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**ELEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

Thirty-eighth Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974

House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, March 27, 2012

The House of Representatives was called to order at 3:00 P.M., by the Honorable Chuck Kleckley, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

**Morning Hour**

**ROLL CALL**

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Garofalo	Mack
Abramson	Geymann	Miller
Adams	Gisclair	Montoucet
Anders	Greene	Moreno
Armes	Guillory	Morris, Jay
Arnold	Guinn	Morris, Jim
Badon	Harris	Norton
Barras	Harrison	Ortego
Barrow	Havard	Pearson
Berthelot	Hazel	Pierre
Billiot	Henry	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hensgens	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hill	Price
Broadwater	Hodges	Pugh
Brossett	Hoffmann	Pylant
Brown	Hollis	Reynolds
Burford	Honore	Richard
Burns, H.	Howard	Richardson
Burns, T.	Hunter	Ritchie
Burrell	Huval	Robideaux
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Schexnayder
Carter	Jackson, K.	Schroder
Champagne	James	Seabaugh
Chaney	Jefferson	Shadoin
Connick	Johnson	Simon
Cox	Jones	Smith
Cromer	Lambert	St. Germain
Danahay	Landry, N.	Talbot
Dixon	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Dove	LeBas	Thierry
Edwards	Leger	Thompson

Fannin	Leopold	Whitney
Foil	Ligi	Williams, A.
Franklin	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Gaines	Lorusso	Willmott
Total - 105		

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

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Rev. Solomon Shorter, Sr. of True Vine Missionary Baptist Church of Alexandria.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Rep. Richard 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. Hill, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Hill, the Journal of March 26, 2012, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials, and  
Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

March 27, 2012

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. 48  
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the Senate**

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

March 27, 2012

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. 3, 20, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 33, and  
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Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

March 27, 2012

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. 70, 75, 86, 88, 105, 116, 118, 120, 122, 145, 146, 148, 149, 150, 151, 169, 208, 212, 218, 235, 280, 288, 315, 354, 359, 393, 394, 422, 551, and 595

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. 70— BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 3421 and 3431(A)(introductory paragraph), and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Article 3422.1(G), relative to small successions; to provide relative to small succession procedures and effects; to provide certain definitions, conditions, terms, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 75— BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:403.3(D) and to enact R.S. 14:403.3(E), 403.7 and 403.8, relative to offenses affecting law enforcement; to increase the penalty for communicating false information to law enforcement regarding a missing child under certain circumstances; to create the crimes of failure to report a missing child and failure to report the death of a child; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 86— BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:4(A)(2), relative to the Sanitary Code; to provide with respect to the duties of a healthcare provider with regard to any general duty to warn concerning communicable diseases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 88— BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:968(D)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 49:968(D)(1)(c), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to require agencies to provide written notice to the office of

state register upon submission of certain reports to the legislature; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 105— BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:402(G), relative to contraband in correctional facilities; to require imposition of a monetary penalty for the introduction of contraband into a correctional facility; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 116— BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:912(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 28:912(B)(1)(g) and 915(B)(8), relative to human services districts; to provide with respect to the naming of Region 4; to provide the authority for the naming of human services districts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 118— BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1189, relative to the authority of the commissioner of insurance to promulgate regulations; to provide for the commissioner to promulgate regulations for independent review of benefit determinations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 120— BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:243(B)(4), to enact R.S. 6:243(C), and to repeal R.S. 6:243(D), relative to state banks; to provide for assets acquired by a bank from a failed or failing bank; to increase the amount property must be valued from one hundred thousand to two hundred fifty thousand dollars before a qualified appraisal on property is annually required; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 122— BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:541(2)(k) and (25)(f), relative to the registration of sex offenders; to provide relative to certain definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 145— BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:22.8(A) and 451.4(B) and to repeal R.S. 28:894(A)(5) and R.S. 36:259(C)(15), (17) through (20), (22), (25), and (26), relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to delete provisions related to certain supports and services centers and employment service programs no longer in existence; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 146—**

BY SENATOR LONG

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1706(H)(10), relative to standards of conduct of public adjusters; to prohibit a public adjuster from acting as an appraiser on claims he or she is adjusting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 148—**

BY SENATORS THOMPSON, ALLAIN, GALLOT, LONG, RISER AND WALSWORTH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3408(A)(10), 3409(B) and (C), 3410(H)(3), 3411(G)(3), and 3420 and to repeal Part VII of Chapter 6 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 3:711 through 716, relative to agriculture commodities; to clarify provisions of the Agricultural Commodity Dealer and Warehouse Law; to provide relative to warehouse licenses; to repeal the Agriculture Commodity Marketing Law; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 149—**

BY SENATORS THOMPSON, ALLAIN, GALLOT, LONG, RISER AND WALSWORTH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1399(A), the introductory paragraph of 1412(C), 1430.5(E), the introductory paragraph of 1430.7(A), 1431(26), 1435(3), 1439, 1440, 1441, and 1444(9), relative to the Louisiana Agricultural Liming Materials Law; to clarify the registration date for liming materials; to clarify terms relative to stop orders; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 150—**

BY SENATORS THOMPSON, ALLAIN, GALLOT, LONG AND WALSWORTH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1604(A)(5), 1743(A) and (C), and 3801(C)(3) and (G), relative to changes in the membership of certain commissions within the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to provide for the membership of the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission; to provide for the membership of the Louisiana Sweet Potato Advertising and Development Commission; to provide for the membership of the Horticulture Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 151—**

BY SENATORS THOMPSON, ALLAIN, GALLOT, LONG, RISER AND WALSWORTH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 3:3243(G), the introductory paragraph of 3245(C), the introductory paragraph of 3246(G), 3367(F) and 3383(B) and to enact R.S. 3:3210(C)(6) and 3365(E), relative to the Pesticide Law; to provide relative to monies in the Pesticide Fund; to authorize the Structural Pest Control Commission to issue subpoenas; to extend records retention requirements for certain entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 169—**

BY SENATORS ALLAIN, LONG, RISER, THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:730.3(B)(1) and (D), relative to the membership of the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board; to

decrease the membership of the board; to provide for quorum; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 208—**

BY SENATOR MORRISH

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:2171(C)(2) and (8), relative to the Louisiana Property and Casualty Commission; to provide for the addition of representatives to the commission membership; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 212—**

BY SENATOR MILLS

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1177(A), relative to the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide for a specific date for the beginning of the term of pharmacists who are appointed to the board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 218—**

BY SENATOR JOHNS

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1208, relative to the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to authorize the board to waive the annual license renewal requirements for pharmacists in certain circumstances; to authorize the board to waive the annual certification renewal requirements for certified technicians in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 235—**

BY SENATORS MILLS AND THOMPSON

## AN ACT

To enact Part LXXII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.351 relative to funding for health care; to authorize parish and municipal entities to consult with the Department of Health and Hospitals for technical assistance relative to funding; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 280—**

BY SENATOR MURRAY

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2501.1(B) and (C), relative to the Traffic Court of New Orleans; to provide relative to the terms of office of certain judges of the traffic court; to reduce the number of judges and sections of the traffic court from four to three effective January 1, 2018, and from three to two effective January 1, 2021; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 288—**

