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Under the Adoption of the Constitution of 1974

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, June 7, 2005

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

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Pastor Henry Ballard, Jr.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

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

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**Reading of the Journal**

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

On motion of Rep. Burns, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of June 2, 2005, was corrected to reflect him as voting nay on final passage of House Bill No. 114.

On motion of Rep. Hebert, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of June 2, 2005, was corrected to reflect him as voting nay on final passage of House Bill No. 884.

On motion of Rep. Alexander, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of June 6, 2005, was corrected to reflect him as voting nay on final passage of House Bill No. 542.

On motion of Rep. Fannin, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of June 6, 2005, was corrected to reflect him as voting nay on final passage of House Bill No. 429.

On motion of Rep. Waddell, the Journal of June 6, 2005, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**House Concurrent Resolutions**

June 7, 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. 156
  - Returned without amendments
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 159
  - Returned with amendments
- House Concurrent Resolution No. 160
  - Returned without amendments
Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 7, 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 No. 91

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 91—

BY SENATORS JONES AND KOSTELKA AND REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend Mary Ann Riddle, an educator at Ouachita Parish High School in Monroe, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

Read by title.

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

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

June 7, 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. 34, 89, 214, 264, and 291

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Farrar, 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. 34—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6005, relative to income and franchise tax; to grant a tax credit for the purchase of certain equipment and/or service contracts related to recycling; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 89—

BY SENATORS NEVERS AND MARIONNEAUX

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 18(G)(1)(a)(i) and (iii) and (2)(a) and add Article VII, Section 18(G)(1)(a)(iv) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax; to provide for a special assessment level for certain deaths, disabilities, and other hazards of the military; to provide for certification of eligibility; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 214—

BY SENATORS BARHAM AND CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(3), relative to alternative assessments for students with certain disabilities; to require the Department of Education with the approval of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to provide alternative assessments for students with persistent academic disabilities; to provide for minimum accommodations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 264—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:427.4 and to enact R.S. 17:427.5, relative to public schools and school children; to benefit schools and children by encouraging the availability of certified teachers; to provide for programs designed to provide incentives for certified classroom teachers to work in certain schools in disadvantaged geographical areas; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 291—

BY SENATORS DARDEEN, HOLLIS, SCHEDLER, AMEDEE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DUPLESSIS, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, HEITMEIER, JACKSON, LENTINI, MICHEUX, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, ROMERO, SMITH AND ULLO

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 27-C of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9039.50 through 9039.66, relative to local and regional economic development; to provide for the creation of local and regional economic development...
over were taken up and acted upon as follows:

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. 85—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY, GEYMANN, E. GUILORY, JOHNS, AND MORMISH**
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to revoke its issuance of an off-premise advertising permit authorizing the placement of an advertising billboard on Rabbit Island within the city of Lake Charles and to urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to deny issuance of any outdoor advertising permits on Rabbit Island in the future.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Kleckley, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 172—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Social Services, bureau of licensing, to study the feasibility of adopting and implementing rules and regulations to provide for the licensing of “drop-in” programs.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Robideaux, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 173—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to consider restricting the weight limit of commercial vehicles traveling on Louisiana Highway 316, also known as Bayou Blue Road, in Terrebonne Parish, and to consider reducing the posted speed limit for such highway.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Dove, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

**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. 79—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE**
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request public libraries to confine certain books and other materials that are age inappropriate for children to areas designated exclusively for adult access and distribution.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 80—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER**
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Division of Administration to study, review, and examine current state printing practices.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 162—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE CRAVINS**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of youth services, together with the local courts exercising juvenile jurisdiction and local children and youth planning boards, to study jointly the needs of and resources available to youth requiring out-of-home placement in Region 5, consisting of the Fifteenth, Sixteenth, and Twenty-Seventh Judicial Districts and to make recommendations for changes in the laws, rules, programs, and procedures to achieve more effective and cost efficient delivery of juvenile justice services.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Toomy, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 163—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE CRAVINS**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To designate and proclaim the town of Opelousas as the Spice Capital of the State of Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Toomy, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 169—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create the Automobile Manufacturing Industry Task Force and to charge the task force with conducting a thorough study of the current status of the automobile manufacturing industry in the state and measures needed to stabilize and secure the industry and to access opportunities to advance the industry.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 170—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To create the Unemployment Compensation for Domestic Abuse Victims Task Force to study domestic abuse, its effect in the workplace, and to make recommendations regarding legislation.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—**
BY SENATOR DUPRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To approve the Fiscal Year 2005-2006 Coastal Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Plan, as adopted by the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Authority ("authority").

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—**
BY SENATOR JONES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Board of Regents to conduct a study and manage a master planning process using research, data analysis, community input and experience to recommend programs, site design, and development plans for the creation of the Northeast Louisiana Delta Learning Center.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 88—**
BY SENATORS JONES AND ELLINGTON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Region 8 Health Care Consortium and the Department of Health and Hospitals develop a plan for a Northeast-Delta Human Services District.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 90—**
BY SENATOR BARHAM
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the Congress of the United States to inquire into the status of and pursue the expeditious resolution of the third nomination for the Medal of Honor of U.S. Army Colonel David H. Hackworth.

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 553—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 5 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for additional motor vehicle license taxes; to provide for the disposition of the proceeds from the additional taxes; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Greene, the bill was withdrawn from the files of the House.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Greene, the bill was withdrawn from further consideration of House Bill No. 855.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 855—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:470, relative to imposition of the vehicle registration license fee or tax; to provide for additional vehicle license fees or taxes; to provide for the disposition of the proceeds from the additional taxes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Greene, the bill was withdrawn from the files of the House.

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 32—**
BY SENATOR ADLEY
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(B)(1)(a) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemption; to provide for an exemption for certain leases of certain hospitals; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 126—**
BY SENATOR BROOME
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 45:844.50(A) and to enact R.S. 45:844.56, relative to public utilities and carriers relationship with local government; to require a local referendum before a local governing authority can provide certain telecommunications services; to provide for the impact of a local governing authority providing covered services on certain existing obligations; 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. 141—**
BY SENATORS ROMERO, HINES, CAIN, CRAVINS, DUPRE, B. GAUTREAUX, N. GAUTREAUX, MICHOT, MOUNT AND THEUNISSEN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 45:844.50(A) and to enact R.S. 45:844.56, relative to public utilities and carriers relationship with local government; to require a local referendum before a local governing authority can provide certain telecommunications services; to provide for the impact of a local governing authority providing covered services on certain existing obligations; and to provide for related matters.
sugarcane who have not added an additional single axle to their sugarcane trailers to August 1, 2010; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 165—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 18(G)(1)(a)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax; to grant a special assessment level to certain disabled people; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATOR FIELDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To amend the rule adopted as policy by the Facility Planning and Control Division of the Office Facilities Corporation regarding procedure for access by visitors and/or non-tenants to a state office building, and to direct such division to reissue its policy.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—
BY SENATOR JONES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the state of Louisiana to assume full ownership and possession of the real property and all of the improvements located on the property formerly known as Swanson Correctional Center for Youth-Madison Parish Unit facility at Tallulah.

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 Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 by Senator Jones

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 26, before the period ";" insert "and the commissioner of administration"

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

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committee

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 110—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2005-2006 to be used to pay fees and expenses associated with legal representation of certain juveniles; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 169—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER
AN ACT
To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2005-2006 to the Department of Transportation and Development, Engineering and Operations, Bridge Trust Program, to provide for reimbursement of legal expenses of Alan J. LeVasseur; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 244—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WALSWORTH AND LAMBERT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:1394.1, relative to state police; to provide for a report of salary schedules for troopers and officers of the division of state police; to require that the report be submitted to the governor, the commissioner of administration, and members of the legislature through the speaker of the House of Representatives and the president of the Senate; to provide for the scope of the annual salary schedule report; to provide for procedures for review of said salary schedule; to provide for the implementation of recommendations concerning such schedule; 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. 244 by Representative Walsworth
AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "submitted" and before "the governor" change "for review by" to "to" and after "administration," and before "the" insert "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the beginning of line 5, delete "chairman of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, and to the"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 13, after "schedule" delete the semicolon ";" and delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, at the beginning of line 14, delete "A."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, at the beginning of line 2, change "speaker" to "the speaker"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 2, after "legislature" delete the period and delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, at the end of line 6, insert the following:

"(6) "Goal" means a numerically expressed objective relating to state procurements and public works contracts that a state agency or contractor is encouraged to make a good faith effort to achieve."

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, at the beginning of line 6, change "(7)" to "(8)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, at the beginning of line 9, change "(8)" to "(9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 3, at the end of line 12, change "39:2008" to "39:2006"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 3, at the end of line 17, change "does" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 3, at the end of line 20, insert the following:

"This Chapter shall not apply to contracts for sole-source items, contracts with other governmental entities, and those contracts that are prohibited by federal law from inclusion in this Chapter."

