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**TWENTY-FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Thirty-fourth Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, May 5, 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	Gisclair	Monica
Abramson	Greene	Montoucet
Anders	Guillory, E.	Morrell
Armes	Guillory, M.	Morris
Arnold	Guinn	Norton
Aubert	Hardy	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Harrison	Pearson
Badon, B.	Hazel	Perry
Baldone	Henderson	Peterson
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Richardson
Burns, T.	Howard	Richmond
Burrell	Hutter	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Carter	Jackson M.	Roy
Champagne	Johnson	Schroder
Chandler	Jones, R.	Simon
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smiley
Connick	Katz	Smith, G.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Cromer	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Danahay	LaFonta	St. Germain
Dixon	Lambert	Talbot
Doerge	LeBas	Templett
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

Cazayoux	Dove
Total - 2	

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

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Dr. Ken Ward.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Rep. Carmody 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. Billiot, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Billiot, the Journal of May 1, 2008, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and  
Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**SENATE BILLS**

May 5, 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 Senate Bills:

Senate Bill Nos. 26, 54, 72, 126, and 572

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

**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. 26—**  
BY SENATORS ALARIO AND NEVERS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2002(A)(1) and (4)(a), 2218.2(A)(1) and (2)(a), 2218.8(B) and (G) and 2218.10, relative to supplemental pay for certain law enforcement officers and firefighters; to increase the amount of supplemental pay; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 54—**  
BY SENATOR MURRAY  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article I, Section 4(H)(5) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to property; to provide relative to the right to property; to provide relative to the taking of property; to provide

relative to the taking of property in certain areas for certain purposes; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 72—**  
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2318.1(B) and to enact R.S. 38:2225.2.2, relative to public contracts; to authorize the city of Slidell to utilize design-build contracts in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 126—**  
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:170(A)(1), relative to education; to provide relative to immunization records requirements; to provide for review of student immunization records; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 572—**  
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(dd) and (H), 408(D), and 478(G), R.S. 23:2042, R.S. 46:2521, R.S. 49:220.4(A)(1), R.S. 51:911.26(A)(1), and Sections 5 and 6(B) of Act No. 5 of the 2006 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, to enact R.S. 36:309(B)(3), 409(J), and 803.1, and to repeal R.S. 36:4(B)(14) and (F) and 4.1(D)(16), and R.S. 23:2056, relative to the organization of the executive branch of state government; to transfer certain agencies in the office of the governor into the division of administration in the office of the governor and to transfer certain agencies from the office of the governor to certain executive branch departments; to provide relative to the exercise of the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of such agencies; to provide relative to the existence of certain agencies placed in the division of administration; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**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. 107—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents, in consultation with the public postsecondary education management boards, to study current policies and practices relative to the accessibility of textbooks and other instructional materials for use by blind students at public postsecondary educational institutions and to submit a written report of study findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the convening of the 2009 Regular Session.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 108—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SAM JONES, ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BARRAS, BARROW, BILLIOT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CHAMPAGNE, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CONNICK, CORTEZ, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, EDWARDS, ELLINGTON, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GALLOT, GEYMANN, GISCLAIR, GREENE, ELBERT GUILLORY, MICKEY GUILLORY, GUINN, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HENRY, HILL, HINES, HOFFMANN, HONEY, HOWARD, HUTTER, GIROD JACKSON, MICHAEL JACKSON, JOHNSON, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LEBAS, LEGER, LIGI, LITTLE, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MARCHAND, MCVEA, MILLS, MONICA, MONTOUCEY, MORRELL, MORRIS, NORTON, NOWLIN, PEARSON, PERRY, PETERSON, PONTI, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROY, SCHRODER, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, TEMPLET, TRAHAN, TUCKER, WADDELL, WHITE, WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. William L. Jenkins, president emeritus of the Louisiana State University System, upon his accomplishments and contributions as acting chancellor of Louisiana State University.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—**  
BY SENATOR GRAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of state to study the impact of voting machine malfunctions on voting and to study the feasibility of using backup paper ballots at polls on election day.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—**  
BY SENATORS DUPRE AND MORRISH AND REPRESENTATIVES DOVE, ST. GERMAIN AND HUTTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the annual Coastal Protection Plan for Fiscal Year 2008-2009, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—**  
BY SENATOR DUPRE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to extend Louisiana's seaward boundary in the Gulf of Mexico to three marine leagues.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—**

BY SENATOR NEVERS

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Apprenticeship Division of the Louisiana Department of Labor and the Louisiana State Apprenticeship Council in recognition of the 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the enactment of the Louisiana Apprenticeship Act of 1938.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the consideration of those portions of Bayou Kisatchie within the Louisiana Natural and Scenic Rivers System for inclusion in the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System.

Read by title.

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

### 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. 18—**

BY SENATOR ALARIO

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:324.1, relative to the disposition of certain sales and use tax collections; to provide for the dedication of a portion of the avails of certain state sales and use taxes; to provide for the deposit of such collections into the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Conservation Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 98—**

BY SENATOR MURRAY

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:799(C)(4) and (10) and (G)(4), relative to the French Quarter-Marigny Historic Area Management District; to provide for the number of meetings members of the governing board may miss before they are disqualified and removed; to remove the requirement that board minutes be published in the official journal; to provide revitalization and nurturing of cultural tourism as objectives of the district; and to provided for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 102—**

BY SENATOR MORRISH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:903(B), relative to the General Aviation and Reliever Airport Maintenance Grant Program; to increase the limit of Transportation Trust Fund monies made available to the program; 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. 160—**

BY SENATORS CRAVINS, LAFLEUR, LONG, MORRISH AND QUINN

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:635.3(D) and (E) and 636.2(E) and (F) relative to homeowner's insurance; to provide for changes in homeowners insurance policy deductibles for named storms or hurricanes; to provide for premium quotes involving homeowner's policies and policy deductibles; to provide for application of deductibles in the event of a loss; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 182—**

BY SENATORS GRAY, ALARIO, AMEDEE, BROOME, CASSIDY, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, CROWE, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ERDEY, B. GAUTREUX, N. GAUTREUX, HEBERT, HEITMEIER, JACKSON, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MORRISH, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, RISER, SHAW, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:53.2(B), the introductory paragraph of (C), (D), (E), (F), and (G), and to enact R.S. 28:53.2(H) and Part III-A of Chapter 1 of Title 28 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 28:67 through 76, relative to involuntary outpatient treatment for behavioral health services; to provide for criteria for involuntary outpatient treatment; to provide for judicial procedure; to provide for an order of custody; to provide for a written treatment plan; to provide for an appeal; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 210—**

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:14(G) and to enact R.S. 24:14(K), relative to Senate confirmations; to require that appointees to boards and commissions, who are subject to Senate confirmation, be reconfirmed at the beginning of each legislative term; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 235—**

BY SENATOR NEVERS

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:2009.4(A)(6), the introductory paragraph of 2109(B)(1)(c), and the introductory paragraph of 2180.2(10) and to enact R.S. 40:2009.4(A)(6)(e), relative to rules, regulations, and minimum standards of certain facilities; authorizes the Department of Health and Hospitals to promulgate rules for facilities located in areas subject to hurricanes, tidal surges, or flooding; to provide for a determination of substantial damage in accordance with the Louisiana State Uniform Construction Code by certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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**SENATE BILL NO. 282—**  
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116(K), relative to nursing homes; to provide for certain nursing home beds, which were placed in alternate healthcare use, to be re-licensed as nursing home beds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 299—**  
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:808(E), relative to group insurance; to provide for eligibility of certain developmentally disabled persons; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 323—**  
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.40(A)(1), relative to consent to medical treatment; to provide for the definition of "consent"; to provide that consent to medical treatment may be given by other than written means; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 340—**  
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact Part XXII-A of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1299.40.1, relative to electronic health care transactions; to provide for electronic health care transactions; to provide for definitions; to provide for electronic authentication and identification; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 376—**  
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1111(E), relative to conflicts of interest; to prohibit certain public servants from receiving or agreeing to receive any thing of economic value for assisting persons in certain transactions; to prohibit certain former public servants from receiving or agreeing to receive any thing of economic value for assisting persons in certain transactions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 388—**  
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1111(A)(5), relative to ethics; to provide for compensation paid to public school teachers and administrators for assisting non-profit testing organizations in the administration of standardized tests for student evaluation or for college admissions; to provide that such compensation shall not violate the Code of Governmental Ethics regarding nonpublic payments to public employees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 424—**  
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 8:206, relative to cemeteries; to require a cemetery authority to provide a written contract for burial rights and cemetery related merchandise and services to customers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 434—**  
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:155.7, relative to state symbols; to designate the official state Cajun Christmas story to be "The Legend of Papa Noel, a Cajun Christmas Story" written by Terri Hoover Dunham and illustrated by Laura Knorr; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 460—**  
BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1430.12(D), relative to Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to provide for imposition of the ten percent surcharge on policies issued by the corporation; to exclude certain areas from imposition of the surcharge; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 671—**  
BY SENATOR SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVES ARMES, DANAHAY, GEYMANN AND HILL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4712.12, relative to naming public buildings; to authorize governing authority of certain parishes to name certain buildings after a living person; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

### House and House Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee

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

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to function as a joint committee to study possible initiatives, policies, programs, and other actions to decrease childhood obesity in the state.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Under the rules, the above resolution was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to meet and to function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations with respect to autism spectrum disorders.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

#### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 69 by Representative Williams

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Health and Hospitals shall provide the joint committee with estimates of annual costs associated with each proposed autism program included in the comprehensive and practical model."

##### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"(10) St. Mary's Residential Training School in Alexandria, Louisiana."

##### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 29, change "(10)" to "(11)"

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

Under the rules, the above resolution, as amended, was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to review EnergySolutions' license application to the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission to import and export foreign nuclear waste through the Port of New Orleans and to monitor such activity, if such license is granted, to ensure compliance with all rules and regulations and necessary permitting and to take all legal action to stop such activity in the absence of compliance.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

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

### 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. 1—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREUX AND REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize the board of trustees of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana to grant a cost-of-living increase to eligible benefit recipients; to provide for the maximum amount of such increase; and to provide for an effective date.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

On motion of Rep. Robideaux, the resolution 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. 87—

BY REPRESENTATIVE AUSTIN BADON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9080, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the Lake Bullard Neighborhood Improvement District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition of a parcel fee and for the use thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 88—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE AUSTIN BADON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9080, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the McKendall Estates Neighborhood Improvement District within the parish; to provide relative to the governance, purpose, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition of a parcel fee and for the use thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 199—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WOOTON AND WHITE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.2(B)(1) and (C)(4) and R.S. 40:1379.3(N)(11) and to enact R.S. 14:95.2(C)(9) and (H), relative to carrying a firearm on school property; to provide an exception for individuals on the campus of a college, university, or postsecondary vocational-technical school who possess a concealed handgun permit; to limit the authority of the governing body of a college, university, or postsecondary vocational-technical school to regulate the ability of a person issued a concealed handgun permit to lawfully carry a concealed handgun; to create an exception regarding areas where a concealed handgun may be carried; to amend definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 199 by Representative Wooton

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 14:95.2(B)(1)" and before "and" insert "and (C)(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, delete "is" and insert "and (C)(4) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 20, after "school," and before "college," insert "postsecondary vocational-technical school."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lines 1 and 2 insert the following:

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(4) The possession of a firearm occurring within one thousand feet of school property and entirely on private property, or entirely within a private residence, or in accordance with a concealed handgun permit issued pursuant to R.S. 40:1379.1 or 1379.3."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 12, after "firearms" delete the remainder of the line and insert "on campus."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 212—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2866.1(B) and to enact R.S. 33:4712.12, relative to the sale of property by parishes and municipalities; to provide with respect to a real estate broker's commission or fee; to remove provisions authorizing certain parishes to negotiate such commission or fee; to provide relative to the maximum amount of the commission or fee that is authorized to be paid; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 230—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:446(D), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to the automatic change to the maximum benefit to a retiree upon the death of his named beneficiary; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 233—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOERGE AND MONToucET  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:461(B)(3)(b), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to the calculation of disability benefits for certain members; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 251—**BY REPRESENTATIVES WOOTON AND BALDONE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.10, relative to conviction of a felony while on parole; to provide that a new sentence of imprisonment of a conviction while a person is on parole shall be served concurrently; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 251 by Representative Wooton

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 17, delete "concurrently with" and insert "consecutively to"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 18, delete "consecutive" and insert "concurrent"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 19, after "is" and before "directed" delete "expressly"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 273—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2496(A)(1) and 2556(1)(a), relative to municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the termination of provisional appointments; to change the time limitation for the termination of any such appointment to a position in the competitive classes; 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 Original House Bill No. 273 by Representative Ponti

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 5, after "appointment" delete the remainder of the line and on line 6 delete "substitute appointment;" and insert "to a position in the competitive classes;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 13, change "A.(1)" to "A.(1)(a)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 5, before "provisional appointment," delete "Any" and insert "Except as provided in Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph, any"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, line 7, change "sixty" to "fifteen"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, between lines 10 and 11, insert:

"(b) Any provisional appointment made to a position of the competitive classes, as provided for by R.S. 33:2492(7), shall be terminated upon the regular filling of the vacancy in any manner authorized under this Part and, in any event, within sixty days after certification from which a regular or substitute appointment, as the case may be, can be made under the provisions of this Part. A provisional appointment shall be reported to the board within fifteen days following the appointment."