BY SENATORS ALLAIN, LONG, RISER, THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:14, relative to the authority of the commissioner of agriculture; to authorize the commissioner to employ an executive counsel and assistants; to provide relative to qualifications; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 315—**  
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(6)(a) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(c), relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 354—**  
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:968(B), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; provides for electronic reporting of rules to oversight committees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 359—**  
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1295(1)(a)(v) and (7), relative to uninsured motorist coverage; to provide for selection or rejection of uninsured motorist coverage pursuant to the Louisiana Uniform Electronic Transactions Act; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 393—**  
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4732 and 4735, relative to eviction of tenants and occupants; to provide relative to a motion for a new trial; to provide certain procedures, time periods, and effects; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 394—**  
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of R.S. 22:2005 and R.S. 22:2008(B), 2009(E)(3), 2028(D)(3), and 2036(A) and to enact R.S. 22:2005.1 and 2043.1, relative to rehabilitation and liquidation of insurers; to comply with the federal Dodd-Frank Act; to provide for notice by mail when the receiver allows or disallows a claim; to provide for actions by and against a receiver; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 422—**  
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:953(B)(1) and (4)(a), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to provide for legislative review of emergency rules or fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 551—**  
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 22:1573(I)(1)(b), relative to continuing education requirements; to repeal the legislator exemption from continuing education requirements for insurance license renewal; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 595—**  
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:2.1 and R.S. 44:4(45) and 4.1(B)(37), relative to access of certain public records; to provide for the "Business Identity Theft Prevention Act"; to make confidential certain electronic mail addresses; to provide for notifications; to provide relative to the duties of the secretary of state; 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. 53—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to compile and study the policies that are contained in student codes of conduct and that prohibit harassment, intimidation, and bullying and to submit a written report of its findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Peabody Magnet High School boys basketball team upon winning the 2012 Class 4A state championship.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize "Le Tour d'Iberville" as part of the Lacombe Cultural Heritage Corridor.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To proclaim November 2012 as chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) awareness month in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

### Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions

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

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 409—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5625(C), relative to the city of Central; to provide relative to zoning restrictions, building restrictions, subdivision regulations, and use regulations; to provide relative to the prescriptive period for bringing an action to enforce any such regulation or restriction; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 502—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4785(B), relative to certain procedures of the municipal alcoholic beverage control board created by the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the applicability of the Administrative Procedure Act; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 858—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4786, relative to the New Orleans Alcoholic Beverage Control Board; to provide relative to the board's suspension of a license prior to a hearing; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 865—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:1456(A), (C), and (E) and 1460(9) and (10)(a), relative to the Capital Area Transit System; to provide relative to membership of the board of commissioners, including qualifications and procedures for appointment; to provide for appointment of new members; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to remove a requirement for approval of certain board actions by the appropriate parish governing authority; to provide relative to fare increases by the board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 956—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9100.12(A) and to enact R.S. 33:9100.10, relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the East New Orleans Neighborhood Advisory Commission; to authorize the governing authority of the city of New Orleans to levy and collect a parcel fee within the area of the commission; to provide relative to the disposition of the proceeds of the fee; to require the executive board of the commission to propose an annual budget to the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1020—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DANAHAY AND KLECKLEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1285(A)(1) and 1293, relative to certain elections; to require certain notification to electors

relative to the remittance of portions of tax collections to specified retirement systems in accordance with law; to require certain records to be kept regarding certain elections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1021—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX  
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2012-2013 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Allstate Insurance Company and Ronald P. Broussard v. Chatra Carter, Allstate Insurance Company and Lafayette Consolidated Government"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1022—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:405(C) and R.S. 42:19(A)(1)(b)(ii), relative to meetings of public bodies; to provide relative to the consideration of matters at such meetings; to provide relative to notice of such meetings; to provide for vote requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1023—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:451.1, relative to payroll withholdings and deductions; to prohibit persons engaging in political activity from being recipients of public payroll deductions and withholdings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1024—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS  
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2012-2013 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "James Malone v. William Lambert, Michael S. Malone, Charles E. Wright, Jr., Imperial Fire and Casualty Insurance Company, GEICO Casualty Company, ANPAC Louisiana Insurance Company and State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1025—

BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1281.2, relative to the allied practitioner health program; to establish an annual assessment for the identification, monitoring, assistance, and procurement of treatment of medical psychologists, physician assistants, and podiatrists suffering from certain conditions; to provide for a self-reporting waiver applicable to a violation related to the individual's ability to practice his profession with reasonable skill and safety by reason of substance abuse or psychiatric condition; to extend protected actions and communications to certain enumerated individuals and entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over**

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KATRINA JACKSON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of public health in the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the feasibility of establishing a breast milk bank at a hospital in Northeast Louisiana with a level three neonatal intensive care unit.

Read by title.

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

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 255—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, ABRAMSON, BROSSETT, LORUSSO,  
AND MORENO AND SENATORS MORRELL AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain property of the Orleans Parish School Board; to specify the property which may be transferred and the authorized recipient of the property; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 413—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3086.24(H)(1) and 3086.26 and to enact R.S. 38:3086.24(L), relative to the Bayou Lafourche Fresh Water District; to authorize the board of such district to control and regulate the activities on the banks of Bayou Lafourche; to authorize the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority to assist the district; to authorize the board to contract for services related to integrated coastal protection; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 414—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574(B)(6) and (F)(1)(a) and (b)(v), 4574.1.1(A)(6) and (L), and 4574.16(introductory paragraph) and to repeal R.S. 33:4574.1.1(H), relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide relative to the Baton Rouge Area Convention and Visitors Bureau; to change the name of the bureau; to provide for legislative intent; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to change the name of the bureau in other provisions of law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 480—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.13, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Glen Oaks Crime Prevention and Improvement District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, boundaries, 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.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 684—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1502.4(A) and (C)(2)(a) and (c), relative to Crowville Fire District #1; to provide relative to a service charge on structures imposed by the district; to provide relative to liens for unpaid service charges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 900—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart J of Part I of Chapter 14 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:4780.81 through 4780.91, relative to Rapides Parish; to authorize the governing authority of the parish to provide zoning regulations and restrictions in a certain district within the parish; to provide procedures relative to the amendment and enforcement of any such regulation or restriction; to provide relative to the applicability of the Act; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 905—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.20, relative to St. Helena Parish; to create the St. Helena Parish Elderly Services District; to provide for the governance, boundaries, and powers and duties of the district; to authorize the district to levy ad valorem and sales taxes, subject to voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 919—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.66, relative to the parish of Rapides; to create the Rapides Parish Taxing District; to provide relative to the boundaries, governance, and powers and duties of the district;