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 3, delete lines 21 through 29 in their entirety, delete pages 4 and 5 in their entirety, and insert the following:

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 628 by Representative Quezaire

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3 after "through" and before the comma "," change "2011" to "2008"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 6, after "and" and before "goals" delete "agency"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 10, after "rulemaking:" delete the remainder of the line, and at the beginning of line 11, delete "penalties;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 14, after "through" and before the comma "," change "2011" to "2008"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 5, after "intended to" and before "business" change "enhance" to "encourage"

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§2004. State goals for procurements and public contracts

The commissioner of administration shall establish annual goals for small entrepreneurship participation in state procurements and public contracts. The commissioner shall determine the appropriate level and number of goals for each year. The formulation of each goal shall be based on historical procurement and public contracting data and any other factors which the commissioner deems useful. As part of development of goals, the commissioner may consider the capacity of small entrepreneurship available to participate in meeting goals, which may be determined based on past experience, available small entrepreneurship certifications, and recognized industry composition. The commissioner shall provide guidance to agencies with respect to estimation of dollar values for anticipated procurement and contract activity to be used in the development of a goal. Agencies shall report any data required by the commissioner in this regard in accordance with a schedule established by the commissioner.

§2005. Competitive source selection

Methods of source selection which may be utilized by an agency to satisfy a state goal for contracting with small entrepreneurs shall include but not be limited to:

1. Any method provided for in an executive order governing small purchases.

2. The purchase of goods, operating services, major repairs, personnel services, professional services, consulting services, and public works directly from a certified small entrepreneurship under an agency's discretionary purchasing authority.

3. Direct purchase from a certified small entrepreneurship who is a distributor on a state contract.

4. The inclusion of the requirement that a bidder or offerer have a good faith subcontracting plan to utilize a certified small entrepreneurship as part of a competitive bid or a request for proposal, pursuant to guidelines established by the commissioner of administration.

5. An allowance for at least ten percent of the total evaluation points in a request for proposal be awarded to an offerer demonstrating a good faith effort to use small entrepreneurs as subcontractors.

6. An allowance for ten percent of the total evaluation points in a request for proposal be awarded to an offerer who is a certified small business entrepreneur.

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 6, at the beginning of line 1, change "§2008," to "§2006."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 7, at the beginning of line 15, change "§2009." to "§2007."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 7, line 16, after "policies" and before "for" insert "and procedures necessary"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 7, line 18, after "contracts" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 19 through 22 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 7, at the beginning of line 23, insert "This shall include measures"
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. 796—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Section 4 of Act No. 721 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana; to provide relative to the effectiveness of such Act; 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. 796 by Representative Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 9, after "entity" and before "assumes" insert "with the approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget and the Commissioner of Administration"

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. 862—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 22 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1801 through 1808; to establish a tax rebate and credit program to promote urban revitalization; to provide for the eligibility for and administration of the tax credits and rebates; to provide for tax and other incentives; to provide with respect to financing; 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. 862 by Representative Burrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 4, line 19, after "from" and before "income" insert "all or a portion of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 4, line 21, after "of" and before "corporate" insert "all or a portion of"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 5, line 25, after "first" and before the period "" insert "or at the request of the taxpayer shall be refundable to the taxpayer"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 5, after line 29, insert the following:
"E. Notwithstanding any provision of this Chapter or other law to the contrary, the incentives provided by this Section shall be in lieu of any incentives under the Enterprise Zone Program."

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.

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. 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.
Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.
Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 45—
BY SENATOR DUPERRE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4754(C)(1)(a), relative to liens for removal and securing dangerous structures by certain parishes and municipalities; to include the Terrebonne Parish assessor within the definition of "equivalent officer" for the purposes of certain actions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported favorably by the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.
Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.
On motion of Rep. Baylor, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 57—
BY SENATORS DUPLESSIS AND MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVE GRAY
AN ACT
To enact Part XIII of Chapter 9 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:1018.1 and 1018.2, relative to employment; to provide with respect to the federal Earned Income Tax Credit and the Advance Earned Income Credit; to require employers to inform new employees of the federal Earned Income Tax Credit and the Advance Earned Income Credit at the time of hire; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 57 by Senator Duplessis

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 17, change "ten" to "twenty"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 7, after "notify" delete "all employees" and insert in lieu thereof "new employees, whose anticipated wages are $35,000 or less annually."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, delete lines 10 through 23 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Any written notice provided to the employer by the Internal Revenue Service or the Louisiana Department of Labor for this purpose shall be provided to such employees at the time of hiring.

B. Employers shall post, in the same location where other employee notices required by state or federal law are posted, a notice provided by the Louisiana Department of Labor that states:

If you make $35,000 or less, your employer should notify you at the time of hiring of the potential availability of Earned Income Tax Credits or Advance Earned Income Credits. Earned Income Tax Credits are reductions in federal income tax liability for which you may be eligible if you meet certain requirements. Additional information and forms for these programs can be obtained from your employer or the Internal Revenue Service.

C. This department notice, provided for in Subsection B of this Section, shall also contain, as a minimum, the current eligibility requirements as indicated in the Internal Revenue Service's Form W-5. It shall be the responsibility of the Louisiana Department of Labor to update the notice whenever the Internal Revenue Service changes the eligibility requirements for Earned Income Tax Credit or Advance Earned Income Credit."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 79—
BY SENATOR DUPRE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:9356, relative to veterans' memorial districts; to provide relative to the Veterans' Memorial District of Ward 10 of Lafourche Parish; to provide for a board of commissioners; to provide relative to board membership, composition, selection, powers and duties, and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 83—
BY SENATORS N. GAUTREAUX AND CRAVINS
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 27-C of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statue of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9039.40, relative to the public housing rehabilitation program for low income and elderly residents of the parishes of Acadia, Lafayette, St. Landry and Vermilion; and to create the Southwest Acadiana Parishes Public Housing Rehabilitation District; to provide relative to the purposes, governance, duties and authority of the commission; to authorize the commission to levy and collect any other taxes; to authorize the refund of local sales and use taxes, subject to the approval of district voters; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 83 by Senator N. Gautreaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 23, change "state Senate" to "legislative delegation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 28, change "state Senate" to "legislative delegation"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 4, line 11, after "subdivisions." and before "tax" change "This" to "Any such"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 4, line 17, after "Subject to the" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 18, delete "Section," and insert "limitations provided in this Subsection,"
AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 11, after “of the district” delete the remainder of the line and insert “pursuant to the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection to”

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 90—

BY SENATORS NEVERS AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-35 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.701 through 130.709, relative to special districts; to create the Tangipahoa Parish Economic Development District; to provide for a board of commissioners of the district and for the district’s powers, duties, and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 90 by Senator Nevers

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, at the end of line 23, add “The district shall expropriate property pursuant to the provisions of this Paragraph only if approved by a majority vote of the governing district of Tangipahoa Parish.”

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 97—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:221.4, relative to St. Landry Parish; to provide for special service districts and contracts, taxes, and services related thereto; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 97 by Senator Cravins

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 18 through 21 in their entirety and insert the following:

“(2) Notwithstanding any provision of this Section to the contrary, if the municipality and the special service district have failed to enter into a contract pursuant to the provisions of Subsection A of this Section, or have failed to successfully mediate in accordance with Paragraph B(1) of this Section for property which is currently annexed, neither the special service district nor the municipality may collect taxes or subject the annexed property to dual taxation.

(3) During this period, the funds derived from taxes levied on the properties currently assessed by both the special service district and the municipality shall be deposited into the registry of the Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court on an annual basis by the tax collector for the special service district and the municipality until the parties enter into a written contract pursuant to Subsection A of this Section and provide for a single taxing jurisdiction for the assessed property.

(4) For all properties currently annexed and not subject to a contract between the municipality and the special service district, the tax assessor shall remove the property in the annexed territory from the tax rolls of the special service district as to all obligations, not secured by bonds, of the special service district.

(5) When the parties agree to a written contract pursuant to Subsection A of this Section, the contract shall provide for the distribution of the funds deposited into the registry of the court.”

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

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)(introdductory paragraph) and (A)(3), (E)(1)(introdductory paragraph), (E)(1)(c) and (d), (E)(2)(a), (E)(3), and (F)(1)(introdictory paragraph), and (I), 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.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary.

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.
The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 118 by Senator Barham

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 27, change "Paragraph" to "Subsection"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 135—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:471(A) and to enact R.S. 11:441(G), relative to Louisiana State Employees’ Retirement System; to provide with respect to survivors benefits; to provide with respect to eligibility for retirement for new members; to require new members to have ten years of service at age sixty to be eligible for retirement; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Retirement to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 135 by Senator Dardenne

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S." and before "relative to", delete "11:471(A) and to enact R.S. 11:441(G)," and insert in lieu thereof "11:62(5)(e), 231(C), 403(introductory paragraph) and (5), 429, 441(A), 444(A)(1)(a), and 461(B),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "System;" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "members;" and before "to require" insert "to provide for contributions; to provide for definitions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 5, after "retirement;" and before "to" insert "to provide relative to purchasing service credit for eligibility; to provide for benefit computation;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 9, after "R.S." delete "11:471(A) is" and insert in lieu thereof "11:62(5)(e), 231(C), 403(introductory paragraph) and (5), 429, 441(A), 444(A)(1)(a), and 461(B) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 9, after "reenacted" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 10 delete "hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, between lines 10 and 11 insert the following:

§62. Employee contribution rates established

Employee contributions to state and statewide public retirement systems shall be paid at the following rates:

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(5) Louisiana State Employees’ Retirement System:

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(e) All others:

(i) Hired on or before December 31, 2005 - 7.5%.

(ii) Hired on or after January 1, 2006 - 7.0%.

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§231. Average compensation

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C.(1) This Section shall not apply to members of the State Police Pension and Retirement System who become members on or before September 8, 1978, but it shall apply to all persons who become members of the State Police Pension and Retirement System on or after September 9, 1978.