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 2, line 15, change "(1)(a)" to "(1)(a)(i)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 2, line 27, before "provisional appointment," delete "Any" and insert "Except as provided in Item (ii) of this Subparagraph, any"

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 2, line 29, change "sixty" to "fifteen"

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

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

"(ii) Any provisional appointment made to a position of the competitive classes, as provided for by R.S. 33:2552(7), shall be terminated upon the regular filling of the vacancy in any manner authorized under this Part and, in any event, within sixty days after certification from which a regular or substitute appointment, as the case may be, can be made under the provisions of this Part. A provisional appointment shall be reported to the board within fifteen days following the appointment."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 278—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1115.1(E), relative to the limitation on the provision of food, drink, and refreshment to a public servant by certain persons; to provide an exception for certain activities by or on behalf of an agency; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 290—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIXON AND TUCKER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1141(B)(1)(a) and (C)(1), (2), and (3), relative to the enforcement of laws within the jurisdiction of the Board of Ethics; to require the board to provide certain information to the accused and the complainant; to provide relative to deadlines for the provision of such information; to provide relative to the issuance of charges by the board; to provide relative to the content of such charges; to provide relative to hearings on such charges; to require the board to consider offering consent opinions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 290 by Representative Dixon

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, after "the board" and before "shall be" insert a comma "," and "from which the name of the complainant has been redacted."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 299—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.69, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the Gently Development District within the parish; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to levy taxes; 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 Original House Bill No. 299 by Representative Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 18 through 20 in their entirety and insert the following:

"the following perimeter: Bayou St. John, Lake Pontchartrain, the Industrial Canal, I-10, and I-610."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**Speaker Pro Tempore Peterson in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 311—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:103(C)(1)(a), relative to the zoning commission in St. Charles Parish; to authorize an increase in the per diem paid to commission members for attending meetings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 352—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE AUSTIN BADON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9080, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the Tamaron Subdivision Improvement District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition of a parcel fee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 382—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2374(B)(1), (3), and (4), relative to the Hazardous Materials Information Development, Preparedness, and Response Act; provides for the collection of fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 401—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.62, relative to Orleans Parish; to create and provide for the Gently Taxing District within the parish; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, and governance of the district; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the

district including the power to provide for tax increment financing; to provide for the term of the district; 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 Original House Bill No. 401 by Representative Morrell

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 17 through 19 in their entirety and insert the following:

"included within the following perimeter: the London Ave. Canal, Mirabeau, St. Anthony Ave., Filmore Ave., Dreaux Ave., the Industrial Canal, I-10, and I-610."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

##### **HOUSE BILL NO. 419—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS AND WHITE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1233(A)(2)(b)(ii), relative to the compensation of members of certain parish governing authorities; to provide for an increase in the maximum allowable monthly salary of such members; to authorize certain governing authorities to increase the salary of certain officers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

##### **HOUSE BILL NO. 528—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2366(C) and (D), relative to the Hazardous Materials Information Development, Preparedness, and Response Act; to provide for the one-call notification system for release notifications; to provide for notification requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

#### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment to Original House Bill No. 528 by Representative Lambert

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 19, change "D." to "D.(1)"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 3, after "agencies." insert "(2)"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 7, after "obligations" insert a comma "," and "under LAC 33:I.3917.A."

##### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the end of line 7, delete "to the" and delete line 8 in its entirety and insert a comma "," and "provided, however, that this provision shall not apply to the reporting of any release of radionuclides in excess of a reportable quantity determined in accordance with LAC 33:I.3929."

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, the amendments were adopted.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

##### **HOUSE BILL NO. 539—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2066(B) and to enact R.S. 30:2066(D), relative to fees paid in severe and extreme ozone nonattainment zones; to provide for fees to be paid with respect to the one-hour ozone national ambient air quality standard; to require the Department of Environmental Quality to adopt rules and regulations in response to certain actions by congress, the Environmental Protection Agency, or a court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

#### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment to Original House Bill No. 539 by Representative Lambert

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 19, after "dollars" and before the comma "," and insert "or an amount determined by the department to be consistent with applicable federal requirements, whichever is less"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 2, after "2005" delete the comma "," and "unless" and insert "for which a fee is to be collected pursuant to this Section, until"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 2, after "for" and before "ozone" insert "the one-hour national primary ambient air quality standard for"

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## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the beginning of line 3, delete "until"

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the end of line 4, insert the following:

"To the extent consistent with applicable federal requirements, when imposing the fee authorized by this Section, the department may use such baseline or baselines as the department deems necessary and appropriate."

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 10, after "(42 U.S.C. 7511(d))" and before the comma "," insert "or the manner in which such fee is implemented or collected"

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 12, after "pursuant to" change "the" to "this"

## AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the end of line 15, insert the following:

"To the extent applicable judicial decisions or federal laws, regulations, policies, guidance, or directives provide flexibility or alternatives with respect to the imposition of the fee required by Section 185 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 7511(d)), the department may adopt, promulgate, and implement such regulations and take such other actions as consistent therewith, including modifying the manner in which the fee authorized by this Section is implemented and collected, otherwise ameliorating the impact of such fee or imposing alternative requirements in lieu of, or in addition to, such fee."

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, the amendments were adopted.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 567—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1149(B), relative to operators of water systems; to provide for the presence of certified operators while certain systems are in operation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 574—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:7(27), relative to student and school employee interactions at public elementary and secondary schools; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt rules and regulations prohibiting certain interactions except in accordance with specified guidelines and limitations;

to provide for exceptions; to provide for implementation, oversight, and enforcement of such guidelines and limitations by public school governing authorities; to provide for effectiveness; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 574 by Representative Gary Smith

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, between "limitations;" and "to" insert "to provide for exceptions;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 15, change "(27)(a)" to "(27)(a)(i)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

"(ii) The provisions of Item (i) of this Subparagraph shall not apply to the following:

(aa) Interaction between a student and guidance counselor as defined in R.S. 17:3002.

(bb) Interaction between a student and school employee during the administration of a test when the student's Individualized Education Program as defined in R.S. 17:1945(C)(2) provides for accommodations relative to testing that preclude the presence of other individuals.

(cc) Interaction between a student and school employee engaged in the performance of a noncomplex health procedure as defined in R.S. 17:436(A).

(dd) Interaction between a student and school nurse.

(ee) Any other interaction as determined by the state board."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 594—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSALIND JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:1309(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 48:1309(D), relative to Ouachita Parish; to provide relative to road lighting districts within the parish; to provide relative to the method of assessment of service charges or rates of service charges within such districts; to provide relative to the collection of such charges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 595—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1503(K)(2), relative to West Baton Rouge Parish; to provide relative to the West Baton Rouge Fire Protection District No. 1; to provide relative to the officers of Fire Subdistrict No. 2 of such district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 597—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(A)(1), relative to Acadia Parish; to increase the maximum rate of the hotel occupancy tax that the Acadia Parish Convention and Visitors Bureau is authorized to levy; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 741—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ELBERT GUILLORY, ARMES, AUBERT,  
CHANDLER, CHANEY, DIXON, EDWARDS, HARDY, HOFFMANN,  
RITCHIE, AND PATRICIA SMITH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1202(F), relative to extended sick leave; to provide to specified public school employees the same extended sick leave benefits that are provided to public school teachers and certain others; to provide applicability; to provide effectiveness; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 772—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHAEL JACKSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.4, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Melrose Place Crime Prevention District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, powers, and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition of a parcel fee and for the use thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 773—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHAEL JACKSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.4, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Capital Heights Neighborhood Improvement District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition and collection of a parcel fee and for the use thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 788—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:235 and to repeal R.S. 30:2534, relative to the adopt-a-road program; to transfer the adopt-a-road program to the Department of Transportation and Development; to repeal the adopt-a-road program within the Department of Environmental Quality; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 853—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1141(C)(4)(a), (c), and (d) and to enact R.S. 42:1141(C)(7) and (8) and 1142(E), relative to enforcement of laws within the jurisdiction of the Board of Ethics; to provide relative to proceedings related to such enforcement; to provide relative to the powers, functions, and duties of the board relative to such enforcement; to provide relative to the powers, functions, and duties of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board and the division of administrative law relative to such enforcement; to provide for recusal; to provide relative to the composition of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board; 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.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 853 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 2 and insert the following:

"To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1141(C)(4)(a), (c), and (d) and to enact R.S. 42:1141(C)(7) and (8) and 1142(E), relative to enforcement of laws within the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "such enforcement;" and before "to provide" insert "to provide for recusal;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

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(4)(a) 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 adjudicatory 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.

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(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 shall be selected by August 15, 2008. The initial Ethics Adjudicatory Board will shall serve until January 1, 2009. Thereafter, the adjudicatory board members will shall be selected annually to serve a one-year term from January first through December thirty-first. The adjudicatory 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 There shall be no limitation on the number of times a qualified member may be selected to serve.

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

(ii) At the hearing, an ethics adjudicatory panel shall determine whether a violation of any provision of law within the jurisdiction of the board Board of Ethics has occurred. If the ethics adjudicatory panel determines that a violation has occurred, it shall determine what authorized penalties or other sanctions, if any, should be imposed.

(iii) The ethics adjudicatory panel shall not conduct a public hearing until after the charged person's rights, if any, to rehearing and appellate review of any previous decision of the board have expired or have been exhausted."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"(8) Any member of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board who has a personal interest in or who becomes the subject of a hearing pursuant to this Part shall recuse himself from participation in such hearing."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 905— BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9039.15(B)(1), (2), and (4), relative to community development districts; to provide for the appointment rather than the election of certain members of certain boards of commissioners of community development districts; 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 Original House Bill No. 905 by Representative Tucker

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, between "R.S. 33:9039.15(B)(1)," and "relative" insert "(2), and (4),

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "R.S. 33:9039.15(B)(1)" delete "is" and insert a comma "," and "(2), and (4) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 13, delete the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 15, delete "appointed by the governing authority of the parish or" and delete line 16 and insert "or, if there are no qualified electors of the district, a qualified elector of the parish or municipality that created the district. The governing authority of the parish or municipality that created the district shall appoint the members of the board."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete line 17, and insert the following:

"(2) Members of the board shall be known as supervisors and, upon entering into office, shall take an oath of office. Except as provided in Paragraph (A)(2) of this Section, they shall hold office for the terms for which they were elected or appointed and until their successors are chosen and qualified. If, during the term of office, a

vacancy occurs, the remaining members of the board shall fill the vacancy by an appointment for the remainder of the unexpired term.

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(4) As soon as practicable after each election or appointment of members for a new four-year term, the board shall organize by electing one of its members as chair and by electing a secretary, who need not be a member of the board, and such other officers as the board may deem necessary.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 906—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1141(B)(1)(a), relative to the enforcement procedures of the Board of Ethics; to require the board to provide certain information to the accused and the complainant; to provide relative to deadlines for the provision of such information; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 911—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES GALLOT, TUCKER, AND ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1123(13), relative to the acceptance of certain things of economic value; to provide relative to the acceptance of complimentary admission to certain events by public servants; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 911 by Representative Gallot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 17 through 20 and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 and insert the following:

"(b) The provisions of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall not apply to an admission to any professional, semi-professional, or collegiate sporting event; or any fishing trip, hunting trip, or golf outing unless such trip or outing is associated with a candidate's, elected official's, or organization's fundraising event open to the general public."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 947—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1123(13), relative to the acceptance of certain things of economic value; to provide relative to the acceptance of complimentary admission to certain events by public servants; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 951—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES RITCHIE AND ELBERT GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:81.5, relative to rules and policies used for the dismissal of certain public school employees; to provide certain requirements for the rules and policies used for the dismissal of certain school employees who have not attained tenure; to require written valid reasons for dismissal and documentation thereof; to provide relative to a conference as part of such rules and policies; to provide relative to collective bargaining agreements; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 951 by Representative Ritchie

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, after "to a" and before "as" change "hearing" to "conference"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "agreements;" and before "to provide an" insert "to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, change "hearing" to "conference"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 6, after "designee," delete the remainder of the line and insert "or the school board, shall hold"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the beginning of line 7, after "a" and before "on" change "hearing" to "conference"

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## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the end of line 8, change "hearing." to "conference."

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 9, after "the" and before "required" change "hearing" to "conference"

## AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 11, after "The" and before "shall" change "hearing" to "conference"

## AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, at the beginning of line 13, after "the" and before "notice" change "hearing" to "conference"

## AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 15, after "the" and before "and" change "hearing" to "conference"

## AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, at the end of line 16, change "hearing." to "conference."

## AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, line 17, after "(d)" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 18 in its entirety and insert "The employee and the school board shall have the right to record the conference, and a copy of the recording shall be included in the employee's personnel file."

## AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"(3) Nothing in this Subsection shall prohibit a school board from conducting a hearing for any employee, as defined in Subsection D of this Section, who is being dismissed.

"(4) The provisions of this Subsection shall not apply to any employee until after the completion of the ninety-day probationary period of such employee."

## AMENDMENT NO. 14

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

"D. For purposes of this Section, the term "school employee" shall mean any person employed by a city, parish, or other local public school board who is not a teacher or whose employment does not require the holding of a teacher's certificate or who is not employed as a bus driver."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 996—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1007(A)(1) and to repeal R.S. 11:1007(G), relative to reemployed school bus drivers in the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to eliminate

certain restrictions on the full-time reemployment of such persons; to repeal the sunset date relative to when employers may reemploy such bus drivers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1002—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1113(D)(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) and (c), (2), (3), and (4) and 1114.3(A)(1) and (2), to enact R.S. 42:1113(D)(5), and to repeal R.S. 42:1113(E), relative to conflicts of interest; to provide relative to certain contracts involving certain public servants and certain affiliated persons and entities; to provide relative to restrictions of such contracts; to provide for disclosure relative to such contracts; to provide for enforcement and penalties; to provide relative to applicability; to provide exceptions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

## **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 1002 by Representative Gallot

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "and (iv)" delete the comma "," and "(2), and (3)" and insert "and (c), (2), (3), and (4)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "(2)" and before "to enact" delete "and" and insert a comma ","

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 3, after "1113(D)" delete "(4)(c)," and insert "(5), and to repeal R.S. 42:1113(E),"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 10, after "and (iv)" delete the comma "," and "(2), and (3)" and insert "and (c), (2), (3), and (4)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 11, after "1113(D)" delete "(4)(c)," and insert "(5)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 13, after "arrangements" insert a semicolon ";" and "disclosure"

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 15 through 29 and delete pages 3 and 4 and on page 5, delete lines 1 through 24 and insert the following:

"(c)(i) For the purposes of this Section, a provider agreement entered into with the Department of Health and Hospitals under the state medical assistance program shall not be considered a contract. The following shall not be considered a contract for purposes of this Subsection:

(ii) For the purposes of this Section, a

(i) A foster parent provider agreement or a child care provider agreement entered into with the Department of Social Services, shall not be considered a contract and In addition, such an agreement shall not be subject to R.S. 42:1111(E)(2)(a).