to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to provide for tax increment financing; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 965—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-41 of Part IV of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.781 through 130.791, relative to St. Mary Parish; to create the St. Mary Economic Development District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, boundaries, governance, powers and duties, and funding of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1013—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DANAHAY AND KLECKLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5565 and R.S. 24:513(O), relative to the remittance of tax collections to public retirement systems; to provide relative to the responsibilities of tax collectors and the legislative auditor; to provide requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1014—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3415.13 and 3415.21 and to enact R.S. 37:3415.2(11), (12), (13), and (14), 3415.3(C), and 3415.15, relative to appraisal management companies; to define certain terms; to require an appraiser's license to perform appraisal reviews; to provide that administrative reviews of an appraisal do not require an appraiser's license; to provide for the competency of appraisers; to provide for customary and reasonable fees for appraisers; to provide for increased fees for complex appraisals; to provide for disclosure of fees paid to appraisers by appraisal management companies; to provide for the disclosure of administration fees charged by appraisal management companies; to repeal the requirement that administrative rules receive affirmative approval from the Louisiana Legislature; to repeal an outdated grandfathering clause; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1015—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LIGI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1253(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide relative to membership; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1016—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1409(A), 1413(N), and 1414 and to enact R.S. 46:1409(B)(10) and 1413(A)(7), relative to child day care; to provide for rules, regulations, and standards for licensed day care centers; to provide for certain duties of the Department of Children and Family Services relative to regulation of day care centers; to provide for requirements of the Louisiana Advisory Council on Child Care and Early Education; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1017—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1481(2) and 1562(C) and to repeal R.S. 11:1562(D), relative to removing authorization for the payment of employee contributions by employers to certain statewide retirement systems; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1018—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:542(A)(2)(introductory paragraph), 883.1(A)(2)(introductory paragraph), 1145.1(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), and 1332(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), relative to funding cost-of-living adjustments for state systems; to provide requirements; to provide restrictions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1019—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.20, relative to local transportation districts; to authorize the governing authorities of parishes and municipalities to create such districts; to provide relative to the boundaries, governance, and powers and duties of the districts; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to levy a motor vehicle license fee; to authorize the state and its departments, agencies, and instrumentalities to cooperate with the district to accomplish district purposes; 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.

**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. 13—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study Louisiana's existing laws governing peremptory exceptions and immunity and to make specific recommendations as to whether immunity should be added as a peremptory exception.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committee**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 26—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 9:3191.1, relative to the return of expropriated residential property; to provide for prescription; to provide for payment; to provide for transfer of ownership; to provide for civil procedures for opposing transfer of ownership; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 26 by Representative Connick

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 17, change "D." to "D.(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

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

"construction, operation, or maintenance of levees, levee systems, flood control, drainage, hurricane or storm surge protection, or integrated coastal protection.

(2) The provisions of this Section shall not apply to property expropriated by the Department of Transportation and Development."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 132—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LIGI

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1314(B), relative to service of process; to provide for service of pleadings; to provide with respect to service on an attorney; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 132 by Representative Ligi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after "secretary," and before "legal staff" insert "receptionist,"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 316—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Section 3(C)(1) of Act No. 151 of the 1969 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 551 of the 1984 Regular Session of the Legislature, and as amended by Act No. 91 of the 1995 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the board of commissioners for the Greater Baton Rouge Airport District; to add a designated state representative district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 316 by Representative Honore

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, delete "change" and insert "add"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17, after "composed of" delete "thirteen" and insert "the following"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 2, after "districts" and before "sixty-three" insert "twenty-nine," and at the end of the line, after "and" insert "sixty-four"



AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the beginning of line 3, delete "twenty-nine"

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. 369—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 10:9-102(a)(7)(B), (10), (50), and (68) through (80), 9-105(a), (b)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (6), 9-307(f)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 9-311(a)(introductory paragraph) and (3), 9-317(b) and (d), 9-326, 9-406(e), 9-408(b), 9-503(a)(1) through (4), and (b)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 9-507(c), 9-515(f), 9-516(b)(3)(B)(introductory paragraph) and (C), and (5), 9-518(a), (b)(introductory paragraph) and (2), and (c), 9-523(g) and to enact R.S. 10:9-102(a)(81), 9-316(h) and (i), 9-503(a)(5) and (6), and (f) through (h), 9-518(d) and (e), and Part 8 of Title 10 of the Louisiana revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 10:9-801 through 9-809, relative to secured transactions; to provide for definitions; to provide for control of electronic chattel paper; to provide for location of the debtor; to provide for perfection of security interests; to provide for continued perfection of security interests following change in governing law; to provide for discharge of account debtor; to provide for interests that take priority over or take free of security interests or agricultural liens; to provide for priority of security interests created by a new debtor; to provide for restrictions on assignments; to provide for sufficiency of a debtor's name; to provide for duration and effectiveness of the financing statement; to provide for filing and effectiveness of filing; to provide for claims concerning inaccurate or wrongfully filed records; to provide relative to information received from the filing office; to provide for transitional provisions; to provide for applicability and retroactivity; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 369 by Representative Foil

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 28, after "interest" and before "to" insert "in question"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 28, after "organization" and before "organized" insert "formed or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 13, line 10, change "it's" to "its"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 16, line 18, change "Bill No. \_\_\_\_\_" to "Bill No. 369"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 439—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

## AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 9:2448, relative to testaments; to repeal the statutory authorization for the designation in a will of an attorney to handle an estate.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 459—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 966(B), (E), and (F), relative to motions for summary judgment; to provide for evidence which may be considered under certain circumstances; to provide for the inclusion of certain information in judgments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 459 by Representative Abramson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 21, after "judgment." add the following:

"If the court fails to specify that the provisions of this Paragraph are applicable, then the provisions of this Paragraph shall not apply to the judgment."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 466—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title X of Book III of the Civil Code, consisting of Articles 2778 through 2800, to consist of Articles 2778 through 2791, relative to annuities, the annuity contract, and the annuity charge; to provide for a definition of an annuity contract; to provide for the application of the Titles of Obligations in General and Conventional Obligations or Contracts, or the Title of Sales, or the Title of Donations; to provide for the recipient of payments; to provide for an annuity for life or a time period; to provide for the termination of an

annuity in the absence of a designated term; to provide for the assignability and heritability of the rights and obligations of an annuity; to provide for an annuity in favor of successive recipients; to provide for an annuity in favor of several recipients of payments; to provide for the existence of a recipient; to provide for an annuity charge; to provide that an annuity charge must be express and in writing; to provide for the recordation of an annuity contract; to provide for the law applicable to an annuity charge; to provide for the duration of an annuity charge; to provide for the enforcement of an annuity charge; to suppress the concept of the rent of lands; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 466 by Representative Abramson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, line 29, change "contact" to "contract"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 11, line 7, change "contact" to "contract"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 467—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2724(A), relative to notice in executory process proceedings; to provide for notice to certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 474—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 683(B), 966(B), 1313(C), 2166(E), and 5188 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1313(D), relative to continuous revision of the Code of Civil Procedure; to provide for the tutor's enforcement of rights of unemancipated minors; to provide for statements on denials of summary judgments; to provide for service by couriers; to provide for suspension of writ denials by the supreme court; to provide for entry of judgment notwithstanding an indigent's failure to pay costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 474 by Representative Abramson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 20, after "court" and before "provide" change "shall" to "should"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 5, after "the" and before "of" change "deliver" to "delivery"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 476—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1951 and to enact R.S. 9:1953, relative to the Louisiana Trust Code; to provide for the general rule for trusts created for mixed private and charitable purposes; to provide for the assignment of interest in a trust created for mixed private and charitable purposes; to provide for the termination of a trust created for mixed private and charitable purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 499—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HENRY BURNS, BROWN, FRANKLIN, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HILL, HODGES, HONORE, HOWARD, JONES, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEOPOLD, MACK, NORTON, PYLANT, AND RICHARDSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:412(K) and R.S. 40:1321(K), relative to drivers' licenses and special identification cards; to authorize the designation of "Veteran" on drivers' licenses and special identification cards; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 499 by Representative Henry Burns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after "color", delete "red" and insert "black"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, after "Defense", insert ", or equivalent, as established by administrative rule"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 7, after "color", delete "red" and insert "black"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 10, after "Defense", insert ", or equivalent, as established by administrative rule"

