition increase provided in Act 788 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 213,646"

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers to Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - Shreveport from the Department of Health and Hospitals for the payment of Medicaid claims and Uncompensated Care Costs $ 16,146,056"

**AMENDMENT NO. 347**

On page 153, after line 55, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers to E. A. Conway Medical Center from the Department of Health and Hospitals for the payment of Medicaid claims and Uncompensated Care Costs $ 6,104,284"

**AMENDMENT NO. 348**

On page 156, after line 53, insert the following:

"FOR:
Operational expenses from funds provided by the 3% tuition increase as provided in Act 1117 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 6,728,437"

**TOTAL EXPENDITURES** $ 6,728,437

FROM:
State General Fund by:
Fees and Self-generated Revenues $ 6,728,437

**TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING** $ 6,728,437
Provided, however, that of the $6,728,437 in Fees and Self-generated Revenues appropriated for operational expenses of the Louisiana State University System from funds provided by the 3% tuition increase as provided in Act 1117 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature, allocations will be made as follows:

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FOR:
Merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs for the Louisiana State University System $ 9,316,597

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 9,316,597

FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 9,316,597

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 9,316,597

Provided, however, that of the $9,316,597 in State General Fund (Direct) appropriated for merits increases, group insurance, and retirement costs in the Louisiana State University System, allocations will be made as follows:

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AMENDMENT NO. 349
On page 157, line 27, change "8,839,231" to "8,762,585"

AMENDMENT NO. 350
On page 157, line 28, change "8,839,231" to "8,762,585"

AMENDMENT NO. 351
On page 157, delete lines 29 and 30 in their entirety and insert the following:

"FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 8,762,585"

AMENDMENT NO. 352
On page 157, line 31, change "8,839,231" to "8,762,585"

AMENDMENT NO. 353
On page 158, line 3, change "129,760,625" to "129,729,086"

AMENDMENT NO. 354
On page 158, line 4, change "129,760,625" to "129,729,086"

AMENDMENT NO. 355
On page 158, line 5, change "72,639,787" to "72,622,125"

AMENDMENT NO. 356
On page 158, line 8, change "48,124,423" to "48,110,546"

AMENDMENT NO. 357
On page 158, line 15, change "129,760,625" to "129,729,086"

AMENDMENT NO. 358
On page 159, line 24, change "42,164,372" to "42,112,841" and change "79,202,104" to "79,136,696"

AMENDMENT NO. 359
On page 159, line 50, change "908.00%" to "77%"

AMENDMENT NO. 360
On page 159, line 53, change "77.00%" to "0%"

AMENDMENT NO. 361
On page 160, line 11, change "5,148,911" to "5,167,332" and change "8,208,316" to "8,226,737"

AMENDMENT NO. 362
On page 161, line 16, change "3,678" to "3,900"

AMENDMENT NO. 363
On page 161, line 18, change "3,658" to "3,694"

AMENDMENT NO. 364
On page 161, line 20, change "4.50%" to "5.50%"

AMENDMENT NO. 365
On page 161, line 21, change "5.00%" to "10.4%"

AMENDMENT NO. 366
On page 161, line 22, change "3,521" to "3,705"

AMENDMENT NO. 367
On page 161, line 24, change "3,432" to "3,466"

AMENDMENT NO. 368
On page 161, line 26, change "2.30%" to "3.30%"

AMENDMENT NO. 369
On page 161, at the beginning of line 29, insert "5" before "percentage"

AMENDMENT NO. 370
On page 161, line 33, change "237.00%" to "58.00%"
AMENDMENT NO. 371
On page 161, line 36, change "58.00%" to "2.00%"

AMENDMENT NO. 372
On page 161, line 40, change "36" to "45"

AMENDMENT NO. 373
On page 161, line 52, change "6%" to "20%"

AMENDMENT NO. 374
On page 161, line 53, after "2,230 to" delete the remainder of the line and insert "2,676 by Fall 2009."

AMENDMENT NO. 375
On page 161, line 57, change "4.00%" to "20%"

AMENDMENT NO. 376
On page 161, line 58, after "1,975 to" delete the remainder of the line and insert "2,370 by Fall 2009."

AMENDMENT NO. 377
On page 162, at the end of line 2, change "2" to "ten"

AMENDMENT NO. 378
On page 162, at the end of line 3, change "234 (63.7%)" to "252 (71.7%)"

AMENDMENT NO. 379
On page 162, line 4, change "Fall 2005" to "Fall 2009"

AMENDMENT NO. 380
On page 162, line 7, change "234.00%" to "63.7%"

AMENDMENT NO. 381
On page 162, line 12, after "education by" delete the remainder of the line and insert "five percentage points over baseline year rate of 41 (19.15%) in 2003-2004 to"

AMENDMENT NO. 382
On page 162, delete line 13 in its entirety and insert "44 (24.15%) by Fall 2009."

AMENDMENT NO. 383
On page 162, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to Southern University-Shreveport due to student enrollment increases $ 396,747"

AMENDMENT NO. 384
On page 162, line 20, change "3,438,215" to "3,453,663" and change "7,980,778" to "7,996,226"

AMENDMENT NO. 385
On page 162, between lines 53 and 54, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Southern University Agricultural Center $ 72,760

FOR:
Operational expenses from funds provided by the 3% tuition increase as provided in Act 1117 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 1,326,472

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 1,326,472

FROM:
State General Fund by:
Fees and Self-generated Revenues $ 1,326,472

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 1,326,472

Provided, however, that of the $1,326,472 in Fees and Self-generated Revenues appropriated for operational expenses of the Southern University System from funds provided by the 3% tuition increase as provided in Act 1117 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature, allocations will be made as follows:

Southern University and A&M College $ 920,013
Southern University New Orleans $ 320,000
Southern University Shreveport $ 86,459

FOR:
Merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs for the Southern University System $ 1,337,775

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 1,337,775

FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 1,337,775

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 1,337,775

Provided, however, that of the $1,337,775 in State General Fund (Direct) appropriated for merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs in the Southern University System, allocations will be made as follows:

Southern University Board of Supervisors $ 27,130
Southern University and A&M College - Baton Rouge $ 884,039
Southern University Law Center $ 63,691
Southern University-New Orleans $ 196,899
Southern University-Shreveport $ 109,234
Southern University Agricultural Center $ 56,782"
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Office of the Governor to the University of Louisiana Board of Supervisors to receive a grant from the Wallace Foundation $ 36,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the University of Louisiana Board of Supervisors $ 40,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the University of Louisiana Board of Supervisors for technology infrastructure $ 250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 391
On page 165, after line 54, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to Nicholls State University due to student enrollment increases $ 889,440

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Louisiana Center for Dyslexia and Related Learning Disorders at Nicholls State University $ 54,208

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for operational expenses of the Louisiana Center for Women and Government $ 52,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 392
On page 167, line 3, change "40,274,197" to "40,257,372" and change "81,521,140" to "81,504,315"

AMENDMENT NO. 393
On page 169, line 21, change "8,811" to "9,003"

AMENDMENT NO. 394
On page 169, line 22, change "2005" to "2009"

AMENDMENT NO. 395
On page 169, line 29, change "2005" to "2009"

AMENDMENT NO. 396
On page 169, line 36, change "74.2%" to "75%" and change "2005" to "2009"

AMENDMENT NO. 397
On page 169, line 44, change "2.4" to "10"

AMENDMENT NO. 398
On page 169, line 45, change "35.90%" to "43.50%" and change "2006" to "2009"

AMENDMENT NO. 399
On page 169, after line 53, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the University of Louisiana Monroe for operating expenses of the School of Pharmacy $ 2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 400
On page 171, line 3, change "42,915,339" to "42,905,419" and change "89,491,411" to "89,481,491"

AMENDMENT NO. 401
On page 172, after line 58, insert the following:
"FOR: Operational expenses from funds provided by the 3% tuition increase as provided in Act 1117 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 7,584,248

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 7,584,248

FROM:
State General Fund by:
Fees and Self-generated Revenues $ 7,584,248

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 7,584,248

Provided, however, that of the $7,584,248 in Fees and Self-generated Revenues appropriated for operational expenses of the University of Louisiana System from funds provided by the 3% tuition increase as provided in Act 1117 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature, allocations will be made as follows:

Nicholls State University $ 664,252
Grambling State University $ 480,048
Louisiana Tech University $ 1,165,000
McNeese State University $ 869,483
Northwestern State University $ 864,841
Southeastern Louisiana University $ 1,305,017
University of Louisiana Monroe $ 827,911
University of Louisiana Lafayette $ 1,407,696

FOR:
Merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs for the University of Louisiana System $ 6,238,644

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 6,238,644

FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 6,238,644

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 6,238,644

Provided, however, that of the $6,238,644 in State General Fund (Direct) appropriated for merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs in the University of Louisiana System, allocations will be made as follows:

University of Louisiana Board of Supervisors $ 17,583
Nicholls State University $ 769,921
Grambling State University $ 473,908
Louisiana Tech University $ 966,871
McNeese State University $ 622,838
University of Louisiana Monroe $ 854,975
Northwestern State University $ 584,850
Southeastern Louisiana University $ 910,759
University of Louisiana Lafayette $ 1,036,939"

AMENDMENT NO. 402
On page 174, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:
"Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated herein for vocational-technical training at state secure adult correctional facilities, such programs shall be provided at a level not below that which was provided in July, 2003. Further provided, that prior to
termination or reduction of any vocational-technical training as required by this Act, a plan shall be submitted to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections - Corrections Services, the commissioner of administration, the Board of Regents, and the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for review and approval.

Provided, however, that in the event that House Bill No. 416 of the 2005 Regular Session is enacted into law, monies appropriated from the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Vocational Technical Enterprise Fund shall hereby be appropriated as Fees and Self-generated Revenues. Those balances in the Vocational Technical Enterprise Fund which remain unexpended as of June 30, 2005 may be retained in the accounts of the respective schools and shall be expended in Fiscal Year 2005-2006.

AMENDMENT NO. 403
On page 174, line 27, change "71,184" to "60,906"

AMENDMENT NO. 404
On page 175, line 18, change "10,164" to "10,139"

AMENDMENT NO. 405
On page 175, line 20, after "Number of" and before "students" delete "minority"

AMENDMENT NO. 406
On page 175, line 24, change "3,654" to "2,284"

AMENDMENT NO. 407
On page 175, line 53, change "10,135" to "18,315"

AMENDMENT NO. 408
On page 176, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to Delgado Community College for annualization of the 4% operational fee increase provided by Act 788 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 1,487,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 409
On page 176, line 28, change "2,600" to "2,481"

AMENDMENT NO. 410
On page 176, line 34, change "1,300" to "1,244"

AMENDMENT NO. 411
On page 176, after line 51, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to Nunez Community College for annualization of the 4% operational fee increase provided by Act 788 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 412
On page 177, line 48, change "3,500" to "3,493"

AMENDMENT NO. 413
On page 178, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to Tallulah Community College for annualization of the 4% operational fee increase provided by Act 788 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 40,958"

AMENDMENT NO. 414
On page 178, line 36, change "295" to "213"

AMENDMENT NO. 415
On page 179, line 27, change "58.00% to 54.00%" to "54.00% to 60.00%"

AMENDMENT NO. 416
On page 179, between lines 39 and 40, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that of the State General Fund (Direct) allocation contained herein for the South Louisiana Community College, $200,000 shall be used as financial aid grants for students until such time the school is eligible to receive federal financial aid."

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to Louisiana Delta Community College for student financial aid grants $ 75,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 417
On page 180, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Higher Education Initiatives Fund to the Louisiana Technical College Delta-Ouachita Campus and Tallulah Campus for a pilot program for building trades and other occupational skills instruction $ 200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 418
On page 180, after line 56, insert the following:

"Payable out of State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Vocational Technical Enterprise Fund to Sowela Technical Community College for annualization of the tuition increase provided by Act 288 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 283,260

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Vocational Technical Enterprise Fund to Sowela Technical Community College for annualization of the 4% operational fee increase provided by Act 788 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 40,958"

AMENDMENT NO. 419
On page 181, delete lines 30 through 35 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 420
On page 181, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Vocational Technical Enterprise Fund to L.E. Fletcher Technical Community College for annualization of the tuition increase provided by Act 288 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 129,654

FOR:
Operational expenses from funds provided by the 3% tuition increase as provided in Act 1117 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature $ 1,921,961

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 1,921,961

FROM:
State General Fund by:
  Fees and Self-generated Revenues $ 1,615,791
  Statutory Dedications: Vocational Technical Enterprise Fund $ 306,170

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 1,921,961

Provided, however, that of the $1,921,961 in Fees and Self-generated Revenues and Statutory Dedications from the Vocational Technical Enterprise Fund appropriated for operational expenses of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System from funds provided by the 3% tuition increase as provided in Act 1117 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature, allocations will be made as follows:

Baton Rouge Community College $ 230,672
Delgado Community College $ 1,019,651
Nunez Community College $ 117,249
Bossier Parish Community College $ 136,395
South Louisiana Community College $ 2,949
River Parishes Community College $ 38,000
Louisiana Delta Community College $ 70,875
Louisiana Technical College $ 248,800
Sowela Technical Community College $ 38,969
L.E. Fletcher Technical Community College $ 18,401

FOR:
Merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs for the Louisiana Community and Technical College System $ 2,104,472

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 2,104,472

FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 2,104,472

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 2,104,472

Provided, however, that of the $2,104,472 in State General Fund (Direct) appropriated for merit increases, group insurance, and retirement costs in the Louisiana Community and Technical College System, allocations will be made as follows:

LCTCS Board of Supervisors $ 18,330
Baton Rouge Community College $ 94,442
Delgado Community College $ 544,218
Nunez Community College $ 81,292
Bossier Parish Community College $ 136,445
South Louisiana Community College $ 27,004
River Parishes Community College $ 18,371
Louisiana Delta Community College $ 24,675
Louisiana Technical College $ 1,002,077
SOWELA Technical Community College $ 97,433
L.E. Fletcher Community College $ 60,185

AMENDMENT NO. 421

On page 184, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Education Excellence Fund for the Instructional Services Program $ 32

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a certificated personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 64,569

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a support personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 7,592"

AMENDMENT NO. 422

On page 187, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Education Excellence Fund for the Instructional Services Program $ 548

FOR:
Instructional Services Program $ 153,242
Residential Services Program $ 63,607

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 216,849

FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 216,849

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 216,849

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a certificated personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 241,056

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a support personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 14,016"

AMENDMENT NO. 423

On page 188, between lines 38 and 39, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Education Excellence Fund for the Instructional Services Program $ 153

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a certificated personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 47,350

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH
Fund for a support personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 3,504

AMENDMENT NO. 424
On page 189, line 1, change "4,062,214" to "4,112,214"

AMENDMENT NO. 425
On page 189, line 49, change "1,498,499" to "1,448,499"

AMENDMENT NO. 426
On page 190, between lines 38 and 39, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Education Excellence Fund for the Instructional Services Program $ 1,154
Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for the Louisiana Virtual School Program $ 107,519
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a certificated personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 146,355
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a support personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 16,936"

AMENDMENT NO. 427
On page 191, line 9, change "4,980,387" to "5,280,387"

AMENDMENT NO. 428
On page 191, line 26, change "120,833,081" to "125,445,435"

AMENDMENT NO. 429
On page 191, line 27, change "42,406" to "42,567"

AMENDMENT NO. 430
On page 191, line 30, change "163,702,383" to "164,002,383"

AMENDMENT NO. 431
On page 191, line 32, change "107,888,870" to "107,958,440"

AMENDMENT NO. 432
On page 191, line 38, change "14,555,852" to "14,786,282"

AMENDMENT NO. 433
On page 191, line 40, change "163,702,383" to "164,002,383"

AMENDMENT NO. 434
On page 191, line 45, change "1,400,000" to "1,700,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 435
On page 192, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the TOPS Tuition Program $ 4,612,354
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the TOPS Tuition Program for the TOPS-Tech Early Start Award, in the event that Senate Bill No. ______ of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 1,000,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Administration/Support Services Program for the Student Transcript System $ 150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 436
On page 192, delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety and insert:
"Grant revenue generated as a percentage of total revenue compared to other state networks 5%"

AMENDMENT NO. 437
On page 195, delete line 31 and insert:
"teachers of grades K-12 to improve student performance."

AMENDMENT NO. 438
On page 195, delete lines 49 through 52 and insert:
"Annual percentage increase in the percentage of LA GEAR UP 8th grade students scoring at or above the "approaching basic" level in LEAP mathematics as compared to comparable statewide data 2%
Annual percentage increase in the percentage of LA GEAR UP 8th grade students scoring at or above the "approaching basic" level in LEAP English as compared to comparable statewide data 2%"

AMENDMENT NO. 439
On page 197, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Education Excellence Fund for the Instructional Services Program $ 90
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a certificated personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 86,092
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a support personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 4,672"

AMENDMENT NO. 440
On page 198, line 26, change "(176)" to "(167)"
AMENDMENT NO. 441
On page 198, line 26, change "20,841,574" to "20,871,247"

AMENDMENT NO. 442
On page 198, line 51, change ",(176)" to ",(182)"

AMENDMENT NO. 443
On page 198, line 51, change "53,811,009" to "54,862,254"

AMENDMENT NO. 444
On page 201, line 44, change "113,758,456" to "114,839,374"

AMENDMENT NO. 445
On page 201, line 46, change "51,576,045" to "51,533,106"

AMENDMENT NO. 446
On page 201, line 48, change "15,045,034" to "16,168,891"

AMENDMENT NO. 447
On page 201, line 54, change "113,758,456" to "114,839,374"

AMENDMENT NO. 448
On page 205, line 56, change "22,253,523" to "24,530,345"

AMENDMENT NO. 449
On page 206, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Pointe Coupee Parish School System for the HIPPY Program $ 150,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the School and Community Support Program for the St. Landry Community Services, Inc., Educational Program with the St. Landry Parish School System $ 150,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Project PASS and PAX 22 with the St. Landry Parish School System $ 150,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the School and Community Support Program for the Urban Support Agency $ 75,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the School and Community Support Program for Socialization Services, Inc. $ 70,000
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the School Accountability and Improvement Program for Type 2 Charter Schools $ 2,276,822
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Education Excellence Fund to the Disadvantaged or Disabled Student Support Program for charter schools $ 1,301,358
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Quality Educators Program for stipends for teachers, school counselors, and school psychologists $ 845,149

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the School and Community Support Program for St. Mary's Residential Training School $ 200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 450
On page 206, line 35, change "2,673,683,604" to "2,672,369,439"

AMENDMENT NO. 451
On page 207, line 26, change "2,673,683,604" to "2,672,369,439"

AMENDMENT NO. 452
On page 207, line 29, change "2,459,487,494" to "2,458,173,329"

AMENDMENT NO. 453
On page 207, line 32, after "Fund" insert ", more or less estimated"

AMENDMENT NO. 454
On page 207, line 35, change "2,673,683,604" to "2,672,369,439"

AMENDMENT NO. 455
On page 207, between lines 40 and 41, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a certificated personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law and the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education adopts, and the Legislature approves, an MFP formula to distribute funds to the 68 local school systems $127,447,626
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a support personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law and the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education adopts, and the Legislature approves, an MFP formula to distribute funds to the 68 local school systems $ 21,879,560"

AMENDMENT NO. 456
On page 208, between lines 45 and 46, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Education Excellence Fund for the Required Services Program $ 229,999
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Required Services Program $ 572,243
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a nonpublic lunchroom employee pay increase, in the event that House Bill No.437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 644,152"

AMENDMENT NO. 457
On page 210, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a certificated personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 253,969

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the TEACH Fund for a support personnel pay increase, in the event that House Bill No. 437 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law $ 40,296"

AMENDMENT NO. 458
On page 210, line 27, change "11,230,192" to "9,879,336"

AMENDMENT NO. 459
On page 210, at the beginning of line 35, after "Objective:" delete "Teaching."