(iii) For purposes of this Section, any action taken to comply with a state law, rule, or regulation shall not be considered a contract.

(ii) An agreement with a state entity or state quasi-public entity providing for housing, retirement, or insurance benefits, provided that those benefits are available to similarly situated persons.

(iii) An agreement providing for public assistance benefits, including but not limited to subsidies for agriculture, aquaculture, forestry, soil and water conservation, educational scholarships, grants and subsidies, or guaranteed student loans, provided that such benefits are available to similarly situated persons.

(iv) An agreement for the provision of goods or services by state government provided on the same terms and conditions available to similarly situated persons.

(v) An agreement for which the compensation is solely reimbursement of costs.

(vi) Applying for, payment of fees for, or obtaining a license, credential, or permit provided that such license, credential, or permit is available to similarly situated persons.

(vii) The payment of admission fees for events.

(viii) The sale of property pursuant to the expropriation of immovable property by any branch, agency, department, or institution of state government.

(ix) The donation of professional veterinary services or the donation of any goods and services related to the provision of such veterinary services.

(x) A sale by a retail establishment valued at two thousand five hundred dollars or less. However, no person shall enter into separate sales valued at two thousand five hundred dollars or less as a subterfuge to avoid the prohibition of this Subsection. For purposes of this Item, "retail establishment" shall have the same meaning provided in R.S. 14:67.25.

(2) The provisions of this Subsection shall not prohibit the following:

~~(a) Completion of any contract otherwise prohibited by this Subsection which was entered into prior to initial election to the legislature; however, no such contract or subcontract shall be renewed.~~

~~(b) Completion of any contract otherwise prohibited by this Subsection which was entered into prior to July 1, 1995; however, no such contract or subcontract shall be renewed.~~

~~(c) (a) Contracts for employment in a professional educational capacity in or for professional services for an elementary or secondary school or other educational institution.~~

~~(d) Contracts of sale pursuant to the expropriation of immovable property by any branch, agency, department, or institution of state government.~~

(b) A provider agreement entered into with the Department of Health and Hospitals under the state medical assistance program.

~~(c) (c) Contracts of employment of a physician or other licensed health care professional with the state or the charity hospitals of the state or the Department of Health and Hospitals.~~

~~(f) Donation of professional veterinary services or the donation of any goods and services related to the provision of such veterinary services.~~

~~(g) (d) Completion of any contract which, at the time it was entered into, was not prohibited by the provisions of this Subsection; however, no such contract shall be renewed except as specifically provided for in this Paragraph.~~

~~(h) (e) (i) Completion of any contract between a person identified by in Item (1)(a)(ii) of this Paragraph Subsection or his spouse or a legal entity of a person and state government, which contract was awarded by competitive bidding after being advertised and awarded in accordance with Part II of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, or competitively negotiated through a request for proposal process or any similar competitive selection process in accordance with Chapter 16 or 17 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 or which contract, other than a contract for consulting services, was not competitively negotiated through a request for proposal process or any similar competitive selection process in accordance with Chapter 16 or 17 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and which contract was entered into prior to March 3, 2008; however, no such contract shall be renewed for a period extending beyond January 9, 2012.~~

~~(ii) Completion of any contract between the immediate family member, except for a spouse, of a person identified in Item (1)(a)(ii) of this Subsection or a legal entity of a family member and state government, which contract was not awarded by competitive bidding after being advertised and awarded in accordance with Part II of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 or which contract, other than a contract for consulting services, was not competitively negotiated through a request for proposal process or any similar competitive selection process in accordance with Chapter 16 or 17 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and which contract was entered into prior to March 3, 2008; however, no such contract shall be renewed for a period extending beyond January 9, 2012.~~

~~(i) (i) A sale by a retail establishment valued at two thousand five hundred dollars or less. However, no person shall enter into separate sales valued at two thousand five hundred dollars or less as a subterfuge to avoid the prohibition of this Subsection.~~

~~(ii) For purposes of this Subparagraph, "retail establishment" shall have the same meaning provided in R.S. 14:67.25.~~

~~(j) An agreement with a state entity or state quasi public entity providing for housing, retirement or insurance benefits, provided that those benefits are available to similarly situated persons.~~

~~(k) An agreement providing for public assistance benefits, including but not limited to, subsidies for agriculture, aquaculture, forestry, soil and water conservation, educational scholarships, grants~~

~~and subsidies or guaranteed student loans, provided that such benefits are available to similarly situated persons:~~

~~(f) The payment of admission fees for events open to the public:~~

~~(m)(f) Contracts for employment or for services by any licensed health care professional providing services in the classroom or working with administration in an elementary or secondary school or other educational institution.~~

~~(m)(g) Contracts for services by health care professionals which are required by federal or state law to provide an educational program for students in an elementary or secondary school or other educational institution.~~

~~(o) Contracts for which the compensation is solely reimbursement of costs:~~

~~(p) Applying for, payment of fees for, or obtaining a license, credential, or permit provided that such license, credential, or permit is available to similarly situated persons:~~

~~(q) (h) A contract in existence on March 3, 2008, for professional services entered into by a person selected pursuant to Part VII of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 with any agency or entity of state government with which such person had a contract for professional services pursuant to Part VII of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 at any time prior to the March 3, 2008. Such a contract may be renewed, but may not continue in effect after January 8, 2012.~~

~~(r) An agreement for the provision of goods or services by state government provided on the same terms and conditions available to similarly situated persons:~~

(3)(a) No person formerly serving in a position identified in Item (1)(a)(ii) of this Subsection nor his spouse nor any legal entity of a person shall, for a period of one year following the termination of the public service of such person enter into a contract that would have been prohibited by this Subsection prior to the termination of the public service of such person. The provisions of this Paragraph shall not prohibit the renewal of a contract that was not prohibited prior to March 3, 2008.

(b) The provisions of this Paragraph shall not apply to a person, to the spouse of a person, nor to a legal entity of a person if the public service of the person terminated prior to March 3, 2008. However, the provisions of this Paragraph shall apply to a person, to the spouse of a person, and to a legal entity of a person if the person served in an office or position identified in Item (1)(a)(ii) of this Subsection on or after March 3, 2008.

(4)(a) Each person identified in Item (1)(a)(ii) of this Subsection shall file a report with the Board of Ethics, by ~~July first~~ May fifteenth of each year of his term of office or of his service in his position, identifying the parties to and the value and term of each contract between him or his spouse or legal entity of a person and state government during the previous calendar year.

(b) Each immediate family member, except a spouse, of a person identified in Item (1)(a)(ii) of this Subsection shall file a report with the Board of Ethics by ~~July first~~ May fifteenth of each year of the person's term of office or of the person's service in his position identifying the parties to and the value and term of each contract between the immediate family member or any legal entity of a family member and state government during the previous calendar year.

(c) The first report due under the provisions of this Subsection shall be due by May 15, 2009.

~~E: (5) If any provision of this Section Subsection conflicts with any other provision of this Part Section, the more restrictive provision shall govern."~~

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 42:1113(E) is hereby repealed in its entirety."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, line 24, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 6, line 26, change "Section 3" to "Section 4."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1005—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.3, relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Audubon Area Security District; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the levy of taxes and fees; to provide for the merger of the district or a part thereof with another district or a part thereof; 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 Original House Bill No. 1005 by Representative Abramson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "District;" and before "to provide" delete "to change the name of the district;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "fees;" and before "and to provide" insert "to provide for the merger of the district or a part thereof with another district or a part thereof;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, between "Security" and "District" delete "and Neighborhood Improvement"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the end of line 15, delete "and Neighborhood" and at the beginning of line 16, delete "Improvement"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the end of line 21, delete the period "." and insert "from a list of nominations submitted by the association."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the end of line 13, delete the period "." and insert "held after the effective date of the Act which originated as House Bill No. 1005 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, line 29, between "per" and "parcel" delete "improved"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 7, line 1, between "each" and "parcel" delete "improved"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 7, line 2, after "maximum" insert "fee amount"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 7, line 4, between "each" and "parcel" delete "improved"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 9, delete lines 8 through 23, and insert in lieu thereof:

"J. Merger and dissolution. (1) A majority of the area covered by the district may be merged with the majority of the area covered by another district that serves similar purposes without the vote of the registered voters of the district, if such merger is approved by resolution of the board of each such district by the affirmative vote of not less than five members of each respective board. Such merger may create a new district comprised of the majority of the area of each district or provide that the merged portion of one district shall become a part of the other district. If the merger creates a new district, the resolution of each board shall also provide for the dissolution of the respective district. If the merger merges a part of one district into another district, the resolution of the district of which part is being merged into another district shall also provide for the dissolution of the district. Such resolutions shall provide for the effective date of the merger and the dissolution of the district or districts. If a major portion of the area of a district is merged into a new district or into another district in accordance with this Paragraph, the funds of the district that relate to the portion of the district that is included in the new district or the other district, as the case may be, together with any other funds that relate to such portion of the district that are collected by the city of New Orleans pursuant to law relative to the district, shall be transferred to the new or other district to be used for purposes of such district. The remaining portion of funds, if any, shall be transmitted by the board to the city of New Orleans, and such funds shall be used only for law enforcement, security, improvement, and beautification purposes of the area that was formerly within the district but is not included in the merged district.

(2) The legal authority for any district created by merger or for the merger of a part of a district into an existing district, as authorized by Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, shall terminate sixty days after the next regularly scheduled mayoral primary election after such merger is effective unless such merger is approved by a majority of the voters of the merged district voting on the proposition at a regularly scheduled election prior to such termination date.

(3) If a part of a district is merged pursuant to Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the authority for the imposition of the parcel fee provided in Subsection F of this Section shall continue but shall be

applicable only to that portion of the merged district contained in the district created by this Section. The authority for the imposition of the parcel fee in any other portion of the merged district shall be governed by the provisions applicable to the imposition of such fee in the other district with which or into which a part of the district created by this Section is merged."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 10, between lines 10 and 11, insert:

"Section 2. The terms and service of members of the board of the Audubon Area Security District in office on the effective date of this Act shall terminate on the effective date of this Act. The members of the board of the Audubon Area Security District shall be appointed and shall take office as provided in this Act and shall serve initial terms as provided in this Act. This Act shall not be construed to prevent the reappointment to the board of a member in office on the effective date of this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 10, at the beginning of line 11, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1014—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1461, 1761(B), and 2225(A)(7)(c), relative to the Assessors' Retirement Fund, Municipal Employees' Retirement System, and Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide for a cost-of-living adjustment; to provide legislative exemption for the purpose thereof; to provide for recipients of the cost-of-living adjustment; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1032—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9091.12, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the Mid-City Security District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition and collection of a parcel fee and for the use thereof; 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 Original House Bill No. 1032 by Representative Lorusso

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 7 and 8 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(b) The Parkview Neighborhood Association shall appoint one member."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 10, after "A and" and before "B" insert "Council District"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(i) The Mid-City Neighborhood Organization shall appoint four members, one of whom shall be from the City Park Triangle."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 21, change "Subparagraph(4)(a)" to "Subparagraph (a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 23, change "Subparagraph (4)(a)" to "Subparagraph (a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the beginning of line 24, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the end of line 27, delete the period "." and insert "held after the members are appointed as provided in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, line 6, after "December 31," and before "but" change "2015," to "2014,"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 10, between "scheduled" and "election" insert "mayoral"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1053—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1941 through 1947 and to repeal R.S. 17:1942.1, 1947.1, 1948 through 1954, and 1958, all relative to the education of children with exceptionalities; to provide for a

comprehensive revision of the educational opportunities for children with exceptionalities provisions; to provide for a statement of policy; to provide for definitions; to provide for administration; to provide for responsibilities of local education agencies; to provide relative to special schools and school districts, safeguards, and funding for special educational services; to repeal provisions relative to notice of proposed rules, strategic plans and guidelines; assistance for local educational agencies, purchase of special education and related services, personnel development systems, an advisory panel, and liability limitations for certain providers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1080—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2120.43(A), (B), (D), (E), and (G), 2120.44(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), and (C), and 2120.46, and to repeal R.S. 40:2120.42, 2120.45, and 2120.47, relative to adult day health care providers; to provide for licensure of adult day health care providers; to provide for rules, regulations, and licensing standards; to provide for penalties for operation without a license; to repeal the moratorium on adult day health care providers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1361 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1080 by Representative Patricia Smith)—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2120.42(1), relative to adult day health care providers; to change certain operational requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Katz, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 1361 by Rep. Patricia Smith, on behalf of the Committee on Health and Welfare, as a substitute for House Bill No. 1080 by Rep. Patricia Smith.