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. 589—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:408.1(2)(introductory paragraph) and to repeal R.S. 32:408.1(2)(a) through (e), relative to requiring third-party testers to comply with certain federal regulations and to obtain a surety bond; repeals minimum qualifications for third-party contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 589 by Representative St. Germain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 18, after "tester" insert "or examiner"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 18, after "bond", delete the remainder of the line and delete line 19 in its entirety and insert "in the amount of ten thousand dollars."

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. 713—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295.4(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 32:295.4(5), relative to law enforcement checkpoints; to require advance notice to the public of seat belt and insurance checkpoints; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 764—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 1848 and 2028, to enact Civil Code Article 1849, and to repeal Civil Code Article 2444, relative to counterletters; to provide with respect to testimonial or other evidence as it relates to disproving a writing; to provide for proof of simulation; to provide for instances when introduction of counterletters is required; to provide for effects of counterletters and simulation as to third persons; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 839—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1713(3) and (5), 1717(A)(1), 1717.1(A), 1718(A)(introductory paragraph), (1), (2), and (3), 1719(A), 1720(A), 1728(A) and (D)(4), 1728.2(D)(4) and (G)(2), and 1736(A)(2), (C), and (D), to enact R.S. 32:1713(7), 1717(A)(4), and 1735(D), and to repeal R.S. 32:1714(6), relative to the Louisiana Towing and Storage Act; to provide for certain qualifications; to provide for the licensing of towing and storage facilities; to provide for notification of a towed vehicle to law enforcement; to provide for notification of a towed or stored vehicle to the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for notification of a towed or stored vehicle to the vehicle owner and lienholder; to provide for the disposal of a stored vehicle; to provide for the waiver of fees when disposing a vehicle; to provide for gate fees; to provide for the towing of vehicles from private property; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 839 by Representative Henry

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, delete "1729, 1734(E),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "1736(A)(2)" delete "and" and insert a comma "," and after "(C)," insert "and (D)."

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## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, delete "and (8)" and delete "1728(D)(7)" and insert "1735(D)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 17, delete "1729, 1743(E)," and after "1736(A)(2)", delete "and" and insert a comma ","

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 17, after "(C)," insert "and (D)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 18, delete "and (8)" and delete "1728(D)(7)" and insert "1735(D)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 16 through 24 in their entirety

## AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 24, delete "color."

## AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 6, delete "by the end of the next business" and insert "within three business days of"

## AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 7, delete "day from"

## AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, line 28, delete "three" and insert "five"

## AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 2, delete "but no later than the ninetieth day"

## AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 14, before the period ".", insert "or the adjusted storage date, if applicable"

## AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 15, before "until" insert "up to the ninetieth day, or"

## AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, line 16, after "issued", insert a comma ","

## AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 5, line 17, delete "seventy-fifth" and insert "ninetieth" and after "storage" and before the period ".", insert "or the adjusted storage date, if applicable"

## AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

## AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 7, delete lines 4 through 21 in their entirety and insert the following:

"§1735. Driver's selection of licensed tow company; law enforcement rotation list; minimum requirements; removal from rotation list

\* \* \*

D. No law enforcement officer shall initiate or recommend to the vehicle operator a specific tow company to conduct a tow. All tows shall be referred to the law enforcement rotation list or the authorized contractor for the law enforcement agency. When the owner exercises their right to select the tow company, such selection shall be duly noted on the tow invoice or the law enforcement record of the incident.

## AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 8, line 6, delete "and parking areas"

## AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 8, line 8, delete "and" and insert "or"

## AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 8, line 10, after "towed," insert the following:

"Such warning shall include signage in each designated parking area or the marking of the individual parking spaces in these specific parking areas."

## AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 8, line 15, delete ", and tow rates set by the"

## AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 8, line 16, delete "Public Service Commission"

## AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 8, line 24, delete "emergency" and insert "telephone"

## AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 8 line 25, after "agent" delete the remainder of the line and insert "and the tow truck company owner, or their authorized agent."

## AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 8, line 26, delete "for the towing service." and at the end of the line, delete "specific"

## AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 8, delete line 27 in its entirety and insert "the starting date of the towing service, and the specific date of termination of such agreement."

## AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 9, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert the following:

"D. All fees charged by a tow truck operator for the nonconsensual towing of a vehicle from private property or parking areas shall be uniform and shall be set in accordance with rules and regulations promulgated by the Louisiana Public Service Commission ~~and by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police.~~ If the tow truck operator charges any fee in excess of the uniform fee, the owner of the motor vehicle shall have a right and cause of action to recover the amount of the excess fee, storage costs, if applicable, reasonable attorney fees, and all court costs. The provisions of this Section shall be enforced by all state and local law enforcement officers and duly appointed officers

of the Louisiana Public Service Commission. Tow truck operators shall make billing invoices available for inspection upon request by any law enforcement officer or duly appointed officer of the Louisiana Public Service Commission and shall provide such officers with a copy of any billing invoice, any contract for services, or the name, address, and phone number of any property owner or authorized representative.

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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.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Hoffmann, 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. 108—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2048.51(C)(14) and to enact R.S. 17:2048.51(C)(18) and (G)(7), relative to the Louisiana Health Works Commission; to provide for membership of such commission; to provide for membership of the executive committee within such commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Barrow on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 108 by Representative Hoffmann

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 3, following "designee" delete "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 4, delete "the commission"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Miller
Adams	Gisclair	Montoucet

Anders	Greene	Moreno
Armes	Guillory	Morris, Jay
Arnold	Guinn	Morris, Jim
Badon	Harris	Norton
Barras	Harrison	Ortego
Barrow	Havard	Pearson
Berthelot	Hazel	Pierre
Billiot	Henry	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hensgens	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hill	Price
Broadwater	Hodges	Pugh
Brossett	Hoffmann	Pylant
Brown	Hollis	Reynolds
Burford	Honore	Richard
Burns, H.	Howard	Richardson
Burns, T.	Hunter	Ritchie
Burrell	Huval	Robideaux
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Schexnayder
Carter	Jackson, K.	Schroder
Champagne	James	Seabaugh
Chaney	Jefferson	Shadoin
Connick	Johnson	Simon
Cox	Jones	Smith
Cromer	Lambert	St. Germain
Danahay	Landry, N.	Thibaut
Dixon	Landry, T.	Thierry
Dove	LeBas	Thompson
Edwards	Leger	Whitney
Fannin	Leopold	Williams, A.
Foil	Ligi	Williams, P.
Franklin	Lopinto	Willmott
Gaines	Lorusso	
Garofalo	Mack	