(2) This Section shall not apply to members of the Louisiana State Employees’ Retirement System whose first employment making them eligible for system membership began on or after January 1, 2006, or to any person who receives an additional benefit pursuant to R.S. 11:557, 582, or 602 or R.S. 24:36.

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§403. Definitions

The following words and phrases used in this Chapter, unless a different meaning is clearly required by the context, shall have the following meanings, unless a different meaning is clearly required by the context:

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(5)(a) "Average compensation", for a member whose first employment making him eligible for membership in the system began on or before December 31, 2005, and for any person who receives an additional benefit pursuant to R.S. 11:557, 582, or 602 or R.S. 24:36, means the average annual earned compensation of a state employee for the thirty-six highest months of successive employment, or for the highest thirty-six successive joined months of employment where interruption of service occurred; however, average compensation for part-time employees who do not use thirty-six months of full-time employment for average compensation purposes shall be based on the base pay the part-time employee would have received had he been employed on a full-time basis.

(b)(ii) "Average compensation", for a member whose first employment making him eligible for membership in the system began on or after January 1, 2006, and subject to the limitations provided in this Subparagraph, means the average annual earned compensation of a state employee for the sixty highest months of successive employment or for the highest sixty successive joined months of employment where interruption of service occurred; however, average compensation for part-time employees who do not use sixty months of full-time employment for average compensation purposes shall be based on the base pay the part-time employee would have received had he been employed on a full-time basis.
(ii) The earnings to be considered for the thirteenth through the twenty-fourth month shall not exceed one hundred twenty-five percent of the earnings of the first through the twelfth month. The earnings to be considered for the twenty-fourth through the thirty-sixth month shall not exceed one hundred twenty-five percent of the earnings of the thirteenth through the twenty-fourth month. The earnings to be considered for the thirty-sixth through the forty-eighth month shall not exceed one hundred twenty-five percent of the earnings of the twenty-fifth through the thirty-sixth month. The earnings for the final twelve months shall not exceed one hundred twenty-five percent of the earnings of the thirty-seventh through the forty-eighth month. The limitations on the computation of average compensation contained in this Item shall not apply to any twelve-month period during which compensation increased by more than twenty-five percent over the previous twelve-month period solely because of an increase in compensation by a uniform systemwide increase adopted by the state department of civil service and approved by the governor or because of a pay adjustment enacted by the legislature.

(iii) The provisions of this Subparagraph shall not apply to any person who receives an additional benefit pursuant to R.S. 11:557, §82, or 602 or R.S. 24:36.

§429. Purchase of service credit

A. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, any member of the system who has credit in the system for at least one year of service shall be eligible to obtain credit for up to five years of service credit in one-year increments or as provided in Subsection B of this Section, provided that he shall apply to the system for such credit on or before June 30, 2005, and pay to the system by June 30, 2006, the greater of the amount calculated in accordance with the actuarial cost provisions of R.S. 11:158 or the employee and employer contributions plus interest based on the member's current salary, which totally offsets the increase in accrued liability of the system resulting from the receipt of the credit by the member. The amount to be paid shall be paid in one lump sum, and no service credit shall be given to the member until or unless the amount is paid in full.

B. Any person who applies to purchase service credit under the provisions of this Section on or before December 31, 2005, may purchase such service credit in one-year increments. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, any member of the system who has credit in the system for at least five years of service shall be eligible to obtain credit for up to five years of service credit in one-year increments provided that he shall apply to the system for such credit and pay to the system the greater of the amount calculated in accordance with the actuarial cost provisions of R.S. 11:158 or the employee and employer contributions plus interest based on the member's current salary, which totally offsets the increase in accrued liability of the system resulting from the receipt of the credit by the member. The amount to be paid shall be paid in one lump sum, and no service credit shall be given to the member until or unless the amount is paid in full. Any credit purchased pursuant to this Subsection shall be used for calculation of benefits only and shall not be used for purposes of attaining eligibility for retirement.

"A.(1) Any member hired on or before December 31, 2005, shall be eligible for retirement if he has:

(1) (a) Thirty years or more of service, at any age.

(b) Twenty-five years or more of service, at age fifty-five or thereafter.

(c) Ten years or more of service, at age sixty or thereafter.

(d) Twenty years of service credit at any age, exclusive of military service and unused annual and sick leave, but any person retiring under this Paragraph Subparagraph shall have his benefit, inclusive of military service credit and allowable unused annual and sick leave, actuarially reduced from the earliest age that he would normally become eligible for a regular retirement benefit under Paragraph (1), (2), or (3) Subparagraph (a), (b), or (c) of this Subsection Paragraph if he had continued in service to that age. Any employee who elects to retire under the provisions of this Paragraph Subparagraph shall not be eligible to participate in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan provided by R.S. 11:447 or the Initial Benefit Option provided by R.S. 11:446(A)(5).

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 1, delete line 12 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A.(1) Any member hired on or before December 31, 2005, shall be eligible for retirement if he has:

(1) (a) Thirty years or more of service, at any age.

(b) Twenty-five years or more of service, at age fifty-five or thereafter.

(c) Ten years or more of service, at age sixty or thereafter.

(d) Twenty years of service credit at any age, exclusive of military service and unused annual and sick leave, but any person retiring under this Paragraph Subparagraph shall have his benefit, inclusive of military service credit and allowable unused annual and sick leave, actuarially reduced from the earliest age that he would normally become eligible for a regular retirement benefit under Paragraph (1), (2), or (3) Subparagraph (a), (b), or (c) of this Subsection Paragraph if he had continued in service to that age. Any employee who elects to retire under the provisions of this Paragraph Subparagraph shall not be eligible to participate in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan provided by R.S. 11:447 or the Initial Benefit Option provided by R.S. 11:446(A)(5)."

"§444. Computation of retirement benefit

A.(1)(a) A member who retires effective on or after July 1, 1973, and thereafter and whose first date of employment making him eligible for system membership was on or before December 31, 2005, or who receives an additional benefit pursuant to R.S. 11:557 or R.S. 24:36, shall receive a maximum retirement allowance equal to two and one-half percent of average compensation, as determined under R.S. 11:231, for every year of creditable service, plus three hundred dollars.

(ii) A member who retires whose first date of employment making him eligible for system membership was on or after January 1, 2006, shall receive a maximum retirement allowance equal to two and one-half percent of average compensation for every year of creditable service.

The provisions of this Item shall not apply to any person who receives an additional benefit pursuant to R.S. 11:557 or R.S. 24:36.

§461. Eligibility; certification

B. The board of trustees shall award disability benefits to eligible members who have been officially certified as disabled by the State Medical Disability Board. The disability benefit shall be determined as follows:

(1) ★ Except as otherwise provided in this Section, a member shall receive a maximum disability retirement benefit which shall be equivalent to the regular retirement formula without reduction by reason of age.
(2) Subject to the appropriation of funds for this purpose, a corrections officer, probation or parole officer, or a security officer of the Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections who becomes disabled solely as a result of disabilities sustained in the official performance of official duties of a hazardous nature shall receive a maximum disability benefit of sixty percent of average compensation. The agency shall certify that the disability was sustained while the member was performing official duties while on active status and the disability must be certified by a physician on the State Medical Disability Board.

(3)(a) For any person whose employment first making him eligible for membership in the system occurred on or before December 31, 2005, or who has attained the age of sixty regardless of hire date, or who receives an additional benefit pursuant to R.S. 11:557 or R.S. 24:36, the disability retiree may retire under any of the regular retirement plans which applies to him.

(b) Any person who has not attained the age of sixty and whose employment first making him eligible for membership in the system occurred on or after January 1, 2006, shall receive a disability benefit equal to one and eight-tenths percent of average compensation for every year of creditable service. When the disability retiree attains the age of sixty, he shall receive his regular retirement benefit upon making application therefor to the board. The provisions of this Subparagraph shall not apply to any person who receives an additional benefit pursuant to R.S. 11:557 or R.S. 24:36.

(4) Selection of retirement option need not be made when application is filed. Selection may be made after the applicant receives his disability retirement estimate. Accumulated annual leave for which payment cannot be made upon retirement and unused sick leave accumulated upon retirement shall be credited to the extension of service in the computation of disability retirement benefits.

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 2, line 9, after "Section 2." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 10 through 13 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2005; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2005, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 158—
BY SENATORS DARDENNE AND MURRAY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:226.1 and Chapter 32 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2131 through 2135, relative to employment of minors; to provide for the employment of minors providing artistic or creative services; to provide for placement of certain monies received as compensation in trust accounts; to provide for creation of such accounts and for the use of monies deposited in such accounts; to provide for educational instruction of minors engaged in providing artistic or creative services; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 158 by Senator Dardenne

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 1, after "contract" and before the period "," insert "and for which instruction is required pursuant to R.S. 51:2134"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 10, after "compensation" and before "in this" insert "of five hundred dollars or more"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 24, between "minor" and "in a financial" insert the following:

"and, except as provided in Subsection G of this Section, that the trust fund be created"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 3, line 9, between "bonds," and "certificates" delete "and" and insert the following:

"interest bearing savings accounts, or"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 3, line 11, between "account" and the period "," insert "or a combination of such investments"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 4, line 14, after "Louisiana" and before the period "," insert the following:

"who shall hold such funds in trust to be tendered to a trust account that is subsequently established on behalf of the minor, or if no such trust account is established, then to the minor upon reaching the age of majority"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 4, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"G. If a trust account is already established on behalf of the minor in another state, all monies required to be deposited in a trust fund under the provisions of this Section, may be deposited into the trust account already established in another state for the benefit of the minor."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 4, line 25, between "teacher" and "to provide" insert a comma "," and "beginning on the second day of employment."

