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Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, April 24, 2013

The House of Representatives was called to order at 2:00 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	Lorusso
Abramson	Geymann	Mack
Adams	Gisclair	Miller
Anders	Greene	Montoucet
Armes	Guinn	Moreno
Arnold	Harris	Morris, Jay
Badon	Harrison	Morris, Jim
Barras	Havard	Norton
Barrow	Hazel	Ortego
Berthelot	Henry	Pierre
Billiot	Hensgens	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hill	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Price
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Pugh
Brossett	Hollis	Reynolds
Brown	Honore	Richard
Burford	Howard	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Hunter	Robideaux
Burns, T.	Huval	Schexnayder
Burrell	Ivey	Seabaugh
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Shadoin
Carter	Jackson, K.	Simon
Chaney	James	Smith
Connick	Jefferson	St. Germain
Cox	Johnson	Stokes
Cromer	Jones	Talbot
Danahay	Lambert	Thibaut
Dixon	Landry, N.	Thompson
Dove	Landry, T.	Whitney
Edwards	LeBas	Williams, A.
Fannin	Leger	Williams, P.
Franklin	Leopold	Willmott
Gaines	Lopinto	

Total - 98

The Speaker announced that there were 98 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Arnold.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Huval 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 April 23, 2013, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials, and
Communications**

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

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

April 24, 2013

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

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

Senate Bill No. 202

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. 202—
BY SENATORS NEVERS AND THOMPSON
AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(b)(ii), (c)(ii), and (d)(ii), the introductory paragraph of (A)(1)(e), (f), and (g), and (C)(2)(e), and to enact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(h), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to revise the core curriculum requirements and the method of calculating the grade point average required for program awards; to provide with respect to the method of approval of core curriculum course substitutions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions
Lying Over**

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ AND REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Children and Family Services, the Department of Health and Hospitals, and the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, office of motor vehicles, to promote statewide the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's Where's baby? Look before you lock. campaign.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—
BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Bruno Beltran of Sulphur on being a recipient of a prestigious Goldwater Scholarship.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—
BY SENATORS JOHNS, MORRISH AND JOHN SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVES DANAHAY, FRANKLIN, GEYMAN, GUINN, HENSGENS AND KLECKLEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Dennis C. Ware II.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—
BY SENATORS JOHNS, MORRISH AND JOHN SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVES DANAHAY, FRANKLIN, GEYMAN, GUINN, HENSGENS AND KLECKLEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Junius Joseph "Joe" Champeaux II.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—
BY SENATORS GARY SMITH AND BROWN AND REPRESENTATIVES MILLER AND WILLMOTT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Lou Valdin on being awarded All-District Coach of the Year.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Safa Michigan upon being named the Caddo Public Schools 2013 Middle School Student of the Year and to recognize her extraordinary accomplishments.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Ceara Johnson upon being named the Caddo Public Schools 2013 Elementary School Student of the Year and to recognize her extraordinary accomplishments.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—
BY SENATOR BROWN AND REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Tuesday, April 30, 2013, as "Alpha Phi Alpha Day in the Louisiana Legislature", commend Alpha Phi Alpha for one hundred seven years of exemplary leadership, and urge suitable observance of such day.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—
BY SENATOR MORRISH AND REPRESENTATIVE GUINN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Earl Garber of Basile, Louisiana, on his election as president of the National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD).

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB AND REPRESENTATIVE HONORE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Commends the Southern University Men's basketball team for winning the Southwest Athletic Conference Tournament.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—
BY SENATOR BROWN AND REPRESENTATIVE PRICE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Robert Lee Jackson Sr. for his many years of dedication and service to his community and his country.

Read by title.

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

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1821(B), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for membership of the board of trustees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:135(C) and to enact R.S. 18:135(B)(2), relative to registrars of voters; authorizes the registrars of voters to make changes of address, changes of party affiliation or nonaffiliation and changes of name received prior to the close of the registration records for the general election; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 55—

BY SENATORS JOHNS, ALARIO, ALLAIN, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CORTEZ, CROWE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, KOSTELKA, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERRY, GARY SMITH, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH AND WARD

AN ACT

To enact Part LXXIII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.361 through 1300.365, relative to Medicaid; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit an annual report to the legislature on the Louisiana Medicaid Bayou Health and Louisiana Behavioral Health Partnership and Coordinated System of Care programs; to provide for the information to be included in the report; to provide for department information; to provide for Medicaid state plan amendments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 57—

BY SENATORS DORSEY-COLOMB, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CLAITOR, CROWE, ERDEY, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MURRAY, NEVERS, PETERSON, GARY SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:259(NN) and R.S. 40:2018.3, relative to the creation of the Louisiana Sickle Cell Commission within the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for membership and terms; to provide for the functions of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 90—

BY SENATORS MILLS, APPEL, BROOME, CORTEZ, CROWE, JOHNS, LONG, MARTINY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, RISER, TARVER, THOMPSON AND WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.35.1(7), 1299.35.2(A), 1299.35.19(introductory paragraph) and (1) and to enact R.S. 40:1299.35.2.1, relative to abortions; to amend the definition of "physician"; to provide for certain requirements which must be met by a physician who performs an abortion; to provide for drugs or chemicals used; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 114—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 28:53.3, relative to coroners; to provide relative to protective custody orders executed in Jefferson Parish by video conferencing; to require the signature of the affiant to be witnessed on the video; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 117—

BY SENATORS APPEL AND GUILLORY AND REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3129.2 and R.S. 36:651(N), relative to public postsecondary education funding; to provide for the creation of the Outcomes-Based Funding Task Force and to provide for its composition, powers, duties, compensation, staffing, and support; to require the task force to develop an outcomes-based funding formula for public postsecondary education; to provide relative to formula components and a time line for implementation of the formula; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for a termination date for the task force; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 118—

BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351(A)(3), relative to the powers, duties, and functions of public postsecondary education management boards; to provide relative to the authority of such boards with respect to the allocation and expenditure of appropriated funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 190—

BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:325, 767, and 768, relative to banks and mutual associations; to provide for the access and transfer of the contents of a safety deposit box by a bank or association to a succession representative, heir, or legatee; to provide for access and transfer of the contents of certain accounts of a bank or association to a succession representative, heir, or legatee; to provide for procedure, terms, and conditions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**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. 9—
BY REPRESENTATIVES GUINN, GISCLAIR, AND ST. GERMAIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Department of Transportation and Development rules LAC 70:I.1501(C), 1515(D), (G), (H), (I), (J), and (K), 1519(B), (C), and (D), 1521(A)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (5), (B)(1), (4), and (5), and (E), 1529(C), 1531(B), (C), (D), (E), and (F), 1533(E), 1535(B), and 1541(B) and to enact LAC 70:I.1501(E), which provides for requirements for access connection permits, to provide for access connection permit conditions and requirements; to provide for permit reapplication and modifications to existing commercial access connections; to provide for access connection design requirements; to provide for related matters; and to direct the Office of the State Register to print the amendments and enactments in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

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 Concurrent Resolution No. 9 by Representative Guinn

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "rules" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 through 7 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"LAC 70:I.1501(C), 1515(D), (G), (H), (I), (J), and (K), 1519(B), (C), and (D), 1521(A)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (5), (B)(1), (4), and (5), and (E), 1529(C), 1531(B), (C), (D), (E), and (F), 1533(E), 1535(B), and 1541(B) and to enact LAC 70:I.1501(E), which provides for requirements for access connection permits, to provide for access connection permit conditions and requirements; to provide for permit reapplication and modifications to existing commercial access connections; to provide for access connection design requirements; to provide for related matters; and to direct the Office of the State register to print the amendments and enactments in the Louisiana Administrative Code. "

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, after "call for" and before "costly" insert "difficult processes to obtain access connections and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation and Development has enacted policies and administrative rules which place a burden on business and district administrators; and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 20, insert the following:

"WHEREAS, a number of these policies have changed, but the changes to the administrative rules are not yet implemented; and"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 4, after "that" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 5 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"LAC 70:I.1501(C), 1515(D), (G), (H), (I), (J), and (K), 1519(B), (C), and (D), 1521(A)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (5), (B)(1), (4), and (5), and (E), 1529(C), 1531(B), (C), (D), (E), and (F), 1533(E), 1535(B), and 1541(B) are hereby amended and LAC 70:I.1501(E) is hereby enacted, to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 6 through 23 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"§1501. Introduction

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C. Incumbent with this is the obligation to protect the investment of the state in the highway system. Access connections granted by the DOTD can be restrictive. However, DOTD, through its district administrators, may grant exceptions to the restrictions set forth in this Chapter based upon the uniqueness of the environment in which access is sought.