AMENDMENT NO. 460
On page 210, at the beginning of line 39, after "Objective:" delete "Access to patient care."

AMENDMENT NO. 461
On page 210, at the beginning of line 46, after "Objective:" delete "Quality."

AMENDMENT NO. 462
On page 210, at the beginning of line 56, after "Objective:" delete "Service."

AMENDMENT NO. 463
On page 211, at the beginning of line 1, after "Objective:" delete "Stakeholders."

AMENDMENT NO. 464
On page 211, line 6, change "5,706,777" to "5,979,078"

AMENDMENT NO. 465
On page 211, at the beginning of line 14, after "Objective:" delete "Teaching."

AMENDMENT NO. 466
On page 211, at the beginning of line 18, after "Objective:" delete "Access to patient care."

AMENDMENT NO. 467
On page 211, at the beginning of line 25, after "Objective:" delete "Quality."

AMENDMENT NO. 468
On page 211, at the beginning of line 35, after "Objective:" delete "Service."

AMENDMENT NO. 469
On page 211, at the beginning of line 39, after "Objective:" delete "Stakeholders."

AMENDMENT NO. 470
On page 211, line 44, change "3,645,091" to "4,100,435"

AMENDMENT NO. 471
On page 211, at the beginning of line 52, after "Objective:" delete "Teaching."

AMENDMENT NO. 472
On page 211, at the beginning of line 56, after "Objective:" delete "Access to patient care."

AMENDMENT NO. 473
On page 212, at the beginning of line 1, after "Objective:" delete "Quality."

AMENDMENT NO. 474
On page 212, at the beginning of line 11, after "Objective:" delete "Service."

AMENDMENT NO. 475
On page 212, at the beginning of line 15, after "Objective:" delete "Stakeholders."

AMENDMENT NO. 476
On page 212, line 20, change "4,254,595" to "4,634,088"

AMENDMENT NO. 477
On page 212, at the beginning of line 28, after "Objective:" delete "Teaching."

AMENDMENT NO. 478
On page 212, at the beginning of line 32, after "Objective:" delete "Access to patient care."

AMENDMENT NO. 479
On page 212, at the beginning of line 39, after "Objective:" delete "Quality."

AMENDMENT NO. 480
On page 212, at the beginning of line 49, after "Objective:" delete "Service."

AMENDMENT NO. 481
On page 212, at the beginning of line 53, after "Objective:" delete "Stakeholders."

AMENDMENT NO. 482
On page 213, line 1, change "5,230,697" to "5,298,927"

AMENDMENT NO. 483
On page 213, at the beginning of line 9, after "Objective:" delete "Teaching."

AMENDMENT NO. 484
On page 213, at the beginning of line 13, after "Objective:" delete "Access to patient care."

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AMENDMENT NO. 485
On page 213, at the beginning of line 20, after "Objective:" delete "Quality."

AMENDMENT NO. 486
On page 213, at the beginning of line 30, after "Objective:" delete "Service."

AMENDMENT NO. 487
On page 213, at the beginning of line 34, after "Objective:" delete "Stakeholders."

AMENDMENT NO. 488
On page 213, line 39, change "2,827,120" to "2,448,373"

AMENDMENT NO. 489
On page 213, at the beginning of line 47, after "Objective:" delete "Teaching."

AMENDMENT NO. 490
On page 213, at the beginning of line 51, after "Objective:" delete "Access to patient care."

AMENDMENT NO. 491
On page 214, at the beginning of line 1, after "Objective:" delete "Quality."

AMENDMENT NO. 492
On page 214, at the beginning of line 11, after "Objective:" delete "Service."

AMENDMENT NO. 493
On page 214, at the beginning of line 15, after "Objective:" delete "Stakeholders."

AMENDMENT NO. 494
On page 214, line 20, change "4,793,862" to "4,650,799"

AMENDMENT NO. 495
On page 214, at the beginning of line 29, after "Objective:" delete "Teaching."

AMENDMENT NO. 496
On page 214, at the beginning of line 33, after "Objective:" delete "Access to patient care."

AMENDMENT NO. 497
On page 214, at the beginning of line 40, after "Objective:" delete "Quality."

AMENDMENT NO. 498
On page 214, at the beginning of line 50, after "Objective:" delete "Service."

AMENDMENT NO. 499
On page 214, at the beginning of line 54, after "Objective:" delete "Stakeholders."

AMENDMENT NO. 500
On page 215, line 2, change "40,037,411" to "40,734,709"

AMENDMENT NO. 501
On page 215, at the beginning of line 10, after "Objective:" delete "Teaching."

AMENDMENT NO. 502
On page 215, at the beginning of line 14, after "Objective:" delete "Access to patient care."

AMENDMENT NO. 503
On page 215, at the beginning of line 21, after "Objective:" delete "Quality."

AMENDMENT NO. 504
On page 215, at the beginning of line 31, after "Objective:" delete "Service."

AMENDMENT NO. 505
On page 215, at the beginning of line 35, after "Objective:" delete "Stakeholders."

AMENDMENT NO. 506
On page 215, between lines 43 and 44, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center Health Care Services Division shall continue contracts with the Office of Mental Health for the operation of the acute psychiatric units at the respective hospitals in amounts that are at least equal to the payments pursuant to such contracts in Fiscal Year 2004-2005."

AMENDMENT NO. 507
On page 216, line 18, change "48.39%" to "48.45%"

AMENDMENT NO. 508
On page 217, line 40, after "Fund" insert "- City of Alexandria"

AMENDMENT NO. 509
On page 220, after line 60, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Lincoln Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund $ 75,000

Provided, however, that out of the funds appropriated herein out of the Richland Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund, $25,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the town of Delhi for the Cave Theater, $10,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the town of Mangham for downtown development, and $25,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the town of Rayville for downtown development. In the event that total revenues deposited in this fund are insufficient to fully fund such allocations, each entity shall receive the same pro rata share of the monies available which its allocation represents to the total.

Provided, however, that of the monies appropriated herein out of the Madison Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund, $12,500 shall be allocated and distributed to the Madison Parish Historical Society, and $10,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the city of Tallulah for
beautification and repair projects. In the event that total revenues deposited in this fund are insufficient to fully fund such allocations, each entity shall receive the same pro rata share of the monies available which its allocation represents to the total.

Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the Ascension Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund, $100,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the River Road African American Museum.

Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated herein to DeSoto Parish out of the DeSoto Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund, fifty percent (50%) shall be allocated and distributed to the DeSoto Parish Tourist Commission; thirty-five percent (35%) shall be allocated and distributed to the DeSoto Parish Chamber of Commerce; and fifteen percent (15%) shall be allocated and distributed to the Logansport Chamber of Commerce.

Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the Avoyelles Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund shall be appropriated to the Avoyelles Parish Police Jury for distribution in accordance with R.S. 47:302.6.

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Webster Parish Convention and Visitors Bureau Fund, in accordance with R.S. 47:302.15

AMENDMENT NO. 510

On page 221, between lines 30 and 31, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that of the funds allocated herein to Ouachita Parish under the Parish Transportation Program (R.S. 48:751-756(A)), eight percent shall be allocated to the town of Richwood."

AMENDMENT NO. 511

On page 224, between lines 31 and 32, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for additional Delta Regional Authority dues $ 15,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 512

On page 225, line 12, after "Court" and before "Truancy" insert "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 513

On page 225, line 13, after "Council" and before "Grant" insert "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 514

On page 225, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the city of Donaldsonville for bicentennial funding $ 25,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 515

On page 225, between lines 31 and 32, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the city of Central for start-up costs and acquisitions related to the new government $ 50,000"
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| Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for repairs at South Toledo Bend State Park$120,000 |
| Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the city of Tallulah for the Mainstreet Program$19,500 |
| Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the 29th Annual Northwest Louisiana Sickle Cell Foundation Softball Tournament$25,000 |
| Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to Forever Our Children, Inc.$154,000 |
| Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Avondale Health Care Clinic$100,000 |
| Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the LHS Corporation$95,000 |
| Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Evangeline Parish Recreational District Support Fund to the Evangeline Parish Recreational District $250,000 |

Provided, however, that this appropriation shall not become effective or operable until and unless the governing body of the Evangeline Parish Recreational District provides evidence to the state treasurer of the availability and commitment of matching funds of at least $500,000.

**AMENDMENT NO. 517**

On page 226, line 14, change "36,796,366" to "36,519,239"

**AMENDMENT NO. 518**

On page 226, line 18, change "36,796,366" to "36,519,239"

**AMENDMENT NO. 519**

On page 226, line 20, change "989,490" to "811,852"

**AMENDMENT NO. 520**

On page 226, delete line 23 in its entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 521**

On page 226, line 24, change "36,796,366" to "36,519,239"
AMENDMENT NO. 522
On page 226, line 28, change "3,793,378" to "7,586,756"

AMENDMENT NO. 523
On page 226, line 33, change "3,830,878" to "7,624,256"

AMENDMENT NO. 524
On page 226, line 35, change "3,830,878" to "7,624,256"

AMENDMENT NO. 525
On page 226, line 36, change "3,830,878" to "7,624,256"

AMENDMENT NO. 526
On page 226, between lines 36 and 37, insert the following:
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) $ 200,000"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT, SALTER, ALARIO, AND DORSEY
AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOIE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT
AN ACT
To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed House Bill No. 2 by Representative Hammett

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the end of line 5, after "excess of" and before "million" change "ten" to "five"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 7, after "Committee on" and before the period "," change "Capital Outlay" to "the Budget"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 11, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:
"Payable from Federal Funds $ 1,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 11, at the end of line 16, change "$2,425,000" to "$3,925,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 22, delete lines 42 through 44, and insert the following:
"(269) Poverty Point Reservoir, Real Estate Acquisition, Planning, Equipment, Right of Way, Utilities, Acquisition, Construction and Maintenance (Richland) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 22, at the end of line 49, change "$3,000,000" to "$3,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 24, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:
"(235) DOTD Headquarters, East Wing Renovations, Planning and Construction (East Baton Rouge) Payable from Transportation Trust Fund - Regular $ 740,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 29, delete lines 8 and 9 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 29, at the end of line 15, change "$39,888,539" to "$20,975,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 29, delete line 24, and insert the following:
"Payable from Louisiana Duck Stamp Fund $ 500,000
Payable from Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge & Game Preserve Fund $ 500,000
Payable from Wildlife & Natural Heritage Trust Fund $ 1,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 31, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:
"(1395) New Alex Box Stadium, Planning and Construction (East Baton Rouge) Payable from Fees and Self Generated Revenues $ 400,000
Payable from Revenue Bonds $ 23,000,000
Total $ 23,400,000"

The capital outlay budget request for this project was submitted after the November 1st deadline, but it has been approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 32, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:
"(1396) Health Sciences Center Facility Renovation, Planning and Construction (Orleans) Payable from Fees and Self Generated Revenues $ 4,492,736"
The capital outlay budget request for this project was submitted after the November 1st deadline, but it has been approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 36, delete lines 2 through 4 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 36, at the end of line 25, insert "Lafourche, Lincoln."

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 37, delete lines 21 through 25 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 38, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"( ) Baseball Stadium Improvements, Planning and Construction (Calcasieu) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 300,000 Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 39, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 39, at the end of line 18, change "$1,600,000" to "$1,900,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 40, delete lines 16 and 17, and insert the following:

"Payable from Fees and Self Generated Revenues $ 1,800,000 Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 5 $ 4,200,000 Total $ 6,000,000"

The capital outlay budget request for this project was submitted after the November 1st deadline, but it has been approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 41, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"(1430) Cafeteria and Central Plant Renovation/ Replacement and Expansion, Planning and Construction (Rapides) Payable from Interagency Transfers $ 650,000 Pending approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 45, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"The capital outlay budget request for this project was submitted after the November 1st deadline, but it has been approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

'36/P34 WEST ST. MARY PARISH PORT
(380) Feasibility Study Channel Deepening, Planning and Construction (St. Mary) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 100,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 46, between lines 45 and 46, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 46, at the end of line 49, change "$350,000" to "$400,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 48, delete lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 48, between lines 44 and 45, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 105,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 26
On page 48, at the end of line 48, change "$105,000" to "$210,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 27
On page 50, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"50/J15 CONCORDIA PARISH
( ) Boggy Bayou Road Reconstruction, Planning and Construction (Concordia) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 350,000 Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 51, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"50/J20 EVANGELINE PARISH
( ) Improvements to Morning Glory Road, Planning and Construction (Evangeline) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 110,000 Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 29
On page 51, delete lines 36 and 37, and insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 170,000 Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 2 $ 170,000 Total $ 340,000"
AMENDMENT NO. 30
On page 52, delete lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 325,000
Payable from General Obligation Bonds
Priority 5 $ 325,000
Total $ 650,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 31
On page 53, delete lines 33 and 34, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 45,000
Payable from General Obligation Bonds
Priority 2 $ 100,000
Total $ 145,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 53, between lines 42 and 43, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 45,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 53, at the end of line 46, change "$200,000" to "$245,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 34
On page 54, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

"(1337) Tourism and Economic Development Center,
Renovations and Major Repair
(Morehouse)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 125,000

The capital outlay budget request for this project was submitted after
the November 1st deadline, but it has been approved by the Joint
Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay pursuant to the provisions
of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 35
On page 54, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"50/J35 NATCHITOCHES PARISH
( ) Rural Road Repairs, Planning and
Construction
(Natchitoches)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 150,000

Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request
pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 36
On page 54, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

"50/J39 POINTE COUPEE PARISH
(615) False River Regional Airport T-Hangar
Complex and Parking, Planning and
Construction
(Pointe Coupee)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 37
On page 54, between lines 32 and 33, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 38
On page 54, at the end of line 36, change "$5,300,000" to
"$5,800,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 39
On page 54, after line 44, insert the following:

"50/J43 SABINE PARISH
( ) Blue Lake Road Improvements (LA 3229
to North Toledo Bend State Park),
Planning and Construction
(Sabine)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 840,000

Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request
pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 40
On page 56, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"(662) Agriculture Arena, Planning and
Construction
(St. Helena)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 41
On page 57, between 46 and 47, insert the following:

"(699) Exhibits and Equipment at Louisiana State
Museum - Patterson for Patterson Cypress
Sawmill Museum Foundation and Wedell-
Williams Aviation Museum Foundation,
Planning and Construction
(St. Mary)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 42
On page 59, between lines 1 and 2, insert the following:

"(724) St. Joseph Shepherd Center, Planning and
Construction
(Tensas)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 77,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 43
On page 59, after line 50, insert the following:

"50/J58 VERNON PARISH
(740) Visitor Center, Planning and Construction
(Vernon)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 50,000"

(742) Creation of Vernon Lake Cultural Center,
Recreation and Tourism Park, Planning and
Construction
(Vernon)
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 50,000"
AMENDMENT NO. 44
On page 60, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"50/J61 WEST BATON ROUGE PARISH

( ) West Baton Rouge Sewer District, Planning and Construction (West Baton Rouge) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $100,000

Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 45
On page 60, between lines 44 and 45, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $75,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 46
On page 60, at the end of line 48, change "$300,000" to "$375,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 47
On page 61, between lines 40 and 41, insert the following:

"50/M24 BERWICK

(971) 12-Inch Waterline from Renwick Drive to Willowcrest Drive along Fairview Drive, Planning and Construction ($10,000 Local Match) (St. Mary) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $90,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 48
On page 63, between lines 41 and 42, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $315,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 49
On page 63, at the end of line 45, change "$615,000" to "$930,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 50
On page 64, after line 46, insert the following:

"( ) Lafitte General Assembly/Emergency Shelter/Multi-Purpose Building, Planning and Construction (Supplemental Funding) (Jefferson) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 51
On page 66, delete lines 5 and 6, and insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $65,000
Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 2 $50,000
Total $115,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 52
On page 67, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"50/MH7MAMOU

( ) Construction of Mardi Gras Plaza, Design and Planning (Evangeline) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $60,000

Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112.