Total - 103

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson  
Total - 2

Talbot

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Hoffmann 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. 389—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:333(F)(14), R.S. 9:315.9(A)(6), 315.16(A), 315.40(1), 399.1(A) and (F)(3) and (4), and 406(B)(2) and (C)(2), R.S. 11:441.1(F), R.S. 13:4291(B)(1) and (C), R.S. 27:364(A)(1)(b)(vi), R.S. 40:34(B)(1)(h)(iv) and (E)(1) and 46.1(D) and (F)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 46:56(M)(1), 236.1.1(9)(b) and (13), 236.1.2(G), 236.1.4(E), 236.1.5(C), 236.1.7(B), 236.1.8(D), 236.3(A)(2), 236.10(A), (B), and (D), 236.12(B)(1), 236.14(D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (H)(2), 236.15(A)(1), 236.16, 238(F), and 2136.2(F), and R.S. 51:1442(4), relative to the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide for proper designation of certain sections and divisions of the department; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 491—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:162, relative to oaths of office; to provide relative to manner in which the oath of certain officials is subscribed to and recorded; to provide for the duties of certain officials relative thereto; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Danahay moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. Speaker, Adams, Anders, Armes, Arnold, Badon, Barras, Barrow, Berthelot, Billiot, Bishop, S., Bishop, W., Broadwater, Brossett, Brown, Burford, Burns, H., Burns, T., Burrell, Carmody, Carter, Champagne, Chaney, Connick, Cox, Cromer, Danahay, Dixon, Edwards, Fannin, Foil, Franklin, Gaines, Garofalo, Geymann, Gisclair, Greene, Guillory, Guinn, Harris, Havard, Hazel, Henry, Hensgens, Hill, Hodges, Hoffmann, Hollis, Honore, Howard, Hunter, Huval, Jackson, G., Jackson, K., James, Jefferson, Johnson, Jones, Lambert, Landry, N., Landry, T., LeBas, Leger, Leopold, Ligi, Lopinto, Lorusso, Mack, Miller, Montoucet, Moreno, Morris, Jay, Morris, Jim, Norton, Ortego, Pearson, Pierre, Ponti, Pope, Price, Pugh, Pylant, Reynolds, Richard, Richardson, Ritchie, Robideaux, Schexnayder, Schroder, Seabaugh, Shadoin, Simon, Smith, St. Germain, Talbot, Thibaut, Thierry, Thompson, Whitney, Williams, A., Williams, P., Willmott

Total - 102

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Abramson, Dove, Harrison

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Danahay 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. 878—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 18:1311(A), relative to voting prior to election day; to repeal a requirement that the registrar of voters compile and post a list of certain information concerning persons who have applied to vote prior to election day; and to provide for an effective date.

Read by title.

Motion

Rep. Barrow objected to the bill being considered on the local and consent calendar, which objection was joined by 20 other members.

The bill was placed on the regular calendar for the next legislative day.

HOUSE BILL NO. 389—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:333(F)(14), R.S. 9:315.9(A)(6), 315.16(A), 315.40(1), 399.1(A) and (F)(3) and (4), and 406(B)(2) and (C)(2), R.S. 11:441.1(F), R.S. 13:4291(B)(1) and (C), R.S. 27:364(A)(1)(b)(vi), R.S. 40:34(B)(1)(h)(iv) and (E)(1) and 46.1(D) and (F)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 46:56(M)(1), 236.1.1(9)(b) and (13), 236.1.2(G), 236.1.4(E), 236.1.5(C), 236.1.7(B), 236.1.8(D), 236.3(A)(2), 236.10(A), (B), and (D), 236.12(B)(1), 236.14(D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (H)(2), 236.15(A)(1), 236.16, 238(F), and 2136.2(F), and R.S. 51:1442(4), relative to the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide for proper designation of certain sections and divisions of the department; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Schroder moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. Speaker, Adams, Anders, Armes, Arnold, Badon, Barras, Barrow, Berthelot, Billiot, Bishop, S., Bishop, W., Broadwater, Brossett, Brown, Burns, H., Burns, T., Burrell, Carmody, Carter, Champagne, Geymann, Gisclair, Greene, Guillory, Guinn, Harris, Harrison, Havard, Hazel, Henry, Hensgens, Hill, Hoffmann, Hollis, Honore, Howard, Hunter, Huval, Jackson, G., Jackson, K., James, Montoucet, Moreno, Morris, Jay, Morris, Jim, Norton, Ortego, Pearson, Pierre, Ponti, Pope, Price, Pugh, Pylant, Reynolds, Richard, Richardson, Ritchie, Robideaux, Schexnayder, Schroder, Seabaugh

Chaney	Jefferson	Shadoin
Connick	Johnson	Simon
Cox	Jones	Smith
Cromer	Lambert	St. Germain
Danahay	Landry, N.	Talbot
Dixon	LeBas	Thibaut
Dove	Leger	Thierry
Edwards	Leopold	Thompson
Fannin	Ligi	Whitney
Foil	Lopinto	Williams, A.
Franklin	Lorusso	Williams, P.
Gaines	Mack	Willmott
Garofalo	Miller	
Total - 101		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Hodges
Burford	Landry, T.
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.

**Regular Calendar**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 969—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3 of Subtitle VII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:6301, relative to rebates; to authorize a rebate for certain donations to certain school tuition organizations; to provide for definitions, requirements, and limitations; to provide for the amount, approval, and issuance of rebates; to authorize the Department of Education to conduct audits; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Barrow on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 17, following "may" and before "be" delete "only"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17, following "taxpayer" and before "when" insert "only"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Talbot to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

CHAPTER 3. REBATES FOR DONATIONS TO SCHOOL TUITION ORGANIZATIONS

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, change "contributions" to "donations"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1 line 15, between "school." and "In order" insert "Upon making his donation, the donor shall indicate the duration of time which the school tuition organization may retain and carryforward his donation. The time may be indicated as being in perpetuity or for a stated period of time coinciding with a fiscal year of the state of Louisiana, the minimum of which shall not be less than twelve months or one fiscal year, whichever occurs later."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the end of line 10, after "entity" and before the period "." insert "nor shall any donation be earmarked by a donor to provide a scholarship for a particular qualified student or a particular qualified school"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the end of line 19, delete "not" and insert in lieu thereof "carryforward all funds in accordance with the duration of time indicated by the donor pursuant to Paragraph (A)(1) of this Section. If, at the end of the fiscal year, a donor requests a refund of unexpended funds from his donation, the school tuition organization shall reimburse the donor the full amount of unexpended funds otherwise available to be used on scholarships, exclusive of funds available for administrative costs. If the donor does not elect to receive a refund, the school tuition organization may retain and carryforward the funds indefinitely or for a shorter period of time if so indicated by the donor."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete line 20 in its entirety and at the beginning of line 21, delete "the next."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 26, after "exceed" and before "eighty" insert "actual tuition and mandatory fees or"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, at the end of line 2, change the period "."" to a comma "," and add "whichever is less."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, at the beginning of line 17, delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 18, after "students" and before "during" insert ", the total amount expended on administrative costs, and the percentage breakdown of donations expended on scholarship and administrative costs"

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### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, line 18, after "year." and before "The report" insert "The report shall include the actual tuition and fee amounts published by the qualifying schools which enrolled a student with a scholarship from that school tuition organization."

### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 2, between "which is" and "approved" insert "provisionally approved or probationally"

### AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"(iii) If more first-time qualified students who are otherwise eligible apply than there are seats available, conduct a random selection process that ensures all qualified and otherwise eligible students an equal chance for admission; however, the qualified school may give preference for the following:

(a) Siblings of students already enrolled in the qualified school.

(b) Qualifying students who had previously enrolled at a different qualified school and who are otherwise eligible."

### AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"(v) Not charge a higher total tuition and fee amount to a qualified student than is charge to all student enrolled at the school."

### AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"(vi) Annually provide to each school tuition organization who has provided a scholarship to a student enrolled in that school the actual tuition and fee amounts charged to all students."

### AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 5, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

"(c) Enrollment of scholarship recipients in a qualified school that has been approved, provisionally approved, or probationally approved for less than two years shall not exceed twenty percent of such school's total student enrollment."

### AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, at the end of line 4, insert the following:

"Any qualified student receiving a scholarship from a school tuition organization pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be prohibited from receiving any other publicly funded scholarship, voucher, or other form of financial assistance specific to that student for purposes of attending a nonpublic school. However, a qualified student may receive scholarships from multiple school tuition organizations not to exceed eighty percent of the state average Minimum Foundation Program per pupil funding amount for the previous year for a qualified student enrolled in kindergarten through eighth grade or ninety percent of the state average Minimum Foundation Program per pupil funding amount for the previous year for a qualified student enrolled in ninth through twelfth grade."

### AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 6, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"(d) The Department of Education shall verify that each qualified student has received scholarships not to exceed actual tuition and fees at the qualified school or eighty percent of the state average Minimum Foundation Program per pupil funding amount for the previous year for a qualified student enrolled in kindergarten through eighth grade or ninety percent of the state average Minimum Foundation Program per pupil funding amount for the previous year for a qualified student enrolled in ninth through twelfth grade. If the scholarships received by a qualified student has exceeded one of these amounts, as applicable, the school tuition organization that had awarded the scholarship that caused the student's total scholarship amount to exceed this amount shall refund the state the difference."

### AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 6, at the beginning of line 17, change "(d)" to "(e)"

### **Point of Order**

Rep. Jones asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the amendments which would make multiple, unrelated changes to the bill may be considered as a single set of amendments.

### **Ruling of the Chair**

The Speaker ruled that amendments to a bill may be considered notwithstanding that the amendments propose multiple, unrelated changes to the bill.

Rep. Norton asked for and obtained a division of the question.

### **Acting Speaker Lopinto in the Chair**

#### **Speaker Kleckley in the Chair**

Rep. Talbot moved adoption of Amendment Nos. 1 and 2.

Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 were adopted.

Rep. Talbot moved adoption of Amendments Nos. 3, 5, 6, 9, and 10.

Rep. Jones objected.

By a vote of 79 yeas and 24 nays, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Talbot moved adoption of Amendment No. 4.

Amendment No. 4 was adopted.

Rep. Talbot moved adoption of Amendment Nos. 7 and 8.

Amendment Nos. 7 and 8 were adopted.

Rep. Talbot moved adoption of Amendment Nos. 11, 15, 17, 18, and 19.

Amendments Nos. 11, 15, 17, 18, and 19 were adopted.

Rep. Talbot moved adoption of Amendment Nos. 12 and 16.

Rep. Hunter objected.

By a vote of 82 yeas and 14 nays, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Talbot moved adoption of Amendment No. 13.

Rep. Norton objected.



By a vote of 85 yeas and 11 nays, the amendment was adopted.

Rep. Talbot moved adoption of Amendment No. 14.

Rep. Norton objected.

By a vote of 84 yeas and 13 nays, the amendment was adopted.

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

#### HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ritchie to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, line 1, after "budget." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 2 through 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"A qualified student shall also be a student who is entering kindergarten for the first time and would have been enrolled in a public school which received a letter "D" or "F" or any variation thereof, pursuant to the Louisiana School and District Accountability System, a student who attended a public school the previous year which received a letter grade of "D" or "F" or any variation thereof, pursuant to the Louisiana School and District Accountability System the previous year, or a student who received a scholarship from a school tuition organization for the previous school year."

Rep. Ritchie moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Talbot objected.

By a vote of 49 yeas and 49 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

#### HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ritchie to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"(f) The Department of Education shall compile a public report which shall be made available no later than March first of each year on the department's website which lists the name of all qualified schools receiving scholarship recipients pursuant to the provisions of this Section, the number of scholarship recipients attending each qualified school, and the results of the state's accountability testing laws for students in public school for scholarship recipients in each grade. The Department of Education shall not include the name or any other identifying information for individual students."

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

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

#### HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ritchie to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "enact" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 3 in its entirety and insert the following:

"R.S. 47:6039, relative to tax credits; to authorize a tax credit against Louisiana corporate income tax for certain"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 6, delete "rebates" and insert "tax credits"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 11, delete "1950, comprised on R.S. 47:6301," and insert "R.S. 47:6039"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 12, delete "§6301. Rebates" and insert "§6039. Tax credits"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 13, after "allowed a" and before "for donations" delete "rebate" and insert "a credit against Louisiana corporate income"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 15, after "for the" and before the comma "," delete "rebate" and insert "tax credit"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, line 16, after "Louisiana" and before "income" insert "corporation"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 1, at the beginning of line 17, delete "rebate" and insert "tax credit"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 1, line 19, after "of the" and before "shall" delete "rebate" and insert "tax credit"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 4, after "for the" and before the comma "," delete "rebate" and insert "tax credit"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 6, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"(5) For purposes of this Section, a "taxpayer" shall mean any entity taxed as a corporation for purposes of Louisiana income tax purposes. Individuals, estates, trusts, or entities not taxed as a corporation shall not be eligible for the tax credit authorized pursuant to the provisions fo this Section."

##### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, line 20, after "in the" and before "authorized" delete "rebate" and insert "tax credit"

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## AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 6, line 25, after "the" and before "authorized" delete "rebate" and insert "tax credit"

## AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 6, at the beginning of line 26, after "D." and before "Notwithstanding" insert the following:

"The total amount of tax credits issued pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall not exceed fifty million dollars per calendar year; however, in any year in which the amount of tax credits awarded reaches ninety percent of the fifty million dollar annual cap, the annual cap for the next year shall be increased by twenty percent."

## AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 6, line 27, after "the" and before "authorized" delete "rebate" and insert "tax credit"

## AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 6, after line 29, insert the following:

"E. The Department of Revenue shall approve tax credits on a first-come, first-served basis until the maximum amount of tax credits have been issued; however, all tax credit requests received on the same business day shall be treated as received at the same time, and if the aggregate amount of tax credit requests received on a single business day exceed the total amount of available tax credits, tax credits shall be approved on a pro rata basis."