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E. The DOTD policy referred to throughout this Chapter is available on the DOTD website.

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§1515. Permit Conditions

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D. The applicant may be required to post a bond in order to secure an access connection permit. If required, this ~~this~~ bond shall be required and posted in accordance with DOTD policy, and shall be an amount as identified by the DOTD district office as sufficient to cover the expenses of all work or improvements required within the DOTD right-of-way as a condition of an access connection permit. The cost of restoration shall be borne by the applicant.

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~~G. Post-construction inspections are mandatory for traffic generator access connections:~~

~~H.~~ After having been constructed, access connection(s) shall at all times be subject to inspection with the right reserved to require changes, additions, repairs, and relocations at any time considered necessary to permit the location and/or to provide proper and safe protection to life and property on or adjacent to the highway. The cost of making such mandated changes, additions, repairs, and relocations shall be borne by the applicant.

~~I.~~ H. The relocations or alterations of any access, approach, or other improvement constructed on the right-of-way shall require a new permit re-evaluation of the access connection(s).

~~J.~~ I. If the applicant is unable to commence construction within 12 months of the permit issue date, the applicant may request a six month extension from the DOTD. No more than two six-month extensions may be granted under any circumstances. If the access connection is not constructed within 24 months from the permit issue date, the permit shall be considered expired. Any person wishing to reestablish an access connection permit that has expired shall begin again with the application procedures.

~~K.~~ J. When the adjacent highway is under construction, a letter of no objection ~~must shall~~ be obtained from the highway contractor before the application can be approved and the permit can be issued. A copy of this letter shall be attached to the permit.

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§1519. Permit ~~Reapplication~~ Re-evaluation and Modifications to Existing Commercial Access Connections

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B. If the property is reconstructed/remodeled /redeveloped, the owner shall submit a request for a re-evaluation of the access connection(s) new application for an access connection permit. The new application evaluation shall contain all necessary information and documentation as described in Section entitled Process for Acquiring an Access Permit DOTD policies, as well as a copy of the old access connection permit.

C. If the property owner reconstructs the access connection, a new access connection permit application request for re-evaluation shall be submitted. The DOTD reserves the right to make changes to the original permit during this process in order to improve safety and operations.

D. If DOTD road maintenance and/or construction operations affect the condition or necessitate the reconstruction, improvement, modification, or removal of an existing access connection, a re-evaluation of the access connection geometrics, location, etc., shall may be performed by the district traffic operations engineer. The access connection permit shall may be re-issued according to the most current DOTD standards, and DOTD reconstruction efforts shall follow these standards. The cost to reconstruct the access connection to the right-of-way shall be borne by the DOTD. Any additional costs to improve on-site conditions shall may be borne by the property owner.

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§1521. Access Connection Requirements

A.

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2. In addition, the following constraints shall apply:;

a. Full access shall may not be granted within the functional influence area of the intersection. The influence area shall be as defined in DOTD policies. For purposes of this Chapter, the functional influence area of an intersection shall be defined as the area beyond the physical intersection of two roadways and/or access connection points that:

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4. If the subject property is located at the intersection of two routes, an access connection may be permitted on one of the both routes, but one must be limited to right-in/right-out access. The determination of the access connection location locations and restrictions on each shall be at the discretion of the DOTD according to this rule and other applicable DOTD policies.

5. The applicant shall provide sufficient on-site circulation to ensure the safe ingress and egress of vehicles on the site. This on-site circulation shall be contained within the owned owner's property boundaries and shall not encroach upon the right-of-way in any way. Adequate on-site vehicle storage shall be provided in order to prevent any overflow of queued/waiting traffic in the travel lane(s) of the adjacent roadway(s).

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B. The granting of access shall adhere to the following decision hierarchy:;

1. Each property or group of adjacent properties with a single owner or development plan shall may be granted no more than one

access point, unless Paragraphs 4 and 5 of this Section are completed and approved. The DOTD reserves the right to limit access to adjacent properties to those access connections which already exist. All properties shall receive adequate access, but that may be accomplished through required access sharing with a neighboring property.

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4. A request for an access connection on a state route where alternative access connection opportunities exist on non-state route(s) shall may be accompanied by a traffic impact study. This study shall comply with the guidelines and policies set forth by the DOTD for such studies. In order to consider state route access in these cases, the study shall show that the lack of access on the state route causes unreasonable negative impacts to the traffic flow in the vicinity of the property.

5. Requests for access connections in excess of one access connection or for an access connection on a state route where non-state route access exists must be reviewed and approved by the district engineer administrator. Such requests shall may be accompanied by a traffic impact study. This study shall comply with the guidelines and policies set forth by the DOTD for such studies. In order to consider an additional access connection or an access connection on a state route where non-state route access exists, the study shall show that the lack of the requested access connections causes unreasonable negative impacts to the traffic flow and safety in the vicinity of the property and shall demonstrate that an additional access connection will contribute to the overall improvement of the safety and efficiency of the adjacent roadways and of the transportation system.

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E. Gates, fences, signage, landscaping, or other decorative or access-control features (i.e. gated subdivision) shall not be located within the right-of-way. Any such access-control feature shall be located so that a minimum storage of two vehicles (50' storage length minimum; greater distances may be required by the DOTD) is provided outside of the limits of the right-of-way. Gated access shall not be permitted as an approach to a traffic signal.

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§1529. Access Connections on Roadways with Medians

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C. All access on roadways with medians may be restricted to right-in/right-out movements only, and, if required, shall be constructed in such a way as to prevent any other movements. This shall apply to both residential and commercial access.

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§1531. Design Requirements

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B. All ~~single-family residential~~ and traffic generator access connections shall be constructed with permanent hard surface type materials (i.e. asphalt or concrete) as shown on the standard plans for access connections for a distance shown in DOTD policy. Aggregate access connections shall not be permitted within the right-of-way for these types of connections. The hard surface type materials shall extend the following distances from the edge of pavement:

1. single-family residential access connections: 10 feet from the edge of pavement;

~~2. traffic generator access connections: 25 feet from the edge of pavement.~~

~~C. Non-commercial agricultural operations may not be required to be constructed of hard surface type materials.~~

~~D. All entrances and exits shall be located so that drivers approaching or using them will have adequate sight distance in all directions along the highway in order to maneuver safely and without interfering with traffic. Minimum required sight distance shall be calculated using the methods outlined in the AASHTO Geometric Design Guide for sight distance based on the posted speeds of the adjacent roadway or a speed other than the posted speed limit for these calculations DOTD policies.~~

~~ED. All access connections shall be designed and constructed in accordance with all DOTD plans and specifications regarding drainage requirements. Culvert sizes, proposed elevations, and proposed slopes shall be approved by the DOTD prior to issuance of an access connection permit. The DOTD may require a drainage study to be performed at the expense of the applicant.~~

~~FE. Access connections shall be constructed according to DOTD Standard Plans and other applicable policies and provisions.~~

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§1533. Construction Requirements

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E. The services of an independent DOTD-approved inspector ~~shall may be obtained required~~ to inspect the construction of all DOTD-required improvements in the DOTD right-of-way. The inspection process shall be in accordance with current DOTD policy. The DOTD district office may elect to perform independent inspections of work. Satisfactory completion and acceptance of the improvements by DOTD will be based upon the reports received from the inspector(s).