( ) Recreational Facility, Planning and Construction ($250,000 Local Match) (Evangeline) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $100,000

Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 53
On page 69, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 54
On page 69, at the end of line 7, change "$1,090,000" to "$1,240,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 55
On page 69, delete lines 12 and 13, and insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $68,500
Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 2 $70,000
Total $138,500"

AMENDMENT NO. 56
On page 70, between lines 43 and 44, insert the following:

"50/ML9 OAK GROVE

(1021) West Carroll Industrial Park, Planning and Construction (West Carroll) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $62,000

( ) Renovations for Business Incubator, Planning and Construction (West Carroll) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $50,000

Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 57
On page 74, between lines 44 and 45, insert the following:

"50/MU4 VILLE PLATTE

( ) Festival Grounds Pavilion, Planning and Construction (Supplemental Funding) (Evangeline) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $125,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 58
On page 75, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:
"(1085) Adult Day Care Center, Planning and Construction (Jefferson) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 75, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:
"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 75, at the end of line 23, change "$1,100,000" to "$1,300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 61

On page 75, between lines 37 and 38, insert the following:
"(1092) Performing Arts Theater/Community Center Phase III, Planning and Construction (Jefferson) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 62

On page 79, between 33 and 34, insert the following:
"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 25,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 63

On page 79, delete line 35, and insert the following:
"Priority 2 $ 125,000
Total $ 150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 64

On page 84, after line 52, insert the following:
"50/NDR ST. LANDRY PARISH SHERIFF

(1431) Mobile Communications and Command Emergency Response Unit, Acquisition (St. Landry) Payable from the balance of State General Fund (Direct) previously allocated in Act 2 of 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature for Patterson for Emergency Fire and Police Communications Command Post (St. Mary) $ 223,000

Pending approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112.

50/NDS EAST BATON ROUGE SHERIFF OFFICE

( ) Emergency Communications Satellite Command Center and Equipment, Planning and Construction (East Baton Rouge) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 90,000 Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 2 $ 180,000 Total $ 270,000

The capital outlay budget request for this project was submitted after the November 1st deadline, but it has been approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 65

On page 85, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:
"50/NG9 IBERIA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

(1198) IDF Capital Renovation and Enhancement Project for Rural Business Resource and Entrepreneur Technical Assistance Center for Iberia Parish, Planning and Construction (Iberia) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 25,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 66

On page 90, at the end of line 3, insert "(Supplemental Funding)"

AMENDMENT NO. 67

On page 90, between lines 4 and 5, and insert the following:
"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Nonrecurring Revenues $ 100,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 68

On page 90, at the end of line 8, change "$490,000" to "$590,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 69

On page 91, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:
"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 70

On page 91, at the end of line 34, change "$12,000,000" to "$12,200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 71

On page 92, delete lines 20 through 29 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 72

On page 98, line 6, after "purposes" and the period "." and before "Notwithstanding" insert the following:
"Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act to the contrary or any other provision of law, the scope of the appropriations made in Capital Outlay Act 2 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature for New Orleans for the St. Anthony Avenue Walking Path project shall be deemed to include the area from Gentilly to Mirabeau. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act to the contrary or any other provision of law, the scope of the appropriations made in Capital Outlay Act 2 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature for the Jefferson Parish Port District for the Jefferson Parish Business Park project shall be deemed to include a master plan and other design services for the Patrick F. Taylor Science and Technology School. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act to the contrary or any other provision of law, the scope of the appropriation made in Capital Outlay Act 24 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature for West Baton Rouge Parish for the Communication Tower project shall be deemed to be changed to Communication
TOWER, PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION, AND/OR EQUIPMENT ACQUISITION, AND/OR LAND ACQUISITION."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 88—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 6-B of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:641 through 646, relative to offenses against peace officers; to require registration of certain offenders who commit violent crimes against peace officers; to provide for fees relative to registration; to provide for definitions; to provide for the creation of a central registry; to provide for the transmission of registry information to the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information; to provide with respect to the failure to register; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 88 by Representative Jane Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the beginning of line 5, delete "to provide for fees relative to registration;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, delete line 4 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, at the beginning of line 5, change "(2)" to "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, at the beginning of line 6, change "(3)" to "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, delete line 7 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, at the beginning of line 8, change "(5)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, delete lines 26 through 29 in their entirety and on page 4, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 4, at the beginning of line 4, change "E. " to "D."

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 4, at the end of line 5, change "life" to "a period of ten years"?

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 5, line 5, after "than" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof:

"five hundred dollars, imprisoned for not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days, or both."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 114—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:90(B) and 90.3(F) and R.S. 27:3(14), (16), and (18), 27.1(C)(introductory paragraph), 29.2(B) and (D), 29.3(A) and (D), and 29.4(D) and to enact R.S. 14:90(F), Chapter 9 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 27:501 through 536, and Chapter 42 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9601, relative to domestic cruiseship gaming; to enact the Domestic Cruiseship Gaming Control Act; to provide for applicability; to provide for definitions; to declare public policy; to provide for procedures for licensing of gaming on a domestic cruiseship; to provide suitability criteria and conditions for licensing; to provide for licensing of domestic cruiseships; to provide conditions with respect to licensing; to provide for the powers and duties of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide for the powers and duties of the gaming division, office of state police; to provide limitations on the designated gaming area; to prohibit certain relationships; to provide for certain crimes; to provide for penalties; to provide for appeals; to provide for assistance for compulsive or problem gambling; to provide that the provisions of law regarding the uniform and compulsive problem gambling program and permits for nongaming suppliers, key and non-key gaming employees apply to licensees for domestic cruiseship gaming; to create a special taxing district and to provide for its purpose, governance powers, duties, and functions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 114 by Representative Martiny

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 19, after "state" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 20, delete "seventy-five thousand" and insert "having a municipality with a population of four hundred fifty thousand or more as determined by the most recently published decennial federal census."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 8, line 18, after "value," delete the remainder of the line
AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 22, after "C."
delete the remainder of the line and insert "Board of directors."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 22, line 25, after "governor" insert a period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 26 and 27 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 23, delete lines 1 through 5 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(2) All members of the board of directors shall reside and be domiciled in a parish abutting the Mississippi River.

(3) There shall be no more than three board members from any one parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 23, at the beginning of line 6, change "(3)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 24, line 12, after "proceeds" delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 24, delete lines 13 and 14 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 24, at the beginning of line 15, change "(c)" to "(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 25, at the end of line 2, change "factors:" to "formula:

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 25, delete lines 3 through 8 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(1) Twenty-five percent of the revenue is to be distributed to the city or parish which is the domicile of the domestic cruiseship and the port of origin of the cruise.

(2) After the allocation provided in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the remainder of the revenues shall be apportioned between the remaining parishes or the portions of parishes abutting the Mississippi River at any point along the route which a domestic cruiseship navigates. The revenue shall be apportioned based upon the number of miles actually navigated by a domestic cruiseship on the Mississippi River. The apportionment of revenue shall include both the east bank and west bank of the Mississippi River in cases where a parish is abutting the Mississippi River on both sides."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 115—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 251(A) and R.S. 44:32(C)(1)(c), relative to public records; to prohibit the use of privately owned copying, reproducing, scanning, or other such imaging equipment in the copying of public records within the offices of the clerk of court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 115 by Representative Gallot

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "reproducing," and before "or other" insert "scanning,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 18, after "reproducing," and before "or any other" insert "scanning,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 18, after "imaging equipment" and before "within the offices" insert a comma "," and insert "whether hand-held, portable, fixed, or otherwise."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, delete lines 12 and 13 and insert the following:

"Section 3. No later than thirty days after the date upon which this Act becomes effective, any privately owned copying, reproducing, scanning, or any other such imaging equipment shall be removed from the offices of the clerks of court."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 158—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCHAND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:226, relative to exemptions from compulsory school attendance; to authorize nurse practitioners licensed to practice in Louisiana to substantiate certain illnesses permitting a child to be excused temporarily from attending school; to remove exemptions based on the location of a child’s residence and certain other transportation factors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 178—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:15(A)(1) and (2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (ii) and (b), (B), and (D) and to enact R.S. 17:15(A)(3), relative to criminal history review; to prohibit public or private school systems from hiring persons who have been convicted of or pled nolo contendere to certain crimes; to prohibit, except under certain circumstances, public or private

school systems from permitting persons who have been convicted of or pled nolo contendere to certain crimes to provide any services on school property to or for others performing work or providing goods or services to the school system or a school; to provide relative to procedures established by city, parish, and other local public school boards to determine whether such persons have been convicted of certain crimes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 178 by Representative Hutter

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "paragraph)" and before "and (ii)" insert a comma ",," and insert "(i),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 3, after "(D)" and before "relative" delete "and to enact R.S. 17:15(A)(3)," and insert a comma ","

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, delete line 4, and insert in lieu thereof "prohibit public school boards and nonpublic schools and school systems from hiring specified persons who have been"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 1, line 5, after "certain" and before "except" change "crimes: to prohibit," to "crimes,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 1, line 6, after "circumstances" change the comma ",," to a semicolon ";" and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 7 and 8 and at the beginning of line 9, delete "services to the school system or a school;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 1, line 14, after "paragraph)" and before "and (ii)" insert a comma ",," and insert "(i),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 1, line 15, after "reenacted" and before "to" delete "and R.S. 17:15(A)(3) is hereby enacted"

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 1, line 18, after "A.(1)" and before "No" insert "(a)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

On page 1, line 19, after "by" delete the remainder of the line and insert "any city, parish, or other local public school board or any nonpublic school or school system"

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**

On page 2, at the beginning of line 1, delete "secondary school system"
HOUSE BILL NO. 184—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 41:727, relative to the transfer of certain sixteenth
section land by the Vermilion Parish School Board; to specify
the property to be transferred and the persons to whom it shall
be transferred; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.
On motion of Rep. Crane, the bill was ordered engrossed and
passed to its third reading.
Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 197—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 49:214.9 and 214.10, relative to coastal preservation
and restoration; to establish a program for stabilization and
restoration of coastal passes; to create the Coastal Passes
Stabilization and Restoration Fund as a special fund in the state
treasury; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of
monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural
Resources.
The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources
to Original House Bill No. 197 by Representative Dove

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 13, after "require" insert a comma ",," and "when
appropriate,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the end of line 14, delete "appropriate"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 1, change "December" to "November"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 6, change "February" to "March"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 204—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CAZAYOUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:2011(C), relative to payment of
royalties for dredging state water bottoms; to exempt from the
payment of such royalties the dredging of False River for certain
purposes; and to provide for related matters.
Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.
On motion of Rep. Pierre, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 267—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMILEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:59.2(A)(2) and to enact R.S.
18:1400.3(D)(5), relative to the registrar of voters' office
personnel; to provide for the number of persons who may be
employed in the office of a registrar of voters based on
population; to provide for payment of certain expenses of
registrars of voters for personnel; and to provide for related
matters.
Read by title.
Reported favorably by the Committee on House and
Governmental Affairs with recommendation that the bill be
recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.
On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the bill was recommitted to the
Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 273—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 23(C) of the Constitution of
Louisiana, to limit certain increases in millage rates; to provide
for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and
to provide for related matters.
Read by title.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means
to Original House Bill No. 273 by Representative Arnold

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, delete line 1 in its entirety and insert "the aggregate
increase in the cost of living as reflected in the official Consumer
Price Index for all Urban Consumers as"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 2, after "States" and before "and"
insert "since the
last time the provisions of Section 18(F) of this Article were last
implemented for all property"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 2, after "States" and before "and", insert "since the
last time the provisions of Section 18(F) of this Article were last
implemented for all property"

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 274—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1705(B), relative to ad valorem taxes;
to limit the ability of taxing authorities to increase ad valorem
tax millages; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for
related matters.
Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 274 by Representative Arnold

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, delete lines 15 and 16 in their entirety and insert the following:

"collected is no larger than the aggregate increase in the cost of living as reflected in the official Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers as published by the government of the United States since the last time the provisions of Article VII, Section 18(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana were last implemented for all property and only"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, line 9, after "House Bill No." and before "of this" change "273" to "273"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 290—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:250.54(A), relative to health insurance; to provide with respect to prompt payment of electronic pharmacy claims; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Original House Bill No. 290 by Representative Townsend

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "claims;" insert the following:

"to provide for applicability to pharmacy contracts;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall apply to contracts between a pharmacist or pharmacy and a health insurance issuer, its agent, or any other party responsible for reimbursement for prescription drugs, other products and supplies, and pharmacist services that are entered into or renewed on or after the effective date of this Act. For contracts in existence prior to the effective date of this Act that contain an automatic renewal provision, this Act shall apply to those contracts as of the first renewal date on or after the effective date of this Act."
On motion of Rep. Durand, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 314—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:85.11, relative to naming a Reserve Officers’ Training Corps building; to authorize the Ouachita Parish School Board to name the Reserve Officers’ Training Corps building at West Monroe High School in honor of James Donald Halsell, Jr., and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 319—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1430.12(A) and to enact R.S. 22:1430.7(B)(3), relative to the calculation of rates by the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to provide for the formulation of rates; to provide for amending the plan of operation; and to provide for related matters.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 330—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:529.1(B), relative to habitual offender law; to provide that multiple convictions of sentences in accordance with the provisions of the habitual offender law; to provide that an offender must have committed a subsequent offense or subsequent offenses following the conviction of a previous offense in order to be eligible for sentence enhancement in accordance with the provisions of the habitual offender law; to provide that multiple convictions which become final on the same day are considered to be one conviction for the purposes of the habitual offender law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 330 by Representative Hunter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after the semicolon, delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 through 6 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 7, delete “provisions of the habitual offender law;”

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 20 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 10 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B. It is hereby declared to be the intent of this Section that an offender need not have been adjudged to be a second offender in a previous prosecution in order to be charged as and adjudged to be a third offender, or that an offender has been adjudged in a prior prosecution to be a third offender in order to be convicted as a fourth offender in a prosecution for a subsequent crime. Multiple convictions obtained on the same day prior to October 19, 2004, shall be counted as one conviction for the purpose of this Section."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 333—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3003(B)(1), relative to the Occupational Therapy Practice Act; to provide for the definition of occupational therapy; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 336—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WADDLE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:18(A)(8)(a), 531.1(A)(2) and (C), 551(A), 553(E)(1), 1302(4), (5), (6), and (7), 1303(A), (B)(4) and (5), (D), (E), 1305, 1306(A)(1), (B), (C)(1), (D), (E)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (2), (F), and (G)(1)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (f), and (2), 1307(A)(2), 1309(A)(2), (D)(1), and (G), 1311(A), (B), (C)(1), (D)(1), (4)(a), 1312(B), 1313(F)(introductory paragraph), (1), (2), (4),
AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, between lines 15 and 16, insert "Section 2. R.S. 42:1121(H) as enacted by the provisions of this Act is hereby repealed in its entirety."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the beginning of line 16, delete "Section 2. This Act" and insert "Section 3. (A) Section 1 of this Act and this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 1, after "by the legislature," and before "shall become" delete "this Act" and insert "Section 1 of this Act and this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, at the end of line 2, insert "(B) Section 2 of this Act shall become effective on August 1, 2007."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 377—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:2737.78, to authorize the Union Parish School Board to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax; to provide for the use of tax proceeds; to provide for voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 377—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 56:304(F), relative to licensing of commercial fishing vessels; to provide for certain eligibility restrictions for vessel licensing; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 385 by Representative Wooton

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 8, after "F."
delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 9 and 10 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:
"If the vessel is being used to harvest oysters, the commercial fisherman shall have in his possession an oyster dredge gear license. In order to qualify for issuance of a commercial oyster dredge gear license for license year 2006, a commercial fisherman must have held a commercial oyster dredge gear license in license year 2005:

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 397—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:322(C)(7), relative to unattended destruction of unattended nets; to remove requirement for seizure and fishing nets; to provide that legal nets or trawls which are attached to a wharf at a camp and

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, before "Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the State Mineral Board, with the approval of the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources, to lease state lands for the development of renewable energy sources; to authorize the Department of Natural Resources to lease state lands for the exploration, development, and production of energy from wind; to provide for the powers and duties of the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources; to provide for the powers and duties of the State Mineral Board; to authorize the implementation of fees; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 397 by Representative Baldone

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, delete "to provide that" and delete lines 3 and 4 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof "to remove the requirement for destruction"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 15, after "trawls" insert "which are attached to a wharf at a camp and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 17, after "used." insert "Any net or beam trawl which is seized for a violation of this Paragraph shall be considered abandoned."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 415—
BY REPRESENTATIVES M. POWELL, BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, AND WADDELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(F)(5), relative to election dates; to eliminate the January election date for bond, tax, and other proposition elections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 428—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 14-A of Title 41 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 41:1731 through 1734, relative to the development of renewable energy sources; to authorize the Department of Natural Resources to lease state lands for the exploration, development, and production of energy from wind; to provide a process for leasing state lands for the exploration, development, and production of energy from wind; to provide for the powers and duties of the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources; to provide for the powers and duties of the State Mineral Board; to authorize the implementation of fees; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 428 by Representative Pierre

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, before "Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the State Mineral Board, with the approval of the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, shall have the authority to lease for the exploration, development, or production of energy from wind, any properties under the jurisdiction of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Commission or the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, including but not limited to wildlife management areas and refuges. The leases shall be granted through a public bid process which shall be promulgated by the adoption of rules and regulations by the State Mineral Board. All bonuses, rentals, royalties, payments, or other sums payable to the state as the lessor under the terms of leases granted for the exploration, development, and production of energy from wind shall be deposited in the Wildlife and Fisheries Conservation Fund."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"B. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the State Mineral Board, with the approval of the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, shall have the authority to lease for the exploration, development, or production of energy from wind, any properties under the jurisdiction of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Commission or the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, including but not limited to wildlife management areas and refuges. The leases shall be granted through a public bid process which shall be promulgated by the adoption of rules and regulations by the State Mineral Board. All bonuses, rentals, royalties, payments, or other sums payable to the state as the lessor under the terms of leases granted for the exploration, development, and production of energy from wind shall be deposited in the Wildlife and Fisheries Conservation Fund."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, line 20, after "Resources" insert the following:

"shall consult with the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries when the proposed lease lies within the confines of properties under the jurisdiction of the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission or the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and"
HOUSE BILL NO. 429—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1461(C), 1462, 1463(C), and 1464(A), comma ",
subsequent contracts of employment.
and on line 14 delete " and the superintendent may enter into

On page 2, line 13, after "objectives,

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 12, after "Such

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 13, after "objectives," delete the remainder of the line
and on line 14 delete "and the superintendent may enter into
subsequent contracts of employment."

