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FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

**Forty-first Regular Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, April 13, 2015

The House of Representatives was called to order at 12:00 noon, 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	Gisclair	Moreno
Abramson	Guillory	Morris, Jay
Adams	Guinn	Morris, Jim
Anders	Harris	Norton
Armes	Harrison	Ortego
Arnold	Havard	Pearson
Badon	Hazel	Pierre
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Berthelot	Hill	Price
Billiot	Hodges	Pugh
Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Pylant
Bishop, W.	Hollis	Reynolds
Broadwater	Honore	Richard
Brown	Howard	Ritchie
Burford	Hunter	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Huval	Schexnayder
Burns, T.	Ivey	Schroder
Burrell	Jackson	Seabaugh
Carmody	James	Shadoin
Carter	Jefferson	Simon
Chaney	Johnson R.	Smith
Connick	Jones	St. Germain
Cox	Lambert	Stokes
Cromer	Landry, N.	Talbot
Danahay	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Dove	LeBas	Thierry
Edwards	Leger	Whitney
Fannin	Leopold	Williams, A.
Foil	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Franklin	Lorusso	Willmott

Gaines
Garofalo
Geymann
Total - 100

Mack
Miller
Montoucet

Woodruff

The Speaker announced that there were 100 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Dr. Ken Ward, Coordinator of Chaplain Services.

Pledge of Allegiance

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

**Petitions, Memorials, and
Communications**

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Leger, the Speaker appointed the following special committee to notify the Governor that the House is convened and prepared to transact business: Reps. Arnold, Fannin, Dove, Tim Burns, and Barrow.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Leger, the Speaker appointed the following special committee to notify the Senate that the House is convened and prepared to transact business: Reps. Lambert, Ritchie, Burford, Henry Burns, and Wesley Bishop.

Reports of Special Committees

The special committee appointed to notify the Governor that the House had convened and was prepared to transact business reported that it had performed that duty.

The special committee appointed to notify the Senate that the House had convened and was prepared to transact business reported that it had performed that duty.

The Speaker thanked and discharged the committees.

Committee from the Senate

A special committee from the Senate notified the House that the Senate has convened and is prepared to transact business.

The Speaker thanked and dismissed the committee.

Louisiana House of Representatives

November 14, 2014

Honorable Chuck Kleckley
Speaker, Louisiana House of Representatives
P.O. Box 44062
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. Speaker:

On August 22, 2014 I was elected to serve as District Court Judge for the parishes of Bossier and Webster in the 26th Judicial District Court. As a result of my election I am today tendering my resignation from the Louisiana State House of Representatives effective January 1, 2015.

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It has been an honor and a privilege to serve the fine people of District 08 and to work on behalf of all Louisianans with my esteemed colleagues in the Louisiana House of Representatives. It is my hope that during my tenure I was able to contribute meaningful service to the great State of Louisiana and all of her citizens. Public service is an honorable endeavor and I greatly appreciate your service and the service of my colleagues. May God continue to bless Louisiana. With kind personal regards, I am

Respectfully yours,

JEFF R. THOMPSON
Representative District 8

Louisiana House of Representatives

November 24, 2014

Honorable Chuck Kleckley
Speaker, Louisiana House of Representatives
P. O. Box 44062
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Speaker Kleckley:

An opportunity for employment has been presented to me that would create a possible conflict with my continued service in the House of Representatives. After deep consideration and consultation with my family I have decided to accept this employment opportunity.

To avoid even the suggestion or possibility of conflicts, today I am tendering my resignation from the Louisiana House of Representatives effective December 31, 2014. I have enjoyed working in the Louisiana House of Representatives and I hope that during my tenure, I was able to make a positive difference in the State of Louisiana.

Very truly yours,

SIMONE CHAMPAGNE
Representative District 49

Louisiana House of Representatives

November 24, 2014

Honorable Chuck Kleckley
Speaker, Louisiana House of Representatives
P.O. Box 44062
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Speaker Kleckley:

As you know, on November 4, 2014, I was elected to serve East Baton Rouge Parish as a Judge of the Family Court.

As a result of my election, today I am tendering my resignation from the Louisiana State House of Representatives effective December 31, 2014. I have enjoyed serving my constituents in East Baton Rouge Parish and working with my colleagues in the Louisiana House of Representatives. I have especially enjoyed working with the tremendously professional staff of the Louisiana House of Representatives. The staff has made serving in the Legislature even more rewarding than I could ever have imagined.

I hope during my more than nine year tenure in the House I was able to make a positive difference in the State of Louisiana.

Very truly yours,

HUNTER GREENE
Representative District 66

Louisiana House of Representatives

December 10, 2014

The Honorable Charles E. "Chuck" Kleckley
State Representative
130 Jamestown Road
Lake Charles, LA 70605

Dear Speaker Kleckley:

After much consideration, prayer and discussion with my family, I have decided to tender my resignation from the Louisiana House of Representatives effective today.

Public service has been a major part of my life for the past two decades. After spending 15 years on the Rapides Parish School Board, I was blessed by the constituents in District 26 to serve as their House of Representatives member for the last two terms. I have also spent the last eight years on the Democratic State Central Committee and the Rapides Parish Democratic Party Executive Committee.

It has been such an honor and a joy to work with all my various colleagues in the House and Senate and I have made valuable and lasting friendships among the staff and members. I appreciate the difficult job that you have as Speaker and am grateful for all that you have done for me, my district, the House and the state.

I look forward to exploring new opportunities and enjoying my grandchildren and traveling with my wife. I wish continued blessings and warm wishes to you and the members and staff of the Louisiana Legislature.