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§1535. Improvements to the Adjacent Transportation System

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B. Mitigation, which may be required by the DOTD, may be determined through a complete traffic impact study and/or traffic signal study review process. Required mitigation shall be reviewed by the district engineer administrator. Any required mitigation shall be noted on the permit permit(s) as required in accordance with DOTD policies, and bond amounts shall be appropriate for such mitigation, if required.

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§1541. Appeals Process

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B. Appeals shall be filed in accordance with the DOTD appeals policies ~~set forth in LAC 70:I.1101 et seq.~~

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 27, after "amendments to" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 28 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"LAC 70:I.1501(C), 1515(D), (G), (H), (I), (J), and (K), 1519(B), (C), and (D), 1521(A)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (5), (B)(1), (4), and (5), and (E), 1529 (C), 1531(B), (C), (D), (E), and

(F), 1533(E), 1535(B), and 1541(B) and the enactment of LAC 70:I.1501(E) printed and incorporated into the Louisiana Administrative Code."

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

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the annual integrated coastal protection plan for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works with recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

Under the rules, the above resolution was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 67—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LORUSSO, BADON, BROWN, GAROFALO, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HILL, HODGES, HONORE, HOWARD, IVEY, JONES, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEOPOLD, MACK, NORTON, RICHARD, AND ST. GERMAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to imprint "Battle of New Orleans Bicentennial 1815-2015" on the license plates for private passenger motor vehicles and to issue such plates not later than January 2, 2014, through December 31, 2015, or until the Department of Public Safety and Corrections depletes its inventory of plates.

Read by title.

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

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, 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. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.71, relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for a state sales and use tax exemption for sales of certain property to the "St. Bernard Project, Inc."; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 118—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CHAMPAGNE AND LEGER
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.2(G) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the deposit of any monies received by the state from violations of federal and state environmental and water quality laws associated with the Deepwater Horizon oil spill into the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 131—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A)(3)(b) and (4)(b)(introductory paragraph) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for consideration of certain legislative instruments during regular sessions; to provide relative to subject matter restrictions for regular sessions; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; 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 Engrossed House Bill No. 131 by Representative James

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 27, after "may" and before "be" insert "not"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 28, after "legislature" delete the remainder of the line and insert "in a regular session held in an even-numbered year?"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, delete "other tax matters are introduced and considered?"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1864.3(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 37:1861(A)(8) and 1864.3(A)(3), relative to secondhand dealers; to define precious metal object; to prohibit the payment of cash by secondhand dealers for precious metal objects; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 188 by Representative Ponti

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 7, after "metal" insert a period "." and delete lines 8 and 9 in their entirety.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 280—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:319(A), relative to airport districts; to provide for the governing authority of airport districts; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners of certain airport districts; 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. 321—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUVAL AND ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 1553, 1571(A)(3), and 4872(C) and Chapter 8 of Title V of Book II of the Code of Civil Procedure, to be comprised of Articles 1815 through 1838, relative to expedited jury trials; to provide for the procedures for expedited jury trials; to provide for pretrial conferences; to provide for special assignment by court rule; to provide that motions of summary judgment be filed prior to trial; to provide for the number of jurors; to provide that a cash deposit for all costs associated with jury costs be timely made; to provide for the service, swearing, and examination of jurors; to provide for the selection of a foreperson; to provide for challenges for cause; to provide for peremptory challenges; to provide for a time limit for an expedited trial jury; to provide for expert witnesses, their fees, and the presentation of their evidence; to provide for the admittance of exhibits; to provide for charges to the jury; to provide for the use of juror notes; to authorize jurors to take evidence into the jury room; to provide for the number of jurors needed for the court to render a verdict; to provide for general verdicts; to provide for verdict forms and interrogatories; to provide for post-verdict relief; to provide for appeals; to prohibit transfer of certain actions to district court; 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:

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HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 321 by Representative Huval

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "Article" to "Articles" and after "1553" insert a comma "," and "1571(A)(3), and 4872(C)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "conferences;" insert "to provide for special assignment by court rule;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 16, insert "to prohibit transfer of certain actions to district court;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 18, change "Article" to "Articles" and after "1553" insert a comma "," and "1571(A)(3), and 4872(C)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 21, after "C." delete "The" and insert "Subject to the provisions of Article 1816, the"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 23, after "D." delete "The" and insert "Subject to the provisions of Article 1571, the"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

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

"Art. 1571. Assignment by court rule

A.

* * *

(3) These rules shall require the assignment of an expedited jury trial pursuant to Article 1815 et seq. to be assigned by special setting only and shall prohibit the assignment of a case for an expedited jury trial to upset a previously assigned civil or criminal trial.

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AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 13, after "after the" and before "An" delete "signing of the order." and insert the following:

"filing of the motion. The court shall grant the parties' joint motion for an expedited jury trial unless the court, in its discretion, finds that an expedited jury trial is not in the best interest of justice."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 14, after "jury" and before the period "." insert "and, upon consent of all parties, whether or not the petitioner's cause of action exceeds fifty thousand dollars exclusive of interests and costs"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 21, after "trial" and before "not" change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"C. When an expedited jury trial has been granted in a suit against the state, a state agency, or a political subdivision, payment of the cash deposit shall be in accordance with R.S. 13:5105."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, line 10, change "takes" to "take"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 7, between lines 15 and 16, insert a set of asterisks and the following:

"Art. 4872. Transfer to district court

* * *

C. Where a principal demand commenced in a court of limited jurisdiction is one in which the parties are not entitled to a trial by jury under Article 1732(1), the parties shall not be entitled to transfer an action to district court for an expedited trial by jury under Article 1816."

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. 351—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEOPOLD AND WESLEY BISHOP AND SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:229(B), relative to the highway priority construction program; to provide relative to priorities for bridges within the proposed program of construction for highways; 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. 418—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.14(C), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the exemption for sales of tangible personal property and services at events sponsored by certain nonprofit organizations; to provide with regard to exemption certificates; to authorize reviews for compliance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 418 by Representative Edwards

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "organizations;" delete "to provide for applicability;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "certificates;" and before "and" insert "to authorize reviews for compliance;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, after "C." delete the remainder of the line and insert "(1) An annual"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the end of line 14, insert the following:

"Any event held pursuant to such annual exemption certificate shall be subject to review for compliance with the provisions of law and regulations governing this exemption."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 19, and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

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

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the beginning of line 9, change "(4)" to "(3)"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 472—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 591(A)(5) and 592(A)(3)(b) through (d) and (E)(5) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 592(A)(3)(e), relative to class actions; to provide relative to prerequisites required to maintain a class action; to provide for burden of proof to establish prerequisites; to prohibit courts from ordering class-wide trial on certain issues; 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. 472 by Representative Jay Morris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "Articles" delete the remainder of the line and insert "591(A)(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert "and 592(A)(3)(b) through (d) and (E)(5) and to enact"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 9, after "Articles" delete the remainder of the line and insert "591(A)(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete line 10 in its entirety and insert "and 592(A)(3)(b) through (d) and (E)(5) are hereby amended"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 17 and 18 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 5 through 12 in their entirety