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 5, delete lines 1 through 4 in their entirety

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.
On motion of Rep. Walker, the amendments were adopted. 

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular 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. 

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary. 

The committee amendments were read as follows: 

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS 

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 162 by Senator Heitmeier 

AMENDMENT NO. 1 
On page 1, line 3, after "hurricane" and before the semi-colon ";", insert "in or threatening the Gulf of Mexico" 

AMENDMENT NO. 2 
On page 1, line 8, after "hurricane", and before the comma ",", insert "in or threatening the Gulf of Mexico" 

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau. 

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar. 

SENATE BILL NO. 313— 
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE MCVEA 
AN ACT 
To enact R.S. 33:2740.62, relative to special districts; to create the East Feliciana Parish Economic Development District; to provide for the purpose and governance of the district; to provide for its rights and powers, including the authority for tax financing by the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters. 

Read by title. 

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

The committee amendments were read as follows: 

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS 

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 313 by Senator Marionneaux 

AMENDMENT NO. 1 
On page 2, line 2, change "Subpart" to "Section" 

AMENDMENT NO. 2 
On page 2, at the end of line 13, change "on" to "own" 

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau. 

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar. 

SENATE BILL NO. 327— 
BY SENATOR JONES 
AN ACT 
To enact R.S. 46:1053(C)(2)(e), relative to hospital service districts; to authorize an increase in per diem for the members of the board of commissioners of the Madison Parish Hospital Service District; to increase the number of meeting days payable by a per diem; and to provide for related matters. 

Read by title. 

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

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau. 

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar. 

SENATE BILL NO. 330— 
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX 
AN ACT 
To enact R.S. 33:423.15, relative to the city of Carencro; to provide for disciplinary action by the chief of police; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters. 

Read by title. 

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

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau. 

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar. 

SENATE BILL NO. 332— 
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX 
AN ACT 
To enact R.S. 33:3812(G), relative to waterworks districts; to increase the membership of the board of commissioners of the Southeast Waterworks District No. 2 of Vermilion Parish; and to provide for related matters. 

Read by title. 

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

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau. 

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar. 

SENATE BILL NO. 348— 
BY SENATOR CRAVINS 
AN ACT 
To enact R.S. 33:2740.39, relative to special districts; to create the Opelousas Downtown Development District; to provide for the purpose and governance of the district; to provide for its rights, powers, and duties, including the authority to tax, subject to the
approval of the district voters; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**Senate Bills on Second Reading Reported by Committee**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 187—**
BY SENATORS DUPRE, N. GAUTREAUX, MALONE, MCPHERSON, MICHOT AND ROMERO AND REPRESENTATIVES BALDONE, PITRE AND ST. GERMAIN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.2(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; to provide relative to certain federal revenues received by the state generated from Outer Continental Shelf oil and gas activity; to provide for the depositing and crediting of such monies into the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund, and for the uses of such federal revenues; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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 Senate Bill No. 187 by Senator Dupre

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 16, at the beginning of the line before "federal" insert "in each fiscal year, the first six hundred million dollars in"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, line 14, after "provide that" and before "eligible" insert "in each fiscal year after making other deposits required by the constitution, the first six hundred million dollars in"

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

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Alario, and under a suspension of the rules, the bill was referred to the Legislative Bureau at this time.

**Reconsideration**

The following legislative instruments on reconsideration were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 440—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX AND SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3390.3(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 37:3390.6(F), relative to the Addictive Disorders Practice Act; to provide for the imposition and collection of fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the vote by which the above House Bill failed to pass on the previous legislative day was reconsidered.

Returned to the calendar under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 852—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:1177(A)(2) and (3), relative to the Public Service Commission; to provide for inspection and supervision fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the vote by which the above House Bill failed to pass on the previous legislative day was reconsidered.

Returned to the calendar under the rules.

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Pinac gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 852 from the calendar for future action.

**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. 81—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Congress to support no increases in payroll taxes, no cuts to Social Security benefits, and optional Social Security Personal Retirement Accounts.

Read by title.

Motion

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 138—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES GARY SMITH, FARRAR, MONTGOMERY, R. CARTER, FAUCHEUX, GALLOT, SHEPHERD, AND WHITE

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.
On motion of Rep. Gary Smith, the resolution was adopted. Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 147—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURNS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Labor to allow for the creation and development of e-learning programs for activities allowed under the Incumbent Worker Training Program.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 158—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations to the legislature on the duties of notaries public with regard to registry and recordation of their acts and the means by which the identification of notaries and witnesses to their acts may be assured for the public benefit under the Louisiana public records doctrine.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Gallot, the resolution was adopted. Ordered to the Senate.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—
BY SENATOR ADLEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To direct the appropriate state agencies to take action to implement and enforce the law on delivery sales of cigarettes.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Triche to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 by Senator Adley

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after “To” and before “the” delete “direct” and insert in lieu thereof “urge and request”

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

Rep. Triche moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 70 yeas and 19 nays, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Doerge, the resolution, as amended, was concurred in.

Suspension of the Rules

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

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. 147—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURNS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Labor to allow for the creation and development of e-learning programs for activities allowed under the Incumbent Worker Training Program.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Burns, the resolution was adopted. Ordered to the Senate.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Tucker, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions at this time.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Regular Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 69—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, SCALISE, AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1425(A), (B), and (C)(3) and (5) and to repeal Section 2 of Act 770 of the 2004 Regular Session, relative to automobile liability insurance; to provide for military personnel; to provide for discounts; to provide for premium tax credits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pitre 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. 380—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:266.1(B) and (D) and to repeal R.S. 11:266.1(E), relative to investments of state retirement systems; to provide for investments through Louisiana incorporated and domiciled broker-dealers; to specify that ten percent of all commissions of trades of domestic equity and fixed income investments shall be directed through broker-dealers incorporated, domiciled, or having their principal trading operations in Louisiana; to remove provisions that discontinue such requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Arnold gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 380 from the calendar for future action.
HOUSE BILL NO. 478—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEATON  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1386, relative to the judges' noncontributory plan; to provide a two percent cost-of-living adjustment for judges who did not opt to become members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and for surviving spouses of such judges; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Heaton moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith Pitre
Alario Gallot Powell, M.
Ansardi Glover Powell, T.
Arnold Gray Quezaire
Baldone Greene Richmond
Baudoin Guillory, E. Ritchie
Bayor Heaton Romero
Bruce Hebert Schneider
Bruneau Hill Shepherd
Burns Honey Smith, G.
Burrell Hopkin Smith, J.D.–50th
Carter, K. Hunter Smith, J.H.–8th
Carter, R. Hutter Smith, J.R.–30th
Cazayoux Jackson St. Germain
Crane Jefferson Strain
Cravins Kennard Thompson
Curtis Kleckley Toomy
Damicco LaBruzzo Townsend
Dartez LaFonta Triche
DeWitt Lancaster Tucker
Doerge Marchand Waddell
Dorsey Martiny Walker
Dove MCVea White
Durand Montgomery Wooton
Erdey Odinet Wright
Farrar Pierre
Fauches Pinac
Total - 80

NAYS

Alexander Beard Frith
Bowler Johns Fannin
Daniel Kenney Geymann
Downs McDonald Kenney
Doerge Marchand McVea
Dorsey Manchester Maye
Dove Marchand Waddell
Downs Maye Walsworth
Erdey Odinet Walker
Famin Montgomery Wooton
Farrar Morrell Wright
Fauches Pinac
Total - 12

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Heaton 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. 481—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1925.1, 1925.2(A)(1), and 1925.3(A), to enact R.S. 47:1925.8, and to repeal R.S. 47:1925.2(A)(3), relative to the Board of Assessors for Orleans Parish; to provide for the financing of the Board of Assessors for Orleans Parish; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Arnold moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gallot Odinet
Alario Geymann Pierre
Ansardi Glover Pinac
Arnold Gray Pitre
Badon Greene Powell, M.
Baldone Guillory, E. Powell, T.
Barrow Guillory, M. Quezaire
Baudoin Hammett Richmond
Baylor Heaton Ritchie
Bowlair Hebert Robideaux
Bruce Hill Romero
Bruneau Honey Schneider
Burns Hopkins Smith, J.D.–50th
Burrell Hunter Shepherd
Carter, K. Hutter Smiley
Carter, R. Jackson Smith, G.
Cazayoux Jefferson Smith, J.R.–30th
Crane Jefferson St. Germain
Cravins Kennard Toomy
Damicco LaBruzzo Townsend
DeWitt Lancaster Triche
Doerge Marchand Waddell
Dorsey Martiny Walker
Dove MCVea White
Durand Montgomery Wooton
Erdey Odinet Thompson
Farrar Pierre Wright
Fauches Pinac
Total - 102