Sincerely,

HERBERT DIXON
Representative District 26

Message from the Secretary of State

The following message from the Secretary of State was received and read:

State of Louisiana SECRETARY OF STATE

November 24, 2014

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives
State of Louisiana

Sir:

I have the honor to submit to you the name of Joseph "Joe" Bouie, who has been duly elected to fill the vacancy occurring in your Honorable Body caused by the resignation of Jared Brossett.

Joseph "Joe" Bouie has been officially proclaimed duly and legally elected as State Representative from the 97th Representative District of the State of Louisiana.

With Best Wishes,

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

United States of America STATE OF LOUISIANA Tom Schedler Secretary of State

As Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby certify that the following candidate was declared elected by the people to the office set opposite his name for an unexpired term:

State Representative Joseph "Joe" Bouie, Representative of District 97.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of my office to be affixed at the city of Baton Rouge on this, the 24th day of November 2014.

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

Oath of Office

Mr. Joseph "Joe" Bouie presented himself before the bar of the House and took the following oath:

"I, Joseph "Joe" Bouie, do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution and laws of the United States and the constitution and laws of this state and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the House of Representatives according to the best of my ability and understanding, so help me God".

Message from the Secretary of State

The following message from the Secretary of State was received and read:

State of Louisiana
SECRETARY OF STATE

January 27, 2015

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

I have the honor to submit to you the name of Mike Johnson, who has been duly elected to fill the vacancy occurring in your honorable body since the last Session of the Legislature, caused by the resignation of Jeff R. Thompson.

Mike Johnson has been officially proclaimed duly and legally elected as Representative from the 8th Representative District of the State of Louisiana.

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

United States of America
STATE OF LOUISIANA
Tom Schedler
Secretary of State

As Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby certify that the following candidate was declared elected by the people to the office set opposite his name for an unexpired term:

State Representative Mike Johnson, Representative of District 8.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of my office to be affixed at the city of Baton Rouge on this, the 27th day of January 2015.

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

Oath of Office

Mr. Mike Johnson presented himself before the bar of the House and took the following oath:

"I, Mike Johnson, do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution and laws of the United States and the constitution and laws of this state and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the House of Representatives according to the best of my ability and understanding, so help me God".

Message from the Secretary of State

The following message from the Secretary of State was received and read:

State of Louisiana
SECRETARY OF STATE

March 3, 2015

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

I have the honor to submit to you the name of Jeff Hall, who has been duly elected to fill the vacancy occurring in your honorable body since the last Session of the Legislature, caused by the resignation of Herbert Dixon.

Jeff Hall has been officially proclaimed duly and legally elected as Representative from the 26th Representative District of the State of Louisiana.

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

United States of America
STATE OF LOUISIANA
Tom Schedler
Secretary of State

As Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby certify that the following candidate was declared elected by the people to the office set opposite his name for an unexpired term:

State Representative Jeff Hall, Representative of District 26.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of my office to be affixed at the city of Baton Rouge on this, the 3rd day of March, 2015.

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

Oath of Office

Mr. Jeff Hall presented himself before the bar of the House and took the following oath:

"I, Jeff Hall, do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution and laws of the United States and the constitution and laws of this state and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the House of Representatives according to the best of my ability and understanding, so help me God".

Message from the Secretary of State

The following message from the Secretary of State was received and read:

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State of Louisiana SECRETARY OF STATE

March 3, 2015

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

I have the honor to submit to you the name of Blake Miguez, who has been duly elected to fill the vacancy occurring in your honorable body since the last Session of the Legislature, caused by the resignation of Simone B. Champagne.

Blake Miguez has been officially proclaimed duly and legally elected as Representative from the 49th Representative District of the State of Louisiana.

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

United States of America STATE OF LOUISIANA Tom Schedler Secretary of State

As Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby certify that the following candidate was declared elected by the people to the office set opposite his name for an unexpired term:

State Representative Blake Miguez, Representative of District 49.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of my office to be affixed at the city of Baton Rouge on this, the 3rd day of March, 2015.

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

Oath of Office

Mr. Blake Miguez presented himself before the bar of the House and took the following oath:

"I, Blake Miguez, do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution and laws of the United States and the constitution and laws of this state and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the House of Representatives according to the best of my ability and understanding, so help me God".

Message from the Secretary of State

The following message from the Secretary of State was received and read:

State of Louisiana SECRETARY OF STATE

April 2, 2015

Alfred "Butch" Speer
Clerk, Louisiana House of Representatives
State Capitol Building
P.O. Box 94062
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9062

Mr. Speer:

As per your request, I am submitting the certification listing and compilation of the election returns as certified on April 1, 2015 by the Parish Board of Election Supervisors for East Baton Rouge Parish

with the name of Darrell Ourso, as being duly elected to fill the vacancy occurring in the House of Representatives, District 66.

As you are aware, the time for commencement of action to contest an election involving an election to office runs through 4:30 p.m. on the ninth day after the date of the election, and no such contest can be declared moot because of the performance or nonperformance of a ministerial duty per R.S. 18:1405.

Sincerely,

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

United States of America STATE OF LOUISIANA Tom Schedler Secretary of State

As Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby certify that the following candidate was declared elected by the people to the office set opposite his name for an unexpired term:

State Representative Darrell Ourso, Representative of District 66.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of my office to be affixed at the city of Baton Rouge on this, the 3rd day of April 2015.

TOM SCHEDLER
Secretary of State

Oath of Office

Mr. Darrell Ourso presented himself before the bar of the House and took the following oath:

"I, Darrell Ourso, do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution and laws of the United States and the constitution and laws of this state and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the House of Representatives according to the best of my ability and understanding, so help me God".