Under the rules, lies over in the same order of business.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1108—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4720.151(B)(6), (D), (E), (G)(5), (9), and (12), (H)(4)(b), (I)(2), (J)(1), (K), (L)(1), (3), and (4), and (O)(introductory paragraph) and (1), to enact R.S. 33:4720.151(H)(23) and (S), and to repeal R.S. 33:4720.151(G)(13), relative to the East Baton Rouge Redevelopment Authority; to provide relative to the purposes and objects and powers and duties of the authority; to provide relative to the members of the governing board of the authority; to authorize the authority to initiate an expedited quiet title and foreclosure action; to provide relative to the procedures for any

such action; to provide relative to the rights of property owners; to provide relative to due process; 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 Original House Bill No. 1108 by Representative Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "(G)(12), (H)(4)(b), " to "(G)(5), (9), and (12), (H)(4)(b), (I)(2),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "(L)(3) and (4), and (O)(1)," and insert "(L)(1), (3), and (4), and (O) (introductory paragraph) and (1),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1 line 6, after "the authority;" and before "to authorize" insert "to provide relative to the members of the governing board of the authority;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 16, after "consumer" and before "or" insert a comma ", "

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"(5) Each board member shall serve ~~at the pleasure of the appropriate appointing authority~~ for a term of five years, unless removed for cause by the board, as provided in this Chapter, or removed for any reason by authorized action of the appointing authority.

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(9) The board shall elect yearly from its number a chairman, a vice chairman, a secretary, and a treasurer and shall establish their duties as may be regulated by rules adopted by the board. The offices of secretary and treasurer may be held by the same person. The board ~~shall~~ may meet in regular session once each month and also shall meet in special session as convened by the chairman or upon written notice signed by three members. A majority of the members of the board, not including vacancies, shall constitute a quorum for the conduct of business.

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AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete lines 6 through 10 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(12) The board shall cause minutes and a record to be kept of all its proceedings, ~~and it shall select a newspaper of general circulation within its territorial jurisdiction as its official journal in~~

~~which it shall publish its minutes and in which it shall publish all official notices required by law. The authority shall be subject to state laws governing public records, including the provisions of R.S. 44:1."~~

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, delete line 12 in its entirety and insert the following:

"Public Records Law (Chapter 1 of Title 44 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950), the Open Meetings Law (R.S. 42:4.1 et seq.), and the Code of Governmental Ethics (Chapter 15 of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950)."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

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(2) The authority may issue revenue bonds to finance the undertaking of a redevelopment project under this Chapter, or otherwise to acquire, purchase, lease, construct, or improve housing, residential development, subdivision development, commercial, research, industrial, or other plant sites and buildings, or other capital improvements authorized in this Chapter, including energy and pollution abatement and control facilities and necessary property and appurtenances thereto; and may sell, lease, sublease, or otherwise dispose of by suitable and appropriate contract to any enterprise locating or existing within the jurisdiction of an authority such sites, buildings, or facilities and appurtenances thereto, all or severally. The funds derived from the sale of such bonds may be disbursed in whole or in part upon delivery of the bonds as shall be provided in the contract between an authority and the residential, commercial, research, industrial, or other enterprise to be aided, encouraged, or benefited subject to the requirements of ~~Paragraph (L)(2) of this Section~~ this Chapter.

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AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, delete line 16 in its entirety and insert the following:

"L.(1) The authority shall have the power to create and execute ~~redevelopment or development~~ plans for specified areas within its respective territorial jurisdictions. The implementation of all such plans shall not proceed until, to the extent required by law, the authority has obtained the approval of the local planning commission or zoning board. In the execution of such a redevelopment plan, the authority shall have the powers provided in this Subsection. The fact that a certain power is expressed or implied in this Paragraph as pertinent to the authority's execution of a redevelopment plan shall not suggest or imply that such power is otherwise denied to the authority."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 7, line 3, after "redevelopment" and before "plan" insert "or development"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 7, delete line 4 in its entirety and insert the following"

"property for uses in accordance with the redevelopment plans, the authority shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 8, line 21, after "a redevelopment" and before "project" insert "or development"

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### AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 11, line 13, change "Paragraph (4)" to "Paragraph (2)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 11, line 28, after "recorded" and before "under" insert a comma ","

### AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 13, line 23, change "Paragraph (6)" to "Paragraph (7)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 14, line 28, after "recording" and before "under" insert a comma ","

### AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 15, line 3, change "Subparagraph." to "Paragraph."

### AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 15, line 9, change "is not" to "shall not be"

### AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 15, line 10, after "invalid" and before "except" insert a comma ","

### AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 15, line 11, change "Paragraph (12)" to "Paragraph (13)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 15, line 16, after "Subsection" and before "in property" delete the comma ","

### AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 15, line 17, change "Paragraph (12)" to "Paragraph (11)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 15, line 19, after "appeals." and before "An appeal" insert "The appeal of the judgment shall be entitled to preference and priority and handled on an expedited basis by the court of appeal and, if applicable, the Louisiana Supreme Court. In such cases, the record shall be prepared and filed within fifteen days of the granting of the order of appeal. The court of appeal shall hear the case within thirty days after the filing of the appellee's brief."

### AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 16, line 24, change "Paragraph (12)" to "Paragraph (11)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 16, line 26, delete "Subsection L of this Section." and insert "Paragraph (11) of this Subsection"

### AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 17, line 4, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

### AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 17, line 5, change "Paragraph (12)" to "Paragraph (11)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 17, line 6, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

### AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 17, line 7, change "Paragraph (12)" to "Paragraph (11)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 17, line 11, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

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

Under the rules, the above bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 1110—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2262(D)(1) and (2), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the pension accumulation fund, employer contributions, and the interest rate applicable to collection of delinquent employee and employer contributions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Retirement.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 1149—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MICHAEL JACKSON, ARMES, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, RITCHIE, PATRICIA SMITH, AND TRAHAN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:85.13, relative to naming a stadium; to authorize the parish school board in certain parishes to name a stadium in honor of a former principal; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the local and consent calendar.

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 1164—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:85 and to repeal R.S. 17:85.1, 85.2, 85.3, 85.5, 85.8, 85.11, and 85.12, relative to the naming of facilities; to authorize school boards to name athletic facilities after living persons; to repeal prior grants of similar authority and to provide relative to actions taken by school boards under such grants of authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1196—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2113(D), relative to the Louisiana Nuclear Energy and Radiation Control Law; to provide for prohibitions on transportation of certain radioactive waste; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment to Original House Bill No. 1196 by Representative LaFonta

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "generated" delete the remainder of the line and insert "by the United States Armed Forces, shall be"

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, the amendments were adopted.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1247—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:221.4, relative to the placement in public elementary school classrooms of children born at the same birth event; to provide relative to parental requests for such placement; to provide guidelines, timelines, and procedures for such requests; to provide for review of initial placement decisions; to provide limitations; to provide definitions; to provide effectiveness, to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1299—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9066, to create the Waggaman Community Improvement District within Jefferson Parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition and collection of a tax on solid waste disposed of at landfills in the district; 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 Original House Bill No. 1299 by Representative Billiot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, after "(1)" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 2 and insert "The governing authority of Jefferson Parish shall be the governing authority of the district. The governing authority shall create an advisory board, referred to in this Section as the "board", to recommend actions relating to the district. The advisory board shall be"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 21, change "secretary-treasurer," to "secretary,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 23 through 25 and at the beginning of line 26 change "(7)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, change "(8)" to "(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 3, after "through the" change "secretary-treasurer" to "secretary"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the beginning of line 4, change "(9)" to "(8)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 16, after "adopted by the" change "board" to "governing authority"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 22, after "The" change "board" to "governing authority"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1357 (Substitute for House Bill No. 24 by**

**Representative Geymann)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN  
AN ACT

To enact Division 6 of Subpart A of Part VI of Chapter 1 of Title 14 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 14:100.21, relative to aliens; to create the crime of unlawfully harboring, concealing, or sheltering an alien; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; to provide for affirmative defenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1358 (Substitute for House Bill No. 26 by Representative Geymann)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN

AN ACT

To enact Division 6 of Subpart A of Part VI of Chapter 1 of Title 14 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 14:100.21, relative to aliens; to create the crime of unlawful transportation of an alien; to provide for definitions; to provide for affirmative defenses; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1359 (Substitute for House Bill No. 162 by Representative Girod Jackson)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GIROD JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(F), relative to sex offender registration and notification requirements; to authorize certain persons convicted of carnal knowledge of a juvenile to petition the court to waive sex offender registration and notification provisions; to provide for procedures; to provide for eligibility; to provide for a contradictory hearing; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1360 (Substitute for House Bill No. 412 by Representative Mills)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:170.2, relative to life insurance policies and annuities; to provide with respect to any such policy or annuity issued to fund a pre-need funeral contract; to provide for the relationship of a funeral establishment to such a policy or contract; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 25—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES GEYMANN AND HILL

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 228(D), relative to booking an arrested person; to require that peace officers determine the citizenship or immigration status of the arrested person at the time of booking; to provide for procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 25 by Representative Geymann

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 18, after "person," delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 19 and 20 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 3

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

"the peace officer shall attempt to notify the United States Department of Homeland Security as soon as is practicable."

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

On motion of Rep. Wooton, 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. 86—**  
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.1(A), relative to the Board of Pardons; to provide for membership on the Board of Pardons; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Mickey Guillory, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage**

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

**Local and Consent Calendar**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 54—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MICKEY GUILLORY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:539(C)(1), relative to local housing authorities; to provide relative to the executive director of a local housing authority; to require a local housing authority to enter into an employment contract with the executive director; to provide relative to the term of the contract; to provide relative to the compensation of the executive director and other terms of employment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Mickey Guillory moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Monica
Abramson	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Anders	Guillory, M.	Morrell
Armes	Guinn	Morris
Arnold	Hardy	Norton
Aubert	Harrison	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Hazel	Pearson
Badon, B.	Henderson	Perry
Baldone	Hill	Peterson
Barras	Hines	Ponti
Barrow	Hoffmann	Pope
Billiot	Honey	Pugh
Burford	Howard	Richard
Burns, H.	Hutter	Richardson
Burrell	Jackson G.	Richmond
Carter	Jackson M.	Ritchie
Champagne	Johnson	Robideaux
Chandler	Jones, R.	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, S.	Simon
Connick	Kleckley	Smith, G.
Cortez	LaBruzzo	Smith, J.
Danahay	LaFonta	Smith, P.
Dixon	Lambert	St. Germain
Doerge	LeBas	Talbot
Edwards	Leger	Trahan
Ellington	Little	Waddell
Fannin	Lopinto	White
Foil	Lorusso	Williams
Franklin	Marchand	Willmott
Gallot	McVea	Wooton
Geymann	Mills	
Total - 92		

**NAYS**

Burns, T.	Greene	Ligi
Carmody	Henry	Roy
Cromer	Katz	Smiley
Total - 9		

**ABSENT**

Cazayoux	Downs
Dove	Templet
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Mickey Guillory 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. 157—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CONNICK, BILLIOT, HENRY, LABRUZZO, LIGI, LOPINTO, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS HEITMEIER AND MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1373(D) and (E) and to enact R.S. 33:1373(F) and (G), relative to powers of parish governing authorities; to provide for civil judicial proceedings instituted on the environmental docket; to provide for appeals; to provide for security; to provide for contempt; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 186—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1552(B)(6) and to repeal R.S. 23:1552(B)(7), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide with respect to reimbursement of unemployment claims paid as a result of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Honey moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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
Burns, T.	Honey	Richardson
Burrell	Howard	Richmond
Carmody	Hutter	Ritchie
Carter	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Champagne	Jackson M.	Roy
Chandler	Johnson	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, R.	Simon
Connick	Jones, S.	Smiley
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Cromer	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Danahay	LaFonta	Talbot
Dixon	Lambert	Templet
Doerge	LeBas	Trahan
Downs	Leger	Waddell
Edwards	Ligi	White

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Ellington	Little	Williams
Fannin	Lopinto	Willmott
Foil	Lorusso	Wooton
Franklin	Marchand	
Gallot	McVea	
Total - 100		

NAYS

Smith, G.  
Total - 1

ABSENT

Cazayoux	Katz
Dove	St. Germain
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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 157—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CONNICK, BILLIOT, HENRY, LABRUZZO, LIGI, LOPINTO, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS HEITMEIER AND MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1373(D) and (E) and to enact R.S. 33:1373(F) and (G), relative to powers of parish governing authorities; to provide for civil judicial proceedings instituted on the environmental docket; to provide for appeals; to provide for security; to provide for contempt; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Connick moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Mills
Abramson	Greene	Monica
Anders	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Armes	Guillory, M.	Morrell
Arnold	Guinn	Morris
Aubert	Hardy	Norton
Badon, B.	Harrison	Nowlin
Baldone	Hazel	Pearson
Barras	Henderson	Perry
Barrow	Henry	Peterson
Billiot	Hill	Ponti
Burford	Hines	Pope
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Pugh
Burns, T.	Honey	Richard
Burrell	Howard	Richardson
Carmody	Hutter	Richmond
Carter	Jackson G.	Ritchie
Champagne	Jackson M.	Robideaux
Chandler	Johnson	Roy
Chaney	Jones, R.	Schroder
Connick	Jones, S.	Simon
Cortez	Katz	Smiley
Cromer	Kleckley	Smith, G.