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. 523—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3601(A), relative to special civil proceedings; to provide for injunctions and temporary restraining orders against the state and political subdivisions; to provide for the burden of proof; to provide for the traversal of affidavits; 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. 523 by Representative Gaines

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, after "shall" and before "issue" insert "have jurisdiction to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, after the comma "," delete the remainder of the line and delete line 2 in its entirety and insert "provided that such certification is reviewed and approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 3 through 5 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(2)(a) If a certification is presented by a state department, board, or agency and the certification is not approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, the state department, board, or agency shall"

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the beginning of line 9, change "(3)" to "(b)"

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. 589—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 45, 966(E) and (F), 1702(A), 1732(1), 1915(B), 1951, and 1979 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 78.1, 927(A)(8), 966(G), 1553, and Chapter 8 of Title V of Book II of the Code of Civil Procedure, to be comprised of Articles 1815 through 1838, relative to civil procedure; to provide for application of rules to determine proper venue when two or more articles conflict; to provide venue for actions involving latent disease; to provide for a contradictory hearing in actions involving latent disease; to provide for the transfer of certain cases involving latent disease; to provide for the peremptory exception of immunity; to provide for submission of and objections to evidence for motions for summary judgment; to require proof supporting confirmation of a default judgment to be placed into the court record; to provide for limitations on jury trial threshold amounts; to provide for an expedited jury trial; to provide for the procedures for an expedited jury trial; to provide for the effect of a partial summary judgment; to require that certain conditions be met before a final judgment may be amended; to provide for exceptions; to require the court to specify its reasons for granting a motion for new trial; 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. 589 by Representative Abramson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "Articles" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 3 through 17 in their entirety and insert the following:

"966(E) and (F), 1732(1), and 1915(B) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 966(G), relative to civil procedure; to provide for submission of and objections to evidence for motions for summary judgment; to provide for limitations on jury trial threshold amounts; to provide for the effect of a partial summary judgment; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, after "Articles" delete the remainder of the line and insert "966(E) and (F), 1732(1), and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 2, after "1915(B)" delete the comma "," and "1951, and 1979"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 3, after "Articles" delete "78.1, 927(A)(8)," and after "966(G)" change "are" to "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 29 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 20 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 25, after "case" insert "as to that party or parties"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 4, after "a" and before "stating" delete "motion to strike or memorandum" and insert "memorandum in support thereof or in a motion to strike"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, delete lines 16 through 28 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, line 4, after "costs" delete the period and the remainder of the line and insert a comma "," and the following:

"except as follows:

(a) If an individual petitioner stipulates or otherwise judicially admits ninety days or more prior to trial that the amount of the individual petitioner's cause of action does not exceed fifty thousand dollars exclusive of interest and costs, a defendant shall not be entitled to a trial by jury.

(b) If an individual petitioner stipulates or otherwise judicially admits for the first time less than ninety days prior to trial that the amount of the individual petitioner's cause of action does not exceed fifty thousand dollars exclusive of interest and costs, any other party may retain the right to a trial by jury if that party is entitled to a trial by jury pursuant to this Article and has otherwise complied with the procedural requirements for obtaining a trial by jury."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

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

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 28 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 28:69(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§69. Procedure

A.(1) Upon the filing of the petition, the court shall assign a time and place for a hearing, which may be conducted before any

judge in the judicial district, within five days, and shall cause reasonable notice thereof and a copy of the petition to be served upon the respondent, respondent's attorney, the petitioner and the director of the human service district or the regional manager of the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of behavioral health, in the parish where the petition has been filed. The notice shall inform the respondent that he has a right to be present, a right to counsel, which may be appointed, if he is indigent or otherwise qualified, has the right to counsel appointed to represent him by the Mental Health Advocacy Service, and a right to cross examine witnesses. Continuances shall be granted only for good cause shown.

(2) In addition to those persons entitled to notice pursuant to Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, if the respondent is interdicted, notice of the hearing and a copy of the petition shall be served upon the attorney from the mental health advocacy group appointed for the interdict or on a previously appointed attorney of record for the interdict.

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AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 28, and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 28 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 8, delete lines 1 through 29 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 9, delete lines 1 through 29 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 10, delete lines 1 through 27 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 11, delete lines 1 through 26 in their entirety

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

Rep. Leger moved that Amendment No. 13 be rejected, which motion was agreed to.

Rep. Leger moved that Amendment Nos. 1 through 12, and 14 through 18 be adopted, which motion was agreed to.

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. 629—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER, BARRAS, BURFORD, GUILLORY, HAZEL, HOFFMANN, JAMES, STOKES, THOMPSON, WHITNEY, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:451(C) and to enact R.S. 36:458(H) and R.S. 47:1676, relative to collections by the Department of Revenue; to establish the office of debt recovery within the Department of Revenue to collect certain delinquent debts owed to or collected by the state; to provide for definitions; to provide for the administration of the collection of certain debts; to authorize the office to collect certain debt of political subdivisions under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the procedure for collection of certain debts; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to authorize the collection of a fee; to provide for the establishment of an electronic debt registry; to provide relative to the information maintained in the registry; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations;

to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 629 by Representative Broadwater

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the beginning of line 19, after "number," delete the remainder of the line and insert "social security number, and the federal or state taxpayer identification number."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"(3) The office shall be granted and may exercise the authority granted in R.S. 47:296.2 and 296.3. Additionally, the office shall be allowed to suspend, revoke, deny, or request the suspension, revocation, or denial of any professional license or other license or permit issued, granted, or renewed by the state of Louisiana due to a debtor owing the state a delinquent debt. In exercising the authority provided for in this Section or in R.S. 47:296.2 or 296.3, the office may assume the obligation for the payment of such services in order to collect delinquent debt.

"(4) The office shall be authorized to withhold, offset, levy, garnish, or seize payments of progressive slot machine annuities and cash gaming winnings in the same manner set forth in R.S. 27:24 and may assume the obligation for payment of such services in order to collect delinquent debt."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, line 23, after "enter into" delete the remainder of the line and insert "one or more reciprocal collection and offset of indebtedness agreements"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, after line 28, insert the following:

"I. After the office exercises and employs its collection methods and tools, it shall evaluate and recommend any uncollectible debt for sale or securitization in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 39:88.2 and 88.3."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 631—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WESLEY BISHOP AND ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:299.2(1)(d), relative to the offset of individual income tax refunds against debt owed certain state agencies; to remove the exclusion of the city of New Orleans and the parish of Orleans from the definition of "agency"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Regular Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 262—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1563.1(A)(17) and to enact R.S. 40:1563.1(A)(18) and (19), relative to the authority of fire marshals to conduct investigations and make arrests; to add failure to register as a convicted arsonist and violation of a fire marshal's orders to the list of offenses for which a fire marshal may conduct investigations and make arrests; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative St. Germain to Engrossed House Bill No. 262 by Representative St. Germain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 18, after "orders." insert:

"This Paragraph shall be limited to fire marshal orders related to activities or instances determined by the fire marshal to pose an immediate danger to life."