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 13, 2015

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted and asks your concurrence in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATOR BROOME**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To invite the Honorable Bobby Jindal, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

Read by title.

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

**STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULE
2015 REGULAR SESSION**

Pursuant to House Rule 14.20, the Speaker proposes the following uniform schedule of committee meetings, to be adopted by the House of Representatives:

<u>Session Week</u>	<u>Day – Date</u>
Week 1	Convene @ Noon Morning – 4/14 & 4/15
Week 2	Morning – 4/20 & 4/21 Afternoon – 4/21 & 4/22 Weekly – 4/22
Week 3	Morning – 4/27 & 4/28 Afternoon – 4/28 & 4/29 Weekly – 4/30
Week 4	Morning – 5/4 Afternoon – 5/5 & 5/6 Weekly – 5/7
Week 5	Morning – 5/11 Afternoon – 5/12 & 5/13 NO MEETINGS – 5/14
Week 6	NO MEETINGS – 5/18 Morning – 5/19 Afternoon – 5/20 Weekly – 5/21
Week 7	NO SESSION – 5/25 Morning – 5/26 Afternoon – 5/27 Weekly – 5/28
Week 8	Morning – 6/1 Afternoon – 6/2 Weekly – 6/3 Catch-up Meetings – 6/4 Tentative Session Day – 6/5
Week 9	Tentative Session Day – 6/6 Session Day – 6/7 Last Day Final Passage – 6/8 <i>Sine Die</i> – 6/11

Committees shall convene on their designated day at a time certain.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Leger, the proposed schedule of committee meetings was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

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

**Introduction of House Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and, pursuant to House Rule 7.2(E), referred to committee:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

Making annual appropriations for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 4—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CROMER AND PEARSON
AN ACT

To rename Grantham College Road in Slidell as "Veterans Memorial Lane"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 6—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part X-E of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1046.1 through 1046.16, relative to the therapeutic use of marijuana; to enact the Louisiana Therapeutic Use of Marijuana Act; to provide for the authority to prescribe therapeutic marijuana; to provide for the dispensing of therapeutic marijuana; to provide for definitions; to create the Therapeutic Marijuana Utilization Review Board; to provide for the powers, duties, and composition of the board; to provide for rulemaking; to create the Louisiana Therapeutic Use of Marijuana Fund; to provide for suitability to obtain a license to prescribe, dispense, or produce therapeutic marijuana; to provide standards and criteria for a therapeutic marijuana treatment facility; to provide for limitations on the number of therapeutic marijuana treatment facilities and production facilities; to provide standards and criteria for therapeutic marijuana producers and production facilities; to provide for exemptions from certain criminal provisions; to provide for licensing fees; to provide for applicability; to provide for the qualifications and licensing of physicians to prescribe therapeutic marijuana; to provide for the qualifications and licensing of therapeutic marijuana production facilities, therapeutic marijuana producers, and therapeutic marijuana dispensers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 7—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:61, relative to the crime of unauthorized entry of a critical infrastructure; to expand the crime to include the use of fraudulent documents, entry into restricted areas, and failure to leave when forbidden to be on the premises; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.9, relative to the Crowley police department; to authorize the police chief to appoint, discipline, and discharge police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 9—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1732(14)(a)(ix), relative to participation in the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to authorize participation by the Local Tax Division of the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide employee qualifications for such participation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 10—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:728(C), relative to the purchase of service credit in the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana for out-of-state service; to provide relative to the purchase of service credit for teaching service at an out-of-state nonpublic school; to provide relative to calculation and payment of

purchase price for such service credit; to provide requirements for establishing such service credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 11—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRICE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1195.1(A) and 1195.2(A) and to enact R.S. 11:1195.1(D) and 1195.2(D), relative to required employer payments of unfunded accrued liability due to termination of employees and elimination of positions covered by the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide exceptions to such required payments in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 12—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROWN AND FANNIN AND SENATORS
GALLOT, KOSTELKA, AND LONG
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:302.55, 322.48, and 332.54, relative to the disposition of certain sales tax collections in Grant Parish; to establish the Grant Parish Economic Development Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit of monies in the fund; to provide for the use of such monies; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 13—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Samuel D. Weaver and Susan Weaver, Individually and on Behalf of the Minor Children, Samantha and Luke Weaver v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 14—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Michael Aleshire and Mary Aleshire v. CUSA, GCT, LLC, d/b/a Gulf Coast Transportation, Vencent R. Barnett, and National Union Fire Insurance"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 15—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:355(B)(2), relative to parental access to school materials; to provide with respect to the rights of parents relative to surveys administered or distributed by schools and school boards to students; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 16—

BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Christina C. Spurlock and Ray

Spurlock v. Travelers Property Casualty Company of America, Inc., et al"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Judith S. Legendre and Wilton Clay Legendre v. Madden Contracting Company, Inc., et al"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 18—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 1:55(E)(1)(g), relative to legal holidays; to establish the Friday of the Black Bear Festival as a legal holiday in the parish of St. Mary; to authorize the clerk of court of the Sixteenth Judicial District Court to close the clerk's office in observance of the legal holiday; to provide for an exception; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS CARMODY