Danahay	LaBruzzo	Smith, J.
Dixon	LaFonta	Smith, P.
Doerge	Lambert	Talbot
Downs	LeBas	Templet
Edwards	Leger	Waddell
Ellington	Ligi	White
Fannin	Little	Williams
Foil	Lopinto	Willmott
Franklin	Lorusso	Wooton
Gallot	Marchand	
Geymann	McVea	
Total - 100		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Badon, A.	Dove	Trahan
Cazayoux	St. Germain	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Connick 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. 227—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBIDEAUX, ARNOLD, DOERGE, MONTOUCET, PEARSON, AND POPE AND SENATORS CASSIDY, B. GAUTREAUX, AND HEBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2258(C), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide for survivor's benefits; to provide for continuation of benefits for a surviving spouse of a disability retiree; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Robideaux moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Mills
Abramson	Greene	Monica
Anders	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Armes	Guillory, M.	Morrell
Arnold	Guinn	Morris
Aubert	Hardy	Norton
Badon, B.	Harrison	Nowlin
Baldone	Hazel	Pearson
Barras	Henderson	Perry
Barrow	Hill	Peterson
Billiot	Hines	Ponti
Burford	Hoffmann	Pope
Burns, H.	Honey	Pugh
Burns, T.	Howard	Richard
Burrell	Hutter	Richardson
Carmody	Jackson G.	Richmond
Champagne	Jackson M.	Ritchie
Chandler	Jones, R.	Robideaux
Chaney	Jones, S.	Roy
Connick	Katz	Schroder
Cortez	Kleckley	Simon

Cromer	LaBruzzo	Smiley
Danahay	LaFonta	Smith, G.
Dixon	Lambert	Smith, J.
Doerge	LeBas	Smith, P.
Downs	Leger	Talbot
Edwards	Ligi	Templet
Ellington	Little	Trahan
Fannin	Lopinto	Waddell
Foil	Lorusso	White
Franklin	Marchand	Willmott
Geymann	McVea	Wooton

Total - 96

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Badon, A.	Dove	Johnson
Carter	Gallot	St. Germain
Cazayoux	Henry	Williams

Total - 9

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Robideaux 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. 228—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBIDEAUX AND DOERGE AND SENATOR B. GAUTREUX AND REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD, MONTOUCET, PEARSON, AND POPE AND SENATOR HEBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2260(A)(5) and (6), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the quorum and voting requirements of the board of trustees; to provide relative to the oath taken by trustees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Robideaux moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Greene	Montoucet
Abramson	Guillory, E.	Morrell
Anders	Guillory, M.	Morris
Armes	Guinn	Norton
Arnold	Hardy	Nowlin
Aubert	Harrison	Pearson
Badon, B.	Hazel	Perry
Baldone	Henderson	Peterson
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Richardson
Burns, T.	Howard	Richmond
Burrell	Hutter	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Champagne	Jackson M.	Roy
Chandler	Jones, R.	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, S.	Simon
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
Edwards	Ligi	Trahan
Ellington	Little	Waddell
Fannin	Lopinto	White
Foil	Lorusso	Williams
Franklin	Marchand	Willmott
Gallot	McVea	Wooton
Geymann	Mills	
Gisclair	Monica	

Total - 100

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Badon, A.	Cazayoux	Johnson
Carter	Dove	

Total - 5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Robideaux 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. 231—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DOERGE, ARNOLD, MONTOUCET, PEARSON, AND POPE AND SENATORS B. GAUTREUX AND HEBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:314(A)(introductory paragraph), 315(A)(introductory paragraph), and 2261(A), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the management of system funds; to exempt the system from the requirement of constructively engaging certain companies with facilities or employees or both in prohibited nations; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Doerge moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Ellington	Montoucet
Abramson	Fannin	Morris
Anders	Foil	Norton
Arnold	Franklin	Nowlin
Aubert	Gallot	Perry
Badon, A.	Geymann	Ponti
Badon, B.	Gisclair	Pope
Baldone	Harrison	Pugh
Barras	Hazel	Richard
Barrow	Henderson	Richardson
Billiot	Hill	Richmond
Burford	Hines	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Robideaux
Burrell	Honey	Schroder
Carmody	Howard	Smith, G.
Carter	Hutter	Smith, J.
Champagne	Jackson M.	Smith, P.

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Chandler	Jones, R.	St. Germain
Chaney	Jones, S.	Templet
Cortez	Kleckley	Trahan
Danahay	LeBas	Waddell
Dixon	Little	White
Doerge	Marchand	Williams
Downs	McVea	Willmott
Edwards	Monica	Wooton
Total - 75		

NAYS

Burns, T.	LaFonta	Pearson
Connick	Leger	Peterson
Cromer	Ligi	Simon
Guinn	Lopinto	Talbot
Hardy	Lorusso	
Henry	Morrell	
Total - 16		

ABSENT

Armes	Guillory, M.	Lambert
Cazayoux	Jackson G.	Mills
Dove	Johnson	Roy
Greene	Katz	Smiley
Guillory, E.	LaBruzzo	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Doerge 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. 387—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BILLIOT, GISCLAIR, LABRUZZO, LOPINTO, TALBOT, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2536.2, relative to fire and police civil service boards; to provide for the qualifications of members of the Jefferson Parish Fire Civil Service Board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Billiot moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Montoucet
Abramson	Greene	Morrell
Anders	Guillory, M.	Norton
Armes	Guinn	Nowlin
Arnold	Hardy	Pearson
Aubert	Harrison	Perry
Badon, A.	Hazel	Peterson
Badon, B.	Henderson	Ponti
Baldone	Henry	Pope
Barras	Hill	Pugh
Barrow	Hines	Richard
Billiot	Hoffmann	Richardson
Burford	Honey	Richmond
Burns, T.	Howard	Ritchie
Burrell	Hutter	Robideaux
Carmody	Jackson G.	Roy
Carter	Jackson M.	Schroder

Champagne	Johnson	Simon
Chandler	Jones, R.	Smiley
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Connick	Katz	Smith, J.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Cromer	LaFonta	St. Germain
Danahay	Lambert	Talbot
Dixon	LeBas	Templet
Doerge	Leger	Trahan
Downs	Ligi	Waddell
Edwards	Little	White
Ellington	Lorusso	Williams
Fannin	Marchand	Willmott
Foil	McVea	Wooton
Franklin	Mills	
Gallot	Monica	
Total - 97		

NAYS

Lopinto  
Total - 1

ABSENT

Burns, H.	Geymann	Morris
Cazayoux	Guillory, E.	
Dove	LaBruzzo	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Billiot 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. 438—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LIGI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:1015(F)(3), relative to drug testing by certain public employers of certain public employees; to provide for the application of certain drug testing requirements to certain parishes and municipalities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Ligi moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Mills
Abramson	Greene	Monica
Anders	Guinn	Montoucet
Armes	Hardy	Morrell
Arnold	Harrison	Norton
Aubert	Hazel	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Henderson	Pearson
Badon, B.	Henry	Perry
Baldone	Hill	Peterson
Barras	Hines	Ponti
Barrow	Hoffmann	Pope
Billiot	Honey	Pugh
Burford	Howard	Richard
Burns, H.	Hutter	Richardson
Burns, T.	Jackson G.	Richmond
Burrell	Jackson M.	Ritchie

Carmody	Johnson	Robideaux
Champagne	Jones, R.	Roy
Chandler	Jones, S.	Schroder
Chaney	Katz	Simon
Connick	Kleckley	Smiley
Cortez	LaBruzzo	Smith, G.
Cromer	LaFonta	Smith, J.
Danahay	Lambert	Smith, P.
Dixon	LeBas	St. Germain
Doerge	Leger	Talbot
Downs	Ligi	Templet
Edwards	Little	Trahan
Fannin	Lopinto	Waddell
Foil	Lorusso	White
Franklin	Marchand	Willmott
Gallot	McVea	Wooton

Total - 96

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter	Ellington	Guillory, M.
Cazayoux	Geymann	Morris
Dove	Guillory, E.	Williams

Total - 9

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ligi 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. 455—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONICA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:170.15, relative to the state symbol; to provide that the fleur-de-lis shall be the official state symbol; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Monica moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gallot	Lorusso
Abramson	Gisclair	Marchand
Anders	Greene	McVea
Armes	Guillory, E.	Monica
Arnold	Guillory, M.	Montoucet
Aubert	Guinn	Morrell
Badon, B.	Hardy	Norton
Baldone	Harrison	Nowlin
Barras	Hazel	Pearson
Barrow	Henderson	Perry
Billiot	Henry	Peterson
Burford	Hill	Pope
Burns, H.	Hines	Pugh
Burns, T.	Hoffmann	Richard
Burrell	Honey	Richardson
Carmody	Howard	Ritchie
Carter	Hutter	Roy
Champagne	Jackson G.	Schroder

Chandler	Jackson M.	Simon
Chaney	Johnson	Smiley
Connick	Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Cortez	Jones, S.	Smith, J.
Cromer	Katz	Smith, P.
Danahay	Kleckley	St. Germain
Dixon	LaBruzzo	Talbot
Doerge	LaFonta	Templet
Downs	Lambert	Waddell
Edwards	LeBas	White
Ellington	Leger	Williams
Fannin	Ligi	Willmott
Foil	Little	Wooton
Franklin	Lopinto	

Total - 95

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Badon, A.	Mills	Robideaux
Cazayoux	Morris	Trahan
Dove	Ponti	
Geymann	Richmond	

Total - 10

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Monica 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.

**Speaker Tucker in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 506—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:329.6(A)(9) and R.S. 29:732(A), relative to price gouging during a proclamation of a state of emergency; to provide for price changes attributable to market conditions; to provide for business risk expenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Ponti moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Greene	Mills
Abramson	Guillory, E.	Monica
Anders	Guillory, M.	Montoucet
Armes	Hardy	Morrell
Arnold	Harrison	Morris
Aubert	Hazel	Norton
Badon, B.	Henderson	Nowlin
Baldone	Henry	Pearson
Barras	Hill	Perry
Barrow	Hines	Ponti
Billiot	Hoffmann	Pope
Burford	Honey	Pugh
Burns, H.	Howard	Richardson
Burns, T.	Hutter	Richmond
Burrell	Jackson G.	Ritchie

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Carmody	Jackson M.	Robideaux
Carter	Johnson	Roy
Champagne	Jones, R.	Schroder
Chandler	Jones, S.	Simon
Chaney	Katz	Smiley
Connick	Kleckley	Smith, G.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Smith, J.
Dixon	LaFonta	Smith, P.
Doerge	Lambert	St. Germain
Downs	LeBas	Talbot
Edwards	Leger	Templet
Ellington	Ligi	Trahan
Fannin	Little	White
Foil	Lopinto	Williams
Franklin	Lorusso	Willmott
Gallot	Marchand	
Gisclair	McVea	

Total - 94

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Badon, A.	Dove	Richard
Cazayoux	Geymann	Waddell
Cortez	Guinn	Wooton
Cromer	Peterson	

Total - 11

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ponti 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. 521—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:208 and 2223(B)(4), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to disability retirement; to provide for non-service disability retirement eligibility; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montoucet moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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	Ponti
Barrow	Henry	Pope
Billiot	Hill	Pugh
Burford	Hines	Richard
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Richardson

Burns, T.	Honey	Richmond
Burrell	Howard	Robideaux
Carmody	Hutter	Roy
Carter	Jackson G.	Schroder
Champagne	Jackson M.	Simon
Chandler	Johnson	Smiley
Chaney	Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Connick	Jones, S.	Smith, J.
Cortez	Katz	Smith, P.
Cromer	Kleckley	St. Germain
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Talbot
Dixon	LaFonta	Templet
Doerge	Lambert	Trahan
Downs	LeBas	Waddell
Edwards	Leger	White
Ellington	Ligi	Williams
Fannin	Lopinto	Willmott
Foil	Lorusso	Wooton
Franklin	Marchand	
Gallot	McVea	

Total - 100

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cazayoux	Little	Ritchie
Dove	Peterson	

Total - 5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Montoucet 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. 523—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CONNICK AND WILLMOTT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1373(F), relative to Jefferson Parish; to authorize the parish to take certain judicial actions against certain owners of certain premises; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Connick moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Monica
Abramson	Greene	Montoucet
Anders	Guillory, E.	Morrell
Armes	Guillory, M.	Morris
Arnold	Guinn	Norton
Aubert	Hardy	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Harrison	Pearson
Badon, B.	Hazel	Perry
Baldone	Henderson	Peterson
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Richardson
Burns, T.	Howard	Richmond

Burrell	Hutter	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Carter	Jackson M.	Roy
Champagne	Johnson	Schroder
Chandler	Jones, R.	Simon
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smiley
Connick	Katz	Smith, G.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Cromer	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Danahay	LaFonta	St. Germain
Dixon	Lambert	Talbot
Doerge	LeBas	Templet
Downs	Leger	Trahan
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell
Ellington	Little	White
Fannin	Lopinto	Williams
Foil	Lorusso	Willmott
Franklin	Marchand	Wooton
Gallot	Mills	

Total - 101

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cazayoux	Geymann
Dove	McVea

Total - 4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Connick 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. 931—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES GEYMAN AND KLECKLEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9576(C)(4), relative to Calcasieu Parish; to provide relative to the Calcasieu Parish Gaming Revenue District; to provide relative to funds distributed to Calcasieu Parish by such district; to provide relative to the expenditure of such funds by the parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Geymann gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 931 during the week of May 12, 2008.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 976—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3384(B), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to change the accrual rate of retirement benefits for certain members; to change certain ages at which such accrual rates apply; 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	Mills
Abramson	Geymann	Monica
Anders	Gisclair	Montoucet
Armes	Greene	Morrell
Arnold	Guillory, E.	Morris
Aubert	Guillory, M.	Norton
Badon, A.	Guinn	Nowlin
Badon, B.	Hardy	Pearson
Baldone	Harrison	Perry
Barras	Hazel	Peterson
Barrow	Henry	Ponti
Billiot	Hill	Pope
Burford	Hines	Pugh
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, T.	Honey	Richardson
Burrell	Howard	Richmond
Carmody	Hutter	Ritchie
Carter	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Champagne	Jackson M.	Schroder
Chandler	Johnson	Simon
Chaney	Jones, R.	Smiley
Connick	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Cortez	Katz	Smith, J.
Cromer	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Dixon	LaFonta	Talbot
Doerge	LeBas	Templet
Downs	Leger	Trahan
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell
Ellington	Little	White
Fannin	Lopinto	Williams
Foil	Lorusso	Willmott
Franklin	Marchand	Wooton

Total - 99

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cazayoux	Henderson	McVea
Dove	Lambert	Roy

Total - 6

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. 1006—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3385.1(L), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the deferred retirement option plan; to provide for eligibility for a retroactive deferred retirement option plan benefit; 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	Mills
Abramson	Gisclair	Monica
Anders	Greene	Montoucet
Armes	Guillory, E.	Morrell
Arnold	Guillory, M.	Morris
Aubert	Gunn	Norton
Badon, A.	Hardy	Pearson
Badon, B.	Harrison	Perry
Baldone	Hazel	Peterson
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Richardson
Burns, T.	Howard	Richmond
Burrell	Hutter	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Carter	Jackson M.	Schroder
Champagne	Johnson	Simon
Chandler	Jones, R.	Smiley
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Connick	Katz	Smith, J.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Cromer	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Danahay	LaFonta	Talbot
Dixon	Lambert	Templet
Doerge	LeBas	Trahan
Downs	Leger	Waddell
Edwards	Ligi	White
Ellington	Little	Williams
Fannin	Lopinto	Willmott
Foil	Lorusso	Wooton
Franklin	Marchand	
Total - 98		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Cazayoux	Henderson	Roy
Dove	McVea	
Geymann	Nowlin	
Total - 7		

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.