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

Rep. St. Germain moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Garofalo	Mack
Abramson	Gisclair	Miller
Adams	Greene	Montoucet
Anders	Harris	Moreno
Armes	Harrison	Morris, Jay
Arnold	Havard	Norton
Badon	Hazel	Ortego
Barrow	Henry	Pierre
Berthelot	Hill	Ponti
Billiot	Hodges	Pope
Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Price
Bishop, W.	Hollis	Reynolds
Broadwater	Honore	Richard
Brown	Howard	Ritchie

Burford	Hunter	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Huval	Schexnayder
Burns, T.	Ivey	Seabaugh
Burrell	Jackson, G.	Shadoin
Carmody	Jackson, K.	Smith
Carter	James	St. Germain
Chaney	Jefferson	Stokes
Connick	Johnson	Talbot
Cox	Jones	Thibaut
Cromer	Lambert	Thierry
Danahay	Landry, N.	Thompson
Dixon	Landry, T.	Whitney
Dove	LeBas	Williams, A.
Edwards	Leger	Williams, P.
Fannin	Leopold	Willmott
Franklin	Lopinto	
Gaines	Lorusso	

Total - 91

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barras	Guillory	Pugh
Brossett	Guinn	Pylant
Champagne	Hensgens	Schroder
Foil	Morris, Jim	Simon
Geymann	Pearson	

Total - 14

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 236—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEOPOLD, BILLIOT, CHANEY, CONNICK, GAROFALO, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HARRISON, JAMES, JONES, AND SCHEXNAYDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:6(A) and R.S. 56:424(E) and 433(C), (G), and (J), to enact R.S. 40:6(H) and LAC 51:IX.3.335(B), and to repeal R.S. 56:433(D), relative to violations of oyster harvesting laws; to increase the penalties for harvesting from closed waters; to increase the penalties for harvesting in violation of the health time restrictions; to repeal the prohibition removal from the natural reefs of oysters for steamed oysters; and to provide for related matter.

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. 236 by Representative Leopold

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 8, following "violator" change "may only be present on a vessel harvesting or processing oysters" to "may be present on a vessel harvesting or processing oysters only"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 12, following "revoked" and before "and" insert ";

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 19, following "revoked" and before "and" insert "1"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Franklin	Leopold
Abramson	Gaines	Lorusso
Adams	Garofalo	Mack
Anders	Gisclair	Miller
Armes	Greene	Moreno
Arnold	Harris	Morris, Jay
Badon	Harrison	Ortego
Barrow	Havard	Pierre
Berthelot	Hazel	Ponti
Billiot	Henry	Pope
Bishop, S.	Hensgens	Price
Bishop, W.	Hill	Reynolds
Broadwater	Hodges	Richard
Brossett	Hoffmann	Ritchie
Brown	Hollis	Robideaux
Burford	Honore	Schexnayder
Burns, H.	Howard	Seabaugh
Burns, T.	Hunter	Shadoin
Burrell	Huval	Smith
Carmody	Ivey	St. Germain
Carter	Jackson, G.	Stokes
Chaney	James	Talbot
Connick	Jefferson	Thibaut
Cox	Johnson	Thierry
Cromer	Jones	Whitney
Danahay	Lambert	Williams, A.
Dixon	Landry, N.	Williams, P.
Dove	Landry, T.	Willmott
Edwards	LeBas	
Fannin	Leger	

Total - 88

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barras	Jackson, K.	Pugh
Champagne	Lopinto	Pylant
Foil	Montoucet	Schroder
Geymann	Morris, Jim	Simon
Guillory	Norton	Thompson
Guinn	Pearson	

Total - 17

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Leopold 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. 243—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(P)(1)(a) and (V)(1)(a), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for the eligibility of certain students graduating from certain high schools outside of Louisiana or the United States to receive program awards; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Carter to Engrossed House Bill No. 243 by Representative Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, after "Colleges and" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 6, delete "Secondary and Middle"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gaines	Lopinto
Abramson	Garofalo	Lorusso
Adams	Gisclair	Mack
Anders	Greene	Miller
Armes	Guinn	Montoucet
Arnold	Harris	Morris, Jay
Barras	Harrison	Ortego
Barrow	Havard	Pierre
Berthelot	Hazel	Ponti
Billiot	Henry	Pope
Bishop, S.	Hensgens	Price
Broadwater	Hodges	Reynolds
Brossett	Hoffmann	Richard
Brown	Hollis	Ritchie
Burford	Honore	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Howard	Schexnayder
Burns, T.	Hunter	Seabaugh
Burrell	Huval	Shadoin
Carmody	Ivey	Smith
Carter	Jackson, G.	St. Germain
Chaney	James	Stokes
Connick	Jefferson	Talbot
Cox	Johnson	Thibaut
Cromer	Jones	Thierry
Danahay	Lambert	Thompson
Dixon	Landry, N.	Whitney
Dove	Landry, T.	Williams, A.
Edwards	LeBas	Williams, P.
Fannin	Leger	Willmott
Franklin	Leopold	

Total - 89

NAYS

Total - 0

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ABSENT

Badon Hill Pugh
Bishop, W. Jackson, K. Pylant
Champagne Moreno Schroder
Foil Morris, Jim Simon
Geymann Norton
Guillory Pearson
Total - 16

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Carter 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. 246— BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state properties in Lafourche Parish; to provide for the property description; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Gisclair moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Lopinto
Abramson Lorusso
Adams Mack
Anders Miller
Armes Montoucet
Arnold Moreno
Barras Morris, Jay
Berthelot Ortego
Billiot Pierre
Bishop, S. Ponti
Bishop, W. Pope
Broadwater Price
Brossett Reynolds
Brown Richard
Burford Ritchie
Burns, H. Robideaux
Burns, T. Schexnayder
Burrell Seabaugh
Carmody Shadoin
Carter Smith
Chaney St. Germain
Connick Stokes
Cox Talbot
Cromer Thibaut
Danahay Thierry
Dixon Thompson
Dove Whitney
Edwards LeBas
Fannin Williams, A.
Franklin Leger
Total - 90 Leopold Willmott

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Badon Guillory Pearson
Barrow Hensgens Pugh
Champagne Jackson, K. Pylant
Foil Morris, Jim Schroder
Geymann Norton Simon
Total - 15

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Gisclair 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. 257— BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:2294(A)(11), relative to the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation's board of directors; to provide for an additional board member; to allow the Louisiana Chapter of the National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors to nominate three possible board members; to allow the commissioner of insurance to appoint a board member from the association's nominees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ritchie to Engrossed House Bill No. 257 by Representative Ritchie

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 22:2294(B) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, after "Section 1." insert "R.S. 22:2294(B) is hereby amended and reenacted and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"B. The quorum necessary for transaction of business is hereby established as seven eight members of the board in attendance."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Lorusso
Abramson Garofalo Mack
Adams Gisclair Miller
Anders Greene Montoucet
Armes Guinn Moreno
Arnold Harris Morris, Jay

Badon	Havard	Ortego
Berthelot	Hazel	Pierre
Billiot	Henry	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hensgens	Pope
Broadwater	Hill	Price
Brossett	Hodges	Reynolds
Brown	Hoffmann	Richard
Burford	Hollis	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Honore	Robideaux
Burns, T.	Howard	Schexnayder
Burrell	Hunter	Seabaugh
Carmody	Huval	Shadoin
Carter	Ivey	Smith
Chaney	Jackson, G.	St. Germain
Connick	James	Stokes
Cox	Johnson	Talbot
Cromer	Jones	Thibaut
Danahay	Lambert	Thierry
Dixon	Landry, N.	Thompson
Dove	Landry, T.	Whitney
Edwards	LeBas	Williams, A.
Fannin	Leopold	Williams, P.
Franklin	Lopinto	Willmott

Total - 87

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barras	Guillory	Norton
Barrow	Harrison	Pearson
Bishop, W.	Jackson, K.	Pugh
Champagne	Jefferson	Pylant
Foil	Leger	Schroder
Geymann	Morris, Jim	Simon