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Alexander Beard Frith
Bowler Johns Fannin
Daniel Kenney Geymann
Downs McDonald Kenney
Doerge Marchand McVea
Dorsey Manchester Maye
Dove Marchand Waddell
Downs Maye Walsworth
Erdey Odinet Walker
Famin Montgomery Wooton
Farrar Morrell Wright
Fauches Pinac
Total - 3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Arnold 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. 519—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCVEA
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:82(A)(8), relative to ad valorem tax contributions for the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for allocation of the ad valorem taxes remitted from the parish of East Baton Rouge and dedicated to the system; to provide for the division of the taxes among the school systems located completely within the parish; to require the school boards to file a formula for calculation of this division with the retirement system and the parish assessor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. McVea moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker   Faucheux  Pierre
Alario        Frith     Pinac
Alexander    Gallot    Piere
Ansardi      Geymann   Powell, M.
Arnold       Glover    Quezaire
Badon        Gray      Rich mond
Baldone      Greene    Ritchie
Barrow       Guillory, E.  Robideaux
Baudoin      Guillory, M.  Romero
Baylor       Heaton    Scalise
Beard        Hill      Schneider
Bowler       Honey     Shepherd
Bruce        Hopkins   Smiley
Bruneau      Hunter    Smith, G.
Burns        Hutter    Smith, J.D.–50th
Burrell      Jackson   Smith, J.H.–8th
Carter, K.    Jefferson  Smith, J.H.–30th
Carter, R.    Johns     St. Germain
Cazayoux    Katz      Strain
Crane        Kenney    Thompson
Cravins      Kleckley  Toomy
Crowe        Kleckley  Toomy
Curtis       LaBruzzo  Townsend
Damicco      LaFleur   Trahan
Daniel       LaFonta   Triche
Dartez       Lambert   Tucker
DeWitt       Lancaster  Waddell
Doerge       Marchand  Walker
Dorsey       Martiny   Walsworth
Dove         McDonald  White
Downs        McVea     Winston
Durand       Montgomery  Wooton
Erdey        Morrell   Wright
Fannin       Morrish   Wright
Farrar       Odenet
Total - 103  NAYS
Total - 0    ABSENT

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. McVea 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.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 682—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:103(A), (B)(1), and (C), and to enact R.S. 11:103(E) and 108, relative to statewide retirement systems; to provide for contributions; to provide for actuarial soundness and funding of the systems; to provide for a funding review panel; to provide relative to actuarial assumptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Geymann moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker   Glover    Pinac
Alario        Gray      Pire
Alexander    Greene    Powell, M.
Ansardi      Guillory, E.  Powell, T.
Arnold       Guillory, M.  Quezaire
Badon        Hammett   Rich mond
Baldone      Heaton    Ritchie
Barrow       Hebert    Robideaux
Baudoin      Hill      Romero
Bowler       Honey     Scalise
Bruce        Hopkins   Schneider
Bruneau      Hunter    She pherd
Burns        Hutter    Smiley
Carter, K.  Jackson    Smith, G.
Carter, R.    Jefferson  Smith, J.D.–50th
Cazayoux    Johns     Smith, J.H.–8th
Crane        Kat z     Smith, J.H.–30th
Cravins      Kenney   St. Germain
Crowe        Kene ry   Strain
Curtis       Kleck ley  Thompson
Damicco      LaBruzzo  Too my
Dartez       LaFleur   Townsend
DeWitt       LaFonta   Trahan
Doerge       Lambert   Triche
Dove         Lancaster  Tucker
Downs        Marchand  Waddell
Durand       Martiny   Walker
Erdey        McDonald  Walsworth
Fannin       McVea     White
Farrar       Montgomery  Winston
Faucheux    Morrell   Wooton
Frith        Morrish   Wright
Geymann      Odinet
Total - 100  NAYS
Total - 0    ABSENT

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Geymann 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. 754—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 26:2(12), 90(A)(15), 142, 326, and 359(A) and to enact R.S. 26:80(H) and 280(H), relative to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law; to provide for a revision of the law governing sales of alcoholic beverages; to redefine the term "package house"; to require the submission of fingerprints for a criminal history record check by either the office of state police or the Federal Bureau of Investigation to determine suitability for an alcoholic beverage permit; to provide for prohibited acts on licensed premises; to provide for exceptions to the prohibition of selling or offering for sale alcoholic beverages produced or manufactured inside or outside of the state except to the holder of a wholesaler's permit; to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 826—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ERDEY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:2740.62, relative to Livingston Parish; to authorize the governing authority of the parish to levy and collect a documentary transaction tax; to provide for the maximum amount that may be levied; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Erdey moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Frith Pierre
Alario Gallot Pinac
Ansardi Glover Pite
Arnold Gray Quezaire
Badon Guillery, E. Richmon
Baldone Guillery, M. Robideaux
Barrow Hammett Romero
Baudoin Heaton Shepherd
Bruce Hebert Smiley
Bruneau Hill Smith, G.
Carter, K. Hopkins Smith, J.H.–8th
Carter, R. Hopkins Smith, J.H.–50th
Cazayoux Hunter Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane Hutter St. Germain
Cravins Jackson Strain
Crowe Kennard Thompson
Curtis Kenney Toomy
Damico LaBruzzo Townsend
Daniel LaFleur Trahan
Dartez LaFonta Triche
DeWitt Marchand Tucker
Doerge Martiny Waddell
Dove McDonald Walker
Downs McVea White
Duran Montgomery Wooton
Erdey Morrell Wright
Fannin Morish
Faucheux Odinet

Total - 82

NAYS

Bowler Lambert Schneider
Farrar Lancaster Walsworth
Greene Powell, M. Scalise
Katz Total - 10

ABSENT

Alexander Dorsey Powell, T.
Baylor Gyrmamn Ritchie
Beard Jefferson
Burns Johns
Burrell Kleeley

Total - 13

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 887 (Substitute for House Bill No. 802 by Representative Durand)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1519.6(C) and to enact Subtitle X of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:8051 through 8062, relative to state fees; to enact the Healthcare Affordability Act; to impose a fee on certain hospitals; to provide for collection and administration of the fee; to provide for disposition of the avails of the fee; to provide for penalties and sanctions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Notice of Intention to Call
Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Durand gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 887 from the calendar for future action.

HOUSE BILL NO. 754—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 26:2(12), 90(A)(15), 142, 326, and 359(A) and to enact R.S. 26:80(H) and 280(H), relative to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law; to provide for a revision of the law governing sales of alcoholic beverages; to redefine the term "package house"; to require the submission of fingerprints for a criminal history record check by either the office of state police or the Federal Bureau of Investigation to determine suitability for an alcoholic beverage permit; to provide for prohibited acts on licensed premises; to provide for exceptions to the prohibition of selling or offering for sale alcoholic beverages produced or manufactured inside or outside of the state except to the holder of a wholesaler's permit; to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.
Rep. McDonald, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Representative McDonald on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 754 by Representative Hebert

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 3, line 23, change "R. S. 33:271.1" to "R. S. 26:271.1"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Representative Greene to Engrossed House Bill No. 754 by Representative Hebert

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" and before "142," delete "R. S. 26:2(12), 90(A)(15)," and insert in lieu thereof "R. S. 26:90(A)(15),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 1, line 4, after "beverages;" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page 1, at the beginning of line 5, delete ""package house";"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**
On page 1, line 10, after "permit;" and before "to" insert "and"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**
On page 1, line 13, after "Section 1," and before "142," delete "R. S. 26:2(12), 90(A)(15)," and insert in lieu thereof "R. S. 26:90(A)(15),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**
On page 1, delete lines 15 through 19 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 6 in their entirety

Rep. Greene moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 52 yeas and 47 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Representative Jack Smith to Engrossed House Bill No. 754 by Representative Hebert

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, change "26:80(H)" to "26:71(A)(6), 80(H)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 1, line 10, after the semicolon ";" and before "to" insert "to provide fees"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page 1, line 14, change "R.S. 26:80(H)" to "26:71(A)(6), 80(H)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**
On page 2, after line 6 and before line 7, insert the following:

"§71. Permits required; fees; exception
A. * * *
(6) An additional fee of fifteen dollars shall be assessed on all holders of Class A and Class B alcoholic beverage permits. The fees generated by this Paragraph shall be used to fund the twenty-four hour hotline as provided for in House Bill No. 755 of the 2005 Regular Session. * * *

Point of Order

Rep. Bowler asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

Rep. Jack Smith moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 50 yeas and 52 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Representative Jack Smith to Engrossed House Bill No. 754 by Representative Hebert

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, change "26:80(H)" to "26:4, 80(H)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 1, line 14, change "R.S. 26:80(H)" to "R.S. 26:4, 80(H)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page 2, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"§4. Labeling of alcoholic beverages
All alcoholic beverages sold in the State of Louisiana shall contain a label which specifically provides that over consumption shall cause death. * * *

Rep. Jack Smith moved the adoption of the amendments.

By a vote of 55 yeas and 40 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Arnold
Badon
Baylor
Burrell
Carter, R.
Curtis
Dorsey
Durand
Fannin
Faucheux
Frith
Gallot
Guillory, E.
Total - 38

Hammett
Hebert
Hopkins
Hunter
Jefferson
LaBruzio
LaFleur
LaFonta
Lancaster
Marchand
McDonald
Odinet

Pinac
Richmond
Scalise
Shepherd
St. Germain
Strain
Townsend
Triche
Wooton
Wright

**NAYS**

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Ansardi
Baldone
Barrow
Baudoin
Beard
Bower
Bruce
Bruneau
Burns
Carter, K.
Cayazoux
Crawins
Crowe
DeWitt
Doerge
Total - 62

Downs
Erdey
Farrr
Geymann
Glover
Greene
Guillory, M.
Hill
Hutter
Jackson
Johns
Kannard
Kenney
Kleckley
Lambert
Martiny
McVea
Montgomery
Morris
Pierre

Pitre
Powell, M.
Powell, T.
Quezaire
Ritchie
Romero
Schneider
Smith, G.
Smiley
Smith, J.H.–8th
Smith, J.R.–30th
Snathom
Strain
Strain
St. Germain
Tannah
Tuche
Walker
Walker
White
Waddell
Walsworth
White
Wooton

**ABSENT**

Alexander
Dove
Total - 5

Gray
Heaton

Morrell

The Chair declared the above bill failed to pass.