On page 2, line 23, after "incompetent" and before "or" insert a comma "," and "unworthy."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 431—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, SALTER, ALARIO, DORSEY, GALLOT, AND HAMMETT AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOIE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(35), to enact Chapter 4 of Title V of the Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 541 through 546, and to repeal Chapter 14 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 15:1461 through 1464, relative to information concerning children and their families; to provide that agencies providing services to children and their families and city, parish, or other local public school boards are authorized to request the release or exchange of information, data, reports, and records which are relevant and necessary to the performance of their respective duties to children and their families; to provide for procedures relative to the release of such information; to require agencies to exercise due diligence in obtaining consent, authorization, waiver, court order, or an order from an administrative law judge to obtain information regarding children and their families; to provide with respect to confidentiality of such information; to provide with respect to immunity from liability; to provide relative to an exception in the public records law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The substitute was read by title as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 880 (Substitute for House Bill No. 431 by Representative Lancaster)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, SALTER, ALARIO, DORSEY, GALLOT, AND HAMMETT AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOIE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(35), to enact Chapter 4 of Title V of the Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 541 through 546, and to repeal Chapter 14 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 15:1461 through 1464, relative to information concerning children and their families; to provide that agencies providing services to children and their families and city, parish, or other local public school boards are authorized to request the release or exchange of information, data, reports, and records which are relevant and necessary to the performance of their respective duties to children and their families; to provide for procedures relative to the release of such information; to require agencies to exercise due diligence in obtaining consent, authorization, waiver, court order, or an order from an administrative law judge to obtain information regarding children and their families; to provide with respect to confidentiality of such information; to provide with respect to immunity from liability; to provide relative to an exception in the public records law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 880 by Rep. Lancaster, on behalf of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs, as a substitute for House Bill No. 431 by Rep. Lancaster.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 451—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
AN ACT
To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 340.1, relative to bail; to provide for the minimum amount of bail for certain sex offenses; to require the type of bail for certain offenses; to provide with respect to the increase or reduction of bail for certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 451 by Representative Geymann

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, change "340.1" to "330.2" and at the end of the line delete "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 3 and 4 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, at the beginning of line 5, delete "certain offenses;" and insert the following:
"contradictory hearings prior to granting bail for certain sex offenders; to provide for definitions; to provide for the forms of bail for certain sex offenses; to provide for exceptions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 7, after "Article" and before "is" change "340.1" to "330.2"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, delete line 9 in its entirety and insert "Art. 330.2. Bail hearing for certain sex offenders; detention"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 1, delete lines 10 through 21 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A. A contradictory bail hearing, as provided for in this Article, shall be held prior to setting bail for a person in custody who is charged with a sex offense and who has been previously convicted of a sex offense.

B. The court, after having been given notice of an applicable prior conviction as described in Paragraph E of this Article, shall order a contradictory hearing to be held within five days of receiving notice of the prior conviction, exclusive of weekends and legal holidays.

C. At the contradictory hearing the court, in addition to hearing whatever evidence it finds relevant, shall, with the consent of the prosecuting attorney, perform an ex parte examination of the evidence against the accused.

D. In addition to the factors listed in Article 334 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the court shall take into consideration the previous criminal record of the defendant; any potential threat or danger the defendant poses to the victim, the family of the victim, or to any member of the public, especially children; and the court shall give ample consideration to any statistical evidence prepared by the United States Department of Justice relative to the likelihood of the defendant, or any person in general who has been convicted of sexually inappropriate conduct with a prepubescent child under the age of thirteen, to commit similar offenses against juvenile victims in the future."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, at the beginning of line 3, change "C." to "E."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 4, after "318" and before "and" insert a comma ",” and insert "commercial surety as authorized by Article 314,”

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, at the beginning of line 7, change "D. " to "E."

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 2, line 8, change "twelve" to "thirteen"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 2, at the end of line 9, add "and less than ten years have elapsed between the date of the commission of the current offense and the expiration of the maximum sentence of the previous conviction."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 461—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND TRICHE
AN ACT
To authorize and provide relative to certain state funds; to provide for the transfer of certain monies to the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 461 by Representative Alario

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "relative to" delete "authorize and provide" and insert "enact R.S. 39:1496.1(E)(3)(c) and to repeal R.S. 17:2008;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after "Fund" and the semicolon ";" and before "to provide" insert "to establish the Energy Performance Contracting Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to repeal the Vocational-Technical Enterprise Fund;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, delete lines 12 through 18 and insert the following:

"Section 2. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary and specifically notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 72:1077(C), unexpended and unencumbered monies in the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund at the close of Fiscal Year 2004-2005 shall not revert to the State General Fund and shall remain in the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund."
Section 2.A. 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 at the end of Fiscal Year 2004-2005 and so much of the funds deposited into the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund in Fiscal Year 2005-2006 after satisfying the amounts appropriated to the Fire Marshal from the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund for Fiscal Year 2005-2006, to the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund to be used in Fiscal Year 2005-2006 for the Medical Vendor Payment Program. The total amount to be transferred to the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund from the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund for Fiscal Years 2004-2005 and 2005-2006 shall not exceed a combined total of Four Million Two Hundred Thirty-five Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-four and No/100 ($4,235,744.00) Dollars.

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"Section 6. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary and specifically notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 3:391.13, the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer Five Hundred One Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-seven and No/100 ($501,237.00) Dollars of the unexpended and unencumbered balance in the Formosan Termite Initiative Fund at the end of Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund, to be used in Fiscal Year 2005-2006 for the Medical Vendor Payment Program.

Section 7. R.S. 39:1496.1(El)(3)(c) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1496.1. Performance-based energy efficiency contracts

(3)

* * *

(c) The “Energy Performance Contract Fund”, hereinafter referred to as the “fund”, is hereby created in the state treasury. After compliance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the allocation of monies to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, the treasury shall deposit into the fund an amount equal to the amount collected pursuant to Subsubsections (a) and (b) of this Section. The monies in the fund shall be used only to fund the requirements of this Section and the rules promulgated pursuant thereto. Monies in the fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund and any interest earned on the investment of monies in the fund shall be credited to the fund. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund.

"Section 8. R.S. 17:2008 is hereby repealed in its entirety. Any balance in the Vocational-Technical Enterprise Fund which remains at June 30, 2005 may be retained as Fees and Self-generated revenues to be expended in Fiscal Year 2005-2006 by the respective schools.

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 18, delete lines 18 through 20 and insert the following:

"Section 9. This Act shall become effective upon signature of the governor or June 28, 2005, whichever occurs earlier."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 463—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCHAND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2154(G) and R.S. 46:1408(H), 1974(D), and 2683(C), relative to child and adult care facilities; to provide for the imposition and collection of fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 881 (Substitute for House Bill No. 463 by Representative Marchand)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCHAND
AN ACT
To amend R.S. 40:2154(F) and R.S. 46:1408(E)(2), (F) and (G), 1412(G)(2), (H) and (I), and 1454(D) and to enact R.S. 40:2154(G) and (H) and R.S. 46:1408(H) and (I), 1412(K) and (L), and 1454(E) and (F), relative to license and application fees for child care facilities, child placing agencies, transitional youth residences, and adult residential care facilities; to provide for the imposition and collection of fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Durand, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 881 by Rep. Marchand, on behalf of the Committee on Health and Welfare, as a substitute for House Bill No. 463 by Rep. Marchand.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 477—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:722, relative to game and fish commissions; to provide that such commissions shall not have authority over certain vessels; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 477 by Representative Dove

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 16, after "commission" insert "or political subdivision"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 16, after "movement" change "or" to a comma ";" and after "mooring" insert a comma ";" and "or position"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 17, after "any" insert "commercial industrial"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 514—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:8(A), relative to the use of textbooks by public elementary and secondary school students; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education requiring city, parish, and other local public school boards to establish policies and procedures relative to the use of certain textbooks by students after regular school hours; to provide relative to the content of such rules and regulations; to provide time lines for the adoption of such rules and regulations by the state board and for the adoption and implementation of required policies and procedures by local school boards; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 564—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 4:732(B), (E)(2) and (5), and (G) and to repeal R.S. 4:732(F), relative to progressive bingo; to increase the amount per game participating organizations may contribute per game if the progressive jackpot cap is raised; to repeal provision of law requiring progressive mega jackpot games and progressive bingo games be mutually exclusive; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 566—
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. CARTER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:668(A)(1), relative to health maintenance organizations; to provide with respect to the use of textbooks by students after regular school hours; to provide relative to the content of such rules and regulations; to provide time lines for the adoption of such rules and regulations by the state board and for the adoption and implementation of required policies and procedures by local school boards; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Insurance.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 882 (Substitute for House Bill No. 566 by Representative R. Carter)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE R. CARTER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:2004.3, relative to health maintenance organizations; to provide with respect to the use of textbooks by students after regular school hours; to provide relative to the content of such rules and regulations; to provide time lines for the adoption of such rules and regulations by the state board and for the adoption and implementation of required policies and procedures by local school boards; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.


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

HOUSE BILL NO. 574—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:11.1(A)(3) and (B)(1), relative to health insurance; to provide relative to recredentialing of health care providers by health insurance issuers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Original House Bill No. 574 by Representative Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete "R.S. 22:11.1(A)(3) and (B)(1)," and insert "R.S. 22:11.1(A)(3), (5), and (8) and (B)(1) and (2) and to enact R.S. 22:11.1(D) and (E),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "relative to" and insert "for definitions; to provide relative to credentialing and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 6, after "1."

"(5) "Health care provider" or "provider" means a physician licensed to practice medicine by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners or other individual health care practitioner or facility licensed, certified, or registered to perform specified health care services consistent with state law.

*          *          *" (8) "Standardized information" means customary universal data concerning an applicant's identity, education, and professional experience relative to an issuer's credentialing process, including but not limited to name, address, telephone number, date of birth, social security number, educational background, state licensing board number, residency program, internship, specialty, subspecialty, fellowship, or certification by a regional or national health care or medical specialty college, association or society, prior and current place of employment, an adverse medical review panel opinion, a pending professional liability lawsuit, final disposition of a professional liability settlement or judgment, and information mandated by health insurance issuer accrediting organizations.

*          *          *"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:
"(2)(a) Within thirty days of the date of receipt of an application, a health insurance issuer shall inform the applicant of all defects and reasons known at the time by the issuer in event the submitted application is deemed to be not correctly completed.

(b) A health insurance issuer shall inform the applicant in the event that any needed verification or a verification supporting statement has not been received within sixty days of the date of the issuer's request."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, after line 6, insert the following:

"D. The provisions of this Section shall apply to a preferred provider organization as defined in R.S. 40:2202(5) which engages in credentialing or recredentialing of a provider applicant for approval to provide health care services in its network of providers.

E. The commissioner shall, as a courtesy to health insurance issuers and health care providers, maintain on the Department of Insurance's website both of the following:

1. The current version of the Louisiana Standardized Credentialing Application Form or its successor.

2. An electronic link to the current format used by the Council for Affordable Quality Healthcare (CAQH) or its successor."

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 581—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAHAN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 15:477.2 and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(36), relative to privileged communications; to provide for privileged communications for state governmental agencies by persons reporting alleged fraud, abuse, or wrongdoing; to provide for an exception regarding public records disclosure; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 581 by Representative Trahan

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete "enact R.S. 15:477.2 and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(36)," and insert "amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(7) and to enact R.S. 15:477.2;"

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

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, at the beginning of line 16, delete "Louisiana"
with certain policies of the Board of Regents; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters. Read by title. Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. On motion of Rep. Crane, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading. Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 621—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:1121(H), relative to the Louisiana Airport Authority; to provide for certain post public service restrictions for members of the board of commissioners of the Louisiana Airport Authority; to provide for certain post public service restrictions on public employees of the Louisiana Airport Authority or its board of commissioners; and to provide for related matters. Read by title. Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs. The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 621 by Representative St. Germain

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 17, change "ten" to "six"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 5, change "ten" to "six"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 11, change "ten" to "six"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 17, change "ten" to "six"

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the amendments were adopted. On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading. Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 627—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT, SALTER, ALARIO, AND DORSEY AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOIE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:6020 through 6023, to establish the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for qualifications for the credit; to provide for the implementation and administration of the program by the Department of Economic Development; to provide for definitions; to authorize penalties for providing false or fraudulent information; to require an annual report to the legislature; and to provide for related matters. Read by title. Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means. The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 627 by Representative Hammett

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, delete "6023" and insert "6020.4"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 9, delete "6023" and insert "6020.4"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following: "$6020. Legislative findings and purposes

A. The legislature finds that the welfare of the state is enhanced by a healthy entrepreneurial business environment and that ready sources of capital necessary to support this environment are not currently available.

B. This Act is intended to achieve the following purposes:

(1) To create the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program to encourage third parties to invest in early stage wealth-creating businesses in the state.

(2) To expand the economy of the state by enlarging its base of wealth creating businesses.

(3) To enlarge the number of quality jobs available to retain the presence of young people educated in Louisiana.

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 12, delete "businesses" and insert "entities"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 14, delete "transferable"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, delete lines 11 through 27 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 28, delete "(f)" and insert "(c)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 28, delete "(f)" and insert "(c)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, at the end of line 6, insert ""At risk" means that the repayment of the investment is entirely dependent on the success of the Louisiana Entrepreneurial Business."

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, line 9, after "investing" insert "unless approved by the secretary."
On motion of Rep. Hammett, the amendments were adopted.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 639—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1(b), and R.S. 47:301(6)(b) and (14)(b)(iv), relative to sales and use taxes; to provide relative to the definition of hotel and places of amusement; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 655—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(B)(6), relative to sales tax rebates for construction in an enterprise zone; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 655 by Representative Montgomery

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"(c) Provided the business entering the contract provided in Subsection A of this Section is a nonprofit organization organized to finance the development and construction of buildings and infrastructure to serve a public institution of higher education, the new permanent jobs required in Subparagraph (B)(6)(a) of this Section may be created by the public institution of higher education."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 679—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT, SALTER, ALARIO, AND DORSEY
AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOIE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.92(B), 287.93(A), 287.95(F)(2), 287.738(A), and 606(A)(3), to enact R.S. 47:287.94(H) and 287.738(F), and to repeal R.S. 47:287.71(A)(1) and (2), 287.73(C)(1), 287.95(E) and 287.750, relative to the corporation income tax; to provide for a deduction for interest and dividends; to provide for a single factor apportionment formula for corporation income and franchise tax purposes for certain
On page 3, delete lines 1 through 18 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(4) (2) If the corporation elects to pay tax on interest income as provided in R.S. 47:287.93(F)(2). Other interest received by the corporation, dividends, and profit or losses from sales and exchanges of capital assets consisting of incorporeal property or rights shall be allocated to the state in which the securities or credits producing such income have their situs, which shall be at the business situs of such securities or credits if they have been so used in connection with the taxpayer's business as to acquire a business situs, or in the absence of such a business situs, shall be at the commercial domicile of the taxpayer, provided that dividends upon stock having a situs in Louisiana received by a corporation from another corporation which is controlled by the former, through ownership of fifty percent or more of the voting stock of the latter, shall be allocated to the state or states in which is earned the income from which the dividends are paid, such allocation to be made in proportion to the respective amounts of such income earned in each state, and provided further that interest on securities and credits having a situs in Louisiana received by a corporation from another corporation which is controlled by the former through ownership of fifty percent or more of the voting stock of the latter, shall be allocated to the state or states in which the real and tangible personal property of the controlled corporation is located, on the basis of the ratio of the value of such property located in Louisiana to the total value of such property within and without the state."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 5, between lines 27 and 28, insert the following:

"(iii) Any taxpayer defined as an integrated oil company per the U.S. Internal Revenue Code, §491(b)(4), or integrated oil companies that refine, produce, and have marketing operations, whose income in Louisiana is principally derived from production and sale of unrefined oil and gas, and who also engage in significant marketing of refined petroleum products in Louisiana. Provided, any taxpayer, who activities during the taxable year do not include any "gross receipts from retail sales of oil and/or natural gas", or any "refinery activities of oil and/or natural gas", will not be considered as an integrated oil company for Louisiana tax purposes, notwithstanding such taxpayer may be a "related party" or a "member of the federal consolidate group" under the U.S. Internal Revenue Code."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 6, at the beginning of line 12, insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 6, at the end of line 13, delete "interest and"
AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 5, line 10, after "paid," insert "not to exceed five hundred dollars;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 5, line 20, after "due" insert "not to exceed one thousand dollars;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 6, line 20, change "the nonexclusive" to "a"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 7, line 3, change "the nonexclusive" to "a"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 684—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6015(B), (C), (D), (F), (G), and (H), relative to exemptions from state taxes; to provide relative to the research and development tax credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 684 by Representative Hammett

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 47:6015(B)" and the comma "," delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"(C)(1) and (2), (D), (F)(3), (G), and (H) and to enact R.S. 47:6015(C)(5)(a)(iv), (F)(4), and (I) relative to exemptions"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 6, after "R.S. 47:6015(B)" and the comma "," delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"(C)(1) and (2), (D), (F)(3), (G), and (H) are hereby amended and enacting R.S. 47:6015(C)(5)(a)(iv), (F)(4), and (I) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 16, after "R.S. 47:6015(B)" and the comma "," delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"(C)(1) and (2), (D), (F)(3), (G), and (H) are hereby amended and enacted R.S. 47:6015(C)(5)(a)(iv), (F)(4), and (I) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 15, after "C.(1)" insert the following:

"For income tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2003, and franchise tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2004, the amount of the credit authorized in this Section shall be equal to either:"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 7, change "(2)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 9, change "(4)" to "(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 15, change "(5)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 20, after "D." insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, line 26, after "amount equal to" delete the remainder of the line, insert a colon ":" and the following:

"(a) For income tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2003, and franchise tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2004, eight percent of the award received during the tax year.

(b) For income tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2005, and franchise tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2006, twenty percent of the award received during the tax year."

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 2, at the beginning of line 27, insert "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 3, delete lines 16 through 21 in their entirety and insert the following:

"G.(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section to the contrary, for the period beginning on January 1, 2003, and ending on December 31, 2003, the credit provided for in this Section shall be reduced by seventy-five percent."
(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section to the contrary, for the period beginning on January 1, 2004, and ending on December 31, 2004, the credit provided for in this Section shall be reduced by fifty percent.

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 3, line 25, change "G." to "H."