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 20—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "David Milbon and Richard Warren v. Barriere Construction Company, L.L.C., et al"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 21—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3981(2), relative to charter schools; to provide relative to the approval of proposed charter schools by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for prohibitions, conditions, and exceptions relative to such approval; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 22—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(1)(d), relative to student assessment; to prohibit penalizing a student for not taking certain assessments due to his parents' refusal to allow such participation; to prohibit penalizing a teacher, school, or school system for such a student's lack of participation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 23—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.561(A), 130.562(A) and (G), and 130.570, relative to the Vermilion Parish Economic Development District; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to provide with respect to the membership on the board; to provide relative to the dissolution of the district; to provide relative to the name of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 24—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NANCY LANDRY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Zurich American Insurance Company v. Jonathan C. Dark, New Bern Transport Corporation, Gulf Engineers and Consultants, Inc. and the State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 25—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NANCY LANDRY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Zurich American Insurance Company v. Adrian D. Gourley, McLane Company, Inc., Transco, Inc., Aon Rish Services Southwest, Inc., Gulf Engineers and Consultants, Inc. and the State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 26—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1236.26(A), relative to the governing authority of St. Charles Parish; to provide with respect to notification to property owners of violations of grass cutting ordinances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1528, relative to deferred retirement benefits from the Clerks of Court Retirement and Relief Fund; to provide relative to the qualifications for such retirement for certain members; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 28—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOU CET

AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 91 in Acadia Parish as the "Corporal Matthew Thomas Richard Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(G) and (H), relative to courts of limited jurisdiction; to provide for the jurisdictional amount in dispute in certain city courts; to provide for the jurisdictional amount in dispute in the city courts of Minden and Springhill; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 30—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:82(A) and 352 and to enact Subpart S of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.146, R.S. 39:1567(E), and Subpart F of Part I of Chapter 16 of Subtitle III of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:1590, relative to professional, personal, and consulting services procurement; to require consideration by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget of certain professional, personal, and consulting service contracts; to provide for the submission of periodic reports; to provide for exceptions; to establish the Higher Education Financing Fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 18(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to remove the provision that allows a majority of the

elected members of either house of the legislature to declare a veto session unnecessary; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to repeal Article IV, Section 5(G) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to remove the governor's authority to veto line items in an appropriation bill; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BERTHELOT, ADAMS, BILLIOT, HENRY BURNS, CARTER, LEOPOLD, POPE, PUGH, AND SCHEXNAYDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2531(A)(2) and (B)(2), 2531.1(D)(1), (2), and (3), 2531.3(F)(1)(b), and 2532(A), relative to littering; to provide for criminal and civil penalties; to provide for the collection and distribution of littering fines; to provide for distribution of funds to certain retirement systems of law enforcement agencies; to provide for the use of funds by certain retirement systems; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 34—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:11(A)(2), relative to the annual salary of certain assistant district attorneys; to allow for reallocation by certain district attorneys of salary amounts paid to assistant district attorneys; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 35—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:490.29, relative to military honor license plates; to provide for the establishment of a military honor license plate for the recipients of the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal; to require the promulgation of rules and regulations relative to the creation and implementation of a military honor license plate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 36—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN
AN ACT

To designate a bridge located on Louisiana Highway 2 in Union Parish as the "Alvin Green Memorial Bridge"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 37—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:410(D) and R.S. 40:1321(N), relative to driver's licenses and special identification cards; to provide the option for a driver to place their blood type on the front of their license; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 38—
BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BURNS

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 40—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOE HARRISON

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 42—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:542.2, 883.4, 1145.3, and 1331.2, to authorize payments funded by state retirement system experience accounts to certain retirees and beneficiaries of such systems; to provide qualifications for receipt of such payments; to provide relative to the amount of such payments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 43—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:710(A)(5), relative to payment of retirement benefits to retirees employed in positions covered by the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to salary caps on certain such employment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 44—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2225.4, relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to unfunded accrued liability of the system; to provide for payment by certain employers in certain circumstances; to provide for calculation and payment of amounts due; to provide for collection of past due amounts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 45—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:411(7)(a), relative to membership in state retirement systems for persons subject to the provisions of Act No. 226 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature, which Act changed the retirement eligibility age for persons hired on or after July 1, 2015; to provide relative to the minimum ages for optional membership in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 46—
BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:586(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 587, 589, 590(B) and (C), and 591(A), relative to benefits for children of certain wildlife agents in the enforcement division of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, to authorize receipt of benefits, in certain circumstances, after a child reaches majority; to provide relative to the marital status of such child and his eligibility for benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 47—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 48—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:107.1(D), relative to funding deposit accounts established within certain statewide retirement systems; to provide relative to authorized uses of account funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 49—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 50—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1666.1(A)(3)(c), relative to internal statutory references in provisions dealing with supplemental pay for firefighters and police officers; to amend such a statutory reference; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 51—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOWARD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:292, relative to feral hogs; to provide for management and control of feral hog populations; to establish a bounty on feral hogs; to provide for the authority of the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; to provide for the authority to enter cooperative endeavor agreements with landowners; to provide for the authority to promulgate rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 52—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 53—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2074.4(A), relative to city court marshals; to authorize an increase in fees collected by the marshal of the city of Hammond in certain matters; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 54—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Henry Clark and Denise Ramsey v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, Lafayette City Parish Consolidated Government"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 55—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE AND SENATOR NEVERS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(A), (B), and (C), to add Article VII, Section 4.1, and to repeal Article IX, Section 9 of