Rep. Greene 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.

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Richmond gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 688 from the calendar for future action.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 644—**

By Representative Barrow

**AN ACT**

To repeal Children's Code Article 616(E), relative to child abuse; to repeal certain provisions relative to the disposition of reports and investigations of child abuse.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Barrow, 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. Barrow moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker
Alario
Alexander
Arnold
Badon
Baldone
Barrow
Baudoin
Baylor
Beard
Bruce
Bruneau
Burns
Burrell
Carter, K.
Cayazoux
Crawins
Crowe
DeWitt
Doerge
Total - 93

Farrar
Faucheux
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Glover
Greene
Guillory, E.
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Heaton
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Hutter
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McVea
Montgomery

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Powell, M.
Powell, T.
Quezaire
Richmond
Ritchie
Romero
Shepherd
Smiley
Smith, G.
Smith, J.D.–50th
Smith, J.R.–8th
Smith, J.R.–30th
Toomy
Townsend
Trahon
Tuche
Walker
Walker
White
Waddell
Walsworth
White
Wooton
Wright

**NAYS**

Bowler
Doerge
Total - 5

Scalise
Schneider

Walsworth

**ABSENT**

Ansardi
Hunter
Jackson
Total - 7

Katz
Martiny
Morrell

Tucker

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Barrow 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. 574—**

By Representative Barrow

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact 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), relative to health insurance; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to
credentialing and recredentialing of health care providers by
health insurance issuers; and to provide for related matters.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Barrow, 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. Barrow sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Barrow to Engrossed House Bill No. 574 by Representative Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete the set of House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative McDonald and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2005.

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Faucheux Morrish
Alario Frith Odinet
Ansardi Gallot Pierre
Arnold Geymann Pinac
Badon Glover Powell, M.
Baldone Gray Powell, T.
Barrow Greene Powell, T.
Baudoin Guillory, E. Quezaire
Bayor Guillory, M. Richmond
Beard Hammett Ritchie
Bowler Heaton Robideaux
Bruce Hebert Romero
Bruneau Hill Schneider
Burns Honey Shepherd
Burrell Hopkins Smith, G.
Carter, K. Hunter Smith, J.D.–50th
Carter, R. Hutter Smith, J.H.–8th
Cazayoux Jefferson Smith, J.R.–30th
Crane Johns Strain
Cravins Katz Toomy
Crowe Kennard
Curtis Kenney Townsend
Damico Kleckley
Daniel LaBruzzo
Duriez LaFleur
DeWitt LaFonta
Doerge Lambert
Dorsey Lancaster
Dove Marchand
Downs Martiny
Durand McDonald
Erdey McVea
Fannin Montgomery
Farrar Morrell

Total - 100

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Alexander Scalise Wooton
Jackson Smiley

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Barrow 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. 327—

BY REPRESENTATIVES QUEZAIRE, DOVE, DOWNS, FANNIN, M. GUILLORY, KATZ, LAMBERT, PITRE, M. POWELL, SMILEY, ST. GERMAIN, TUCKER, AND SCALISE AND SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.4(D), 466(C), and 473(J), to enact Part II-A of Chapter 4 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:490.1 through 490.18, and to repeal R.S. 47:463.2, 463.2.1, 463.3, 463.5, 463.10, 463.11, 463.13, 463.15, 463.16, 463.18, 463.20, 463.23, 463.25, 463.26, 463.27, 463.29, 463.34, 463.38, 463.42, 463.55, and 463.65, relative to motor vehicle license plates; to provide relative to the creation and issuance of military honor license plates for veterans and military personnel; to repeal provisions establishing and creating certain special prestige license plates for veterans and military personnel; and to provide for related matters.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Quezaire, 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. 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. 327 by Representative Quezaire

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 3 and 13, following "4 of" and before "Title 47" insert "Subtitle II of"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Faucheux Morrish
Alario Frith Odinet
Ansardi Gallot Pierre
Arnold Glover Powell, M.
Badon Gray Powell, T.
Baldone Greene Quezaire
Barrow Guillory, E. Richmond

Total - 100

ABSENT

Alexander Scalise Wooton
Jackson Smiley

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Quezaire 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.
Baudoin Guillory, M. Ritchie
Baylor Hammett Robideaux
Beard Heaton Romero
Bowler Hill Smiley
Bruce Honey Smith, G.
Burns Hopkins Smith, J.D.–50th
Burrell Hunter Smith, J.H.–8th
Carter, K. Hutter Smith, J.R.–30th
Carter, R. Jefferson Smith, J.R.–30th
Cazayoux Johns St. Germain
Crane Katz Strain
Cravins Kennard Triumph
Crowe Kenney Thompson
Curtis Kleckley Tucker
Damico LaBruzzo Townsend
Daniel LaFleur Trahan
DeWitt LaFonta Triche
Doerge Lambert Walker
Downs Marchand Waddell
Dove Martin Walker
Downdy Martin Walkworth
Durand McDonald White
Erdey McVea Winston
Fannin Montgomery Wright
Farrar Morrisey

Total - 95

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Alexander Hebert Schneider
Bruneau Jackson Wooton
Dartez Morrell Wooton
Geymann Pitre Pierre

Total - 10

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Quezaire 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. DeWitt, 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. 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.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Arnold, 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. Downs sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Downs to Engrossed House Bill No. 273 by Representative Arnold

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the end of line 2, delete "to limit" and on line 3, delete "certain increases in millage rates;" and insert the following:

"relative to the ad valorem tax; to remove the authority of the taxing authority to increase ad valorem tax millage rates after reassessment without voter approval;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 16, after "tax rolls," delete the remainder of the line and the remainder of the page and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 10

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, delete line 19, and on line 20, delete "authorities," and insert the following:

"To delete the authority of a taxing authority from increasing or rolling forward ad valorem tax rates, not to exceed the prior years maximum after a reappraisal year without voter approval."

Rep. Downs moved the adoption of the amendments.


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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Downs to Engrossed House Bill No. 273 by Representative Arnold

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after "rates;" insert "to provide relative to entities which may levy such increases;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 18, after "levied" and before "by two-thirds" insert "by any elected taxing authority"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 20, after "authorities" delete the period "." and insert "and to provide that only elected taxing authorities may levy such increases."

Rep. Downs moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 47 yeas and 51 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Cazayoux to Engrossed House Bill No. 273 by Representative Arnold

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after "rates;" insert "to provide relative to entities which may levy such increases;"
AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 18, after "levied" and before "by two-thirds" insert "by any appointed taxing authority."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 20, after "authorities" delete the period "." and insert "and to provide that only appointed authorities may levy such increases."

Point of Order

Rep. Arnold asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the amendments under consideration had been previously considered.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled the amendments under consideration had not been previously considered and therefore were in order.

Motion

Rep. LaFonta moved the previous question be ordered on the entire subject matter.

As a substitute motion, Rep. Scalise moved that the previous question be ordered on the amendments.

Which motion was agreed to.

Rep. Cazayoux moved the adoption of the amendments.


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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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The amendments were rejected.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Rep. Arnold moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Arnold 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. Arnold, 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. Arnold moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Arnold 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. Townsend, 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. Townsend moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 160—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038, relative to tax increment financing; to prohibit the use of tax increment financing that involves a public school system without prior approval of the system; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Richmond, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bill No. 799 at this time.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 799—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:90.3(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 Chapter 9 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 27:501 through 536, relative to slot machine gaming at the eligible airport facility; to enact the New Orleans Airport Facility and Operation Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for applicability; to provide for definitions; to declare public policy; to provide for procedures for licensing of gaming at the eligible airport facility; to provide for criteria for the slot machine gaming facility in the eligible airport facility; to provide for powers and duties of the Louisiana Gaming

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Honey 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 FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Honey to Engrossed House Bill No. 160 by Representative Honey

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, at the end of line 13, delete the period "." and add "nor to any tax increment financing concerning which a suit to determine bond validity has been filed prior to the effective date of this Act."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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Dove | Marchand | Walsworth |
Downs | Martin | White |
Durand | McDonald | Winston |
Fannin | McVea | Wooton |
Farrar | Montgomery | Wright |
Faucheux | Morrell | |

Total - 101  

**NAYS**  

Total - 0  

**ABSENT**  

Alexander | Smith, J.D.–50th |
Erdey | Toomy |

Total - 4  

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Honey 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. Richmond, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bill No. 799 at this time.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 799—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:90.3(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 Chapter 9 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 27:501 through 536, relative to slot machine gaming at the eligible airport facility; to enact the New Orleans Airport Facility and Operation Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for applicability; to provide for definitions; to declare public policy; to provide for procedures for licensing of gaming at the eligible airport facility; to provide suitability criteria and conditions for licensing; to provide conditions with respect to licensing; to provide criteria for the slot machine gaming facility in the eligible airport facility; 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 the calling and conducting of an election regarding slot machine gaming; 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.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative McDonald on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 799 by Representative Richmond

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 15, following "R. S." and before "(14)" change "27.3" to "27:3"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 3, line 8, change "503(10)" to "503(11)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 15, line 26, change "this Title" to "Title 18"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 16, line 22, following "with" and before "magnetic" delete "a"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 17, line 10, change "27:503(5), (7), or (12)" to "27:503(7), (9), or (14)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 21, line 28, following "shall" and before "be" delete "only"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 22, line 1, following "over," and before "if" insert "only"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Richmond to Engrossed House Bill No. 799 by Representative Richmond

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 6, line 21, after "area" delete the remainder of the line and insert "means each contiguous area in each concourse of the eligible airport facility at"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 8, line 17, after "means" delete the remainder of the line and insert "one facility in each concourse of the eligible airport"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 12, line 10, after "determination that" and before "the eligible" insert "each slot machine gaming facility in"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 13, delete lines 7 through 10 in their entirety and insert the following:

"§510. Slot machine gaming facility criteria; locations; division room; surveillance room

A. The eligible airport facility may have one slot machine gaming facility located in each concourse of the eligible airport facility.

