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TWELFTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

**Thirty-sixth Extraordinary Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, February 25, 2008

The House of Representatives was called to order at 2:00 P.M., by the Honorable Jim Tucker, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Gallot	McVea
Abramson	Geymann	Mills
Anders	Gisclair	Monica
Armes	Greene	Montoucet
Arnold	Guillory, E.	Morrell
Aubert	Guillory, M.	Morris
Badon, A.	Guinn	Norton
Badon, B.	Hardy	Nowlin
Baldone	Harrison	Pearson
Barras	Hazel	Perry
Barrow	Henderson	Peterson
Billiot	Henry	Ponti
Burford	Hill	Pope
Burns, H.	Hines	Pugh
Burns, T.	Hoffmann	Richard
Burrell	Honey	Richardson
Carmody	Howard	Richmond
Carter	Hutter	Ritchie
Cazayoux	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Champagne	Jackson M.	Roy
Chandler	Johnson	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, R.	Simon
Connick	Jones, S.	Smiley
Cortez	Katz	Smith, G.
Cromer	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Dixon	LaFonta	St. Germain
Doerge	Lambert	Talbot
Dove	LeBas	Templet
Downs	Leger	Trahan
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell

Ellington
Fannin
Foil
Franklin
Total - 105

Little
Lopinto
Lorusso
Marchand

White
Williams
Willmott
Wooton

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Jane Smith.

Pledge of Allegiance

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

Reading of the Journal

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

On motion of Rep. Hazel, the Journal of February 22, 2008, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and
Communications**

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

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1: Senators Chaisson, Kostelka, and Broome.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 56: Senators Chaisson, Kostelka, and Broome.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**DISAGREEMENT TO
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 by Sen. Murray, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2: Senators Murray, Kostelka, and Jackson.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 1 by Sen. Chaisson, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

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Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 3 by Sen. Chaisson, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 3: Senators Chaisson, Kostelka, and Broome.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 8 by Sen. Chaisson, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 8: Senators Chaisson, Kostelka, and Broome.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 11 by Sen. Chaisson, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 11: Senators Chaisson, Kostelka, and Broome.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 14 by Sen. Marionneaux, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 14: Senators Marionneaux, Chaisson, and Amedee.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 35 by Sen. Chaisson, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**APPOINTMENT OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 35: Senators Chaisson, Kostelka, and Broome.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill

No. 58 by Sen. Martiny, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 58: Senators Martiny, Chaisson, and Amedee.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1: Reps. Gallot, Tucker, and Peterson.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 3: Reps. Gallot, Tucker, and Connick.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 8: Reps. Gallot, Tucker, and Danahay.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 11: Reps. Gallot, Tucker, and Peterson.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 14: Reps. Ellington, Gallot, and Lambert.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 35: Reps. Henry, Gallot, and Abramson.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 58: Reps. Wooton, Tucker, and Gallot.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2: Reps. Peterson, Gallot, and Barras.

Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality, the Department of Transportation and Development, and the Department of Economic Development to send representatives to public hearings conducted by the United States Army Corps of Engineers regarding the use of borrow material and report to the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and Senate Committee on Environmental Quality.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development to consider contributing factors which clog the drainage systems on Louisiana Highway 18 on River Road from the St. Charles Parish line east to Louisiana Avenue.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

Recess

On motion of Rep. Trahan, the Speaker declared the House at recess until 5:30 P.M.