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 4, delete lines 6 through 8 in their entirety, and insert the following:
"I. No credit shall be allowed pursuant to this Section for research"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 688—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 45:781(A) and R.S. 47:301(14)(i)(ii)(bb)(XV), and to enact Chapter 42 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9601 through 9610, and R.S. 45:781(C), relative to the taxation of telecommunications services; to enact the Louisiana Communications Excise Tax Act; to create and establish the Louisiana Communications Tax District; to provide for the governance of the district by a board of directors; to provide for the authority, duties, powers, and responsibilities of the district and its board of directors; to authorize the district to levy and collect a statewide excise tax on all communications services in lieu of other local taxes, charges, or fees imposed on providing communications services; to provide for the distribution of the proceeds of such tax to the local governmental subdivisions of the state; to prohibit the enforcement of existing obligations to pay certain local taxes, charges, and fees; to provide that local governmental subdivisions shall have and retain the authority to regulate and manage their roads and rights-of-way in exercising their police power; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 688 by Representative Richmond

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 5, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:
"G. A public servant as defined in the Code of Governmental Ethics and any covered contractor, agent, or vendor of a local government/subdivision providing covered services as provided in R.S. 45:844.42(6) is prohibited from:

(1) Serving as a member of the board of directors, officer, employee, or agent of the district.

(2) Serving in any of the capacities enumerated in Paragraph (D)(7) of this Section.

(3) Participating in any of the audit functions or activities as provided in Subsections E and F of this Section.

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 6, line 5, after "include" and before "those" insert "only"
AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 6, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"E. Any additional revenues generated in excess of the distribution as specified in R.S. 33:9609(B) may be used by local governmental subdivisions solely for expenses related to economic development, homeland security, public safety, youth programs, coastal restoration, or hurricane protection programs.

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 8, line 12, after "R.S. 33:9610;" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 8, delete lines 13 through 15 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 9, line 5, after "(3)" insert "and (9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 10, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"(4). The prohibition of this Subsection shall not apply in the event that any federal law prohibits the taxes imposed by the district."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 12, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"D. Nothing herein shall authorize a person providing communications services to distribute, offer to distribute, or provide cable television or other video services over public rights-of-way without a cable franchise regardless of the technology used to provide those services."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 689—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1244(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 22:1244(C), relative insurance fraud; to provide for automobile insurance fraud; to provide for restitution; to provide for civil right of action; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Insurance.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 692—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTON
AN ACT
To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 336.2, relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to require an ignition interlock device as a condition of release on bail for certain persons arrested for certain alcohol-related driving offenses; to provide for procedures; to provide for waiver of this requirement by courts in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 701—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAUDOIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 41:15, relative to hunting on state land; to provide for certain restrictions to hunting equipment on state lands; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources to Original House Bill No. 701 by Representative Baudoin

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, before "hunting" insert "deer"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the end of line 6, add a semicolon ";" and "exceptions"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 8, after "permanent" insert "deer" and delete "or blind"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 8, after "permanent" insert "deer" and delete "or blind"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 9, change "Stands" to "Deer stands" and delete " and blinds"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 1, line 10, after "permanent" insert "deer" and delete "or blind"

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

"C. The provisions of this Section shall not apply to land under the jurisdiction of the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission.

The use of such land shall be regulated by the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission in accordance with the provisions of Title 56 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 731—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT, SALTER, ALARIO, AND DORSEY
AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOIE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1124, 1125.1(A), and 6007(A), (B)(1)
and (5), (C)(1) and (4)(a) and (b), and (D) and to enact R.S.
47:1123(10) and 6007(B)(6) and (C)(4)(f), relative to the
motion picture investor tax credit; to provide incentives for
motion picture infrastructure development; to provide for an
effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and
Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to
Original House Bill No. 731 by Representative Hammett

AMENDMENT NO.1
On page 1, delete lines 18 through 20 in their entirety and insert the
following:

"domiciled and headquartered in Louisiana which has a viable multi-
market commercial distribution plan;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 2, change "2008" to "2006"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 15, delete "January 1, 2008" and insert "December
31, 2005"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 3, delete line 27 in its entirety and insert the following:

"(a) A state-certified production in the state as production
expenditures incurred in this state that are directly used in a state-
certified production or productions.

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 3, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"(c) "Expended in the state" in the case of tangible property
shall mean property which is acquired from a source within the state,
and in the case of services, shall mean services procured and
performed in the state.

(d) "Production expenditures" means preproduction, production,
and postproduction expenditures directly incurred in this state that
are directly used in a state-certified production, including without
limitation the following: set construction and operation; wardrobe,
make-up, accessories, and related services; costs associated with
photography and sound synchronization, lighting, and related
services and materials; editing and related services; rental of facilities
and equipment; leasing of vehicles; costs of food and lodging; digital
or tape editing, film processing, transfer of film to tape or digital
format, sound mixing, special and visual effects; total aggregate
payroll; music, if performed, composed, or recorded by a Louisiana
musician, or released or published by a Louisiana-domiciled and
headquartered company; airfare, if purchased through a Louisiana-
based travel agency or travel company; insurance costs or bonding,
if purchased through a Louisiana-based insurance agency; or other
similar production expenditures as determined by rule. This term
shall not include postproduction expenditures for marketing and
distribution, any indirect costs, any amounts that are later reimbursed,
any costs related to the transfer of tax credits, or any amounts that are
paid to persons or entities as a result of their participation in profits
from the exploitation of the production.

(e) "Payroll" shall include all salary, wages, and other
compensation, including related benefits, but shall exclude that
portion of salary for any employee that equals or exceeds one million
dollars.

(f) "Resident" or "resident of Louisiana" means a natural person
and, for the purpose of determining eligibility for the tax incentives
provided by this Chapter, any person domiciled in the state of
Louisiana and any other person who maintains a permanent place of
abode within the state and spends in the aggregate more than six
months of each year within the state."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 4, line 8, after "has" and before "a" delete "signed" and after
"viable" and before "distribution" insert "multi-market commercial"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 4, line 9, after "plan" insert a period "." and delete the
remainder of line 9 and delete line 10.

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 4, line 16, at the end of the line after "Department of
Economic Development" insert a period "." and the following: "For
state-certified productions, expenditures shall be certified no more
than twice during the duration of a state-certified production. The tax
credit shall be"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 4, at the beginning of line 17, delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 5, delete lines 7 through 18 in their entirety and insert the
following:

"(b) For state-certified productions approved by the Governor's
Office of Film and Television Development, on or after January 1,
2006, and for state-certified infrastructure projects approved by the
Governor's Office of Film and Television Development, on or after
July 1, 2005:

(i) If the total base investment is greater than three hundred
thousand dollars, each investor shall be allowed a tax credit of
twenty-five percent of the base investment made by that investor.

(ii) Until January 1, 2008, to the extent that base investment is
expended on payroll for Louisiana residents employed in connection
with a state-certified production, each investor shall be allowed an
additional tax credit of ten percent of such payroll. However, if the
payroll to any one person exceeds one million dollars, this additional
credit shall exclude any salary for that person that exceeds one
million dollars.

(iii) Until January 1, 2008, if the total base investment is greater
than three hundred thousand dollars, each taxpayer shall be allowed a
tax credit of fifteen percent of the base investment made by that
taxpayer that is expended in this state on a state-certified
infrastructure project as certified by the Governor's Office of Film
and Television Development, the Department of Economic Development, and approved by the division of administration.

(c) For state-certified productions approved by the Governor's Office of Film and Television Development and the Department of Economic Development, on or after July 1, 2010:

(i) If the total base investment is greater than three hundred thousand dollars, each investor shall be allowed a tax credit of twenty percent of the base investment made by that investor.

(ii) To the extent that base investment is expended on payroll for Louisiana residents employed in connection with a state-certified production, each investor shall be allowed an additional tax credit of ten percent of such payroll. However, if the payroll to any one person exceeds one million dollars, this additional credit shall exclude any salary for that person that exceeds one million dollars.

(d) For state-certified productions approved by the Governor's Office of Film and Television Development and the Department of Economic Development, on or after July 1, 2012:

(i) If the total base investment is greater than three hundred thousand dollars, each investor shall be allowed a tax credit of fifteen percent of the base investment made by that investor.

(ii) To the extent that base investment is expended on payroll for Louisiana residents employed in connection with a state-certified production, each investor shall be allowed an additional tax credit of ten percent of such payroll. However, if the payroll to any one person exceeds one million dollars, this additional credit shall exclude any salary for that person that exceeds one million dollars.

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 5, line 19, change "(c)" to "(e)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 5, delete lines 21 through 29 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 6, delete lines 1 through 14 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 6, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"(3) Application of the credit.

* * *

(b) Individuals, estates, and trusts shall claim any credit allowed under this Section on their individual income tax return.

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AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 6, line 16, after "picture" and before "tax" delete "investor"

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 6, delete line 17, and insert the following:

"respect to a state-certified production allocated to a person and
not previously"

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 6, at the end of line 18, delete "by such"

AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 6, at the beginning of line 19, delete "person"

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 6, delete line 22, and insert the following:

"transferee of the investor tax credits may transfer or sell such
investor tax credits"

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 6, line 28, delete "the credit certificate number," and insert "a copy of any tax credit certification letter(s) issued by the Governor's Office of Film and Television Development and the Department of Economic Development,

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 7, line 2, after "certificate," and before "and" insert "price
paid by the transferee to the transferor, in the case when the
transferor is a state-certified production or state-certified
infrastructure project, for the tax credits.

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 7, line 4, after "Revenue." and before "The" insert "The
Governor's Office of Film and Television Development may post on
its website an average tax credit transfer value, as determined by the
Governor's Office of Film and Television Development and the
secretary of the Department of Economic Development, to reflect
adequately the current average tax credit transfer value. The tax
credit transfer value means the percentage as determined by the price
paid by the transferee to the transferor divided by the dollar value of
the tax credits that were transferred in return."

AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 7, at the beginning of line 10, delete "eighty" and insert
"seventy-two"

AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 7, line 10, after "credits," and before "Upon" insert "Beginning January 1, 2008, and every second year thereafter, the
percent of the face value of the tax credits allowed for transferring
credits to the Governor's Office of Film and Television Development shall increase two percent per year.

AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 7, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"(6) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, on or after
January 1, 2006, a state-certified production which receives tax
credits pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter shall not be eligible
to receive the rebates provided for in R.S. 51:2431 through 2461, in
connection with the activity for which the tax credits were received."
(a) The impact of the production on the immediate and long-
term objectives of this Section;
(b) The impact of the production on the employment of
Louisiana residents;
(c) The impact of the production on the overall economy of the
state;

AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 8, delete line 26, and insert the following:
"(5) A motion picture production company applying for the
additional credit for the employment of Louisiana residents must
remit a schedule to the Department of Revenue, in a machine-
sensible format approved by the secretary of the Department of
Revenue, that includes the following information: the names of all
persons who received salary, wages, or other compensation for
services performed in Louisiana in connection with the state-certified
production, and the address, taxpayer identification number,
permanent address of, and the amount of compensation for services
performed in Louisiana received by each such person.

(6) With input from the Legislative Fiscal Office, the
Governor's Office of Film and Television Development and the
Department of Economic Development shall prepare a written report
to be submitted to the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal
Affairs and the House of Representatives Committee on Ways and
Means no less than sixty days prior to the start of the Regular Session
of the Legislature in 2007, and every second year thereafter. The
report shall include the overall impact of the tax credits, the amount
of the tax credits issued, the number of net new jobs created, the
amount of Louisiana payroll created, the economic impact of the tax
credits and film industry, the amount of new infrastructure that has
been developed in the state, and any other factors that describe the
impact of the program;"

AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 9, line 14, after "2005" and before the period ",", insert a
comma "," and "and shall not apply to state-certified productions that
have received an effective initial certification date that is prior to
December 31, 2005"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 740—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 36-B of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes
of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2861 through 2864, to
provide for polysomnographic health professionals; to provide
for the recognition of polysomnography as a separate and
distinct profession; to provide for definitions, scope of practice,
certification; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported by substitute by the Committee on Health and
Welfare.
The substitute was read by title as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 883 (Substitute for House Bill No. 740 by
Representative HEBERT)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 36-B of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes
of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2861 through 2870, relative
to polysomnographic health professionals; to provide for the
recognition of polysomnography as a separate and distinct
profession; to provide for licensure and regulation of
polysomnographic technologists and technicians; to provide for
definitions; to provide for the powers and duties of the
Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners relative to
polysomnographic technologists and technicians; to provide for
the creation of the Advisory Committee on Polysomnography;
to provide for fees, person and practices not affected, and
prohibited acts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
On motion of Rep. Durand, the substitute was adopted and
became House Bill No. 883 by Rep. Hebert, on behalf of the
Committee on Health and Welfare, as a substitute for House Bill No.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 753—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1172 and 1212, relative to the
Pharmacy Practice Act; to provide for the recognition of
polysomnographic technologists and technicians; to provide for
the creation of the Advisory Committee on Polysomnography;
to provide for fees, person and practices not affected, and
prohibited acts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
On motion of Rep. Hammett, the bill, as amended, was ordered
engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, delete "1172 and"

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED BY HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND WELFARE TO ORIGINAL HOUSE BILL NO. 753 BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, delete "1172 and"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, delete "provide for the membership of the Board of Pharmacy; to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 6, delete "1172 and" and change "are" to "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, delete lines 8 through 21 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, delete lines 5 through 17 and insert in lieu thereof:

"The board may register individuals as pharmacy technician candidates and certify individuals as pharmacy technicians, both of whom may assist a pharmacist in the practice of pharmacy, as specified in board rules. Notwithstanding any provision in law to the contrary, in all cases, a pharmacist must verify the accuracy of a prescription before the drug or device may be transferred to a patient or patient's agent. The board may also set minimum training and education requirements and examinations for certification as a pharmacy technician as it deems necessary. A licensed pharmacist may have up to two pharmacy technicians under the pharmacist's direct and immediate supervision at any given time. Other pharmacy support personnel, including cashiers, pharmacy technician candidates, and pharmacy interns shall not be included in this ratio. The board may, by rule, establish ratios for pharmacy technician candidates to pharmacists, and pharmacy technicians to pharmacists, but in no case shall such ratios be less than two pharmacy technician's to one pharmacist."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, delete lines 18 through 28 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, delete lines 1 through 22 in their entirety

HOUSE BILL NO. 759—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURNS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2442(4), 2444, 2445, 2446.1(A) and (B), 2447, 2448(A) and (B), 2450, 2451, 2461(A), 2462, and 2463, to enact R.S. 37:2442(6), 2449.1, 2449.2, 2449.3, and 2463.1, and to repeal R.S. 37:2452 and 2457(11), relative to the licensing of hearing aid dealers; to provide relative to qualifications, fees, penalties, and continuing education; to provide for temporary permits and the training of temporary permit holders; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after "(B)(1)," and before "2450" insert "2449," and after "2451" and before the comma ",," insert "(A) and (B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 6, after "temporary" and before "permits" insert "training" and on line 7, after "temporary" and before "permits" insert "training"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 10, after "(B)(1)," and before "2450" insert "2449," and after "2451" and before the comma ",," insert "(A) and (B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 3, change "results" to "results"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 27, insert "(4) Is free of contagious or infectious disease."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 3, line 4, after "board" and before "which" underscore the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, line 20, change "section" to "Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, line 22, change "proctered" to "proctored"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, delete line 24 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, line 28, change "Certificate" to "certificate"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 4, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

§2449. Temporary License

Training permit

A. An applicant who fulfills the requirements of R.S. 37:2445 and who has not previously applied to take the examination provided under R.S. 37:2446 may apply to the board for a temporary license training permit which shall entitle the applicant to engage in the fitting and selling of hearing aids, under supervision, for a period ending thirty days after the conclusion of the next examination the applicant is required to take.

B. Upon receiving an application provided under Subsection A of this Section, accompanied by a fee of ten one hundred dollars, the board shall issue a temporary license training permit which shall entitle the applicant to engage in the fitting and selling of hearing aids, under supervision, for a period ending thirty days after the conclusion of the next examination the applicant is required to take.

C. No temporary license training permit shall be issued by the board under this Section unless the applicant shows to the satisfaction of the board that he is or will be supervised and trained by a person, hereinafter "sponsor", who holds a valid license or certificate of endorsement issued under this Chapter.

D. If a person who holds a temporary license training permit issued under this Section does not take the next required examination
given after the date of issue, the temporary license training permit shall not be renewed, except for good cause shown to the satisfaction of the board.

E. If a person who holds a temporary license training permit issued under this Section takes and fails to pass the next required examination given after the date of issue, the board may renew the temporary license training permit for a period ending thirty days after the conclusion of the next examination given. In no event shall more than one renewal be permitted. The fee for renewal shall be twenty-five seventy-five dollars.”

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 4, line 15, after “guidelines” delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof “shall include all of the following:”

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 4, line 22, change “150” to “one hundred fifty”

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 5, line 11, after “(8)” and before the period “;” add “of this Subsection”

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 5, line 18, change “chapter” to “Chapter”

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 6, line 5, after “evaluation” change “an” to “and”

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 6, line 11, after “practice” insert a comma “,” and change “of” to “or”

AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 6, line 27, change “chapter” to “Chapter”

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 7, line 7, after “hearing” and before “instruments” delete the comma “,”

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 8, delete lines 7 through 11 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 9, at the beginning of line 11, change “must” to “shall” and on line 13, change “must” to “shall”

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 9, after line 15, insert the following:

"Section 3. The provisions of this Act shall become effective on August 15, 2005; however, the provisions of this Act which require the promulgation of rules and regulations shall not be applied, enforced, or required, as and if applicable, until such rules and regulations are effective pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 49:954(B)."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.
(1) The United States Coast Guard discontinues its issuance of Certificates of inspection for riverboats as provided for in R.S. 27:44(23)(a) and (b), upon expiration of the United States Coast Guard certificate of inspection in effect at the time the United States Coast Guard discontinues its issuance of Certificates of Inspection.

(2) The United States Coast Guard declines to issue a Certificate of Inspection as provided for in R.S. 27:44(23)(a) and (b), for riverboats which are placed into service by the licensee and approved by the board after August 15, 2005. The riverboat shall be designated as a non-certificated vessel upon the refusal of the United States Coast Guard to issue a Certificate of Inspection.

B. To ensure the public health and safety of the public the Louisiana Gaming Control Board may approve that the non-certificated vessels be inspected by a combination of the following:

(1) A third-party inspector including but not limited to the American Bureau of Shipping or its affiliates.

(2) Inspections conducted by the licensee.

C. The non-certificated vessel shall be inspected by the third party inspector annually. The licensee shall conduct quarterly inspections using the criteria set forth in Subsection D of this Section and shall document in writing the results of the quarterly inspections and shall make them available to the division.