B. The design of each slot machine gaming facility shall be subject to inspection and investigation by the division and approval by the board as otherwise provided for in this Chapter.

C. The design and square footage of the designated gaming area of each slot machine gaming facility shall be established by the airport authority subject to approval by the board and division. However, the total combined designated gaming area for all of the slot machine gaming facilities shall not exceed fifteen thousand square feet.

D. Each slot machine gaming facility shall be located beyond the security checkpoints of the eligible airport facility in areas of the eligible airport facility which are restricted to ticketed passengers, airline, and airport personnel.

E. Each of the slot machine gaming facilities shall meet the following criteria:

1. Shall have a door or doors between the slot machine gaming facility and the eligible airport facility which shall automatically close.

2. Shall have walls which separate the slot machine gaming facility from the eligible airport facility.

3. Shall have slot machines available for play only in the designated gaming area as defined in R.S. 27:503(3).

4. Shall have restricted areas which include but are not limited to:

   a. Cage and cashier areas.

   b. Casino vault.

   c. Soft count and hard count.

   d. Any other area designated by the licensee or the board.

5. Shall have personnel who work solely for the slot machine gaming facility and not for the eligible airport facility during all hours of operation of the slot machine gaming facility.

F. The licensee shall provide a room designated for use by the division which may or may not be located in one of the slot machine gaming facilities subject to approval by the board and division.

G. The licensee shall have a surveillance room capable of conducting surveillance for all slot machine gaming facilities which may or may not be located in one of the slot machine gaming facilities subject to approval by the board and division."
On page 13, line 16, after "whether" and before "slot" delete "the" and insert "each"

On page 13, line 25, after "whether" and before "the" and insert "each slot machine gaming facility in"

On page 14, line 5, after "that" and before "the" insert "each slot machine gaming facility in"

On page 18, delete line 22 in its entirety and insert "A. The total combined designated gaming area for all of the slot machine gaming facilities shall not exceed fifteen thousand square feet."

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Gary Smith to Engrossed House Bill No. 799 by Representative Richmond

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 19, line 19, change "third" to "sixth"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 19, between lines 21 and 22, insert "(5) One-sixth to go to the St. Charles Parish governing authority to be distributed by the St. Charles Parish governing authority."

On motion of Rep. Gary Smith, the amendments were withdrawn.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Martiny to Engrossed House Bill No. 799 by Representative Richmond

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 19, at the beginning of line 16, change "third" to "sixth"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 19, at the beginning of line 17, change "(2)" to "(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 19, at the beginning of line 19, change "(3)" to "(e)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 19, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"C. In order to accomplish the purposes and policies of the district as provided in this Chapter and to provide for the transfer or distribution of any revenues as provided in this Section, the airport authority is specifically authorized to enter into cooperative endeavors or intergovernmental agreements with the state or any of its agencies or other units or with other political subdivisions of the state."

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative LaBruzzo to Engrossed House Bill No. 799 by Representative Richmond
AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 19, at the end of line 21, insert the following:

"No revenues generated under the provisions of this Part shall be used for the New Orleans Police Department unless the parish repeals the residency requirements applicable to the police department."

Rep. LaBruzzo moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 3 yeas and 95 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker
Ansardi
Arnold
Badon
Baldone
Baylor
Bowler
Bruce
Bruneau
Burrell
Carter, K.
Carter, R.
Cazayoux
Cravins
Curtis
Dorsey
Dove
Durand
Faucheux
Frith
Gallow
Glover
Gray
Guillory, E.
Hammett
Heaton
Hebert
Honey
Hunter
Hutter
Jackson
Jefferson
LaFonta
Lancaster
Marchand
McVea
Morrell
Odinet
Pierre
Pinac
Pitre
Richmond
Ritchie
Romero
Shepherd
Smith, G.
Smith, J.D.–50th
Toomy
Townsend
Triche
Walker
Wooton

Total - 55

NAYS

Alario
Alexander
Barrow
Baudoin
Beard
Crane
Crowe
Dartez
Doerge
Ede
Fannin
Farrar
Geymann
Greene
Guillory, M.
Hill
Johns
Katz
Kennard
Kenney
Kleckley
LaBrazz
Lambert
McDonald
Montgomery
Morrish
Powell, M.
Powell, T.
Quezaire
Robideaux

Total - 44

ABSENT

Burns
Daniel
Downs
Hopkins
LaFleur
Tucker

Total - 6

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. Crowe, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House and House Concurrent Resolutions at this time.

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. 81—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the United States Congress to support no increases in payroll taxes, no cuts to Social Security benefits, and optional Social Security Personal Retirement Accounts.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Crowe moved the adoption of the resolution.

Rep. Faucheux objected.

By a vote of 30 yeas and 59 nays, the resolution was rejected.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—
BY SENATOR HINES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study the issue of improving the health and safety of student athletes in Louisiana's secondary schools.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Walsworth to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 52 by Senator Hines

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 1, after "area" and before "could" insert a comma "," including reports of high blood pressure among student athletes,"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Walsworth to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 52 by Senator Hines

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 5, after "Association," and before "the" delete "and"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, at the end of line 6, delete the period "." and insert "., the Louisiana Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics, the Louisiana Assembly on School-Based Health Care, and the Louisiana Academy of Family Physicians."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 15, after "Association," and before "the" delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 15, after "Society," and before "and" insert "the Louisiana Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics, the Louisiana Assembly on School-Based Health Care, and the Louisiana Academy of Family Physicians,"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 24, after "Association," and before "the" delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, at the end of line 24, delete the period "." and insert "the Louisiana Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics, the Louisiana Assembly on School-Based Health Care, and the Louisiana Academy of Family Physicians."

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, the amendments were adopted. On motion of Rep. Walsworth, the resolution, as amended, was concurred in.

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. Walsworth, 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
June 7, 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. 18
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 54
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 77
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 153
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
HOUSE BILLS
June 7, 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. 8
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 16
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 17
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 20
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 26
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 27
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 32
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 44
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 117
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 123
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 126
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 243
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 294
Returned with amendments

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate
SENATE BILLS
June 7, 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 No. 52

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate
Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hopkins, 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. 52—
BY SENATOR CHEEK
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:1121(H), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for an exception to the post-service restrictions to allow certain employment by the board of commissioners of the DeSoto Parish Waterworks District No.1; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Message from the Senate
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
June 7, 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. 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, and 102

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 92—
BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE PITRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend Regina Galjour, a civics educator at South Lafourche High School, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93—
BY SENATOR HINES AND REPRESENTATIVE M. GUILLORY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend Deborah Tatman, a civics educator at Eunice High School, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94—
BY SENATORS HINES, BAJOIE AND CHEEK
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend the Together L Access™ Prescription Savings Program for developing a system whereby Louisiana residents, who are without prescription drug coverage, may afford needed medications.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS AND REPRESENTATIVE LABRIZO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend Jamie Staub, a civics educator at Grace King High School in Metairie, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Josephine Eli and Harold Fontenette for being the first two African-American students to pursue undergraduate higher educational studies, in 1958, at the Louisiana State University in New Orleans (LSUNO).

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 97—
BY SENATORS BOASSO AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend Drena Hutchinson, a civics educator at Slidell High School, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98—
BY SENATORS DARDENNE AND FONTENOT AND REPRESENTATIVE BEARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend Nancy Ensminger, a civics educator at Parkview Baptist School in Baton Rouge, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99—
BY SENATOR ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE DAMICO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend Wade Price, a civics educator at John Ehret High School in Marrero, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

Read by title.
On motion of Rep. Damico, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 100—
BY SENATOR MALONE AND REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend Lindsey Bruno, a civics educator at Airline High School in Bossier City, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 102—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE CURTIS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize and commend Joel Stevison, an educator at Alexandria Middle Magnet School, upon being selected to participate as a Practitioner of Legislative Civic Education in the "Appreciating Legislatures" pilot program.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
June 7, 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. 2, 6, 11, 12, 19, 20, 39, 46, 53, 66, 69, and 82

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.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION
June 7, 2005
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 39, by Crowe
Reported favorably. (12-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 112, by Mike Powell
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Bill No. 458, by Downs
Reported favorably. (6-3) (Regular)

House Bill No. 613, by Burns
Reported with amendments. (13-1) (Regular)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 36, by Adley
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 65, by Kostelka
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 84, by Smith
Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 256, by Mount
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 112, by Mike Powell
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Bill No. 458, by Downs
Reported favorably. (6-3) (Regular)

House Bill No. 613, by Burns
Reported with amendments. (13-1) (Regular)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 36, by Adley
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 65, by Kostelka
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 84, by Smith
Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 256, by Mount
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

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

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND WELFARE
June 7, 2005
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5, by Amedee
Reported favorably. (10-0)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15, by Jones
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 48, by Jones
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 64, by Schedler
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 65, by Schedler
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 124, by Cheek
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 155, by Chaisson
Reported with amendments. (6-4) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 161, by Amedee
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

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

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
June 7, 2005
To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Ways and Means to submit the following report:
House Bill No. 867, by LaBruzzo
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 27, by McPherson
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 73, by N. Gautreaux
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 108, by Adley
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 138, by Malone
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 142, by Theunissen
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 180, by Malone
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 182, by Dupre
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 216, by Dupre
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 322, by Fontenot
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 336, by Malone
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

BRYANT O. HAMMETT, JR.
Chairman

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

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

June 7, 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. 44
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 132
Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 185
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 195
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 218
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 270
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 333
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES MCDONALD
Chairman

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Alario, the Committee on Appropriations was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 797.