After Recess

Speaker Tucker called the House to order at 6:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Mills
Abramson	Gisclair	Monica
Anders	Greene	Montoucet
Armes	Guillory, E.	Morrell
Arnold	Guillory, M.	Morris

Aubert	Guinn	Norton
Badon, A.	Hardy	Nowlin
Badon, B.	Harrison	Pearson
Baldone	Hazel	Perry
Barras	Henderson	Peterson
Barrow	Henry	Ponti
Billiot	Hill	Pope
Burford	Hines	Pugh
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Richard
Burrell	Honey	Richardson
Carmody	Howard	Richmond
Carter	Hutter	Ritchie
Cazayoux	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Champagne	Jackson M.	Roy
Chandler	Johnson	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, R.	Simon
Connick	Jones, S.	Smiley
Cortez	Katz	Smith, G.
Cromer	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Dixon	LaFonta	St. Germain
Doerge	Lambert	Talbot
Dove	LeBas	Templett
Downs	Leger	Trahan
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell
Ellington	Little	White
Fannin	Lopinto	Williams
Foil	Lorusso	Willmott
Franklin	Marchand	Wooton
Gallot	McVea	
Total - 104		

ABSENT

Burns, T.
Total - 1

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

Acting Speaker Trahan in the Chair

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

February 25, 2008

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. 41
Returned with amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

Rep. Tucker asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions

just returned from the Senate, with amendments to be concurred in by the House, with a view of acting on the same:

HOUSE BILL NO. 41—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, PETERSON, GALLOT, ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARNOLD, AUBERT, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BILLIOT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CONNICK, CORTEZ, CROMER, DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, ELLINGTON, FANNIN, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HARDY, HAZEL, HENRY, HILL, HINES, HOFFMANN, HONEY, HOWARD, GIROD JACKSON, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LABRUZZO, LEBAS, LEGER, LIGI, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MILLS, MONICA, MORRELL, NOWLIN, PEARSON, PONTI, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RICHMOND, SCHRODER, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, TEMPLET, TRAHAN, WHITE, WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1141(C), (D), (E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 49:992.1 and 994(E), relative to enforcement of laws within the jurisdiction of the Board of Ethics; to provide for proceedings related to such enforcement; to provide for the powers, functions, and duties of the board relative to such enforcement; to provide for the Ethics Adjudicatory Board; to provide for the powers, functions, and duties of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board and the division of administrative law relative to such enforcement; to provide for the conduct of hearings and procedures related thereto; to provide relative to appeals; to provide relative to effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 41 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 16, after "received or," delete the remainder of the line and insert "if no sworn complaint was received, within one"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 22, change "division of administrative law" to "Ethics Adjudicatory Board"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the end of line 23, change "Subpart" to "Part"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 24 through 29 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 3 and insert the following:

"(b)(i) The director of the division of administrative law shall randomly select seven administrative law judges from among those who meet the qualifications to comprise the Ethics Adjudicatory Board. Members of the board shall have not less than two years of experience as an administrative law judge or not less than ten years experience in the practice of law.

(ii) Members of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board shall be subject to the same financial disclosure requirements as are provided by law for members of the Board of Ethics. Such members shall also be subject to the same limitations regarding contracting as are applicable to the members of the Board of Ethics as provided by law.

(c)(i) The Ethics Adjudicatory Board shall sit in rotating panels composed of three administrative law judges randomly selected from among the members of the board. The administrative law judge most senior in service who is present shall preside. The determination of

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the majority of the panel in a particular case shall be the determination of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board. After the hearing, the presiding administrative law judge shall assign authorship responsibility for the determination."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete line 4 and insert "(ii) At the hearing, an ethics adjudicatory panel shall determine whether"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 6, change "administrative law judge" to "ethics adjudicatory panel"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 6, change "he" to "it"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 8, change "(ii)" to "(iii)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 8, change "division of administrative law" to "ethics adjudicatory panel"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 11, change "administrative law judge" to "ethics adjudicatory panel"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, line 12, change "administrative law judge" to "ethics adjudicatory panel"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 13, change "his" to "its"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, line 13, change "board" to "Board of Ethics"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 15, change "administrative law judge's" to "ethics adjudicatory panel's"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, line 16, change "administrative law judge" to "ethics adjudicatory panel"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, line 18, change "administrative law judge" to "ethics adjudicatory panel"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 3, line 19, change "board" to "Board of Ethics"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 3, line 20, change "administrative law judge." to "ethics adjudicatory panel."