D. The third-party inspector shall certify to the Louisiana Gaming Control Board that the vessel is in compliance with the standards necessary to maintain a United States Coast Guard Certificate of Inspection and utilizing the inspection criteria, in effect at the time of the vessel’s original construction and suitable to the vessels present location and configuration.

E. Items which are not in compliance with the inspection standard described in this Section shall be remedied by the third-party inspector who will establish a time period for the discrepancies to be remedied.

F. Failure to remedy any discrepancy timely shall be reported to the division and Louisiana Gaming Control Board who may impose sanctions upon the licensee including a civil penalty.

G. In the event the approved third-party inspector is no longer available or acceptable to the Division to conduct the annual inspections required under R.S. 27:44.1(D), the division, subject to the approval of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board, shall select another third-party inspector to conduct inspections according to the same standards as provided for in R.S. 27:44.1(B)(2) and report its findings regarding compliance to the Louisiana Gaming Control Board.

H. Fees imposed by the third-party inspector shall be paid by the licensee and in no circumstance shall the state of Louisiana or any of its political subdivisions be responsible for the payment of such inspection fees regardless of who contracts with the third-party inspector to conduct the inspections as required by this Section.

I. The Louisiana Gaming Control Board shall adopt rules to provide for alternate inspections for persons licensed pursuant to the provisions of the Louisiana Riverboat Economic Development and Gaming Control Act as provided in Chapter 4 of this Title. All rules shall be adopted pursuant to the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act and R.S. 27:15(8).

AMENDMENT NO. 8

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

On motion of Rep. Martiny, the amendments were adopted.
provide for the powers and duties of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide for the powers and duties of the gaming division, office of state police; to provide limitations on the designated gaming area; to prohibit certain relationships; to provide for certain crimes; to provide for penalties; to provide for appeals; to provide for the calling and conducting of an election regarding slot machine gambling; to provide for assistance for compulsive or problem gambling; to provide that the provisions of law regarding the uniform and compulsive problem gambling program and permits for nongaming suppliers, key and non-key gaming employees apply to licensees for eligible airport facility gaming; to authorize an airport authority tax; to provide for the allocation of funds from that tax; to provide with respect to the power of the airport authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 799 by Representative Richmond

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 10, at the end of line 18, delete "a"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 10, delete line 19, in its entirety and insert "the eligible airport facility."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 14, at the end of line 14, delete the period "", and insert a comma "," and insert "and February 14, 2005."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 19, delete lines 3 through 12 in their entirety and insert the following:

"A. Tax. In order to provide funds for the policies and purposes as provided for in this Chapter, the governing authority of the airport is authorized:

(1) To levy and collect an amount not to exceed twenty-one and one-half percent in the aggregate of the weekly taxable net slot machine proceeds.

(2) To levy and collect fees necessary to conduct suitability determination and background checks and for fees imposed for linkage of electronic gaming devices to the central computer system as provided for in Chapter 9 of this Title.

B. The fees so authorized by this Subsection shall be imposed by ordinance or resolution of the governing authority of the airport without the need of an election.

§529. Distribution of tax revenues

The district is authorized to transfer, apportion, and allocate such revenues which remain after providing for all expenses of the district, as follows:

(1) One-sixth to go to the Jefferson Parish governing authority to be distributed by the Jefferson Parish governing authority.

(2) One-sixth to go to the city of Kenner to be distributed by the City of Kenner.

(3) One-third to lower landing fees at the New Orleans International Airport.

(4) One-third to increase the salaries of police officers in the New Orleans Police Department.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 816—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHNS AND MCDONALD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1184, relative to the Pharmacy Practice Act; to provide for changes in the fee schedule; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 836—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, CAZAYOUX, DEWITT, GALLOT, LAFLEUR, SALTER, TOWNSEND, AND TRICHE, AND SENATORS CHAISSON, HINES, LENTINI, AND MARIONNEAUX
AN ACT
To appropriate funds to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary, including the Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, District Courts, Criminal District Court of Orleans Parish, and other courts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 836 by Representative Alario

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 13, delete lines 3 through 20 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 13, at the beginning of line 21, change "Section 4." to "Section 3."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 842—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND TRICHE
AN ACT
To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions in appropriations from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and reductions for said agencies and purposes for the 2004-2005 Fiscal Year; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

632
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 842 by Representative Alario

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

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

"EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT"

01-124 LOUISIANA STADIUM AND EXPOSITION DISTRICT

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Deductions out of the New Orleans Sports Franchise Fund for operations $ 200,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Deductions out of the Sports Facility Assistance Fund for operations $ 144,000"

**VETERANS DEPARTMENT**

03-134 SOUTHWEST LOUISIANA WAR VETERANS HOME

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Southwest Louisiana War Veterans Home Program in this agency, as contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by $300,000."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"04-160 AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY"

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Management and Finance Program for operational expenses $ 332,171"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, at the end of line 16, change "6,004" to "7,727"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 1, at the beginning of line 21, change "05-1252" to "05-252"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 1, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Business Development Program for the 2005 AAU Junior Olympic Games $ 1,000,000"

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Lafayette Economic Development Authority for the Maritime Institute for Emergency Monitoring and Response $ 100,000"

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of financing for the Business Development Program in this agency, as contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the South Louisiana Economic Council for the Advanced Technology Center by $100,000."

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 1, line 23, after "Program" and before "this" insert "in"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT"

07-276 ENGINEERING AND OPERATIONS

Provided, however, that the appropriation contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature in the amount of $25,000 payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the District Programs for traffic control measures on U.S. Highway 167 in Evangeline Parish is null, void, and of no effect, and the state treasurer shall not honor warrants thereon."

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 2, at the end of line 9, change "$3,408,202" to "$2,914,471"

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

On page 2, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"08-414 DAVID WADE CORRECTIONAL CENTER"

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Rehabilitation Program in this agency, as contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by $360,000."

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Health Services Program in this agency, as contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by $200,000."

08-450 ADULT COMMUNITY-BASED REHABILITATION

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Adult Community-Based Rehabilitation Program in this agency, as contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by $100,000."

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**

On page 2, at the end of line 28, change "$1,464,242" to "$1,294,437"

**AMENDMENT NO. 11**

On page 2, at the end of line 29, change "$1,464,242" to "$1,294,437"
AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 2, at the end of 31, change "$424,044" to "$372,746"

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 2, at the end of line 32, change "1,040,198" to "921,691"

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 2, at the end of line 33, change "1,464,242" to "$1,294,437"

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 2, between lines 33 and 34, insert the following:

"FOR:
Payments to Private Providers Program $ 65,718,528
Payments to Public Providers Program $ 4,991,934

TOTAL EXPENDITURES $ 70,710,462

FROM:
State General Fund (Direct) $ 19,132,840
State General Fund by:
Excellence Fund $ 1,240,779
Federal Funds $ 50,336,843

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING $ 70,710,462

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Medicare Buy-Ins & Supplements Program in this agency, as contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by $373,619, and from Federal Funds by $916,503, for a total of $1,290,122.

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Payments to Public Providers Program in this agency, as contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues by $23,169,698, and by Interagency Transfers by $56,614,881, for a total of $79,784,579."

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 3, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

10-357 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Administrative Support Program for the operations of the licensing bureau $ 50,000

10-355 OFFICE OF FAMILY SUPPORT
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Client Services Program for operations $ 1,305,312

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Client Services Program in this agency, as contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the Federal Funds by $1,305,312."

AMENDMENT NO. 17
On page 4, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL SERVICE

17-563 STATE POLICE COMMISSION
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for operational expenses and pay adjustments $ 30,000

RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

18-585 LOUISIANA STATE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM - CONTRIBUTIONS
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to accelerate payoff of the Unfunded Accrued Liability of this system to be made in Fiscal Year 2005 in excess of its May 16, 2005, forecast $ 7,575,000

Provided, however, that this payment and interest accrued to this payment shall be applied to the State General Fund (Direct) portion of the final employer contribution requirement to be made in approximate Fiscal Year 2028. This payment and accrued interest shall be applied to this system's initial Unfunded Accrued Liability as defined as that unfunded accrued liability of this system existing on June 30, 1988. In the event that the recognized excess tobacco tax revenues are insufficient to fully fund this appropriation and the supplemental appropriation to Schedule 18-586 Teachers' Retirement System-Contributions, the treasury shall allocate money for these two appropriations on the basis of the ratio which the amount of each appropriation bears to the total excess recognized tobacco tax revenues. These appropriations shall not affect the tobacco tax dedications to the Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund.

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to accelerate payoff of the Unfunded Accrued Liability of this system $ 11,360,000

Provided, however, that this payment and interest accrued to this payment shall be applied to the State General Fund (Direct) portion of the final employer contribution requirement to be made in approximate Fiscal Year 2028. This payment and accrued interest shall be applied to this system's initial Unfunded Accrued Liability as defined as that unfunded accrued liability of this system existing on June 30, 1988.

18-586 TEACHERS’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM - CONTRIBUTIONS
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to accelerate payoff of the Unfunded Accrued Liability of this system to be made in Fiscal Year 2005 in excess of its May 16, 2005, forecast $ 12,425,000

Provided, however, that this payment and interest accrued to this payment shall be applied to the State General Fund (Direct) portion of the final employer contribution requirement to be made in approximate Fiscal Year 2028. This payment and accrued interest
shall be applied to this system's initial Unfunded Accrued Liability as defined as that unfunded accrued liability of this system existing on June 30, 1988. In the event that the recognized excess tobacco tax revenues are insufficient to fully fund this appropriation and the supplemental appropriation to Schedule 18-585 Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System - Contributions, the treasury shall allocate money for these two appropriations on the basis of the ratio which the amount of each appropriation bears to the total excess recognized tobacco tax revenues. These appropriations shall not affect the tobacco tax dedications to the Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund.

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to accelerate payoff of the Unfunded Accrued Liability of this system $ 18,640,000

Provided, however, that this payment and interest accrued to this payment shall be applied to the State General Fund (Direct) portion of the final employer contribution requirement to be made in approximate Fiscal Year 2028. This payment and accrued interest shall be applied to this system's initial Unfunded Accrued Liability as defined as that unfunded accrued liability of this system existing on June 30, 1988.

AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 4, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for debt service for the LSU Charity Hospital Nursing Building $ 414,544"

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 6, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the School and Community Support Program to offset the increased retirement costs of local education agencies $ 20,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 6, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:
"19-699 SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS
Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to provide for payment of the compromise settlement agreement in the suit entitled "Lorraine G. Palmer v. Louisiana State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education" $ 78,536"

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 6, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming Control Fund to the Orleans Parish District Attorney's Office $ 50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 6, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:
"20-945 STATE AID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES
Provided, however, that the appropriation contained in Act 1 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature in the amount of $225,000 payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Evangeline Parish Recreational District is null, void, and of no effect, and the state treasurer shall not honor warrants thereon."

AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 6, at the end of line 38, change "$6,000,000" to "$19,300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 6, after line 38, insert the following:
"Payable out of the St. Landry Parish Excellence Fund to the St. Landry Parish School Board $ 594,527"

AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 7, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for deposit into the Evangeline Parish Recreational District Support Fund $ 250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 26
On page 7, at the end of line 4, change "$3,297,254" to "$11,076,169"

AMENDMENT NO. 27
On page 7, at the end of line 5, change "$3,297,254" to "$11,076,169"

AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 7, at the end of line 7, change "$2,431,271" to "$10,210,186"

AMENDMENT NO. 29
On page 7, at the end of line 12, change "$3,297,254" to "$11,076,169"

AMENDMENT NO. 30
On page 7, at the end of line 14, change "$182,473,981" to "$183,003,981"

AMENDMENT NO. 31
On page 7, at the end of line 15, change "$182,473,981" to "$183,003,981"

AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 7, at the end of line 17, change "$181,511,842" to "$182,041,842"

AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 7, at the end of line 31, change "$182,473,981" to "$183,003,981"

AMENDMENT NO. 34
On page 7, between lines 36 and 37, insert the following:
"Section 2A. Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 49:112, there is hereby appropriated the sum of Fourteen Million Five Hundred Thousand and No/100 ($14,500,000.00) Dollars, be it more or less estimated, out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana..."
Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Winston Bartholomew, individually and on behalf of his minor daughter, Sherry Teal, Stacey Teal and Shelly Teal v. Richard W. Lee, State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, St. Bernard Parish, Energy Corporation, Robert Lucas, ABC Insurance Company, DEF Insurance Company, and XYZ Insurance Company", bearing Number 86-765 on the docket of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of St. Bernard, state of Louisiana.

C. The sum of Fifteen Thousand and No/100 ($15,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2005-2006 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Donald Bertucci, thru his parents, Dominic J. Bertucci, Jr. and Ruth Bertucci v. Bill Hood Ford, Inc. and Tiffany Motor Company", bearing Number 79-957 on the docket of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of St. Bernard, state of Louisiana.

D. The sum of Twenty Thousand and No/100 ($20,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2005-2006 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Forest L. Bethay v. Ford Motor Company, et al.", bearing Number 99-416 on the docket of the Civil District Court, parish of Orleans, state of Louisiana.

E. The sum of Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty and No/100 ($8,750.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2005-2006 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Jack W. Byrom, III v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 03-1467 on the docket of the Fourth Judicial District Court, parish of ouachita, state of Louisiana.

F. The sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred and No/100 ($2,500.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Orlando Castillo and Ricardo Reina v. Jennifer Blackwell, State Farm Insurance Company and Tiffany Burkhalter", bearing Number 2002-11458 on the docket of the Twenty-second Judicial District Court, parish of St. Tammany, state of Louisiana.

G. Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 49:112, the sum of Thirty Thousand and No/100 ($30,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Amanda Engolia v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 24,408 on the docket of the Eighteenth Judicial District Court, parish of Iberville, state of Louisiana.

H. The sum of Ten Thousand and No/100 ($10,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Donald Bertucci, thru his parents, Dominic J. Bertucci, Jr. and Ruth Bertucci v. Bill Hood Ford, Inc. and Tiffany Motor Company", bearing Number 79-957 on the docket of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of St. Bernard, state of Louisiana.

I. The sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred and No/100 ($2,600.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the amended consent judgment in favor of Mark Catalanotto in the suit entitled "Albert Estopinal, III v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company and Mark A. Catalanotto", bearing Number 75-927 on the docket of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of St. Bernard, state of Louisiana.

J. The sum of Fifty Thousand and No/100 ($50,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Winston Bartholomew, individually and on behalf of his minor daughter, Sherry Teal, Stacey Teal and Shelly Teal v. Richard W. Lee, State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, St. Bernard Parish, Energy Corporation, Robert Lucas, ABC Insurance Company, DEF Insurance Company, and XYZ Insurance Company", bearing Number 86-765 on the docket of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of St. Bernard, state of Louisiana.
the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Wayne J. Kraemer v. the State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 36,291 on the docket of the Eighteenth Judicial District Court, parish of West Baton Rouge, state of Louisiana.

K. The sum of Fifty-two Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-two and 27/100 ($52,972.27) Dollars, plus legal interest from October 3, 2000 until paid, plus court costs in the amount of Three Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-three and 02/100 ($3,953.02) Dollars, is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the judgment in the suit entitled "Kalani Spurlock Finister, Individually and on behalf of Anah Finister, et al v. ABC Corporation", bearing Number 00-C-4116 on the docket of the Twenty-seventh Judicial District Court, parish of St. Landry, state of Louisiana.

L. The sum of Ninety-four Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-six and 24/100 ($94,636.24) Dollars, plus legal interest from December 4, 1996 until paid, plus court costs in the amount of Eleven Thousand Six Hundred Four and 34/100 ($11,604.34) Dollars, is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the final judgment in the suit entitled "Dwayne J. Gros and Diane Gros, individually and on behalf of their minor children, Tyler Gros and Ben Gros v. Sandra W. Johnson and Travelers Insurance Company, Allstate Insurance Company, State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation & Development, ABC Insurance Company, West Building Materials of Louisiana, Inc., and DEF Insurance Company", bearing Number 117,780 on the docket of the Thirty-second Judicial District Court, parish of Terrebonne, state of Louisiana.

M. The sum of Twenty-one Thousand Five Hundred Seventeen and 83/100 ($21,517.83) Dollars, plus legal interest as provided in the judgment, plus court costs in the amount of Three Thousand Two Hundred Nineteen and 42/100 ($3,269.42) Dollars, plus the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty and No/100 ($2,808.00) Dollars to be paid to the Louisiana Department of Labor for the employer's contribution for retirement benefits awarded Mr. Halko in the judgment dated February 25, 2005, is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the judgment in the suit entitled "Thomas Halko v. Louisiana Department of Labor", bearing Number 480,412 on the docket of the Nineteenth Judicial District Court, parish of East Baton Rouge, state of Louisiana.

N. The sum of Fifteen Thousand and No/100 ($15,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Velma Irving v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 492112 on the docket of the Nineteenth Judicial District Court, parish of East Baton Rouge, state of Louisiana.

O. The sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand and No/100 ($300,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Richard Oracoy and Martin Kysar and Joseph C. Dupuy, Jr. v. State of Louisiana", bearing Number 68,215 on the docket of the Twenty-third Judicial District Court, parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana.

Q. The sum of One Hundred Twenty-five Thousand and No/100 ($125,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Evelyn Kysar and Joseph C. Dupuy, Jr. v. State of Louisiana", bearing Number 68,215 on the docket of the Twenty-third Judicial District Court, parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana.

R. The sum of Seven Thousand and No/100 ($7,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Tomi Landry v. Sammy J. Denova and the State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 53061 on the docket of the Eighteenth Judicial District Court, parish of West Baton Rouge, state of Louisiana.

S. The sum of Four Hundred Thousand and No/100 ($400,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Troy Lange v. Progressive Security Insurance Company and the State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 86-998 on the docket of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of St. Bernard, state of Louisiana.

T. The sum of Thirty Thousand and No/100 ($30,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Todd Lee v. Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company", bearing Number 32733 on the docket of the Eighteenth Judicial District Court, parish of West Baton Rouge, state of Louisiana.

U. The sum of Twenty-seven Thousand Five Hundred and No/100 ($27,500.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "James A. Lewis and Melanie M. Lewis v. Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, Nicole E. Morici and the State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 70,687 on the docket of the Twenty-third Judicial District Court, parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana.