the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to taxes related to natural resources and the use of such taxes; to levy a tax on the use of hydrocarbon processing facilities; to dedicate the proceeds of such tax; to reduce certain individual income tax rates; to establish the Hydrocarbon Facilities Tax Fund and to provide for the deposit and use of monies in such fund; to repeal the First Use Tax Trust Fund; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 56—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:105(A)(7) and (E), 106(A)(5) and (D), 107(A)(6) and (C), and 107.1(A)(6) and (I), relative to the District Attorneys' Retirement System; to authorize the board of trustees of the system to modify employer contribution rates in certain circumstances; to require promulgation of rules for such modification; to establish a funding deposit account within the system; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 57—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(H)(1), relative to the crime of illegal carrying of weapons; to provide for an exception for the legislative auditor and designated investigative auditors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 58—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3361, 3375, 3384(A)(2) and (D)(2), 3385.1(A)(1), and 3386(B) and to enact R.S. 11:3370(H), 3370.1, 3370.2, 3384(A)(3) and (D)(3), and 3386(C), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to legislative action regarding such fund; to provide relative to the date by which annual reports are due; to provide relative to investments of the fund; to establish the Firefighters' Pension Fund Committee and to provide with respect thereto; to establish minimum retirement ages for certain new hires; to provide with respect to maintenance of certain member accounts within the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 59—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 20(A)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the homestead exemption; to increase

the homestead exemption; to provide for adjustment of the homestead exemption after reappraisal; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 60—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article IV, Section 22(A), Article VII, Sections 10.1(C)(1) and (3) and (D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and 10.4(B)(1), (3), and (4), and Article VIII, Sections 5 and 16, to add Part IV of Article XIV, to be comprised of Section 41, and to repeal Article VIII, Sections 6, 7, 7.1, 8(B) and (D), and 12 of the Constitution of Louisiana to provide for the governance of public postsecondary education; to create the Louisiana Postsecondary Education Board of Trustees; to abolish the Board of Regents and the postsecondary education management boards and transfer their powers, duties, and responsibilities to the board of trustees; to provide relative to the operation and management of public hospitals by the board of trustees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 61—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 5(E) and to add Article VII, Section 2.1(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to requirements in relation to the imposition of or increase in fees and civil fines; to provide exceptions relative to public postsecondary education tuition and fees; to provide further relative to the authority to establish such tuition and fees; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 62—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FOIL AND CARMODY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 2.1(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to requirements in relation to the imposition of or increase in fees and civil fines; to provide exceptions relative to public postsecondary education fees; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 63—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2541.4, relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the positions of fire chief and assistant fire chief for Parishwide Fire Protection District No. 1 of the Parish of Tensas; to provide that such positions are in the unclassified service; to provide relative to the appointment,

supervision, and discharge of any person in any such position; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 64—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1969.1, relative to St. Tammany Fire Protection District No. 4; to provide with respect to recognition and compensation of firefighters; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 65—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:225(A)(1)(a), relative to levees; to limit the placement of obstructions upon certain levees in Orleans Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 66—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY

AN ACT

To enact Part I of Chapter 5 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1651, to repeal R.S. 17:1501.2, 1835, 1855, 1855.1, 1871(C), 1997.1, 1997.2, 2136, 3129.5, 3139.5(1) through (4), 3223(B)(5), 3351(A)(5), 3351.1, 3351.3, 3351.5 through 3351.15, 3351.17, 3351.18, and 3351.19, and to redesignate R.S. 17:3139.5(5) and (6), relative to tuition and fees at public postsecondary education institutions; to authorize each institution to establish tuition and fees charged to its students; to provide for the continuation of existing tuition and fees; to eliminate the grant of tuition and fee autonomies under the Louisiana Granting Resources and Autonomy for Diplomas (GRAD) Act; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 67—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(K), relative to the crime of illegal carrying of weapons; to provide for an exception for retired district attorneys and assistant district attorneys under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 68—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the

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consent judgment in the suit entitled "Jeffrey Fluman v. Ryan Day, Allstate Insurance Company, State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 69—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2002.2, relative to city courts; to authorize the clerk of the Baton Rouge City Court to collect additional costs in civil matters; to authorize the judges of the Baton Rouge City Court to assess an additional fee in all criminal matters; to authorize the creation of a court technology fund for Baton Rouge City Court; to provide for the disposition and use of such funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 70—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER AND JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:297.8(A), relative to individual income tax; to provide with respect to the earned income tax credit; to increase the amount of the tax credit; to provide for applicability of the tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 71—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1667.1(B), relative to supplemental pay for certain law enforcement officers; to include certain prior service in computing the period of service required for the payment of supplemental pay; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 72—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(C)(60 through 63), (E)(10 and 11), and (F)(29 through 42), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to add certain substances to Schedule I of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 73—

BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2132(3) and 2151(C) and Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 335.1(A)(1)(a) and 335.2(A),