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 3, line 21, change "administrative law judge." to "ethics adjudicatory panel."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 3, delete line 22 and on line 23, delete "law" and insert "D. Location of hearings. The ~~board or panel~~ Board of Ethics, a panel thereof, or an ethics adjudicatory panel."

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, delete lines 4 and 5 and insert "(b) The board shall give public notice of each hearing to be conducted by the Ethics Adjudicatory Board pursuant to this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 4, delete line 25 and insert "the board or panel, the Ethics Adjudicatory Board, or any court authorized to conduct"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 5, delete line 7 and insert "board or panel, the Ethics Adjudicatory Board, or any court authorized to conduct any"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 6, line 10, change "administrative law judge" to "Ethics Adjudicatory Board"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 7, line 26, delete "an"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 7, delete line 27 and insert "judges who are licensed to practice law in Louisiana."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Kostelka to Reengrossed House Bill No. 41 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 11 after the words "disclose" delete "any"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 12 delete "substantial" and insert "clear and convincing"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

Delete Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on February 25, 2008, designated as SFA41 WADDELLG 772

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Nevers to Reengrossed House Bill No. 41 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 17, after "him." insert "If the ethics adjudicatory panel or the Board of Ethics makes an official determination that the charges lack validity, the complainant shall be liable to the person charged for the court costs and attorney fees."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator N. Gautreaux to Reengrossed House Bill No. 41 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 8, between lines 4 and 5 insert "Section 4. The number of new employee positions created by this Act shall not exceed two administrative law judges, one attorney, and one clerical worker."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 8, line 5, change "Section 4." to "Section 5."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux to Reengrossed House Bill No. 41 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 22 proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on February 20, 2008 on page 2, line 30, after "Board" insert "or panel thereof"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 23 proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on February 20, 2008 on page 3, line 2, after "Board" insert "or panel thereof"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 24 proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on February 20, 2008 on page 3, line 25 after "Board" insert "or panel thereof"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux to Reengrossed House Bill No. 41 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, of the Senate Committee Amendment identified as BURKHARD 547, proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, and adopted by the Senate on February 20, 2008, change "(b)(i)" to "(4)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, of the Senate Committee Amendment identified as BURKHARD 547, proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, and adopted by the Senate on February 20, 2008, change "(ii)" to "(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 19 and 20, of the Senate Committee Amendment identified as BURKHARD 547, proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, and adopted by the Senate on February 20, 2008, insert the following:

"(c) The members of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board shall be randomly selected at a public meeting of the Board of Ethics, from among the names of all administrative law judges who meet the qualifications. The members of the first Ethics Adjudicatory Board, will be selected by no later than August 14, 2008, or before the effective date of this Subparagraph. The initial Ethics Adjudicatory Board will serve until January 1, 2009. Thereafter, the board members will be selected annually to serve a one-year term from January 1 through December 31. The board members for the years

2009 and beyond shall be randomly selected at a public meeting held by the Board of Ethics in December of the preceding year. Since selection to the board is random, there is no limitation on the number of times a qualified member may be selected to serve."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 20, of the Senate Committee Amendment identified as BURKHARD 547, proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, and adopted by the Senate on February 20, 2008, change "(ii)" to "(d)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 22, proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, and adopted by the Senate on February 20, 2008.

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, delete lines 24 through 29.