**Acting Speaker Ellington in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1078—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX  
AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:444(B)(3) and (C)(2) through (11), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to the computation of retirement benefits; to provide for adjustments to retirement benefits commencing prior to age sixty-two; to provide for an exception to the

adjustment of benefits for persons providing police protection, firefighting services, and emergency medical services; to provide for the adjustment of retirement benefits commencing after age sixty-five; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Robideaux to Engrossed House Bill No. 1078 by Representative Robideaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "and (C)(2) through (11)," to "and (C),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, change "and (C)(2) through (11)" to "and (C)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 21, delete "I.R.C." and at the beginning of line 22 delete "§415(b)" and insert "Section 415(b) of the Internal Revenue Code"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 22, after "applied" insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 1, delete "R.S. 11:444(C)." and insert "Subsection C of this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete line 10, and insert the following:

"(1) Adjustment if benefit not single life annuity. (a) If the normal form of benefit is other than a single life annuity, such form shall be adjusted actuarially to the equivalent of a single life annuity. This single life annuity shall not exceed the maximum dollar or percent limitations outlined ~~above~~ in the Introductory Paragraph of this Subsection.

(b) No adjustment is required for the following: ~~Qualified~~ qualified joint and survivor annuity benefits; pre-retirement disability benefits; pre-retirement death benefits; and post-retirement medical benefits."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the end of line 17, before "Internal" insert "Section 415 of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 18, after "Code" delete "§415"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, at the end of line 19, before "Internal" insert "Section 415(d) of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 20, after "Code" insert a comma "," and delete "§415(d)."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, at the end of line 1, before "Internal" insert "Section 415 of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 2, after "Code" delete "§415"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, at the beginning of line 4, before "Internal" insert "Section 415(d) of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 4, after "Code" insert a comma "," and delete "§415(d)."

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, line 17, after "percent" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, line 22, after "percent" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 3, at the end of line 25, insert the following:

"(a) If retirement benefits are payable under this retirement system to a member who has less than ten years of participation in the retirement system, the dollar limitation referred to in the ~~first Paragraph~~ Introductory Paragraph of this Subsection (~~ninety thousand dollars~~) will be multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the member's number of years of participation in the system (~~not greater than ten~~), and the denominator of which is ten.

(b) If retirement benefits are payable under this retirement system to a member who has less than ten years of service with the employer, the percentage limitation referred to in the ~~first Paragraph~~ Introductory Paragraph of this Subsection (~~one hundred percent of compensation~~) and the dollar limitation referred to in Paragraph ~~(9)~~ (8) of this Subsection will be multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the member's number of years of service with the employer (~~not greater than ten~~) and the denominator of which is ten."

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 3, delete line 26

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 4, line 12, between "the" and "provisions" delete "preceding"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 4, at the end of line 14, delete the colon ":" and insert "both of the following apply:"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, delete line 15, and insert the following:

"(a) The retirement benefits payable with respect to such participant under such plan and under all other defined benefit plans of the employer do not exceed ten thousand dollars for the plan year, or for any prior plan year. ~~and~~

(b) The employer has not at any time maintained a defined contribution plan in which the participant participated."

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 4, at the end of line 16, insert the following:

"(a) For purposes of Subsection A of this Section, average compensation shall include any amounts properly considered as the regular rate of pay of the member, as defined in R.S. 11:231 and unreduced by amounts excluded from income for federal income tax purposes by reason of ~~Internal Revenue Code~~ Section 414(h), ~~or~~ Section 125, or Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code or any other provision of federal law of similar effect.

(b) For purposes of this Subsection, average compensation shall include total compensation payable by the employer and included in the employee's income for federal income tax purposes and shall exclude amounts not includable in the member's gross income by reason of Section 414(h) of the Internal Revenue Code ~~Section 414(h)~~. A member's highest three years shall be the period of three consecutive calendar years (~~not more than three~~) during which the member both was an active participant in the plan and had the greatest aggregate compensation from the employer."

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 4, delete line 17

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 4, line 20, after "defined in this" delete "Subsection," and insert "Paragraph."

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 4, delete line 22, and insert the following:

"(a) The employee's accrued benefit determined with respect to the benefit formula applicable for the plan year beginning on or after January 1, 1996, as applied to the employee's total years of service taken into account for purposes of benefit accruals.

(b) The sum of:

(i) The employee's accrued benefit as of the last day of the last plan year beginning before January 1, 1996, frozen in accordance with the provisions of Section 26 C.F.R. 1.401(a)(4) through (13) ~~of the Code of Federal Regulations~~.

(ii) The employee's accrued benefit determined under the benefit formula applicable for the plan year beginning on or after January 1, 1996, as applied to the employee's years of service credited to the employee for plan years beginning on or after January 1, 1996, for purposes of benefit accruals.

(c) ~~(i)~~ For purposes of this Subsection Paragraph, a "Section 401(a)(17) employee" shall mean an employee whose current accrued benefit as of a date on or after the first day of the first plan year beginning on or after January 1, 1996, is based on compensation for a year beginning prior to the first day of the first plan year beginning on or after January 1, 1996, that exceeded one hundred fifty thousand dollars.

~~(d)~~ (ii) If an employee is not a Section 401(a)(17) employee, his accrued benefit in this system shall not be based upon compensation in excess of the annual limit provided for in Section 401(a)(17) of the United States Internal Revenue Code, as amended and revised."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

Total - 99

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Carmody	Dove
Burns, H.	Cazayoux	McVea

Total - 6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Robideaux 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. 1093—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 33:1236(49)(e), relative to the powers of parish governing authorities; to provide relative to contempt fines and court costs charged to property owners in a parish for failure to repair or demolish derelict structures; to authorize the governing authority of a parish to place the contempt fines and court costs on the ad valorem tax rolls of the parish; to provide procedures

therefor; to provide for the collection of such contempt fines and court costs; to authorize a collection fee for the sheriff of such parish; to provide relative to any action brought to contest the placing of such contempt fines and court costs on the tax rolls; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Connick moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Abramson	Gisclair	Mills
Anders	Greene	Monica
Armes	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Arnold	Guillory, M.	Morrell
Aubert	Guinn	Morris
Badon, A.	Hardy	Norton
Badon, B.	Harrison	Nowlin
Baldone	Hazel	Pearson
Barras	Henderson	Perry
Barrow	Henry	Peterson
Billiot	Hill	Ponti
Burford	Hines	Pope
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Pugh
Burns, T.	Honey	Richard
Burrell	Howard	Richardson
Carmody	Hutter	Ritchie
Carter	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Champagne	Johnson	Roy
Chandler	Jones, R.	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, S.	Simon
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
Edwards	Ligi	Trahan
Fannin	Little	Waddell
Foil	Lopinto	White
Franklin	Lorusso	Williams
Gallot	Marchand	Willmott
Geymann	McVea	Wooton

Total - 99

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Dove	Jackson M.
Cazayoux	Ellington	Richmond

Total - 6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Connick 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. 1146—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405(C), relative to peace officer training requirements; to exempt certain part-time and reserve officers from peace officer training requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Lopinto moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Abramson	Greene	Monica
Anders	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Armes	Guillory, M.	Morrell
Arnold	Guinn	Morris
Aubert	Hardy	Norton
Badon, A.	Harrison	Pearson
Badon, B.	Hazel	Perry
Baldone	Henderson	Peterson
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, T.	Honey	Richardson
Burrell	Howard	Richmond
Carmody	Hutter	Ritchie
Carter	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
Downs	LeBas	Templett
Edwards	Leger	Trahan
Fannin	Ligi	Waddell
Foil	Little	White
Franklin	Lorusso	Williams
Gallot	Marchand	Wooton
Geymann	McVea	
Gisclair	Mills	

Total - 97

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Dove	Nowlin
Burns, H.	Ellington	Willmott
Cazayoux	Lopinto	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Lopinto 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. 1165—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HONEY, ARMES, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, BURRELL, CHANEY, DIXON, DOWNS, EDWARDS, GALLOT, GISCLAIR, GREENE, HARRISON, HINES, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, MICHAEL JACKSON, ROSALIND JONES, SAM JONES, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFONTA, MONTUCET, MORRELL, MORRIS, NORTON, PERRY, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, TEMPLET, WADDELL, AND WILLIAMS AND SENATOR SCALISE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1474(I), 1592(E), and 1595(A) and to enact R.S. 23:1536(E)(4), relative to unemployment compensation weekly benefit amounts; to provide with respect to the unemployment trust fund balance; to provide for an increase in the weekly benefit amount paid; to provide for the duration of benefits; to provide for a reduction in contributions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Honey to Engrossed House Bill No. 1165 by Representative Honey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 1, after "million dollars" insert "but less than one billion four hundred million dollars"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 5, after "year" and before "the", insert a comma ",."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 7, delete "above" and insert in lieu thereof "provided in Subsection D of this Section"

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:

**YEAS**

Abramson	Gisclair	Montoucet
Anders	Greene	Morrell
Armes	Guillory, E.	Morris
Arnold	Guinn	Norton
Aubert	Hardy	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Harrison	Pearson
Badon, B.	Hazel	Perry
Baldone	Henderson	Peterson
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Richardson
Burns, T.	Howard	Richmond
Burrell	Hutter	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Carter	Jackson M.	Roy
Champagne	Johnson	Schroder
Chandler	Jones, R.	Simon

Chaney	Jones, S.	Smiley
Connick	Katz	Smith, G.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Cromer	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Danahay	LaFonta	St. Germain
Dixon	Lambert	Talbot
Doerge	LeBas	Templet
Downs	Leger	Trahan
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell
Ellington	Little	White
Fannin	Lopinto	Williams
Foil	Lorusso	Willmott
Franklin	Marchand	Wooton
Gallot	McVea	
Geymann	Monica	
Total - 100		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Dove	Mills
Cazayoux	Guillory, M.	
Total - 5		

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.

### Acting Speaker Trahan in the Chair

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1204— BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2586(C)(5) and 2589(C), relative to justice of the peace courts in Caddo Parish; to provide for jurisdiction over property standards violations; to provide for summons and subpoenas by constables; to provide for reimbursement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Williams moved the final passage of the bill.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Abramson	Guillory, M.	Morrell
Anders	Guinn	Morris
Armes	Hardy	Norton
Arnold	Harrison	Nowlin
Aubert	Hazel	Pearson
Badon, A.	Henderson	Perry
Badon, B.	Henry	Peterson
Baldone	Hill	Ponti
Barras	Hines	Pope
Barrow	Hoffmann	Pugh
Billiot	Honey	Richard
Burford	Howard	Richardson
Burns, T.	Hutter	Richmond
Burrell	Jackson G.	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson M.	Robideaux

Carter	Johnson	Roy
Chandler	Jones, R.	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, S.	Simon
Connick	Katz	Smiley
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, G.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Smith, J.
Dixon	LaFonta	Smith, P.
Doerge	Lambert	St. Germain
Downs	LeBas	Talbot
Edwards	Leger	Templet
Ellington	Ligi	Trahan
Fannin	Little	Waddell
Foil	Lopinto	White
Franklin	Lorusso	Williams
Gallot	Marchand	Willmott
Geymann	McVea	Wooton
Gisclair	Mills	
Greene	Monica	
Total - 100		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Burns, H.	Champagne	Dove
Cazayoux	Cromer	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Williams 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.