F. The tax credit against Louisiana corporate income tax authorized pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be applicable to a taxpayer's corporate tax liability after application of all other tax credits. If the corporate income tax credit provided for in this Section exceeds the amount of a taxpayer's liability, then any unused credit may be carried forward as a credit against subsequent tax liability for a period not to exceed five years."

### Point of Order

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

### Ruling of the Chair

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

Rep. Ritchie moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Talbot objected.

By a vote of 38 yeas and 58 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

### HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Hunter to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "organizations" and before the semicolon ";", insert "and certain public schools"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, after "Rebates;" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"donations to school tuition organizations; donations to public schools"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 13, change "A.(1)" and insert "A.(1)(a)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, delete "(2) In order for a donation" and insert "(b) In order for a donation to a school tuition organization"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 6, after "tuition" and before "for" delete "and fees"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

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

"(2)(a) There shall be allowed a rebate for donations a taxpayer makes during a taxable year to a public school for the purpose of providing academic enhancements for students including but not limited to teaching materials, texts, books, or computer programs and equipment intended to improve students' skills in the core curriculum for the study of reading, science, mathematics, and language arts. In order to qualify for the rebate, the donation shall be made by a taxpayer who files a Louisiana income tax return."

(b) The rebate may only be claimed by a taxpayer when the public school certifies to the Department of Education that the donation has been received by the public school. The amount of the rebate shall be equal to the actual amount of the taxpayer's donation."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete line 11 in its entirety and insert the following:

"(B) The provisions of this Subsection shall apply to the rebate authorized in Paragraph (1) of Subsection A of this Section."

(1)(a)(i) For purposes of this Subsection, the term "school tuition organization"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

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

"(ii) A school tuition organization shall not include any home schooling group, organization, or association."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 25, after "student in" and before "through" change "kindergarten" to "pre-kindergarten"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 27, after "funding amount" and before "for the" insert "for a student in grades kindergarten through eight"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, at the end of line 13, before the period "." insert "and who have shown continued improvement in academics as evidenced by"

the student's results on the state test associated with the school and district accountability system"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 19, between "check" and "Any" insert the following:

"The failure by a parent to endorse the check will not render a scholarship null or invalid in any way, provided the student continues enrollment in the qualified school."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 2, after "of this" and before the comma ";" change "Section" to "Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 12, after "Education" and before "shall" insert a comma ";" and insert "qualified student or his parent"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, line 22, after "year" and after the comma ";" and before "financial" insert "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 5, line 23, after "viability" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 24 and 25 in their entirety and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 5, line 26, after "of this" and before the comma ";" change "Section" to "Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 6, at the beginning of line 2, delete "kindergarten" and insert "pre-kindergarten" and after "who" and before "attended" insert "is attending or has"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 6, line 5, after "of this" and before the comma ";" change "Section" to "Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 6, at the beginning of line 7, change "C.(1)(a)" to "C."

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 6, delete line 10 in its entirety and insert the following:

"D. For purposes of the rebate authorized in Paragraph (1) of Subsection (A) of this Section, the Department shall do all of the following:

(1) Approve the application used by a"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 6, at the beginning of line 12, delete "(c) The Department of Education shall certify" and insert "(2) Certify"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 6, at the beginning of line 17, delete "(d) The Department of Education may" and insert "(2) At its discretion,"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 6, at the beginning of line 22, delete "(2) The" and insert "E.(1) For purposes of the rebate authorized in Paragraph (1) of Subsection (A) of this Section, the"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 6, at the end of line 25, between "rebate" and the period "." delete "authorized by this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 6, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

"(2) For purposes of the rebate authorized in Paragraph (2) of Subsection (A) of this Section, the Department of Revenue shall provide a standardized format for a receipt to be issued by the public school to the taxpayer. The receipt shall indicate the amount of the donation to the public school. The Department of Revenue shall require a taxpayer to provide a copy of the receipt when claiming the rebate."

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 6, at the beginning of line 26, change "D." to "F."

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 6, line 27, after "make the" and before "authorized" change "rebate" to "rebates"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 7, line 2, after "made to" and before "a school" insert "a public school or"

Rep. Hunter moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Talbot objected.

By a vote of 30 yeas and 65 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Barrow to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, after "Louisiana" and before "income" insert "corporation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 3, after "costs" and before the period "." insert a semicolon ";" and insert "however, the total amount of donations per taxpayer shall not exceed one million dollars"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 7, change "five" to "three"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 16, change "ninety-five" to "ninety-seven"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 6, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"(5) For purposes of this Section, a "taxpayer" shall mean any entity taxed as a corporation for purposes of Louisiana income tax purposes. Individuals, estates, trusts, or entities not taxed as corporations shall not be eligible for the rebate authorized pursuant to the provisions fo this Section."

Rep. Barrow moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Talbot objected.

By a vote of 34 yeas and 62 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Thibaut to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"(iv) A qualified school shall admit qualified students for enrollment based on the letter grade of the public school for which the qualified student was attending or would have attended. Qualified students from public schools that received a letter grade "F" or "D" or any variation thereof shall be given the first priority."

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Fannin to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 16, delete "The" and delete lines 17 and 18 in their entirety and from the beginning of line 19, delete "funded a scholarship for a qualified student."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

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

"(2) The rebate may be paid only after the conclusion of the school year and only when all of the following requirements have been satisfied:

(a) The school tuition organization certifies to the Department of Education that the donation made by the taxpayer has funded a scholarship for a qualified student.

(b) The Department of Education has verified that the student was not enrolled in a public school in Louisiana on October first or February first of that school year pursuant to the definition of the student membership established by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for the purposes of the Minimum Foundation Program formula, and the Department of Education has certified the student count.

(c) If the qualified student is enrolled in public school on

February first of that school year pursuant to the definition of the student membership established by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the amount of the rebate shall be equal to the actual amount expended by the school tuition organization on scholarships, which shall not include administrative costs and shall be prorated as applicable."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, change "(2)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, at the end of line 22, add: "If a student who has received a scholarship ceases to be enrolled in a qualified school, the school shall immediately notify the respective student tuition organization and the Department of Education that the student is no longer enrolled. Upon receipt of such notification, the student tuition organization shall cease making payments to the school for that student."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 6 line 14, after "after" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 15 and 16 in their entirety and insert "all of the requirements of Paragraph (A)(2) of this Section have been satisfied."

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Talbot to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 7, at the end of line 1, delete "or after"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Edwards to Engrossed House Bill No. 969 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, line 1, after "budget." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 2 through 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"A qualified student shall also be a student who is entering kindergarten for the first time and would have been enrolled in a public school which received a letter "C", "D", or "F" or any variation thereof, pursuant to the Louisiana School and District Accountability System, a student who attended a public school the previous year which received a letter grade of "C", "D", or "F" or any variation thereof, pursuant to the Louisiana School and District Accountability System the previous year, or a student who received a scholarship from a school tuition organization for the previous school year."

Rep. Edwards moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Talbot objected.

By a vote of 46 yeas and 51 nays, the amendments were rejected.