relative to protection from abuse by a family member, household member, or dating partner; to provide relative to the issuance of protective orders as a condition of bail for stalking and other offenses against a family or household member or dating partner; to provide relative to the Protection from Family Violence Act and the Protection from Dating Violence Act; to expand the definitions of "domestic abuse" and "dating violence"; to expand the types of abuse for which certain protections and assistance are available to a victim; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 74—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1619(B) and (C), relative to contracts for social services; to remove authorization to award certain contracts without competitive bid; to prohibit contracts for certain appropriations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:962(I), relative to court reporters; to authorize an increase in certain court costs collected by the clerk of court for the First Judicial District Court; to provide for the removal of certain exceptions relative to the costs collected in certain proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 76—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALFRED WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1952(4), relative to the City Court of Baton Rouge; to provide for the composition of the election sections; to provide for the number of judges elected from each election section; to provide for the assignment of divisions to each election section; to provide relative to the assignment of certain annexations to election sections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 77—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 4.2 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to taxes on tobacco; to authorize an additional tax to be levied on cigarettes; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 78—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 18(G)(1)(a)(ii), (iii), and (iv) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem tax assessments; to remove the income limitation for purposes of qualifying for the special assessment level; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 79—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:4.9(D), relative to certain foods prepared in the home for sale; to provide relative to requirements for preparers of food in the home for sale; to exempt sellers of home-produced raw honey from a food labeling requirement; to provide relative to registration by certain sellers for the collection of local sales and use taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 80—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 2-E of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:339, relative to state sales and use tax; to provide for a dedication of certain state sales and use tax collections to the Better Highways and Higher Education Fund; to establish the Better Highways and Higher Education Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for disposition, appropriation, and use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 81—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:94(A)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (b) and Subpart S of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.141, relative to mineral revenues; to provide for an increase in the base amount of revenues received by the state as a result of the production of or exploration for minerals, as a result of grants or donations, and as derived from any tax on the transportation of minerals used to determine the deposit of such revenues into the Budget Stabilization Fund; to dedicate a portion of mineral revenues to the Better Highways and Higher Education Fund; to establish the Better Highways and Higher Education Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit, investment, and use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 82—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 897(B)(2)(c) and 899(B)(introductory paragraph) and (2)(c), relative to restitution; to provide relative to the payment of restitution for damages caused by the delinquent act of a child; to authorize the court to order the parents, tutor, guardian, or legal custodian of a child to pay restitution for acts committed by the child; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 83—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
AN ACT

To enact Subpart E-5 of Part II of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:331 through 333, relative to nutrition assistance; to provide for continuance of nutrition assistance for certain retirees; to provide for duties of the Department of Children and Family Services; to authorize sources of funding for special nutrition assistance benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 84—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(14)(e), relative to sales and use tax; to provide relative to the definition of "sales of services" for purposes of the levy of sales and use tax; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 85—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1994(B)(28), relative to the Louisiana Technical College; to change the designation of a campus in St. John the Baptist Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 86—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:95.1.4, relative to offenses affecting public safety; to create the crime of unlawfully supplying a child with an Uzi submachine gun; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 87—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:662, 663, 665(C), and 667(A), relative to equal pay for women; to provide with respect to public policy; to provide for definitions; to provide for a complaint procedure; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 88—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 89—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(D)(5) and to enact R.S. 47:6006(D)(6) and (7), relative to tax credits; to provide for the amount of the credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 90—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(3), relative to the individual income tax; to reduce the amount of the deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 91—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To enact Subpart VV of Part 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.291, relative to state individual income tax return checkoffs for certain donations; to provide for a method for individuals to donate all or a portion of any refund due to them to The American Rose Society; to provide for the administration and disbursement of donated monies; to provide for reporting; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 92—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2541.4, relative to St. Tammany Fire Protection District No. 4; to provide relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide for the position of chief of

training and safety, which shall be a competitive position; to provide for the selection, appointment, supervision, and discharge of such position; to provide with respect to qualifications for such position; to provide with respect to corrective or disciplinary action relative to a person serving as the chief of safety and training; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 93—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3283(A)(introductory paragraph), relative to the West Feliciana Port Commission; to provide for the frequency of commission meetings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 94—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:329.3(J) and (K), relative to the powers and duties of the St. Mary Levee District; to transfer all rights and obligations from contractual agreements with the United States Department of the Army relating to levee, floodwall, and floodgate property situated within St. Mary Parish to the St. Mary Levee District; to provide the authority for the St. Mary Levee District Board of Commissioners to serve as the nonfederal, local sponsor for all federal levee, floodwall, and flood control structures within St. Mary Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 95—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 4-C of Title 28 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 28:470.11, relative to Lafourche Parish; to create the Lafourche Arc Taxing District within the parish; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for district funding, including the authority to levy an ad valorem tax, subject to voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 96—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 41:909, relative to property of the Union Parish School Board; to authorize the school board to exchange unused land, excluding sixteenth section land; to provide for limitations and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 97—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Richland 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.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 98—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(F)(7), relative to the payment of group insurance premium costs for certain clerk of court employees; to require the clerk of court for Cameron Parish to pay certain group insurance premium costs; to provide for eligibility for payment of such costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 99—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.59 and to enact R.S. 47:337.10(P), relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for an exemption from the state sales and use tax for construction materials purchased by the Committee for Plaquemines Recovery; to authorize local governing authorities to grant the exemption; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 100—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRICE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 978(B)(1) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 978(E), 983(F)(5), and 985.2, relative to expungement; to provide for the expungement of certain crimes of violence after a cleansing period; to provide for an exemption from the payment of costs for certain types of expungement; to provide for the destruction of misdemeanor and felony arrest records under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 101—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(7)(c)(iii)(introductory paragraph), relative to severance tax; to provide with respect to the tax on production from certain horizontally drilled wells; to reduce the