### Regular Calendar

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 17— BY REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(t), relative to court reporters for the Thirty-Seventh Judicial District Court in Caldwell Parish; to provide for the fees to be charged for transcriptions and copies in all cases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Marchand
Abramson	Gisclair	McVea
Anders	Greene	Mills
Armes	Guillory, E.	Monica
Arnold	Guillory, M.	Montoucet
Aubert	Guinn	Morrell
Badon, A.	Hardy	Morris
Badon, B.	Harrison	Norton
Baldone	Hazel	Pearson
Barras	Henderson	Perry
Barrow	Henry	Peterson
Billiot	Hill	Ponti
Burford	Hines	Pope
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Richard

Burrell	Honey	Richardson
Carmody	Howard	Ritchie
Carter	Hutter	Robideaux
Champagne	Jackson M.	Roy
Chandler	Johnson	Schroder
Chaney	Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Cortez	Jones, S.	Smith, J.
Cromer	Katz	Smith, P.
Danahay	Kleckley	St. Germain
Dixon	LaBruzzo	Talbot
Doerge	LaFonta	Templet
Downs	Lambert	Trahan
Edwards	LeBas	Waddell
Ellington	Leger	White
Fannin	Ligi	Williams
Foil	Little	Willmott
Franklin	Lopinto	Wooton
Gallot	Lorusso	
Total - 95		

NAYS

Burns, T.	Richmond
Total - 2	
ABSENT	

Cazayoux	Jackson G.	Simon
Connick	Nowlin	Smiley
Dove	Pugh	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ellington 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.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Tim Burns requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 17 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 79—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 192.2 and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 25.1, relative to powers of the court; to provide for appointment of a competent interpreter for a non-English-speaking person who is a principal party in interest or a witness in a proceeding before the court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Richmond moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Ellington	Little
Abramson	Fannin	Lorusso
Anders	Foil	Marchand
Armes	Franklin	McVea
Arnold	Gallot	Monica
Aubert	Gisclair	Morrell

Badon, A.	Greene	Norton
Badon, B.	Guillory, E.	Pearson
Baldone	Guillory, M.	Perry
Barrow	Hardy	Peterson
Billiot	Harrison	Ponti
Burford	Hazel	Richard
Burns, H.	Henderson	Richardson
Burrell	Hill	Richmond
Carmody	Hines	Ritchie
Carter	Hoffmann	Robideaux
Champagne	Honey	Roy
Chandler	Hutter	Smith, G.
Chaney	Jackson G.	Smith, J.
Connick	Jackson M.	Smith, P.
Cortez	Johnson	St. Germain
Cromer	Jones, R.	Templet
Danahay	Jones, S.	Trahan
Dixon	Kleckley	Williams
Doerge	LaFonta	Willmott
Downs	LeBas	Wooton
Edwards	Leger	
Total - 80		

NAYS

Guinn	Ligi	Smiley
Henry	Montoucet	Talbot
Howard	Pope	
Katz	Simon	
Total - 10		

ABSENT

Barras	LaBruzzo	Nowlin
Burns, T.	Lambert	Pugh
Cazayoux	Lopinto	Schroder
Dove	Mills	Waddell
Geymann	Morris	White
Total - 15		

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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 229—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:602, relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to the number of years of service required for retirement eligibility in the corrections secondary component of the system; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Robideaux moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Gisclair	McVea
Anders	Greene	Monica
Arnold	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Aubert	Guillory, M.	Morrell
Badon, A.	Guinn	Morris

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Badon, B.	Hardy	Norton
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
Champagne	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Chandler	Jackson M.	Schroder
Chaney	Johnson	Simon
Connick	Jones, R.	Smiley
Cortez	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Cromer	Katz	Smith, J.
Danahay	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Dixon	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Doerge	LaFonta	Talbot
Downs	Lambert	Templet
Edwards	LeBas	Trahan
Ellington	Leger	Waddell
Fannin	Ligi	White
Foil	Little	Willmott
Franklin	Lopinto	Wooton
Gallot	Lorusso	
Geymann	Marchand	
Total - 97		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Dove	Roy
Armes	Mills	Williams
Cazayoux	Nowlin	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Robideaux 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. 298—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2115, relative to the City Court of Winnsboro; to authorize the transfer of surplus or unclaimed funds from the court's civil fee account to the court's general operational fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Geymann	McVea
Anders	Gisclair	Mills
Armes	Greene	Monica
Arnold	Guillory, E.	Montoucet
Aubert	Guillory, M.	Morrell

Badon, A.	Guinn	Morris
Badon, B.	Harrison	Norton
Baldone	Hazel	Nowlin
Barras	Henderson	Pearson
Barrow	Henry	Perry
Billiot	Hill	Peterson
Burford	Hines	Ponti
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Pope
Burns, T.	Honey	Pugh
Burrell	Howard	Richard
Carmody	Hutter	Richardson
Carter	Jackson G.	Richmond
Champagne	Jackson M.	Ritchie
Chandler	Johnson	Robideaux
Chaney	Jones, R.	Roy
Connick	Jones, S.	Schroder
Cortez	Katz	Simon
Cromer	Kleckley	Smith, G.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Smith, J.
Dixon	LaFonta	St. Germain
Doerge	Lambert	Talbot
Downs	LeBas	Templet
Edwards	Leger	Waddell
Ellington	Ligi	White
Fannin	Little	Williams
Foil	Lopinto	Willmott
Franklin	Lorusso	Wooton
Gallot	Marchand	
Total - 98		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Hardy	Trahan
Cazayoux	Smiley	
Dove	Smith, P.	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ellington 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. 465—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LABRUZZO, BILLIOT, CONNICK, LIGI,  
LOPINTO, TALBOT, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON AND SENATOR  
MARTINY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1420.19, relative to economic development in Jefferson Parish; to provide for the creation of a special district in the parish for the purpose of promoting, encouraging, and participating in infrastructure improvements to stimulate the economy; to provide for the boundaries, governance, and duties and powers of the district, including the power to provide for tax increment financing and to incur debt and issue evidences of indebtedness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Lopinto moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Guinn	Morrell
Anders	Harrison	Morris

Armes	Hazel	Norton
Arnold	Henderson	Nowlin
Aubert	Henry	Pearson
Badon, A.	Hill	Perry
Baldone	Hines	Peterson
Barras	Hoffmann	Ponti
Barrow	Honey	Pope
Billiot	Howard	Pugh
Burford	Hutter	Richard
Burrell	Jackson G.	Richardson
Carmody	Jackson M.	Richmond
Carter	Johnson	Ritchie
Champagne	Jones, R.	Robideaux
Chandler	Jones, S.	Roy
Chaney	Katz	Schroder
Connick	Kleckley	Smiley
Cortez	LaBruzzo	Smith, G.
Cromer	LaFonta	Smith, J.
Danahay	Lambert	Smith, P.
Dixon	Leger	St. Germain
Doerge	Ligi	Talbot
Downs	Little	Templet
Edwards	Lopinto	Waddell
Fannin	Lorusso	White
Foil	Marchand	Williams
Gallot	McVea	Willmott
Geymann	Mills	Wooton
Gisclair	Monica	
Greene	Montoucet	
Total - 91		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Dove	Hardy
Badon, B.	Ellington	LeBas
Burns, H.	Franklin	Simon
Burns, T.	Guillory, E.	Trahan
Cazayoux	Guillory, M.	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Lopinto 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. 489—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONICA  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:170.15, relative to state designations; to provide that Louisiana is designated as the Hollywood of the South; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Monica moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Gallot	McVea
Anders	Geymann	Mills
Armes	Gisclair	Monica

Arnold	Guillory, M.	Montoucet
Aubert	Guinn	Norton
Badon, B.	Hardy	Nowlin
Baldone	Harrison	Perry
Barras	Hazel	Peterson
Barrow	Henderson	Ponti
Billiot	Henry	Pope
Burford	Hill	Pugh
Burns, H.	Hines	Richard
Burrell	Hoffmann	Richardson
Carmody	Honey	Ritchie
Champagne	Howard	Smith, G.
Chandler	Hutter	Smith, J.
Chaney	Jackson G.	Smith, P.
Connick	Johnson	St. Germain
Cortez	Jones, S.	Talbot
Cromer	Kleckley	Templet
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Waddell
Doerge	LeBas	White
Edwards	Ligi	Williams
Ellington	Little	Willmott
Fannin	Lopinto	Wooton
Foil	Lorusso	
Franklin	Marchand	
Total - 79		

NAYS

Badon, A.	Morrell	Smiley
Dixon	Richmond	
Jones, R.	Simon	
Total - 7		

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Guillory, E.	Pearson
Burns, T.	Jackson M.	Robideaux
Carter	Katz	Roy
Cazayoux	LaFonta	Schroder
Dove	Lambert	Trahan
Downs	Leger	
Greene	Morris	
Total - 19		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Monica 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. 495—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LOPINTO, BILLIOT, CONNICK, LABRUZZO,  
LIGI, TALBOT, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS ALARIO, MARTINY,  
AND QUINN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:723(3.1) and to enact R.S. 29:723(3.2) and (3.3) and 730.3, relative to providing for evacuations and curfews during a disaster or state of emergency; to provide for definitions for voluntary, mandatory, and forced evacuations, and for essential or critical workforce; to authorize a parish president to issue evacuation orders; to authorize the governor to order evacuations; to provide for exceptions to a mandatory evacuation order; to authorize the forcible removal or arrest of persons in violation; to authorize the implementation of curfews; to authorize the regulation of assembly and sale of specific items; to provide for the lifting of the evacuation order; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Waddell on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 495 by Representative Lopinto

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 16, following "dangerous for" and before "health" insert "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 15, following "may" and before "by" change "only be ordered" to "be ordered only"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 13, following "equipment" and before "inventory" change "and/or" to "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 15, before "evacuation" insert "allow"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 15, following "evacuation" and before "issuance" change "and/or prepare for" to "or preparation for the"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Lopinto to Engrossed House Bill No. 495 by Representative Lopinto

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "enact" and before "and 730.3," delete "R.S. 29:723(3.2) and (3.3)" and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 29:723(3.2), (3.3), and (3.4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 12, delete "R.S. 29:723(3.2) and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 29:723(3.2), (3.3), and (3.4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 13, delete "and (3.3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 17, change "(3.1)" to "(3.1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 2, after "the" and before "Governor's" insert "parish homeland security and emergency preparedness agency or in the absence of such designation by the parish homeland security and emergency preparedness agency, such designation by the"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 3, after "Preparedness" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete line 4 in its entirety, and insert in lieu thereof "Businesses who deem private sector employees"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the end of line 7, change the semi-colon ";" to a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, at the beginning of line 8, change "in" to "In"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 8, after "the" and before "Governor's" insert "parish homeland security and emergency preparedness agency, or in the absence thereof, to the"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 9, after "Preparedness," delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "a licensed private security company shall submit a list of their employees and their assignment to the Louisiana State Board of Private Security Examiners for any employee that the private security company wants to be designated and classified as essential or critical workforce."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, delete lines 10 through 12 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, line 20, after "threat" delete the period "." and the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete line 21 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "and all persons in designated evacuation areas are recommended to consider relocating to safer locations for their own safety."

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, at the end of line 2, delete "all of these" and insert in lieu thereof "persons designated as essential workforce or critical workforce"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, at the beginning of line 3, delete "individuals"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, line 8, after "area." and before "direct" delete "Government officials" and insert in lieu thereof "During a forced evacuation, government officials may"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 3, at the beginning of line 13, after "or disaster." delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete lines 14 through 16 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof "When a parish president determines that the size of the population or geographic area to be evacuated during a forced evacuation exceeds the local government's resources and capabilities to enforce the evacuation, he may request the governor to issue a state-forced evacuation order. The governor may utilize the national guard, state police, public safety agencies, or available federal agencies to enforce the evacuation order."

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 3, line 17, after "area" and before "after" delete the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 3, line 18, after "issued" and before "shall" delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 3, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:

"(3.4) "Necessary designation and credentials" means appropriate credentials obtained from the parish homeland security and emergency preparedness agency or any regional cooperative of parish homeland security and emergency preparedness agencies. In the absence of any plan by a parish homeland security and emergency preparedness agency or regional cooperative, necessary designation and credentials means appropriate credentials obtained in accordance with the State of Louisiana Standard Operating Procedure Statewide Credentialing/Access Program."

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, line 3, after "thereof" and before the period "." insert "if a forced evacuation is not issued by the parish president"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 4, line 8, after "is and before "not" delete "allowed but" and insert in lieu thereof "allowed, but remaining is"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 4, line 13, change "and/or" to "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 4, at the beginning of line 15, delete "evacuation and/or" and insert in lieu thereof "evacuate or"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 4, line 17, after "workforce" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 4, at the end of line 23, delete "will" and insert in lieu thereof "may remain in his home and"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 4, line 26, after "order" and before "other" delete "should not expect rescue or" and insert in lieu thereof "may not be rescued or provided"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 4, line 27, after "orders" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "may not be rescued or provided"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 4, at the beginning of line 28, delete "rescue or"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 5, delete lines 4 through 9 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 5, at the beginning of line 10, change "F." to "E."

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 5, line 12, after "reentry" and before "as" delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 5, line 12, after "by" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 5, at the beginning of line 13, delete "Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness or"

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 5, line 16, change "will" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 5, line 17, after "by" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 5, at the beginning of line 18, delete "Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness or"

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 5, at the beginning of line 23, change "G." to "F."

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 6, at the beginning of line 6, change "H." to "G."

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 6, line 8, after "street" and before "public" delete "and" and insert in lieu thereof "or in a"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 6, delete line 10 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 6, delete lines 12 through 20 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 6, at the beginning of line 21, change "J." to "H."