Total - 18

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ritchie 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. 261—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAZEL AND ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:82(C)(4) and (5), 83(B)(2) and (3), 83.1(B)(2) and (3), 83.2(B)(2) and (3), 84(B)(2) and (3), 85(B)(2) and (3), 86(B)(1)(b) and (c), 89(B)(2) and (3), 104(B)(2) and (3), 105(B)(2) and (3), and 282(B)(2) and (3), relative to certain offenses concerning prostitution; to amend the criminal penalties for certain offenses concerning prostitution when the offense involves a person under a certain age; to provide that the term of imprisonment for such offenses shall be at hard labor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hazel moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Franklin	Lorusso
Abramson	Gaines	Mack
Adams	Garofalo	Miller

Anders	Gisclair	Montoucet
Armes	Greene	Moreno
Arnold	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Badon	Havard	Norton
Barras	Hazel	Ortego
Berthelot	Henry	Pierre
Billiot	Hensgens	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hill	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Price
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Reynolds
Brossett	Hollis	Richard
Brown	Honore	Ritchie
Burford	Howard	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Hunter	Schexnayder
Burns, T.	Huval	Seabaugh
Burrell	Ivey	Shadoin
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Smith
Carter	James	St. Germain
Chaney	Jefferson	Stokes
Connick	Johnson	Talbot
Cox	Jones	Thibaut
Cromer	Lambert	Whitney
Danahay	Landry, N.	Williams, A.
Dixon	Landry, T.	Williams, P.
Dove	LeBas	Willmott
Edwards	Leopold	
Fannin	Lopinto	

Total - 88

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barrow	Harrison	Pylant
Champagne	Jackson, K.	Schroder
Foil	Leger	Simon
Geymann	Morris, Jim	Thierry
Guillory	Pearson	Thompson
Harris	Pugh	

Total - 17

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 265—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1379.3(V), relative to concealed handgun permits; to provide for the issuance of a lifetime concealed handgun permit; to provide for criteria for the issuance of the permit; to provide for revocation of the permit; to provide for a permit fee; to provide for applicability; to provide for suspension of the permit under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Speaker Pro Tempore Leger in the Chair

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ivey to Engrossed House Bill No. 265 by Representative Ivey

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "revocation of the permit;" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, delete "permit fee;" and insert "to require prepayment of fees;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "conditions;" and before "and" insert "to provide for the educational training requirements for the issuance of a lifetime concealed handgun permit;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the end of line 14, insert "The term for the lifetime concealed handgun permit shall be for the life of the permit holder."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

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

"(4)(a) A lifetime concealed handgun permit holder shall provide the division with proof of completion of educational training every five years. The educational training shall include all of the following:

(i) Instruction on handgun nomenclature and safe handling procedures for a revolver and a semiautomatic pistol.

(ii) Instruction on ammunition knowledge and fundamentals of pistol shooting.

(iii) Instruction on handgun shooting positions.

(iv) Instruction on the use of deadly force and conflict resolution which shall include a review of R.S. 14:18 through 14:22 and which may include a review of any other laws relating to use of deadly force.

(v) Instruction on child access prevention.

(vi) Actual live range fire and proper handgun cleaning procedures:

(aa) Live range fire shall include twelve rounds each at six feet, ten feet and fifteen feet for a total of thirty-six rounds.

(bb) Each applicant or permittee must perform at least one safe reload of the handgun at each distance.

(cc) Each applicant or permittee must score one hundred percent hits within the silhouette portion of a N.R.A. B-27 type silhouette target with at least thirty-six rounds.

(b) Failure to submit proof of completion of the educational training pursuant to the provisions of this Paragraph shall result in the suspension of the lifetime concealed handgun permit until such time as the lifetime concealed handgun permit holder submits proof of the educational training required the provisions of this Paragraph."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 8 through 10 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 11, change "(7)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, after line 15 add the following:

"(7) An applicant for a lifetime concealed handgun permit shall pay the yearly fee provided for in R.S. 40:1379.3(H)(2), but shall prepay that fee for a total of twenty years at the time the application is made. If the applicant is sixty-five years of age or older, he shall pay the yearly fee provided for in R.S. 40:1379.3(H)(2), but shall prepay that fee for a total of ten years at the time the application is made."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of members voting YEAS, including Abramson, Adams, Anders, Arnold, Barras, Berthelot, Billiot, Bishop, S., Broadwater, Brown, Burford, Burns, H., Carter, Chaney, Connick, Cox, Cromer, Danahay, Edwards, Gaines, Garofalo, Gisclair, Greene, Harris, Harrison, Havard, Hazel, Henry, Hensgens, Hodges, Hoffmann, Hollis, Honore, Howard, Huval, Ivey, Johnson, Jones, Lambert, Landry, N., Leger, Leopold, Lopinto, Lorusso, Mack, Miller, Morris, Jay, Morris, Jim, Ortego, Ponti, Pope, Pugh, Reynolds, Richard, Ritchie, Robideaux, Schexnayder, Shadoin, Simon, Stokes, Talbot, Thibaut, Thompson, Whitney, Willmott, Total - 65

NAYS

Table listing names of members voting NAYS, including Armes, Badon, Brossett, Burrell, Dixon, Franklin, Hunter, Jackson, G., Jackson, K., James, Jefferson, Landry, T., Montoucet, Moreno, Pierre, Price, St. Germain, Williams, A., Williams, P., Total - 19

ABSENT

Table listing names of members who were ABSENT, including Mr. Speaker, Barrow, Bishop, W., Burns, T., Carmody, Champagne, Dove, Fannin, Foil, Geymann, Guillory, Guinn, Hill, LeBas, Norton, Pearson, Pylant, Schroder, Seabaugh, Smith, Thierry, Total - 21

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ivey 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. 291—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PRICE AND BURRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:32(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), (i), (l), and (n) and (3), relative to the Advisory Committee on Equal Opportunity within the Department of Insurance; to require the deputy commissioner of the division of minority affairs to serve as the committee chairperson; to make changes to the list of associations that may submit nominees to be considered for appointment to the committee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Price moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Geymann	Mack
Adams	Gisclair	Miller
Anders	Greene	Montoucet
Arnes	Guinn	Moreno
Arnold	Harris	Morris, Jay
Badon	Harrison	Morris, Jim
Barras	Havard	Norton
Berthelot	Hazel	Ortego
Billiot	Hensgens	Pierre
Bishop, S.	Hill	Ponti
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Pope
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Price
Brossett	Hollis	Pugh
Brown	Honore	Reynolds
Burford	Howard	Richard
Burns, H.	Hunter	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Huval	Robideaux
Burrell	Jackson, G.	Schexnayder
Carmody	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Carter	James	Simon
Chaney	Jefferson	Smith
Connick	Johnson	St. Germain
Cox	Jones	Stokes
Cromer	Lambert	Talbot
Danahay	Landry, N.	Thompson
Dixon	Landry, T.	Whitney
Edwards	LeBas	Williams, A.
Fannin	Leger	Williams, P.
Franklin	Leopold	Willmott
Gaines	Lopinto	
Garofalo	Lorusso	

Total - 91

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Guillory	Schroder
Barrow	Henry	Seabaugh
Champagne	Ivey	Thibaut
Dove	Pearson	Thierry
Foil	Pylant	

Total - 14

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Price 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. 292—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JEFFERSON AND SHADOIN
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Lincoln Parish from Louisiana Tech University to the city of Ruston; to provide for the property description; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions of such transfer; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Jefferson gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 292 from the calendar on Wednesday, May 1, 2013.