V. The sum of Thirty Thousand Five Hundred and No/100 ($30,500.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Richard Oracoy and Martin Nunez v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development and Joye Baker", bearing Number 94-267 on the docket of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of St. Bernard, state of Louisiana.

W. The sum of Twenty Thousand Two Hundred Seventeen and No/100 ($20,217.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Louis Parks, III v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 499-555 on the docket of the Twenty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of Jefferson, state of Louisiana.

X. The sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred and No/100 ($12,500.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in favor of Mona Lita Poinexter in the suit
entitled "Mona Lita Poindexter, Tameka D. Gray, and Chekn Gray, individually and on behalf of Shaniaea Triggs v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 135420 on the docket of the Thirty-second Judicial District Court, parish of Terrebonne, state of Louisiana.

Y. The sum of Five Thousand Five Hundred and No/100 ($5,500.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in favor of Chekn Gray in the suit entitled "Mona Lita Poindexter, Tameka D. Gray, and Chekn Gray, individually and on behalf of Shaniaea Triggs v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 135420 on the docket of the Thirty-second Judicial District Court, parish of Terrebonne, state of Louisiana.

Z. The sum of One Thousand Five Hundred and No/100 ($1,500.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in favor of Chekn Gray in the suit entitled "Mona Lita Poindexter, Tameka D. Gray, and Chekn Gray, individually and on behalf of Shaniaea Triggs v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 135420 on the docket of the Thirty-second Judicial District Court, parish of Terrebonne, state of Louisiana.

AA. The sum of Five Thousand and No/100 ($5,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in favor of Tameka Gray in the suit entitled "Mona Lita Poindexter, Tameka D. Gray, and Chekn Gray, individually and on behalf of Shaniaea Triggs v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 135420 on the docket of the Thirty-second Judicial District Court, parish of Terrebonne, state of Louisiana.

BB. The sum of Five Thousand and No/100 ($5,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Stanley & Judy Richardson v. Imperial Fire & Casualty Insurance Company & State of Louisiana, D.O.T.D., et al", bearing Number 77,052 on the docket of the Twenty-third Judicial District Court, parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana.

CC. The sum of Fifteen Thousand and No/100 ($15,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Cheryl Ann Riles, et al v. Virginia Olin and Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc.", bearing Numbers 32,281 and 33,370, respectively, on the docket of the Eighteenth Judicial District Court, parish of Pointe Coupee, state of Louisiana.

DD. The sum of One Hundred Twenty-four Thousand and No/100 ($124,862.14) Dollars, plus legal interest from May 5, 1999 until paid, plus costs in the amount of Six Thousand Nine Hundred Nine and 28/100 ($6,909.28) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the judgments in the suit entitled "Joseph Rizzuto and Neal Sartalamacchia v. The State of Louisiana through the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 2002-CA-1687 on the docket of the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal, state of Louisiana.

EE. The sum of Ten Thousand and No/100 ($10,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Russell Lynn Rose, Sr. and Janet Ann Sibley Rose, husband and wife, individually and on behalf of their minor child, Russell Lynn Rose, Jr. v. the State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 97949 on the docket of the Twenty-first Judicial District Court, parish of Livingston, state of Louisiana.

FF. The sum of Seven Thousand Five Hundred and No/100 ($7,500.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Randy K. Smith v. T.L. James & Company, Inc. and the State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 35806-A on the docket of the Fifth Judicial District Court, parish of Richland, state of Louisiana.

GG. The sum of Five Hundred Forty-nine Thousand and No/100 ($549,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Rhonda Steen, individually and on behalf of the estate of James Steen, and on behalf of the minors James Edward Steen, Jr. and Lynnee Michelle Steen, and Joyce Horvath on behalf of the minors, Randy Henderson and Kelly Henderson v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 00-4975 on the docket of the Fourth Judicial District Court, parish of Ouachita, state of Louisiana.

HH. The sum of One Thousand and No/100 ($1,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "James Lee Taylor, Jr., on behalf of the minor child of Byron Leslie Taylor, Tony Adrian Taylor, and Martha Irene Taylor and Byron Leslie Taylor, Jr. v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, Nathaniel Armour, State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, Corey Anthony Thomas, and Geico Casualty Company, the City of New Orleans, and XYZ Insurance Company", bearing Number 2002-406 on the docket of the Civil District Court, parish of Orleans, state of Louisiana.

II. The sum of Seven Hundred Twenty Thousand and No/100 ($720,000.00) Dollars, plus legal interest from May 11, 1990 until paid, is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the judgment in the suit entitled "Eudoro Tenorio, et al v. Automotive Casualty Insurance Company, et al", bearing Number 90-09309 on the docket of the Civil District Court, parish of Orleans, state of Louisiana, and Number 2004-CA-0393 on the docket of the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal, state of Louisiana.

JJ. The sum of Three Thousand and No/100 ($3,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Nicole Tymon v. The State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 26,358 on the docket of the Twenty-third Judicial District Court, parish of St. James, state of Louisiana.

KK. The sum of Three Thousand and No/100 ($3,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Joseph Urquhart v. The State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 88-094 on the docket of the Civil District Court, parish of Terrebonne, state of Louisiana.

LL. The sum of Thirty Thousand and No/100 ($30,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to be used to pay the consent judgments in favor of Carol Vagias and Donald Burkhardt in the suit entitled "Carol Vagias v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development" consolidated with "Donald R. Poindexter, Tameka D. Gray, and Chnek Gray, individually and on behalf of Shaniaea Triggs v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 2002-406 on the docket of the Civil District Court, parish of Orleans, state of Louisiana."
Burkhardt v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development*, bearing Numbers 89-244 and 89-268, respectively, on the docket of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District Court, parish of St. Bernard, state of Louisiana.

MM. The sum of Twenty-five Thousand and No/100 ($25,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to provide funds to be available to the commissioner of administration for the compromise or settlement of the claim against the state in the suit entitled "Brian Keith Yelling and Emanuel Webh v. Jason J. Denise, the State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, the Parish of Iberia, and State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company", bearing Number 84,338 on the docket of the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, parish of Iberia, state of Louisiana.

Provided, however, that all judgments provided for in this Section shall be paid as to principal, interest, court costs, and expert witness fees as provided in said judgments, it being the intent herein that when the provisions of any judgment conflict with the provisions of the respective House Bill or this Act, the provisions of the judgment shall be controlling. Any other provision of any such House Bill or this Act not in conflict with the provisions of such judgment shall control. Payments shall be made as to any such judgment only after presentation to the state treasurer of a receipt and release and any other documentation required by the state treasurer. Further, all judgments provided for in this Section shall be deemed to have been paid on the effective date of the Act, and legal interest shall cease to run as of that date.

Section 3. The sum of Two Million Five Hundred Thousand and No/100 ($2,500,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 to provide funds to be available to the commissioner of administration for the compromise or settlement of the claim against the state in the suit entitled "Gordean Adella Wingfield, et al v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development, Wilson Trailer Company, Inc.", bearing Number 2001 CA 2668, consolidated with Number 2001 CA 2669, on the docket of the First Circuit Court of Appeal, state of Louisiana, on appeal from the Nineteenth Judicial District Court, state of Louisiana, docket Number 418,074, consolidated with Number 418,842.

Section 4. The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for making capital outlay appropriations and for the purposes and in the amounts specified for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2004, and ending June 30, 2005.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

05/252 Office of Business Development Economic Development Award Program Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 10,000,000

HIGHER EDUCATION

19/671 Board of Regents Library, Instructional, and Scientific Equipment Acquisitions Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 10,000,000

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

19/681 Subgrantee Assistance Classroom Technology Program for computers in the classroom Payable from State General Fund (Direct) $ 10,000,000
AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 15, at the beginning of line 23, change "Section 6." to "Section 10."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 877—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 51:1792, relative to eligibility for tax incentives under the enterprise zone program; to provide for the eligibility for certain video draw poker owners or operators; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

Senate Instruments on Second Reading Returned from the Legislative Bureau

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

SENATE BILL NO. 6—
BY SENATOR ADLEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(B)(2), relative to the Bossier Levee District; to provide for an increase in the membership of the district; to provide for the appointing authority; to provide for the term of the additional member; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 143—
BY SENATORS CAIN, ADLEY AND MOUNT
AN ACT
To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 12 located in the city of DeQuincy as the "Buddy Henagan Memorial Parkway."

Read by title.

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

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 127—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the office of motor vehicles to implement a pilot program for one year to test a four ten-hour day work week and hours of operation for its offices that provide services to the public and that such pilot program be implemented in half of its offices by July 1, 2005.

Read by title.

Rep. Triche moved the adoption of the resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker  Farrar  Pinac
Alario  Faucheux  Pitre
Alexander  Frith  Powell, M.
Ansardi  Gallot  Powell, T.
Arnold  Geymann  Quezare
Baldone  Gray  Richmond
Barrow  Greene  Ritchie
Baudoin  Guillory, E.  Robideaux
Baylor  Guillory, M.  Romero
Beard  Hammett  Scalise
Bowler  Hebert  Schneider
Bruce  Hill  Shepherd
Bruneau  Honey  Smiley
Burns  Hopkins  Smith, G.
Burrell  Hutter  Smith, J.D.–50th
Carter, K.  Jackson  Smith, J.H.–8th
Carter, R.  Jefferson  Smith, J.R.–30th
Cazayoux  Johns  St. Germain
Crane  Katz  Strain
Cravins  Kemard  Thompson
Crowe  Kenney  Toomy
Curtis  Kleckley  Townsend
Damicco  LaFleur  Trahan
Daniel  LaFonta  Trique
Dartez  Lambert  Tucker
DeWitt  Lancaster  Waddell
Doerge  Martiny  Walker
Dorsey  McDonald  Walsworth
Dove  McVea  White
Downs  Montgomery  Winston
Durand  Morrell  Wooton
Erdey  Odinet  Wright
Fannin  Pierre  Total - 98

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Badon  Hunter  Morrish
Glover  LaBruzzo
Heaton  Marchand
Marchand  Total - 7

The resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.
### Suspension of the Rules

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and request a divided vote Medicare referendum option for state employees who are members of any state or statewide retirement system and who were hired before April 1, 1986.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

### Suspension of the Rules

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

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

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

#### Regular Calendar

### Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, the rules were suspended to limit the author or proponent handling the legislative instrument to ten minutes for opening remarks and all subsequent speakers on the instrument to five minutes.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 563—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2013, relative to the city of New Orleans; to require the fire department of such city to adopt a written policy establishing a maximum age requirement for any person hired as a fire suppression employee of the department; to provide exceptions; to provide such maximum age requirement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Gray moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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| Total - 93 |

### NAYS

| TOTAL - 0 |

| ABSENT |
| Ansardi | Glover |
| Beard | Hutto |
| Burns | Hutter |
| Farrar | Jackson |

| Total - 12 |

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 629—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:909 and R.S. 47:843(C)(5) and 859(A)(1), to enact R.S. 26:907.1, and to repeal R.S. 47:844, relative to regulation of tobacco products; to provide for certain regulation, permitting, and other requirements for certain elements of the tobacco industry; to authorize enforcement and audit of certain activities; and to provide for related matters.

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. 629 by Representative Hebert

| AMENDMENT NO. 1 |
| On page 1, line 2, change “859(A)(1)” to “859(A)(Introductory paragraph) and (1)” |

| AMENDMENT NO. 2 |
| On page 3, line 15, change “859(A)(1)” to “859(A)(Introductory paragraph) and (1)” |
On motion of Rep. McDonald, the amendments were adopted.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Hebert gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 629 from the calendar for future action.

HOUSE BILL NO. 755—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DARTEZ AND JACK SMITH
AN ACT

To enact Part VI of Chapter 4 of Title 26 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 to be comprised of R.S. 26:751 and Chapter 18 of Title 28 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 to be comprised of R.S. 28:871 and 872, relative to alcohol abuse; to require the office of alcohol and tobacco control to require posting of signs on certain licensed premises; to provide for a toll-free number and referral services for alcohol abuse; to provide for a fine for failure to post; to require the office for addictive disorders of the Department of Health and Hospitals to provide a toll-free telephone service; to create a special fund in the state treasury known as the Alcohol Abuse Toll-Free Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Amendments proposed by Representative McDonald on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 755 by Representative Dartez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 2, change "only be withdrawn" to "be withdrawn only".

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

Rep. Dartez sent up floor amendments which were adopted as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative McDonald on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 755 by Representative Dartez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 2, change "only be withdrawn" to "be withdrawn only".

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

Rep. Jack Smith moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Badon
Baldone
Barrow
Baudouin
Baylor
Beard
Bowler
Bruce
Bruneau
Burns
Burrell
Carter, K.
Carter, R.
Cayayoux
Crane
Cravins
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
DeWitt
Doerge
Dove
Downs
Durand
Erdey
Fannon
Total - 99

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Dorsey
Hebert
LaBruzzo
Total - 6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 820—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.252(A)(1) and (2)(e) and (B) and 130.261(C), to enact R.S. 33:130.261(D) and (E), and to repeal R.S. 33:130.255(A)(4), relative to the Terrebonne Economic Development Authority; to provide relative to the appointment and qualifications of members of the board of commissioners and filling board vacancies; to provide relative to the annual budget, financial reports, and expropriation powers of the authority; and to provide for related matters.

Amendments proposed by Representative Dartez to Engrossed House Bill No. 755 by Representative Dartez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 25, after "treasury" and before "shall insert "and specifically allocated for these purposes"

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

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Faucheux Odinet
Alario Frith Pierre
Alexander Gallot Pire
Ansardi Geymann Pire
Arnold Glover Powell, M.
Badon Gray Powell, T.
Baldone Greene Quezaire
Barrow Guillory, E. Richmond
Baudoin Guillory, M. Ritchie
Bayl...
Speaker Pro Tempore Dorsey in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 870—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY

AN ACT
To enact Chapter 26-B of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9017.1, relative to the funding of juvenile facilities, programs, and services in the parish of Orleans; to provide for the imposition and collection of taxes and for the use thereof; to create and provide with respect to a special juvenile services financing district, including provisions for the district and its board of commissioners and their powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Richmond moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alario
Ansardi
Arnold
Badon
Baldone
Barrow
Baudoin
Baylor
Bruce
Burrell
Carter, K.
Carter, R.
Cazayoux
Cravins
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
DeWitt

Dorsey
Durand
Farrar
Faucheux
Gallot
Geymann
Glover
Gray
Guilory, E.
Hammett
Hebert
Hill
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Hunter
Hutter
Jackson
Jefferson
Johns
LaFleur

LaFonta
Marchand
Morrell
Pierre
Pinac
Quezaire
Richmond
Ritchie
Robideaux
Romero
Shepherd
Smith, G.
St. Germain
Thompson
Townsend
Walker
Winston
Wooton

NAYS

Beard
Bowler
Brunau
Burns
Crane
Dove
Erdey
Fannin
Frith
Greene
Katz
Kennard

Kenney
Kleckley
Lambert
Lancaster
Martiny
McVea
Montgomery
Morrish
Pitre
Powell, M.
Powell, T.
Scalise

Schneider
Smiley
Smith, J.H.–8th
Strain
Toomy
Trahon
Triche
Waddell
Walsworth
White
Wright
Odinet

Total - 56

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker
Alexander
Crowe
Doerge
Downs

Guillory, M.
Heaton
Hopkins
LaBruzzo
McDonald

Odinet
Smith, J.D.–50th
Smith, J.R.–30th
Tucker

Total - 14

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT, SALTER, ALARIO, AND DORSEY AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOIE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT

AN ACT
To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2005, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Hammett gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 3 from the calendar for future action.

HOUSE BILL NO. 715—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HOPKINS AND SALTER

AN ACT
To authorize the state of Louisiana to forgive certain debt due to the state from the Sabine River Authority; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Hopkins to Engrossed House Bill No. 715 by Representative Hopkins

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 13, before the period “.” insert a comma “,” and insert “less any amounts paid prior to July 1, 2008”

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Badon
Fannin
Farrar
Faucheux
Frith
Galloat
Geymann

McVea
Montgomery
Morrell
Morrish
Pierre
Pinac

Total - 14
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 878 (Substitute for House Bill No. 198 by Representative Thompson)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1448(P), relative to group insurance premiums; to provide for the payment of insurance premiums for certain retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs in Richland Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Thompson moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Faucheux Odinet
Alario Frith Pierre
Alexander Gallot Pinac
Ansardi Geymann Pitre
Arnold Glover Powell, M.
Badon Gray Powell, T.
Baldone Guillory, E. Quezaire
Barrow Guillory, M. Richmond
Baudoin Hammett Ritchie
Crane Johns Smith, H.
Cravins Jeffery Smith, J.H.
Crowe Katz St. Germain
Curtis Kennard Toomy
Damicco Kenney Townsend
Daniel Kleckley Triche
Dartez LaFleur Tucker
DeWitt LaFonta Walker
Dorsey Lambert Vines
Dove Lancaster Walsworth
Downs Marchand White
Durand Martiny Winston
Erdey McDonald Wright
Total - 97

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Doerge Odinet Tucker
Greene Smiley Waddell
LaBrezzo Triche Wooton
Total - 9

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 859—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:306.1 and 337.20, relative to the payment of state and local sales and use taxes by interstate and foreign transportation dealers; to provide for the optional method by which such dealers calculate and pay such taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 838—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DORSEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:462(B)(3)(a), 463(A)(1) and (3), and 475, to enact R.S. 47:463(D), and to repeal R.S. 47:462(B)(6) and 465, relative to motor vehicle registration taxes; to provide for the issuance of uniform license plates for certain types of vehicles; to provide for the minimum annual motor vehicle license tax; to repeal provisions relative to the annual registration license tax for motorcycles; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 879 (Substitute for House Bill No. 309 by Representative Frith)—

AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(O), relative to hotel occupancy taxes; to require the parish tourist commission in certain parishes to increase the hotel occupancy tax; to provide with respect to the authority and responsibility of the commission; to provide for the dedication of the proceeds from the increase; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Frith moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith
Alario Gallot
Ansardi Geymann
Arnold Glover
Badon Guilyory, E.
Baldone Hammett
Barrow Heaton
Baudoin Hebert
Baylor Hill
Bruce Honey
Burrell Hopkins
Carter, R. Hunter
Cazayoux Hutter
Crane Jackson
Cravins Jefferson
Curtis Johns
Damico Kenney
Daniel Kleckley
Dartez LaFleur
DeWitt LaFonta
Dorsey Lambert
Dove Lancaster
Downs Marchand
Durand Martin
Erdey McDonald
Fannin Montgomery
Farrar Morrish
Faucheux Pierre

Total - 82

NAYS

Beard Doerge
Bowler Greene
Burns Powell, M.
Crowe Robideaux

Total - 12

ABSENT

Alexander Guillory, M.
Bruneau Katz
Carter, K. Kennard
Gray LaBruzzo

Total - 11

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Frith 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.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Johns gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 542 from the calendar for future action.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. White gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 761 from the calendar for future action.