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 5, delete lines 1 through 14.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux to Reengrossed House Bill No. 41 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"(6) Any complainant who, with knowledge of its falsity, makes a false non-sworn complaint shall be subject to the penalties set forth in R.S. 42:1153."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux to Reengrossed House Bill No. 41 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 12 delete "substantial"

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Franklin	Marchand
Anders	Gallot	Monica
Arnes	Geymann	Montoucet
Arnold	Gisclair	Morrell
Aubert	Greene	Morris
Badon, A.	Guillory, E.	Norton
Badon, B.	Guillory, M.	Nowlin
Baldone	Guinn	Pearson
Barras	Hardy	Perry
Barrow	Harrison	Peterson
Billiot	Hazel	Ponti
Burford	Henry	Pope
Burns, H.	Hines	Richard
Carmody	Hoffmann	Richardson
Carter	Honey	Richmond
Cazayoux	Howard	Robideaux
Champagne	Hutter	Roy
Chandler	Jackson G.	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, R.	Simon

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Connick	Katz	Smiley
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, G.
Cromer	LaBruzzo	Smith, J.
Danahay	LaFonta	Smith, P.
Dixon	Lambert	St. Germain
Doerge	LeBas	Talbot
Downs	Leger	Templet
Ellington	Ligi	Waddell
Fannin	Lopinto	Williams
Foil	Lorusso	Willmott

Total - 87

NAYS

Burrell	Jackson M.	Mills
Edwards	Jones, S.	Pugh
Henderson	Little	Ritchie
Hill	McVea	Wooton

Total - 12

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Dove	Trahan
Burns, T.	Johnson	White

Total - 6

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 41: Reps. Tucker, Gallot, and Peterson.

Recess

On motion of Rep. Trahan, the Speaker declared the House at recess until 7:00 P.M.

After Recess

Speaker Tucker called the House to order at 7:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Monica
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Badon, B.	Hazel	Perry
Baldone	Henderson	Peterson
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Richardson
Burrell	Howard	Richmond
Carmody	Hutter	Ritchie
Carter	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Champagne	Jackson M.	Roy
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Cromer	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Dixon	LaFonta	St. Germain
Doerge	Lambert	Talbot
Dove	LeBas	Templet
Downs	Leger	Trahan
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell
Ellington	Little	White
Fannin	Lopinto	Williams
Foil	Lorusso	Willmott
Franklin	Marchand	Wooton
Gallot	McVea	
Geymann	Mills	

Total - 103

ABSENT

Burns, T.	Cazayoux
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Total - 2

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

February 25, 2008

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 41: Senators Marionneaux, Nevers, and Chaisson.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

February 25, 2008

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. 80
Returned with amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 80—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MORRELL, ABRAMSON, BALDONE, LEGER, LORUSSO, AND PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 44 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9611 through 9615, relative to certain local entities; to provide relative to certain powers of a local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general in certain municipalities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 80 by Representative Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, after "census." delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 14, insert "B. The proper operation of democratic"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 19, change "local government." to "the applicable municipalities and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the end of line 19, after "employees" insert "thereof"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 5, change "other law" to "ordinance"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 6, after "general" insert "or both."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 8, after line 6, add the following:

"C. Except for the reports of investigations released as provided in R.S. 33:9613, the records prepared or obtained by the inspector general or entity in connection with investigations conducted by the inspector general or entity shall be deemed confidential and protected from disclosure pursuant to R.S. 44:3 and 44:5. No privilege established by law shall be deemed waived on any record obtained by the inspector general or entity in connection with the performance of the duties established in this Chapter. Any record or information obtained by the inspector general or entity which is confidential pursuant to any other provision of law shall remain confidential, and it shall be a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than two thousand dollars or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, for the inspector general or the entity or any designated staff member to make public any such information or record."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Quinn to Reengrossed House Bill No. 80 by Representative Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 7 proposed by the Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on February 21, 2008.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 8, after line 6, insert the following:

"C. Except for the completed reports, findings, advisories, letters, and recommendations of investigations, audits, inspections, performance reviews, qualitative assurance reviews, peer reviews, annual operating budgets, and annual office reports, the records prepared or obtained by the ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general shall be deemed confidential and protected from disclosure pursuant to R.S. 44:3 and 44:5. In order to maintain the confidentiality of such materials, the ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general may meet and make decisions in executive session. No privilege established by law shall be deemed waived on any record obtained by the ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general in connection with the performance of duties established by this Chapter. Any record or information obtained by the ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general which is confidential pursuant to any other provision of law shall remain confidential, and it shall be a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than two thousand dollars or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, for the ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general or any designated staff member or any other public official, corporation, or individual to make public any such information or record."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Duplessis to Reengrossed House Bill No. 80 by Representative Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, at the end of line 11, add the following:

"Any request for financial records in the possession or under the control of a bank pursuant to this Chapter is subject to and shall comply with the requirements and procedures of R.S. 6:333."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Alario to Reengrossed House Bill No. 80 by Representative Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, change "9615" to "9614"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, change "9615" to "9614"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 19, after "A.", insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 23 and 24 and insert the following:

"(2) In the performance of its duties, a local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of the inspector general may administer oaths and take the testimony of those sworn."

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(3) In the performance of its duties, a local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of the inspector general may compel the attendance of witnesses to be deposed under oath or the production of public and private records by issuing a subpoena. However, such a subpoena or subpoena duces tecum shall be issued only upon approval of a judge of the district court of the parish in which a local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general is domiciled upon application in writing by such entity, board, or office. The judge shall issue a written decision within seventy-two hours after receipt of such application. Any subpoena for production of private records shall be in compliance with all applicable constitutionally established rights and processes. The subpoena may be served by certified mail, return receipt requested, at the addressee's residence or business address, or by representatives appointed by the local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general, or may be directed for service to the office of the municipal police. If a person refuses to obey a subpoena issued by the local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general, the district court of the parish in which the local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general is domiciled may issue an order to the person requiring the person to appear before the court to show cause why an order shall not be issued ordering such person to obey the subpoena.

B. Any costs and attorney's fees incurred by the local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general may be taxed against the person who failed or refused to comply with the terms of the subpoena.

C. When the local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general issuing the subpoena has reason to believe that a person may attempt to conceal or destroy materials essential to an investigation, examination, audit, inspection, or performance review, the local ethics entity, ethics review board, or office of inspector general may apply by verified petition to the district court of the parish in which the person resides or is found or has a principal place of business or in which the materials may be found for an order protecting the materials from concealment or destruction. The court may order and fix the amount of a bond to be posted and conditioned upon compliance with the terms of the subpoena. The order shall be directed to the person upon whom the subpoena will be served and to any other person necessary to protect the materials from concealment or destruction."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 25, change "B." to "D."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 14, change "C." to "E."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 14, change "D." to "F."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 19, change "E." to "G."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, delete lines 23 through 29

AMENDMENT NO. 10

Delete pages 5 and 6 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 7, delete lines 1 through 14

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 7, line 15, change "\$9615" to "\$9614"

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny to Reengrossed House Bill No. 80 by Representative Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 14 through 17 in their entirety.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gallot	Marchand
Abramson	Geymann	McVea
Anders	Gisclair	Mills
Armes	Greene	Monica
Arnold	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Aubert	Guillory, M.	Morrell
Badon, A.	Guinn	Morris
Badon, B.	Hardy	Norton
Baldone	Harrison	Nowlin
Barras	Hazel	Perry
Barrow	Henderson	Peterson
Billiot	Henry	Ponti
Burford	Hill	Pope
Burns, H.	Hines	Pugh
Burrell	Hoffmann	Richard
Carmody	Honey	Richardson
Carter	Howard	Richmond
Champagne	Hutter	Ritchie
Chandler	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Chaney	Jackson M.	Roy
Connick	Johnson	Simon
Cortez	Jones, R.	Smiley
Cromer	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Danahay	Katz	Smith, J.
Dixon	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Doerge	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Dove	LaFonta	Talbot
Downs	LeBas	Templet
Edwards	Leger	Trahan
Ellington	Ligi	Waddell
Fannin	Little	Williams
Foil	Lopinto	Willmott
Franklin	Lorusso	Wooton
Total - 99		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Burns, T.	Lambert	Schroder
Cazayoux	Pearson	White
Total - 6		