HOUSE BILL NO. 345—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:433.1(E), relative to harvest of oysters from the state seed grounds; to extend the oyster seed ground vessel permit program for three years; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Garofalo moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 93

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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker Foil Pearson
Barrow Geymann Pylant
Broadwater Guillory Schroder
Champagne Norton Thibaut
Total - 12

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

Acting Speaker Broadwater in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 376— BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP AND SENATOR ALLAIN AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:109.3, relative to wildlife management areas; to authorize the imposition of fees for mooring vessels in the Atchafalaya Delta Wildlife Management Area; to create the Atchafalaya Delta WMA Mooring Account in the Conservation Fund; to provide for deposit of such fees to the fund; to provide for the use of monies in such fund; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Stuart Bishop moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson Garafalo Leopold
Adams Gisclair Lopinto
Anders Greene Lorusso
Armes Guinn Mack
Arnold Harris Miller
Badon Harrison Montoucet
Barras Havard Moreno
Berthelot Hazel Morris, Jay
Billiot Henry Ortego
Bishop, S. Hensgens Pierre
Bishop, W. Hodges Ponti
Broadwater Hoffmann Price
Brossett Hollis Pugh
Brown Honore Reynolds
Burford Howard Richard
Burns, H. Hunter Robideaux
Burns, T. Huval Schexnayder
Burrell Ivey Seabaugh
Carmody Jackson, G. Simon
Carter Jackson, K. Smith
Chaney James St. Germain
Connick Jefferson Stokes
Cox Johnson Thibaut
Danahay Jones Thierry
Dixon Lambert Thompson
Dove Landry, N. Whitney
Edwards Landry, T. Williams, A.
Franklin LeBas Williams, P.
Gaines Leger Willmott
Total - 87

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker Geymann Pope
Barrow Guillory Pylant
Champagne Hill Ritchie
Cromer Morris, Jim Schroder
Fannin Norton Shadoin
Foil Pearson Talbot
Total - 18

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

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Stuart Bishop 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. 378— BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:302.1(C)(2)(c) and 302.9(C)(2) and to enact R.S. 56:10(B)(1)(f) and 302.1(C)(2)(b), relative to charter boat fishing license fees; to increase nonresident charter boat guide license fee; to increase the charter passenger fishing trip license fee; to dedicate the funds received through the increased fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Leger moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson Garafalo Lopinto
Adams Gisclair Lorusso
Anders Greene Mack
Armes Guinn Miller
Arnold Harris Montoucet
Badon Harrison Moreno
Barras Havard Morris, Jay
Berthelot Hazel Norton
Billiot Hensgens Ortego
Bishop, S. Hill Pierre
Bishop, W. Hodges Ponti
Brossett Hoffmann Price
Brown Hollis Pugh
Burford Honore Reynolds
Burns, H. Howard Ritchie
Burns, T. Hunter Robideaux
Burrell Huval Schexnayder
Carmody Ivey Seabaugh
Carter Jackson, G. Shadoin
Chaney Jackson, K. Smith
Connick James St. Germain
Cox Jefferson Stokes
Cromer Johnson Thierry
Danahay Jones Thompson
Dixon Lambert Whitney
Dove Landry, N. Williams, A.
Edwards Landry, T. Williams, P.
Fannin LeBas Willmott
Franklin Leger
Gaines Leopold
Total - 88

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Guillory	Richard
Barrow	Henry	Schroder
Broadwater	Morris, Jim	Simon
Champagne	Pearson	Talbot
Foil	Pope	Thibaut
Geymann	Pylant	
Total - 17		

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

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

Speaker Pro Tempore Leger in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 512—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 579(C), relative to time limitations for criminal trials; to provide relative to the time limitations for the commencement of a criminal trial; to provide relative to the interruption of time limitations for the commencement of a criminal trial; to provide for definitions; 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. 512 by Representative Moreno

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 21, change "; or" to ".

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Gisclair	Lorusso
Adams	Greene	Mack
Anders	Guinn	Miller
Arnes	Harris	Montoucet
Arnold	Harrison	Moreno
Badon	Havard	Morris, Jay
Barras	Hazel	Norton
Berthelot	Henry	Ortego
Billiot	Hensgens	Pierre
Bishop, S.	Hill	Ponti
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Pope
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Price
Brossett	Hollis	Pugh
Brown	Honore	Reynolds

Burford	Howard	Richard
Burns, H.	Hunter	Robideaux
Burns, T.	Huval	Schexnayder
Burrell	Ivey	Seabaugh
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Shadoin
Carter	Jackson, K.	Simon
Chaney	James	Smith
Connick	Jefferson	Stokes
Cox	Johnson	Talbot
Danahay	Jones	Thibaut
Dixon	Lambert	Thierry
Dove	Landry, N.	Whitney
Edwards	Landry, T.	Williams, A.
Fannin	LeBas	Williams, P.
Franklin	Leger	Willmott
Gaines	Leopold	
Garofalo	Lopinto	
Total - 91		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Ritchie
Barrow	Guillory	Schroder
Champagne	Morris, Jim	St. Germain
Cromer	Pearson	Thompson
Foil	Pylant	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 527—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HOFFMANN, ANDERS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BROADWATER, HAZEL, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, KATRINA JACKSON, LEBAS, MACK, POPE, PUGH, REYNOLDS, ST. GERMAIN, AND WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1041(C)(2)(a) and (c), (3), (4)(a), and (5), to enact R.S. 37:1041(C)(6) and (D), 1048(15), (16), and (17), and 1049(8), and to repeal R.S. 37:1041(C)(2)(b) and (d) and 1061(A)(29), relative to the practice of optometry; to provide definitions; to provide for the powers of the board in the control and regulation of the practice of optometry; to provide for the qualifications and requirements of applicants desiring to become licensed to practice optometry; 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. 527 by Representative Hoffmann

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 1, change "In Situ" to "in situ"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, line 1, change "Louisiana State Health Officer" to "state health officer"

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Hoffmann, the bill, as amended, was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 543—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:431, 432, 433, 435, 436, and 438, relative to surplus lines insurance; to authorize placement of insurance with a surplus lines insurer without regard to the availability of authorized insurance; to provide relative to capital, surplus, bond, and deposit requirements; to provide with respect to the list of surplus lines insurers maintained by the commissioner of insurance; to provide relative to certain notices to applicants for insurance regarding placement of personal lines policies with surplus lines insurers; to provide for applicability; 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. 543 by Representative Pierre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 14, line 17, following "binding" and before "coverage" delete "of"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Gisclair	Mack
Adams	Greene	Miller
Anders	Guinn	Montoucet
Armes	Harris	Moreno
Arnold	Harrison	Morris, Jay
Badon	Havard	Morris, Jim
Berthelot	Hazel	Ortego
Billiot	Henry	Pierre
Bishop, S.	Hill	Ponti
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Pope
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Price
Brossett	Hollis	Pugh
Brown	Honore	Reynolds
Burford	Howard	Richard
Burns, H.	Hunter	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Huval	Robideaux
Burrell	Ivey	Schexnayder
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Seabaugh
Carter	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Chaney	James	Simon
Connick	Jefferson	Smith
Cox	Johnson	St. Germain
Cromer	Jones	Stokes
Danahay	Lambert	Talbot
Dixon	Landry, N.	Thibaut

Dove	Landry, T.	Thierry
Edwards	LeBas	Whitney
Fannin	Leger	Williams, A.
Franklin	Leopold	Williams, P.
Gaines	Lopinto	Willmott
Garofalo	Lorusso	
Total - 92		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Pylant
Barras	Guillory	Schroder
Barrow	Hensgens	Thompson
Champagne	Norton	
Foil	Pearson	
Total - 13		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pierre 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. 612—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3048.1(Y), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for the use of awards at eligible Louisiana institutions by otherwise qualified students who enroll as first-time students in and graduate from an out-of-state college or university; to provide for the use of awards by such students to pursue a postgraduate academic degree; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide for award amounts; to provide for effectiveness; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Broadwater to Engrossed House Bill No. 612 by Representative Greene