Acting Speaker Walker in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 838—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DORSEY

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:462(B)(3)(a), 463(A)(1) and (3), and 475, to enact R.S. 47:463(D), and to repeal R.S. 47:462(B)(6) and 465, relative to motor vehicle registration taxes; to provide for the registration license schedule for certain types of vehicles; to provide for the issuance of uniform license plates for certain types of vehicles; to provide for the minimum annual motor vehicle license tax; to repeal provisions relative to a staggered registration system for certain types of vehicles; to repeal provisions relative to the annual registration license tax for motorcycles; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Bruneau moved that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.


Motion

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

Speaker Salter in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 91—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI

AN ACT
To amend and reenact Chapters 1, 2, and 3 of Title VII of Book I of the Civil Code, presently comprised of Articles 178 through 211, to be comprised of Chapters 1 and 2 of Title VII of Book I of the Civil Code, consisting of Articles 184 through 198, relative to the filiation of parents and children; to provide for the proof of maternity and paternity; to provide for the presumptions of paternity; to provide for disavowal of paternity; to provide for the contestation of paternity; to provide for an acknowledgment of paternity; to provide for the avowal action; to provide for the exceptional action of paternity; and to provide for related matters.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.
Rep. Ansardi sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Ansardi to Engrossed House Bill No. 91 by Representative Ansardi

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 12, delete lines 27 through 29 in their entirety and insert the following:

"This action is subject to a peremptive period of nineteen years from the day of the child's birth, or one year from the day of the death of the alleged father, whichever first occurs, except for the sole purpose of establishing the right to recover damages under Article 2315. A proceeding for that purpose may be brought within one year of the death of the alleged parent and may be cumulated with the action to recover damages.

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 13, at the end of line 45, delete "at any time" and insert the following:

"within nineteen years of the child's birth or one year of the child's death, whichever first occurs."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 14, delete lines 7 and 8 in their entirety

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Johns to Engrossed House Bill No. 91 by Representative Ansardi

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 14, line 4, after the period "," delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 5 and 6 in their entirety

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 124**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WOOTON AND DARTEZ AND SENATORS DUPRE AND B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:305(H) and to enact R.S. 56:302.3(B)(5)(c), relative to shrimp gear licenses; to provide for additional fees for such licenses; to provide relative to deposit and use of the revenues from such additional fees; and to provide for related matters.

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Wooton moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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Baylor Heaton Richmond Bowler Hebert Ritchie
Bruce Hill Romero Bruneau Honey Shepherd Burrell Hopkins Smith, G. Carter, R. Hunter Smith, J.D.-50th
Crane, Hutter Smith, J.R.-30th Curtis Jefferson St. Germain Damico Johns Strain
Daniel Kennard Thompson Dartez Kenney Toomy DeWitt LaFonta Townsend
Doerge Lancaster Triche Dorsey Marchand Triche Dove Martiny Walker Durand McDonald Wooton
Fannin McVea Wright Total - 75

NAYS
Beard Greene Smith, J.H.-8th Burns Kleckley Waddell Carter, K. Lambert Walsworth
Crowe Powell, M. White Erdey Robideaux Geymann Scalise
Total - 16

ABSENT
Alexander Jackson Schneider Cazayoux Katz Smiley Cravins LaBruzzo Tucker Downs LaFleur Winston Faucheux Morrish
Total - 14

The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 392—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAUDOIN

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2010.9(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 40:2010.9(D), relative to residents' bill of rights; to provide for actions brought for civil enforcement of residents' rights; and to provide for related matters.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ansardi to Engrossed House Bill No. 392 by Representative Baudoin

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "and (B)" and before the comma "," delete "and to enact R.S. 40:2010.9(D)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 2, after "to" and before "residents" insert "nursing home"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 4, after the semicolon ";" and before "and" insert "to provide for exclusiveness of certain rights and remedies;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 6, after "reenacted" delete the remainder of the line and on line 7, delete "40:2010.9(D) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 9, after "A." and before "Any" insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 1, line 10, after "40:2018" and before the comma "," insert "(A)(5) through (8), (10), (11), (12), (17), (18), (22), or (23)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 1, after line 20, add the following:

"(2) Any resident who alleges that his rights, as specified in R.S. 40:2010.8(A)(1) through (4), (9), (13) through (16), (19), (20), or (21), have been deprived or infringed upon may assert a cause of action only for injunctive relief against any nursing home or health care facility responsible for the alleged violation. The action may be brought by the resident or his curator, including a curator ad hoc. The action may be brought in any court of competent jurisdiction to enforce such rights or to enjoin any deprivation or infringement on the rights of a resident. Any plaintiff who prevails in such action shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorney fees and court costs. If the court finds that the plaintiff acted in bad faith with malicious purpose and that there was an absence of a justiciable issue of either law or fact, the court shall award the prevailing party his reasonable attorney fees."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"B.(1) Except as otherwise provided in this Subsection, the remedies provided in Paragraphs (1) and (2) of Subsection A of this Section for a violation of R.S. 40:2010.8 shall be the exclusive remedies by a resident against any nursing home or health care facility responsible for the alleged violation.

(2) The remedies provided in this Section shall not be construed to restrict other legal and administrative remedies available to a resident and to the Department of Health and Hospitals or other governmental agencies."

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, delete lines 6 through 17 in their entirety and insert the following:
"Section 2. The provisions of the Nursing Home Resident's Bill of Rights is intended to provide nursing home residents with important rights to preserve their dignity and personal integrity, and to provide a means by which they could enforce these rights. These rights however, do not include the right to bring a malpractice claim against the nursing home outside of the provisions of the Medical Malpractice Act or the Malpractice Liability for State Services Act."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Ansardi  Dorsey  Odinet
Badon   Gallot  Richmond
Baldone Gray  Romero
Baudoin Honey  Smith, G.
Bowler Jefferson Smith, J.D.–50th
Bruce LaFonta Townsend
Carter, K. Marchand Triche
Carter, R. Martiny Walker
Dartez Morrell Wooton
Total - 27

NAYS

Mr. Speaker Frith  Pinac
Alario Geymann Pitre
Alexander Glover Powell, M.
Arnold Greene Powell, T.
Beard Guillory, E. Quezaire
Bruneau Guillory, M. Ritchie
Burrell Hammett Robideaux
Crane Hill Scalise
Cravins Hopkins Schneider
Crowe Hutter Smiley
Curtis Johns Smith, J.H.–8th
Damico Kennard Smith, J.R.–30th
Daniel Kenney St. Germain
DeWitt Kleckley Strain
Doerge LaFleur Thompson
Dove Lambert Toomy
Durand Lancaster Trahan
Erdey McDonald Waddell
Fannin McVea Walsworth
Farrar Montgomery White
Faucheux Pierre Wright
Total - 63

ABSENT

Barrow Heaton LaBrazzo
Baylor Hebert Morrish
Burns Hunter Shepherd
Cazayoux Jackson Tucker
Dowins Katz Winston
Total - 15

The Chair declared the above bill failed to pass.

Rep. Johns moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill failed to pass, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Beard, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect him as voting nay.
AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"F.(1)(a) Pursuant to constitutional and statutory authorities granted him, and upon the written request of an agency of the state, the attorney general may undertake debt collection activities to pursue debts owed the agency. Such activities shall be performed in accordance with the terms of a written agreement between the agency and the attorney general, and the attorney general shall receive as compensation an amount not to exceed twenty-five percent of the total monies recovered through activities undertaken pursuant to the agreement. In all such debt collections, the attorney general and the state agency shall determine whether the interests of the state are best served by litigation or by the making of an offer or the acceptance of an offer to settle or compromise litigation or debts owed the state. For purposes of this Subsection, 'agency' or 'state' shall mean the state, its departments, agencies, boards, and commissions.

(b) The provisions of this Paragraph shall not apply to authorities of the attorney general and collection activities provided for under R.S. 9:4751 et seq., R.S. 18:1400.6, R.S. 46:1 et seq., and R.S. 47:1516.1.

(c) The provisions of this Paragraph with respect to compensation to be paid the attorney general shall not apply to debt collection activities concerning student loans issued pursuant to the Federal Family Education Loan Program, 20 USC 1071, et seq., the Federal Perkins Loan Program, 20 USC 1078aa, et seq., and all educational debts that are evidenced by a contract or negotiable instrument that provides for the payment of collection costs or attorney fees and are collected by the Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission or are collected on behalf of institutions under the jurisdiction of boards created by Article VIII of the Constitution of Louisiana.

(d) The provisions of Subsection F of this Section shall not be construed to authorize the attorney general to execute or enter into contingency fee contracts with private entities with respect to debt collections on behalf of the state.

(2) There is hereby established in the state treasury a special fund to be known as the Department of Justice Debt Collection Fund, hereinafter referred to as the "fund". The fund shall be comprised of monies received by the attorney general as compensation for any debt collection activities undertaken pursuant to the provisions of this Subsection or any other provision of law. Monies in the fund shall be subject to annual appropriation to the Department of Justice solely for support of debt collection activities. Monies so appropriated shall be used to supplement the department's budget and shall not be used to displace, replace, or supplant appropriations from the state general fund for operations of the department below the level of state general fund appropriation for the foregoing year. All unencumbered and unexpended monies in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund. Monies in the fund shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as those in the state general fund, and any interest earned on such investment shall be deposited in and credited to the fund.

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Fannin
Pierre

Farrar
Pinerac

NAYS

Total - 95

ABSENT

Total - 0

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:622.2, relative to automobile liability insurance; to provide for coverage; to provide for prohibitions on limitations; to provide for public policy; and to provide for related matters.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. LaFleur moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:
The Chair declared the above bill, not having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, failed to pass.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Speaker Pro Tempore Dorsey in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 56—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KATZ, DOERGE, ST. GERMAIN, AND WINSTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:46.2, relative to offenses against the person; to create the crime of human trafficking; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Susension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Jane Smith, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect her as voting nay.
Suspension of the Rules

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

Called from the calendar.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Katz to Engrossed House Bill No. 56 by Representative Katz

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 9, after "obtain" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 10 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "another person through fraud, force, or coercion to provide services or labor."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the end of line 14, change "purposes" to "services"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 7, after "(2)" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 8 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "Fraud, force, or coercion means any of the following:"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Bowler to Engrossed House Bill No. 56 by Representative Katz

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 12, after "fined" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following

"not less than five hundred nor more than four"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13, after "imprisoned" delete the remainder of the line and insert a comma ",” and the following:

"with or without hard labor, for not less than two years nor more than four years."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, delete lines 14 through 17 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, at the beginning of line 18, change "(3)" to "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, at the end of line 19, delete "twenty-five" and delete line 1 from Page 2, and insert the following:

"five thousand dollars or imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for not less than two years nor more than ten"

Rep. Bowler moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 22 yeas and 57 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Townsend to Engrossed House Bill No. 56 by Representative Katz

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 13, after "years" and before the period ".", insert "without the benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 17, delete "twenty years" and insert "ten years without the benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 1, delete "twenty-five years" and insert "ten years without the benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence"

Rep. Townsend moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 50 yeas and 37 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander
Ansardi
Arnold
Badon
Baldone
Barrow
Baudoin
Baylor
Beard
Bruce
Bruneau
Burns
Burrell
Carter, K.
Carter, R.
Crane
Crowe
Curtis
Damico
Daniel
Dartez
DeWitt
Dorsey
Dove

Gallot
Geymann
Glover
Greene
Guillory, E.
Guillory, M.
Hammett
Heaton
Hebert
Hill
Honey
Hopkins
Hunter
Jefferson
Johns
Katz
Kennard
Kenney
Kleckley
LaFonta
Lambert
Lancaster
Marchand
Martiny
McDonald

Pinac
Pitre
Powell, M.
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Romero
Scalice
Schneider
Shepherd
Smiley
Smith, G.
Smith, J.D.–50th
Smith, J.H.–8th
Smith, J.R.–30th
St. Germain
Strain
Thompson
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Tucker
Waddell
The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on third reading and final passage were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**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. 130—**
BY SENATOR ROMERO

To enact R.S. 9:203(E)(4), relative to marriage officiants, judges, and justices of the peace; to extend the authority for certain federal judges to preside over a marriage ceremony between May 16, 2005 and June 4, 2005; and to provide for related matters.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Ansardi, 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**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 25, 2005

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. 7
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 64
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate
Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS
May 25, 2005

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. 127 Returned with amendments
- House Bill No. 332 Returned without amendments
- House Bill No. 340 Returned without amendments
- House Bill No. 544 Returned without amendments
- House Bill No. 570 Returned with amendments
- House Bill No. 618 Returned with amendments
- House Bill No. 638 Returned without amendments
- House Bill No. 686 Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

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

SENATE BILL NO. 11 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 10)—BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN AND REPRESENTATIVE FRITH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:7574.1, relative to beachfront development districts in Cameron Parish; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners of the Beachfront Development District No. Two of Cameron Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 33—BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:1236.27, relative to Cameron Parish; to provide for the zoning, land use, and siting of any public or private facility for the disposal of solid waste; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
May 25, 2005

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. 70 and 71

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS
May 25, 2005

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

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

- Senate Bill Nos. 11 and 33

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
May 25, 2005

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. 72 and 73

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

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

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

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS
May 25, 2005

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. 54, 167, 258, and 307
and ask the Speaker of the House of Representatives to affix his
signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

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

Introduction of Resolutions,
House and House Concurrent

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 63—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Thierry family upon the occasion of the family
reunion.

Read by title.

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. White, 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. 343—
BY SENATOR FONTENOT
AN ACT
To enact Part IX of Chapter 6 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised
Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:3071 through 3075,
relative to government within East Baton Rouge Parish; to
provide for the continued collection of tax revenue to fund
essential public services within Central City; to authorize the
parish to continue collection of a previously approved two
percent sales and use tax and to continue providing essential
public services within the corporate limits of Central City
pursuant to intergovernmental agreement; to create a Central
City Transition District as a taxing district to provide monies for
essential public services within the municipality; to authorize the
district to levy and collect a sales and use tax not to exceed two
percent; to provide time limits for the continuation of such
taxes; to authorize contracts, intergovernmental agreements, and
cooperative endeavors; and to provide for related matters.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Read by title.

Rep. White moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

| YEAS |
|-----------------
| Mr. Speaker | Gallot |
| Alexander | Geymann |
| Ansardi | Glover |
| Badon | Greene |
| Baldone | Guillory, E. |
| Barrow | Guillory, M. |
| Baudoin | Heaton |
| Baylor | Hill |
| Beard | Honey |
| Bowler | Hopkins |
| Bruce | Hunter |
| Bruneau | Johns |
| Burns | Katz |
| Burrell | Kennard |
| Crane | Kenney |
| Crowe | Kleckley |
| Curtis | LaFonta |
| Damico | Lambert |
| Daniel | Lancaster |
| Dartez | Marchand |
| Doerge | Martiny |
| Dorsey | McDonald |
| Dove | McVeag |
| Durand | Montgomery |
| Erdey | Morell |
| Fannin | Morrish |
| Farrar | Odinet |
| Faucheux | Pierre |
| Frith | Pinac |
| Total - 86 |

| NAYS |
|-----------------
| Carter, K. |
| Total - 1 |

| ABSENT |
|-----------------
| Alario |
| Arnold | Gray |
| Carter, R. | Hammett |
| Cazayoux | Hebert |
| Cravins | Hutter |
| DeWitt | Jackson |
| Total - 18 |

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. White 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. Lancaster, the rules were suspended in order to
take up and consider Senate Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over
at this time.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the Committee on House and
Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 65.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To re-authorize and provide with respect to the Louisiana Public Mental Health Review Commission.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the resolution was recommitted to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on Judiciary
May 25, 2005

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 22, by Jefferson
Reported favorably. (8-0-1)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 118, by Crowe
Reported favorably. (12-0-1)

House Bill No. 7, by M. Guillory
Reported favorably. (10-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 76, by Marchand
Reported with amendments. (8-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 107, by Frith
Reported with amendments. (9-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 135, by Crowe
Reported favorably. (12-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 343, by Toomy
Reported favorably. (14-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 633, by Hebert
Reported with amendments. (11-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 642, by Jefferson
Reported with amendments. (8-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 711, by Morrell
Reported with amendments. (11-2-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 869, by Frith
Reported favorably. (7-4-1) (Regular)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26, by Adley
Reported favorably. (8-0-1)

Senate Bill No. 75, by Adley
Reported favorably. (8-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 139, by Jones
Reported favorably. (8-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 153, by Michot
Reported with amendments. (8-0-1) (Regular)

WILLIE HUNTER
Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations
May 25, 2005

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to submit the following report:

Senate Bill No. 95, by Kostelka
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

WILLIE HUNTER
Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs
May 25, 2005

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 121, by Frith
Reported favorably. (7-0-1)

House Bill No. 133, by Cazayoux
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 160, by Honey
Reported with amendments. (9-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 368, by Marchand
Reported favorably. (6-1-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 480, by Arnold
Reported with amendments. (8-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 598, by LaFonta
Reported with amendments. (9-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 605, by Richmond
Reported by substitute. (6-3-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 636, by Daniel
Reported with amendments. (9-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 640, by LaFonta
Reported favorably. (9-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 822, by Shepherd
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 829, by Jackson
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

ERNEST BAYLOR, JR.
Chairman

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau
May 25, 2005

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

Senate Bill No. 21
Reported without amendments.
Senate Bill No. 210
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 224
Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 235
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 249
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES MCDONALD
Chairman

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Kenney, at 5:45 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Thursday, May 26, 2005, at 9:00 A.M.

The Speaker Pro Tempore of the House declared the House adjourned until 9:00 A.M., Thursday, May 26, 2005.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House