exemption for certain horizontally drilled wells; to provide for applicability of the exemption; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 102—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 103—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1314(A)(4), relative to electronic surveillance; to provide relative to obtaining a court order to use electronic surveillance equipment; to authorize the attorney general and certain employees of the office of the attorney general to apply for a court order to use electronic surveillance equipment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 104—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1000.12, relative to the collection of fees in the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District; to authorize collection of an additional one-time fee in support obligation cases; to provide for the approval, collection, and use of such fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 105—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:718(I)(1), relative to commissioner fees in the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District Court; to authorize an increase in fees for all persons convicted of a felony or misdemeanor offense in the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 106—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1107.6, relative to the use of court costs in the Twentieth Judicial District; to rededicate certain court costs from the Feliciana Juvenile Justice District to the district attorney's office for the Twentieth Judicial District; to provide for the collection, allocation, and use of such funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 107—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(F)(7), relative to the payment of group insurance premium costs for certain clerk of court employees; to require the clerks of court for Avoyelles Parish and Ouachita Parish to pay certain group insurance premium costs; to provide for eligibility for payment of such costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 108—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1972(E), relative to St. Tammany Fire Protection District No. 4; to provide relative to job duties of personnel and supervisory responsibilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 109—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1505(D), relative to parcel fees levied by Fire Protection District 8-C in Lafourche Parish; to provide relative to the definition of parcel; to provide for responsibility for payment of the fee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 110—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITNEY
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 25:1311 through 1316, relative to the South Louisiana Wetlands Discovery Center; to repeal provisions for the South Louisiana Wetlands Discovery Center and its commission.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 111—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 112—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1138(B)(1) and (D), relative to judgeships; to provide relative to judgeships in the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans; to authorize certain judges to serve as duty judges; to provide for their authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 113—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(1)(c), relative to standards-based assessments; to prohibit the administration of standards-based assessments to public school students in the 2015-2016 school year; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 114—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4611(1)(e)(introductory paragraph) and (iv) and to enact R.S. 13:4611(4), relative to contempt of court; to authorize an award of attorney fees under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 115—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:134(E) and 541, relative to voting; to provide for the hours of voting; to provide for the time for opening the polls on election days when a regularly scheduled congressional primary election is held; to provide for the hours of the principal office of the registrar on election days when a regularly scheduled congressional primary election is held; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 116—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:214.34(A)(11) and R.S. 56:425(F), relative to coastal property; to provide for the protection of residential property located on the shore; to provide for coastal use permits; to exempt certain activities from coastal permit requirements; to provide for leases of water bottoms adjacent to certain coastal property; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 117—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:966(B)(3), (E), and (F), to enact R.S. 40:989.4, and to repeal R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(C)(19), relative to marijuana; to provide for a proposition election regarding the decriminalization of marijuana; to remove criminal penalties associated with the possession, distribution, or dispensing of marijuana contingent upon the outcome of that election; to provide for a contingent effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 118—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JIM MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2583.3(A) and (B), relative to constables; to provide with respect to the constable of a justice of the peace court in Caddo Parish; to provide for the appointment of one deputy constable; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 119—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6), relative to the tobacco tax; to authorize an additional tax to be levied on cigarettes; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on cigarettes in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 120—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 35:191(W)(9), relative to notaries public; to repeal the termination date relative to provisional notary commissions.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 121—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:539(C)(8)(d), relative to employees of the housing authority of Denham Springs; to provide that employees of the authority shall not be in the state civil service; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 122—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1952(4), relative to the City Court of Baton Rouge; to provide for the election of judges to the City Court of Baton Rouge; to remove provisions relative to the use of election sections to elect judges of the court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 123—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:513(J)(1)(c)(introductory paragraph) and (i)(aa) and (bb), (ii), and (v)(aa) and (3), relative to audits; to provide relative to the threshold amount for certain audit requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 124—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.38(B)(1), relative to the Shreveport Downtown Development District; to provide relative to the boundaries of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 125—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.16(B), relative to the Winn Parish Tourism Fund; to change the authorized uses of monies in the fund; to change the recipients of the monies from the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 126—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 127—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRICE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:332.23(B), relative to the St. James Parish Enterprise Fund; to specify the recipient of monies from the fund; to provide for use of monies appropriated from the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 128—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
AN ACT

To designate certain highways and bridges in the state highway system; to designate the bridge located on Louisiana Highway 2 between West Carroll Parish and Morehouse Parish as the "World War I and World War II Veterans Memorial Bridge"; to designate the bridge located on Louisiana Highway 2 between West Carroll Parish and East Carroll Parish as the "Korean, Vietnam, and Desert Storm Veterans Memorial Bridge"; to