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

Conference Committee Reports Received

Conference Committee Reports were received for the following legislative instruments:

House Bill Nos. 1, 41, and 56

Senate Bill Nos. 1, 3, 8, 11, 14, 35, and 58

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

February 25, 2008

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. 28 and 29

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—
BY SENATOR SCALISE**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to adopt and implement the recommendations of the Veterans' Disability Benefits Commission.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—
BY SENATORS SHEPHERD, ALARIO AND HEITMEIER AND
REPRESENTATIVES BILLIOT, CONNICK, GIROD JACKSON AND
TEMPLET**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Raymond John Brandt on the opening of Ray Brandt Nissan on Lapalco Boulevard in Marrero, Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

February 25, 2008

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. 23
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 24
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

February 25, 2008

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. 3, 25, and 27

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

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

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

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

February 25, 2008

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 5, 29, 37, 47, and 53

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

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

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

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

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

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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHMOND AND AUSTIN BADON
A RESOLUTION

To commend Eric Hill and express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contribution to Orleans Parish and the state of Louisiana, and to congratulate him for having the number one car dealership in New Orleans.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 23—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS
A RESOLUTION

To commend Pastor Dennis R. Everett, Sr., upon his fifteenth anniversary as pastor of Lake Bethlehem Baptist Church in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS
A RESOLUTION

To commend Joshua "Bubba" Murrell of New Iberia, Louisiana, for his outstanding achievement in winning the first Grammy Award for the new category, "Best Zydeco or Cajun Album".

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ELBERT GUILLORY
A RESOLUTION

To commend Community Chapel Church of God in Christ in Opelousas, Louisiana, for its contributions to the Greenwoods Community.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHMOND, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, BARROW, BURRELL, DIXON, FRANKLIN, GALLOT, ELBERT GUILLORY, HARDY, HONEY, GIROD JACKSON, ROSALIND JONES, MARCHAND, MORRELL, NORTON, PETERSON, PATRICIA SMITH, AND WILLIAMS AND SENATORS BROOME, CRAVINS, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY, JACKSON, MURRAY, AND SHEPHERD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Officer Nicola Diane Cotton of the New Orleans Police Department, who was killed in the line of duty.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAFONTA, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, BARROW, BURRELL, DIXON, FRANKLIN, GALLOT, ELBERT GUILLORY, HARDY, HONEY, GIROD JACKSON, MICHAEL JACKSON, ROSALIND JONES, MARCHAND, MORRELL, NORTON, PETERSON, RICHMOND, PATRICIA SMITH, AND WILLIAMS AND SENATORS BROOME, CRAVINS, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY, JACKSON, MURRAY, AND SHEPHERD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Lieutenant Governor Mitch Landrieu and the staff of the office of the lieutenant governor for the creation of the Louisiana African American Heritage Trail.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

February 25, 2008

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. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, PETERSON, GALLOT, BALDONE, BILLIOT, TIM BURNS, DOVE, HENRY, HINES, LABRUZZO, PEARSON, RICHARD, SCHRODER, SMILEY, JANE SMITH, AND WILLIAMS
A RESOLUTION

To adopt House Rules 2.5(21) and 12.8 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives, to provide for audio and video broadcast of legislative proceedings and for the creation, nature, and maintenance of records thereof.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, PETERSON, GALLOT, BALDONE, BILLIOT, TIM BURNS, DOVE, HENRY, HINES, LABRUZZO, PEARSON, RICHARD, SCHRODER, SMILEY, JANE SMITH, AND WILLIAMS
A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt House Rule 11.6 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives, to provide for the submission of certain information required for appropriations to certain entities and provides that certain actions are not in order if such information is not submitted.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 3—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, PETERSON, GALLOT, BILLIOT, TIM BURNS, DOVE, HENRY, HINES, LABRUZZO, PEARSON, RICHARD, SCHRODER, SMILEY, JANE SMITH, AND WILLIAMS
A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt House Rule 10.8 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives, to provide relative to consent for a member to have his vote corrected.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER AND MORRIS
A RESOLUTION