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 17, after "degree" and before "at" insert "in a field of study that qualifies the student for employment after graduation in a four or five star job, on a statewide basis, as defined by the Louisiana Workforce Commission."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, between lines 24 and 25 insert the following:

"(4) A student shall remain eligible to receive the award pursuant to this Subsection if, at any time after he enrolls in but before he completes the postgraduate degree program that qualifies him for employment in a four or five star job as specified in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the job is no longer defined as a four or five star job."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Greene	Morris, Jay
Abramson	Guinn	Morris, Jim
Adams	Harris	Ponti
Anders	Havard	Pope
Arnold	Hazel	Pugh
Barras	Henry	Reynolds
Berthelot	Hensgens	Richard
Billiot	Hodges	Ritchie
Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Robideaux
Broadwater	Hollis	Schexnayder
Brown	Howard	Seabaugh
Burford	Huval	Shadoin
Burns, H.	Ivey	Simon
Carmody	Lambert	St. Germain
Carter	Landry, N.	Stokes
Connick	Leger	Talbot
Cromer	Lopinto	Thibaut
Danahay	Lorusso	Thompson
Gisclair	Mack	Willmott
Total - 57		

NAYS

Armes	Harrison	Miller
Badon	Hill	Montoucet
Barrow	Honore	Moreno
Bishop, W.	Hunter	Norton
Brossett	Jackson, G.	Ortego
Burrell	Jackson, K.	Pierre
Chaney	James	Price
Cox	Jefferson	Smith
Dixon	Johnson	Thierry
Fannin	Jones	Whitney
Franklin	Landry, T.	Williams, A.
Gaines	LeBas	Williams, P.
Garofalo	Leopold	
Total - 38		

ABSENT

Burns, T.	Foil	Pylant
Champagne	Geymann	Schroder
Dove	Guillory	
Edwards	Pearson	
Total - 10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

Speaker Kleckley in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 703 (Substitute for House Bill No. 447 by Representative Edwards)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:31, relative to eligibility requirements for unclassified employment; to require certain unclassified employees to register motor vehicles with the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services; to require certain unclassified employees to obtain Louisiana driver's licenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Brossett gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 286 from the calendar on Tuesday, April 30, 2013.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Willmott gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 470 from the calendar on Tuesday, April 30, 2013.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Ponti gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 567 from the calendar on Wednesday, May 1, 2013 *vice* Tuesday, April 30, 2013.

HOUSE BILL NO. 703 (Substitute for House Bill No. 447 by Representative Edwards)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:31, relative to eligibility requirements for unclassified employment; to require certain unclassified employees to register motor vehicles with the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services; to require certain unclassified employees to obtain Louisiana driver's licenses; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Edwards moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Gaines	Leger
Adams	Gisclair	Leopold
Anders	Greene	Lorusso
Armes	Guinn	Mack
Arnold	Harris	Montoucet
Badon	Harrison	Moreno
Barrow	Havard	Norton
Berthelot	Henry	Ortego
Billiot	Hill	Pierre
Bishop, S.	Hodges	Pope
Bishop, W.	Honore	Price
Broadwater	Howard	Reynolds
Brossett	Hunter	Richard
Brown	Huval	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Jackson, G.	Schexnayder
Burrell	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Carmody	James	Smith
Chaney	Jefferson	St. Germain
Cox	Johnson	Thierry
Danahay	Jones	Williams, A.
Dixon	Lambert	Williams, P.
Edwards	Landry, N.	Willmott
Fannin	Landry, T.	
Franklin	LeBas	
Total - 70		

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Hensgens	Seabaugh
Barras	Hoffmann	Simon
Burford	Ivey	Stokes
Carter	Lopinto	Talbot
Connick	Miller	Thompson
Garofalo	Morris, Jay	Whitney
Hazel	Ponti	
Total - 20		

ABSENT

Burns, T.	Geymann	Pugh
Champagne	Guillory	Pylant
Cromer	Hollis	Robideaux
Dove	Morris, Jim	Schroder
Foil	Pearson	Thibaut
Total - 15		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Edwards 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. Barrow, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent at this time.

Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 62—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To recognize the week of April 21 through 27 as National Crime Victims' Rights Week in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 63—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, April 24, 2013 as the inaugural Liquified Natural Gas Day at the state capitol.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Oxfam America on its water management workforce development initiative and to designate Tuesday, May 7, 2013, as Oxfam America Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, May 7, 2013, as Coastal Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana State University at Shreveport debate team upon winning the national championship title at the International Public Debate Association national championship tournament.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana wineries for their ample contributions to the state's economy, agribusiness, alcohol education, integral three-tier system of regulation, and tourism.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRICE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Louisiana Legislature upon the death of Ralph Edward Ricardo, Sr.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice

April 24, 2013

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 3, by Huval Reported favorably. (5-3-1)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 12, by Smith, Patricia
Reported favorably. (9-0)

House Bill No. 59, by Honore
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 105, by Whitney
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 145, by Morris, Jay
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 167, by Champagne
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 189, by Gaines
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 279, by Henry
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 349, by Price
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 361, by Ritchie
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 364, by Berthelot
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 471, by Ivey
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

JOSEPH P. LOPINTO III
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on
Health and Welfare**

April 24, 2013

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 451, by Barrow
Reported with amendments. (14-0) (Regular)

SCOTT M. SIMON
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on
House and Governmental Affairs**

April 24, 2013

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 18, by Abramson
Reported with amendments. (7-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 21, by Talbot
Reported favorably. (9-0)

House Bill No. 221, by Connick
Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 341, by Burns, Tim
Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 407, by Robideaux (Joint Resolution)
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 430, by Leger
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 500, by Moreno
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

TIMOTHY G. "TIM" BURNS
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on
Insurance**

April 24, 2013

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 53, by Cromer
Reported favorably. (9-0)

House Bill No. 148, by Pierre
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 592, by Thibaut
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 638, by Stokes
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 645, by Cromer
Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)

GREGORY CROMER
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on
Natural Resources and Environment**

April 24, 2013

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Natural Resources and Environment to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 493, by St. Germain
Reported with amendments. (14-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 494, by St. Germain
Reported with amendments. (15-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 591, by Bishop, Stuart
Reported with amendments. (16-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 595, by Abramson
Reported by substitute. (11-0) (Regular)

GORDON E. DOVE, SR.
Chairman

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 24, 2013

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. 58—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Scotlandville Magnet High School boys basketball team upon winning the 2013 Class 5A state championship.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH
A RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, April 25, 2013, as School-Based Health Center Awareness Day in Louisiana.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 60—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
A RESOLUTION

To recognize Friday, September 6, 2013, as Alton "Red" Franklin Day in the state of Louisiana.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 61—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Madison Prep Academy boys basketball team upon winning the 2013 Class B 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.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Arnold, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Judiciary to meet upon adjournment on Thursday, April 25, 2013, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14:23:

House Bill Nos. 23, 126, 169, 174, 244, 313, 360, 404, 504, and 513

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Girod Jackson, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 339, 382, and 383

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Dixon, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill No. 453

Leave of Absence

Rep. Pylant - 2 days

Rep. Schroder - 1 day

Rep. Pearson - 2 days

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Billiot, at 4:29 P.M, the House agreed to adjourn until Thursday, April 25, 2013, at 9:00 A.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 9:00 A.M., Thursday, April 25, 2013.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House