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 6, delete lines 24 through 29 in their entirety

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Greene	Mills
Anders	Guillory, E.	Monica
Armes	Guillory, M.	Montoucet
Arnold	Gunn	Morrell
Aubert	Hardy	Morris

Badon, A.	Harrison	Norton
Baldone	Hazel	Nowlin
Barras	Henderson	Pearson
Barrow	Henry	Perry
Billiot	Hill	Peterson
Burford	Hines	Pope
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Pugh
Burns, T.	Honey	Richard
Burrell	Howard	Richardson
Carmody	Hutter	Ritchie
Carter	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
Downs	LeBas	Templet
Edwards	Leger	Trahan
Ellington	Ligi	Waddell
Fannin	Little	White
Foil	Lopinto	Williams
Franklin	Lorusso	Willmott
Geymann	Marchand	Wooton
Gisclair	McVea	
Total - 98		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Dove	Richmond
Badon, B.	Gallot	
Cazayoux	Ponti	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Lopinto 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. 514—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:1002(H), relative to the applicability provisions for drug testing; to allow certain people involved in construction, maintenance, or manufacturing at any refining or chemical manufacturing facility to reduce or modify the initial cut-off level for marijuana testing; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Ponti moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Guillory, M.	Monica
Armes	Guinn	Montoucet
Aubert	Hardy	Morris
Badon, A.	Harrison	Norton

Badon, B.	Hazel	Pearson
Baldone	Henderson	Perry
Barras	Henry	Peterson
Barrow	Hill	Ponti
Billiot	Hines	Pope
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Pugh
Burns, T.	Honey	Richard
Burrell	Howard	Richardson
Carmody	Hutter	Richmond
Carter	Jackson G.	Ritchie
Champagne	Jackson M.	Robideaux
Chandler	Johnson	Roy
Chaney	Jones, R.	Schroder
Connick	Katz	Simon
Cortez	Kleckley	Smiley
Cromer	LaBruzzo	Smith, G.
Dixon	LaFonta	Smith, J.
Doerge	Lambert	Smith, P.
Downs	LeBas	Talbot
Edwards	Leger	Templet
Ellington	Ligi	Trahan
Fannin	Little	Waddell
Franklin	Lopinto	White
Gallot	Lorusso	Williams
Geymann	Marchand	Willmott
Gisclair	McVea	Wooton
Greene	Mills	
Total - 92		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Danahay	Morrell
Anders	Dove	Nowlin
Arnold	Foil	St. Germain
Burford	Guillory, E.	
Cazayoux	Jones, S.	
Total - 13		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ponti 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.

**Speaker Tucker in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 538—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.41(G), relative to the Forty-First Judicial District Court, to provide relative to judgeships; to authorize judges elected to the Forty-First Judicial District to automatically revert back to their respective section or division in civil and criminal district courts for the parish of Orleans if Act No. 621 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature is held unconstitutional; to authorize an elected or appointed magistrate to the Forty-First Judicial District to automatically revert back to their respective section or division in civil and criminal district courts for the parish of Orleans, if Act No. 621 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature is held unconstitutional; to provide for a condition precedent before the consolidation of the clerk's offices and the sheriff's offices of the civil and criminal district courts takes effect; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Morrell moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Cazayoux Dove  
Total - 2

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Morrell 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. 665—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLS

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 33:2711(D), relative to sales and use taxes levied by municipalities; to authorize municipal governing authorities to create sales tax districts; to authorize the levy of an additional local sales and use tax in a sales tax district under certain circumstances; to provide for the collection and the disposition of the proceeds of the sales and use tax levied in a sales tax district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Mills gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 665 from the calendar during the week of May 12, 2008.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 733—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1236(54), relative to parish littering ordinances; to provide relative to the enforcement of such ordinances and penalties for violations in certain parishes; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Schroder moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Montoucet
Abramson	Greene	Morrell
Armes	Guillory, E.	Morris
Arnold	Guillory, M.	Norton
Aubert	Guinn	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Harrison	Pearson
Badon, B.	Hazel	Perry
Baldone	Henderson	Peterson
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Richardson
Burns, T.	Howard	Richmond
Burrell	Hutter	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson M.	Robideaux
Carter	Johnson	Roy
Champagne	Jones, R.	Schroder
Chandler	Jones, S.	Simon
Chaney	Katz	Smiley
Connick	Kleckley	Smith, G.
Cortez	LaBruzzo	Smith, J.
Cromer	LaFonta	Smith, P.
Danahay	Lambert	St. Germain
Dixon	LeBas	Talbot
Doerge	Leger	Templet
Downs	Ligi	Trahan
Edwards	Little	Waddell
Ellington	Lopinto	White
Fannin	Lorusso	Williams
Foil	Marchand	Willmott
Franklin	McVea	Wooton
Gallot	Mills	
Geymann	Monica	
Total - 100		

**NAYS**

Hardy  
Total - 1

**ABSENT**

Anders Dove  
Cazayoux Jackson G.  
Total - 4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Schroder 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.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. LaFonta requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 733 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 898—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1691(E), relative to state contracts; to provide for appeals of district court decisions on actions by or against the state related to contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1129—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2531(B)(4) and to repeal R.S. 40:2531(B)(6), relative to law enforcement officers under investigation; to provide for a right to counsel or representative; to provide for questioning; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hazel moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

Dixon	Lambert	Templet
Doerge	LeBas	Trahan
Downs	Leger	Waddell
Edwards	Ligi	White
Ellington	Little	Williams
Fannin	Lopinto	Willmott
Foil	Lorusso	Wooton
Franklin	Marchand	
Gallot	McVea	
Total - 100		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cazayoux	Jackson G.	Smith, P.
Dove	Montoucet	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Hazel 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. 1148—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2531(D) and 2533(D), relative to the investigation of law enforcement officers; to provide for expungement of certain records; to provide for the investigative report; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Morrell moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

Downs	LeBas	Talbot
Edwards	Leger	Templet
Ellington	Ligi	Trahan
Fannin	Little	Waddell
Foil	Lopinto	White
Franklin	Lorusso	Williams
Gallot	Marchand	Willmott
Geymann	McVea	Wooton
Gisclair	Mills	
Total - 101		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Burrell	Dixon
Cazayoux	Dove
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Morrell 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. St. Germain, 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 were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### Motion

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment was discharged from further consideration of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—**  
BY SENATORS DUPRE AND MORRISH AND REPRESENTATIVES DOVE, ST. GERMAIN AND HUTTER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the annual Coastal Protection Plan for Fiscal Year 2008-2009, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, the resolution was recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

### Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

### Message from the Senate

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 5, 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. 108  
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

#### ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 5, 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. 53 and 54

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. 53—**  
BY SENATOR NEVERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend United States Marine Corps Major Kevin R. Scott for being awarded the Bronze Star Medal for his brave and outstanding service in the Global War on Terrorism.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54—**  
BY SENATOR DUPRE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Judy Lirette.

Read by title.

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

### Message from the Senate

#### SENATE BILLS

May 5, 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 Senate Bills:

Senate Bill Nos. 132, 146, 168, 268, 336, 355, 444, 549, 603, 696, 697, 714, and 746

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

**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. 132—**  
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:802.22(E)(1)(d), relative to New Orleans City Park and the New Orleans City Park Improvement Association and its board of commissioners; to provide relative to audits of the park, the association, and its board and for the responsibility of the park, the association, and its board and of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism relative to such audits, and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 146—**

BY SENATORS NEVERS, ADLEY, ERDEY, B. GAUTREAUX, HEITMEIER, MCPHERSON, MOUNT AND SHAW  
AN ACT

To designate Louisiana Highway 3241 as the "B.B. "Sixty" Rayburn Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 168—**

BY SENATORS MURRAY, RISER, SCALISE, THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1552(B)(6) and repeal R.S. 23:1552(B)(7), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide with respect to reimbursement of unemployment claims paid as a result of hurricanes Katrina and Rita; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 268—**

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3992(A)(2), relative to charter schools; to prohibit the renewal of the charter of a failing school; to provide for exceptions; to provide for limited renewal periods under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 336—**

BY SENATOR MICHOT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1508(B)(25), relative to confidential character of tax records; to provide an exemption from the confidential character of tax records for data related to cultural products districts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 355—**

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1546.1, relative to the office of risk management; to create the Non-litigated Claims Management Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit into and use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 444—**

BY SENATOR HEBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4581, relative to bonds in judicial proceedings; to provide with respect to state, state agencies, political subdivisions and public boards and commissions not required to furnish bond; to include Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association as not required to furnish bond; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 549—**

BY SENATOR CASSIDY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:273.1, relative to curricula; to require that certain "critical languages" be offered in public secondary schools by a specified date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 603—**

BY SENATOR CHEEK  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 32:414(M), relative to commercial driver's licenses; deletes the penalty for any person who is convicted of violating any law or rule while operating any commercial vehicle without holding the commercial driver's license; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 696—**

BY SENATOR ERDEY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4564.6, relative to the Livingston Parish Recreation District No. 2; to increase the per diem of the board of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 697—**

BY SENATOR DUPRE  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart Z.1 of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.82, relative to coastal protection; to provide for donations to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund; to provide relative to donation of tax refunds and donations in excess of tax due; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 714—**

BY SENATORS SCALISE, MURRAY, RISER, THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1592(E) and 1595(A) and to enact R.S. 23:1474(I)(4) and 1536(E)(4), relative to unemployment compensation benefits; to provide for an increase in the maximum benefit available; to provide an additional procedure

for determining such benefit; to provide for a reduction in employer contributions under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 746—**  
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:46(A)(1), relative to sabbatical leave for teachers employed by the special schools; to provide for eligibility for sabbatical leave for certain other special school employees under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Message from the Senate**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 5, 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. 14  
Returned with amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

**House Concurrent Resolutions Returned  
from the Senate with Amendments**

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES GALLOT AND TUCKER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2009 Regular Session of the Legislature the provisions of R.S. 18:1483(14)(c) and 1501.2 as enacted by Act No. 26 of the 2008 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature relative to campaign finance.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Murray to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 14 by Representative Gallot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "until" delete the remainder of the line and insert "August 15, 2008,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "Legislature"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 10, after "extend" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 11 in its entirety and insert "until midnight August 15, 2008."

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Franklin	Lorusso
Abramson	Gallot	Marchand
Anders	Gisclair	McVea
Armes	Greene	Monica
Arnold	Guillory, E.	Morrell
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
Burns, T.	Honey	Richardson
Burrell	Howard	Richmond
Carmody	Hutter	Ritchie
Carter	Jackson G.	Roy
Champagne	Jackson M.	Schroder
Chandler	Johnson	Simon
Chaney	Jones, R.	Smiley
Connick	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Cortez	Katz	Smith, J.
Cromer	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Talbot
Dixon	LaFonta	Templett
Doerge	Lambert	Trahan
Downs	LeBas	Waddell
Edwards	Leger	White
Ellington	Ligi	Williams
Fannin	Little	Willmott
Foil	Lopinto	Wooton

Total - 96

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cazayoux	Guillory, M.	Morris
Dove	Mills	Robideaux
Geymann	Montoucet	St. Germain

Total - 9

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

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

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

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 42—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend the citizens of House District No. 29 for striving to collectively lose two thousand nine hundred pounds and to extend best wishes to them for success in this inspiring endeavor.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 43—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BARROW AND WILLIAMS

**A RESOLUTION**

To recognize Tuesday, May 6, 2008, as Legislative Wellness Day at the Louisiana House of Representatives and to commend the efforts of the American Heart Association, the Louisiana Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, the Louisiana Council on Obesity Prevention and Management, the Louisiana Dietetic Association, and the Governor's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 44—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMILEY

**A RESOLUTION**

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives of the Louisiana Legislature upon the death of volunteer firefighter Mr. Riley Terrebonne, Jr.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the states of Arkansas, Mississippi, and Tennessee for their partnership and participation on the Lower Mississippi River Sub-Basin Committee on Hypoxia and to thank them for their ongoing efforts to reduce hypoxia in the Gulf of Mexico off the coast of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**Report of the Committee on  
Commerce**  
May 5, 2008

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 65, by Morris  
Reported favorably. (10-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 177, by Ponti  
Reported favorably. (14-0) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 198, by Arnold  
Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 211, by Chandler  
Reported with amendments. (15-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 920, by Fannin  
Reported with amendments. (15-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1308, by Ellington  
Reported with amendments. (13-4) (Regular)

JEFFERY "JEFF" J. ARNOLD  
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on  
Transportation, Highways, and Public Works**

May 5, 2008

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 550, by Henry  
Reported with amendments. (15-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 600, by Jones, Sam  
Reported favorably. (18-0-1) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 841, by Champagne  
Reported favorably. (17-0-1) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 864, by Smiley  
Reported with amendments. (17-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1061, by Hutter  
Reported by substitute. (15-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1216, by Arnold  
Reported favorably. (15-0-1) (Local & Consent)

NITA RUSICH HUTTER  
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on  
Ways and Means**

May 5, 2008

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. 420, by Gallot (Joint Resolution)  
Reported favorably. (16-0) (Regular)

HUNTER V. GREENE  
Chairman

### Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

May 5, 2008

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. 197  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 321  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 326  
Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

WAYNE WADDELL  
Chairman

### Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

May 5, 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. 31—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES PONTI, ARNOLD, BOBBY BADON,  
CHANDLER, PUGH, ROY, TALBOT, AND WHITE  
A RESOLUTION

To request the House Committee on Commerce to meet and function as a committee to study the establishment of a utility consumer advocate office to act as a residential ratepayer advocate which would operate independently from the regulatory commissions and to report its findings to the House of Representatives prior to the convening of the 2009 Regular Session.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 40—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To commend The Teche News upon receiving nine awards at the 2007 awards banquet of the Louisiana Press Association.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 41—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend Alex LeBlanc of Abbeville upon being named one of the top youth volunteers in Louisiana for 2008 and to recognize him for his many hours of dedicated and highly productive service throughout his community.

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

May 5, 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. 106—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Thibodaux Fire Company No. 1 of the Thibodaux Volunteer Fire Department upon the celebration of its one hundred fiftieth anniversary.

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.

### Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Arnold, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Commerce to consider the following legislative instruments without giving the notice required by House Rule 14.24(A):

House Bill No. 941

### Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hutter, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to consider the following legislative instruments without giving the notice required by House Rule 14.24(A):

House Bill No. 1034

### Leave of Absence

Rep. Dove - 2 days

### Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Trahan, at 4:58 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Tuesday, May 6, 2008, at 2:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, May 6, 2008.

ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House