HOUSE BILL NO. 797—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1124, 1125.1(A), and 6007 and to enact R.S. 17:3222.1, R.S. 47:1123(10), and Chapter 50 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 50:3071 through 3076; to establish and provide for the Louisiana Motion Picture Investment Corporation; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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. 708—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1703(A)(2) and (B), relative to the homestead exemption; to change the date which a property owner in Orleans Parish entitled to the homestead exemption is required to own and occupy the homestead before the homestead exemption is claimed; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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. 708 by Representative Arnold

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 47:1703(A)(2)" delete the comma "," and the remainder of the line, and insert "and (B),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 11, change "R.S. 47:1703(A)(2), (B), and (C)" to "R.S. 47:1703(A)(2) and (B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:
"B. Orleans Parish. In the parish of Orleans, the status of real and personal property on the first day of August of each year, except as provided in R.S. 47:1703(A)(2), shall determine its liability for exemption from taxation for the following calendar year.

* * *

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, delete lines 6 through 29 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 3, delete line 1 in its entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 3, line 2, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

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.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
June 7, 2005

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

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

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 78—
By Representatives Frith and Pinac
A RESOLUTION
To commend John William Humble, Sr. and Mildred Mae Humble upon the celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary and the example their lives have provided to their family and community.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 81—
By Representative Daniel
A RESOLUTION
To commend John D. Pourciau of Baton Rouge for his achievements and particularly for being chosen by his fellow graduates of the class of 2005 at Amherst College to give the Commencement Address.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 82—
By Representative Salter
A RESOLUTION
To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of David S. Post, Ph.D. of Lake Charles.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 83—
By Representatives Crowe and Schneider
A RESOLUTION
To commend Alaina Champagne upon being crowned Miss Slidell 2005.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 84—
By Representative Quezaire
A RESOLUTION
To recognize June 8, 2005, as Knights of Peter Claver, Inc. and Ladies Auxiliary Day.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
June 7, 2005

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

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

The following House Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—
By Representative Walker and Senator Schedler
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs to develop a comprehensive Internet site with information and resources focused on enhancing and improving the lives of Louisiana's elderly population.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—
By Representative Walker and Senator Schedler
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize and direct the Louisiana Commission on Employment of Mental Health Consumers to study and develop a plan to address barriers that prevent persons with mental illness from seeking, obtaining, and maintaining employment.

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.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—
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.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—
By Representatives Dove and Baldone and Senators Dupre and B. Gautreaux
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the United States Congress and the Louisiana congressional delegation to approve funding for deepening the Houma Navigation Canal, including funding efforts to make beneficial use of the dredge material for embankment stabilization.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 113—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to grant permission to the Lafourche Parish governing authority to install and maintain, at the parish's expense, flashing red lights above stop signs at certain intersections along Louisiana Highway 3235 in Ward 10 of Lafourche Parish.

Respectfully submitted,
DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

June 7, 2005

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

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

The following House Bills have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BAUDOIN, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BURNS, R. CARTER, CRANE, CRAVINS, CURTIS, DARTZE, DEWITT, DOERGE, DOVE, DURAND, ERDEY, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GEYMANN, GLOVER, GREENE, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HEBERT, JOHNS, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MCDONALD, PIERRE, PITRE, T. POWELL, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, TOWNSEND, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WHITE, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295.3(D), relative to leaving children unattended and unsupervised in motor vehicles; to provide for increased penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 21—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4574.14, relative to the Allen Parish Tourist Commission; to provide for the payment of per diem to members of the commission; to limit the number of meetings for which per diem will be paid; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 106—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JANE SMITH AND LAFLEUR
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 161(A)(introductory paragraph) and 163 and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 163.1, relative to search warrants; to authorize the issuance of a search warrant to search a person for deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) or other bodily samples; to provide for procedures for the execution of such warrants; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 127—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FRITH AND BALDONE AND SENATOR ROMERO
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:67.5, relative to theft; to create the crime of theft of crawfish; to define the offense; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 174 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 71)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY AND SENATOR ADLEY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(d)(iii), relative to public contracts; to provide relative to certain contracts advertised and let by the Bossier Parish Police Jury; to increase the contract limit for certain contracts; to provide relative to certain restrictions; to authorize the contract limit to be adjusted annually to reflect inflation; to require the Bossier Parish Police Jury to publish the contract limit under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 203—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:250.2(E)(2)(b) and to enact R.S. 22:250.2(E)(2)(a)(iv) and (c)(iii), relative to health insurance; to provide with respect to group health insurance coverage of a dependent previously enrolled in the Louisiana Children’s Health Insurance Program; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 256—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE AND SENATORS DUPRE AND B. GAUTREAUX
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:301(C)(1)(b) and to enact R.S. 38:301(C)(2)(g) and (3), relative to the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District; to provide relative to the appropriation of property by the district; to provide relative to notification of property owners; to provide relative to challenges to an appropriation or compensation paid for appropriated property; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 270—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI AND MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:411.1(E)(2), relative to the surrender of drivers' licenses; to authorize the issuance of temporary permits electronically under certain circumstances; to provide relative to certain requirements; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 311—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:625(e), 231(C), 403(introductory paragraph) and (5), 429, 441(A), 444(A)(1)(a), and 461(B), relative to benefits of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide for calculation of average compensation; to provide for calculation of benefits; to provide for eligibility to receive benefits; to provide relative to purchase of service credit to be used for benefit calculation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 334—
BY REPRESENTATIVE T. POWELL AND SENATOR NEVERS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 35:407 and to repeal R.S. 35:399, relative to ex officio notaries public; to provide that municipal police departments are exempt from giving bond for certain ex officio notaries; to repeal provisions providing for ex officio notaries of police departments; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 339—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE
AN ACT
To authorize the Grand Isle Port Commission to use certain state property for seafood research; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 390—
BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, DANIEL, AND THOMPSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:421(B) through (F) and (I) through (K) and to enact R.S. 38:421(O), relative to the assessments and determination of benefits; to provide for eligibility to receive benefits; to provide relative to purchase of service credit to be used for benefit calculation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.
HOUSE BILL NO. 452—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1496(D), relative to certain fire protection districts located in more than one parish; to provide relative to qualifications of members of the boards of commissioners of such districts; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 506—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 35:392.1(B), relative to ex officio notaries public; to provide for the authority of a clerk of court and deputy clerk of court as ex officio notaries public; to provide for the validity of documents notarized by such ex officio notaries; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 548—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT  
To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain property in Richland Parish to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 570—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LA FontA AND JEFFERSON  
AN ACT  
To enact R.S. 29:41, relative to exposure to depleted uranium; to provide for definitions; to provide for screening of certain members of the armed forces of the United States; to provide for reports on training; to prohibit state funding of the costs of the testing; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 592—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALS WORTH  
AN ACT  
To amend and reenact R.S. 49:314(B)(3), relative to appropriations from the Transportation Trust Fund; to change the time period for the attorney general to certify the constitutionality of appropriations from such fund prior to the expenditures of such revenues; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 618—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN  
AN ACT  
To enact R.S. 40:1846(H), relative to liquefied petroleum gas; to provide an affirmative defense relative to liability for certain activities related to liquefied petroleum gas; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 717—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD  
AN ACT  
To enact Part XXXI of Chapter 13 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:3087.281 through 3087.294, to create the Bayou Desiard Lake Restoration Commission as a political subdivision of the state; to provide relative to the purpose and boundaries of the commission; to provide for a board of commissioners to manage the commission; to provide for powers and duties of the commission and board; to provide relative to the power of taxation and the issuance of bonds; to prohibit certain actions; to provide for penalties; to provide relative to the commission's relationship with the Department of Transportation and Development and the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,  
DONALD RAY KENNARD  
Chairman  

The above House Bills contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Governor for executive approval.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Ways and Means to meet on Wednesday, June 8, 2005, and consider the following legislative instruments without giving the notice required by House Rule 14.24(A):

House Bill Nos. 97, 394, 410, 420, 500, 602, 631, 634, 747, 765, 807, 808, 809, 811, 818, 828, 850, and 871  
House Concurrent Resolution No. 134

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Kenney, at 5:45 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, June 8, 2005, at 2:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 2:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 8, 2005.

ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House