**Motion**

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

Rep. Barrow objected.

By a vote of 58 yeas and 43 nays, the House agreed to order the previous question on the entire subject matter.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Garofalo	Miller
Adams	Geymann	Moreno
Arnold	Greene	Morris, Jay
Badon	Guillory	Morris, Jim
Barras	Guinn	Pearson
Berthelot	Harris	Ponti
Billiot	Havard	Pope
Bishop, S.	Hazel	Pugh
Broadwater	Henry	Pylant
Burford	Hensgens	Richardson
Burns, H.	Hodges	Robideaux
Burns, T.	Hollis	Schexnayder
Carmody	Howard	Schroder
Carter	Huval	Seabaugh
Champagne	Lambert	Simon
Chaney	Landry, N.	St. Germain
Connick	Leger	Talbot
Cromer	Leopold	Thibaut
Danahay	Ligi	Thompson
Dove	Lopinto	Whitney
Fannin	Lorusso	Williams, P.
Foil	Mack	Willmott
Total - 66		

**NAYS**

Anders	Harrison	Montoucet
Armes	Hill	Norton
Barrow	Hoffmann	Ortego
Bishop, W.	Honore	Pierre
Brossett	Hunter	Price
Brown	Jackson, G.	Reynolds
Burrell	Jackson, K.	Ritchie
Cox	James	Shadoin
Dixon	Jefferson	Smith
Edwards	Johnson	Thierry
Franklin	Jones	Williams, A.
Gaines	Landry, T.	
Gisclair	LeBas	
Total - 37		

**ABSENT**

Abramson	Richard
Total - 2	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Talbot 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. Leger, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials, and Communications at this time.

**Petitions, Memorials, and Communications**

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

**Acting Speaker Norton in the Chair**

**Message from the Senate**

**SENATE BILLS**

March 27, 2012

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. 109, 110, 174, and 318

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. 109—**

BY SENATOR MORRELL

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 26:71(A), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 26:271(A), and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 26:903, relative to alcohol and tobacco permits; to establish permit fees not to exceed a maximum amount for a particular permit; to provide for rule making authority to set these fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 110—**

BY SENATOR MORRELL

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:91(A)(2) and 287(A)(1)(a), relative to the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide relative to the suspension or revocation of permits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 174—**

BY SENATOR MORRELL

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2501.1(F) and to enact R.S. 13:1337(C), 2151(E) and 2151.4(E), relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to the jurisdiction of the Traffic Court of New Orleans and the First and Second City

Courts of New Orleans; to provide relative to appeals by any person aggrieved by a decision concerning a traffic violation enforced by the city of New Orleans' automated traffic enforcement system; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**SENATE BILL NO. 318—**  
BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:701(B), relative to the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board; to provide powers, duties, and jurisdiction of the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board; to provide relative to naval architects and marine engineers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Speaker Kleckley in the Chair**

**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. 17—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET  
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Physical Therapy Association for its outstanding achievements and to recognize March 26 through March 30, 2012, as Louisiana Physical Therapy Association Week.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to review and consider eliminating provisions of federal law which reduce Social Security benefits for those receiving pension benefits from federal, state, or local government retirement or pension systems, plans, or funds.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the presiding officers of the Legislature of Louisiana to ensure that appropriate recognition of the sacrifices of Louisianians who have served as members of the Armed Forces of the United States in Iraq be displayed on the website of the legislature.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Introduction of House Bills  
and Joint Resolutions**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1026—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(1)(b)(ii) and (iii) and to enact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(1)(b)(iv), relative to parole eligibility; to provide for parole eligibility for certain offenders after serving a certain portion of the criminal sentence; to provide for prospective application; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1027—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(4)(h) and 302(K)(5) and to enact R.S. 47:301(4)(m), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to dealers; to provide for certain definitions; to provide a method for reporting and remitting taxes by certain dealers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**Report of the Committee on  
Appropriations**

March 27, 2012

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 783, by Fannin  
Reported with amendments. (18-0) (Regular)

JAMES R. "JIM" FANNIN  
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on  
Civil Law and Procedure**

March 27, 2012

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 281, by Greene  
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 368, by Thompson, J  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 455, by Abramson  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 596, by St. Germain  
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 872, by Hazel  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 912, by Landry, Nancy  
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

NEIL C. ABRAMSON  
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on  
Commerce**

March 27, 2012

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. 91, by Leger  
Reported favorably. (15-0) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 161, by Ritchie  
Reported with amendments. (17-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 311, by Leger  
Reported favorably. (15-0) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 541, by St. Germain  
Reported with amendments. (17-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 663, by Ritchie  
Reported with amendments. (17-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 748, by Ponti  
Reported favorably. (14-2) (Regular)

House Bill No. 798, by Ponti  
Reported by substitute. (16-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 923, by Ponti  
Reported with amendments. (17-0) (Regular)

ERICH E. PONTI  
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on  
Transportation, Highways, and Public Works**

March 27, 2012

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 Concurrent Resolution No. 16, by Foil  
Reported with amendments. (15-0)

House Bill No. 323, by Hoffmann  
Reported by substitute. (13-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 384, by Danahay  
Reported favorably. (14-0) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 652, by Leger  
Reported with amendments. (18-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 680, by St. Germain  
Reported with amendments. (16-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 831, by Hazel  
Reported favorably. (16-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 832, by Hazel  
Reported favorably. (15-0) (Local & Consent)

KAREN GAUDET ST. GERMAIN  
Chairwoman

**Report of the Committee on  
Ways and Means**

Tuesday, March 27, 2012

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. 225, by Lorusso  
Reported with amendments. (16-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 729, by Robideaux  
Reported with amendments. (19-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 937, by Robideaux  
Reported with amendments. (18-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 958, by Robideaux  
Reported with amendments. (18-0) (Regular)

JOEL C. ROBIDEAUX  
Chairman

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

March 27, 2012

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. 15—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES NANCY LANDRY, ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, BROSSETT, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOVE, EDWARDS, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMAN, GISCLAIR, GREENE, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, GIROD JACKSON, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LIGI, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MACK, MILLER, MONTOUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, PEARSON, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THIERRY, THOMPSON, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOIT

**A RESOLUTION**

To recognize Tuesday, March 27, 2012, as Girl Scouts of the USA Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and to commemorate the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Girl Scouts.

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### **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 16—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBIDEAUX, BARRAS, STUART BISHOP,  
NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, MONTOUCET, ORTEGO, AND  
PIERRE

#### **A RESOLUTION**

To commend the Lafayette High School girls basketball team upon winning the Class 5A state championship.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD RITCHIE  
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.

### **Motion**

Rep. Jefferson moved the rules be suspended to permit the Committee on Education to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

Senate Bill No. 581

Rep. Smith objected.

By a vote of 43 yeas and 28 nays, the House refused to add Senate Bill No. 581 to its agenda.

### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Simon, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Health and Welfare to meet at 9:30 A.M. on Wednesday, March 28.

### **Adjournment**

On motion of Rep. Billiot, at 7:40 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, March 28, 2012, at 2:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 2:00 P.M., Wednesday, March 28, 2012.

ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House