To adopt House Rule 7.2(F) of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives, to require a request for legislation which is to be prefiled to be received by House Legislative Services staff not later than forty-eight hours prior to the prefiling deadline.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHMOND, BALDONE, AND LABRUZZO
A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt House Rules 14.32(B) and 14.51 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives, to require a person testifying before a committee to submit a sworn written statement affirming the truth of his testimony.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LOPINTO, HENRY, LEGER, LORUSSO, AND TALBOT
A RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of John Edward Fitzpatrick, Jr., of New Orleans, Louisiana.

Respectfully submitted,
WAYNE WADDELL
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

February 25, 2008

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. 22—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Malavika Balachandran as a winner of the Siemens Award for Advanced Placement.

Respectfully submitted,
WAYNE WADDELL
Chairman

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

February 25, 2008

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. 6—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, PETERSON, GALLOT, ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BARRAS, BARROW, BILLIOT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CORTEZ, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, EDWARDS, ELLINGTON, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GISCLAIR, GREENE, ELBERT, GULLORY, MICKEY, GULLORY, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HENRY, HINES, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, HUTTER, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LABRUZZO, LAMBERT, LEBAS, LEGER, LIGI, LORUSSO, MILLS, MONICA, MONTOUCET, MORRELL, MORRIS, NOWLIN, PEARSON, PERRY, PONTI, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROY, SCHRODER, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, TALBOT, TEMPLET, TRAHAN, WADDELL, WHITE, WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, AMEDEE, BROOME, CASSIDY, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ERDEY, B. GAUTREAUX, N. GAUTREAUX, GRAY, HEITMEIER, JACKSON, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MICHOT, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, RISER, SCALISE, SHAW, SHEPHERD, THOMPSON, AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1170(A) and (E), relative to ethics education and training; to provide for the duties of the Board of Ethics relative to such education and training; to provide for the education and training required of public servants; to provide for the education and training required of registered lobbyists;

to provide for notice of noncompliance; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, PETERSON, GALLOT, ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BILLIOT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, CARMODY, CAZAYOUX, CHAMPAGNE, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CONNICK, CORTEZ, CROMER, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, ELLINGTON, FANNIN, FRANKLIN, GISCLAIR, MICKEY, GULLORY, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENRY, HILL, HINES, HOFFMANN, HONEY, HOWARD, HUTTER, GIROD JACKSON, JOHNSON, ROSALIND JONES, SAM JONES, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAMBERT, LEBAS, LEGER, LIGI, LITTLE, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MILLS, MONICA, MONTOUCET, MORRELL, NORTON, NOWLIN, PEARSON, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROY, SCHRODER, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, TEMPLET, TRAHAN, WHITE, WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS GRAY, NEVERS, SCALISE, AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1132(B)(1)(a) and (4) and to enact R.S. 42:1132(B)(5), relative to the Board of Ethics; to provide for qualifications for selection and service on the Board of Ethics; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 65—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GREENE AND BALDONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(2) and 491(C) and to enact R.S. 18:492(A)(6), relative to qualifying for primary elections; to require a candidate to certify that he does not owe any ethics fines as a condition of qualification; to provide relative to objections to candidacy based on false certification regarding ethics fines; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 73—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WHITE AND BALDONE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1485(E), relative to certain campaign reporting requirements; to require certain reports to be filed electronically; to provide relative to procedures for the filing of such reports; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 78—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER AND BALDONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1485(C), relative to certain campaign finance reporting requirements; to require certain reports to be filed electronically; to provide relative to procedures for the filing of such reports; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

WAYNE WADDELL
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.

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Trahan, at 7:10 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Tuesday, February 26, 2008, at 9:00 A.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 9:00 A.M., Tuesday, February 26, 2008.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