designate a section of Louisiana Highway 183 as the "James 'Terry' Watson Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 129—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3139.2(4)(c) and 3351(A)(5)(b)(i), relative to nonresident tuition and fees charged at certain institutions of higher education; to authorize the management boards of historically black public colleges and universities to reduce nonresident tuition and fees for undergraduate students; to provide that such tuition meets institutional efficiencies and accountability under the GRAD Act; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 130—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:140(1) and (2), 142(A)(4), 171(A)(2)(d), 200(1) and (2), and 201(B)(4), relative to St. Tammany Parish; to provide relative to the official journal of the parish and all political subdivisions in the parish; to provide relative to the criteria for selection of the official journal; to provide relative to the publication of official proceedings, legal notices, and advertisements in the parish; to provide relative to qualifications of newspapers for such publication; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 131—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1300.13(B)(2), relative to public officers who have been recalled and removed from office; to provide that certain public officers who have been recalled and removed from office are ineligible to become candidates in certain elections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 132—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:90(A)(17) and 286(A)(17), relative to alcoholic beverages; to require a designated driver for any person consuming alcoholic beverages on any licensed premises; to provide for the definition of "designated driver"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 133—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 134—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4751(C)(2), relative to petitions for the name change of a minor; to provide relative to persons entitled to service of the petition and persons entitled to consent to a name change; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 135—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 5 of Subtitle VII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:6361 and 6362, relative to economic development; to establish the LA 1 Strategic Economic Zone and provide for its purpose; to designate the geographic boundaries of the zone; to authorize a tax credit against state income and corporation franchise taxes for certain land loss mitigation projects occurring within the zone; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for eligibility and other conditions for receipt of the tax credit; to provide for definitions; to provide for tax period applicability of the credit; to authorize rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 136—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732, relative to limitations on jury trials; to remove the cause of action threshold amount required to be entitled to a jury trial; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 137—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(34) and to enact Chapter 6 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:351 through 357, relative to privatization contracts; to create and provide for the Privatization Review Act; to provide for certain requirements and procedures for certain privatization contracts; to provide for duties of executive branch agencies and agency heads relative to privatization contracts; to provide for the duties of the legislative auditor relative to certain privatization contracts; to provide procedures for legislative review and approval of privatization contracts; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain prohibitions; to provide for the voidability of privatization contracts; to provide relative to the records related to privatization contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 138—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 139—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES AND SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:2(B)(9), (10), and (11), 30(A)(1), 30.1(A)(2), 32.6(A)(2), 42(A)(introductory paragraph) and (D)(1), 42.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 43(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 43.6(A) and (B)(1), 50.2, and 107.2(A), R.S. 15:302, 469.1, 541(2)(a), (b), and (c) and (24)(a), 542(A)(2) and (3)(a) and (b), 571.3(B)(3)(b), (c), and (d), 574.4(D)(1)(h), 708(C), 711(G)(1), 811(C) and (E), 831(D), 832(C)(2), 833(B)(3), 833.2(B), 893.1(1), and 1111(I)(1), R.S. 13:2106(B), R.S. 40:1300.13(E)(6), R.S. 48:261(E)(2), Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 336.1, 465(A)(39) and (40), 571, 814(A)(8), (8.1), (9), (10), (11), (12), and (13), 890.1(D)(9), (10), and (11), 893.3(E)(1)(b), and 905.4(A)(1) and (3), Code of Evidence Article 412.1, and Children's Code Articles 305(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (b), (B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (b) and (2)(f) and (g), 855(B)(7)(a) and (b), 857(A)(4) and (8) and (C), 858(B), 879(B)(2), 884.1(A)(1) and (2), 897(B)(1)(c), 897.1(A), and 901(E) and to enact R.S. 14:42(E), 42.1(C), and 43(C), relative to rape; to provide relative to the crimes of aggravated rape, forcible rape, and simple rape; to change all references of "aggravated rape" to "first degree rape"; to change all references of "forcible rape" to "second degree rape"; to change all references of "simple rape" to "third degree rape"; to provide relative to the effects of these changes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 140—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON AND SENATOR GALLOT
AN ACT

To designate the interchange of Interstate Highway 20 and Louisiana Highway 149 in Lincoln Parish in memory of former State Representative Pinkie Wilkerson; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 141—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 142—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALFRED WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5202(B), relative to small claims divisions of city courts; to authorize the use of summary proceedings; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 143—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO AND SENATOR ALARIO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:176(B) and 219(C) and R.S. 46:1816(C) and to enact R.S. 27:94, 252, and 394 and R.S. 46:1816(B)(8), relative to unclaimed prize money; to establish a time period for collecting unclaimed jackpot tickets from electronic gaming devices; to provide that unclaimed money from pari-mutuel tickets and unclaimed jackpot tickets shall be used for certain expenses associated with health care services of victims of sexually oriented criminal offenses; to exclude expenses related to forensic medical examinations; to provide for the submission of funds to the state treasurer; to provide that the state treasurer deposit the collected funds into the Crime Victims Reparations Fund; to establish the use of such funds collected; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 144—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.27(H)(2), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Algiers Development District; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the district; to authorize the district, for the purpose of facilitating development within the district, to exercise powers granted to local governmental subdivisions to approve the creation of nonprofit economic development corporations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 145—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1502.16, relative to the assessment of service charges by the governing authority of DeSoto Parish Fire Protection District No. 3; to authorize such service charges, subject to voter approval; to provide with respect to the collection of the service charges and the enforcement of the collection; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 146—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 147—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.215, relative to the town of Duson; to authorize the town to levy a hotel occupancy tax; to provide for the use of tax revenues; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 148—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:841(A)(1), (C), and (E) and to enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6) and 841.2, relative to tobacco taxes; to levy an additional tax on cigarettes and certain tobacco products; to establish the Louisiana Healthy Living Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of the monies in the fund; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on certain tobacco products in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 149—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:966(E) and to enact R.S. 15:529.1(A)(5), relative to possession of marijuana; to amend the criminal penalties for certain offenses; to provide with respect to sentencing pursuant to the Habitual Offender Law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 150—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "John Milton Munsen on Behalf of his Minor Child, Emily Nicole Munsen; Dale Vaughn on Behalf of his Minor Child Amanda Nichole Vaughn; and Milton Smith, Jr. on Behalf of his Minor Child, Jaylin Telivia Boutte v. The Department of Transportation & Development of/and the State of Louisiana; AT&T Inc., AT&T Corp., Bellsouth Telecommunication, Inc. and AT&T Services Inc.; and Richard James Hickman"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 151—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:21, relative to the powers, functions, and duties of the secretary of state; to provide relative to the production of certain maps and fees therefor; to provide relative to utilization of voting machine technology and other resources to conduct certain elections and fees relative thereto; to dedicate revenues from such fees to the Voting Technology Fund; to establish and provide for the Voting Technology Fund; to provide for the deposit, investment, and use of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 152—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351.20, relative to fees charged to students at public postsecondary education institutions; to authorize the postsecondary education management boards to establish such fees and modify fee amounts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 153—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:91.14, relative to offenses affecting the health and morals of minors; to create the crime of unlawful distribution of material harmful to minors through the Internet; to provide elements for the offense; to provide for definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 154—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:81(X)(2)(c), 176(F)(1), 407.2, 407.26(F)(3)(c), 407.27(B)(1), 407.33(A)(4), 407.38(B), 407.49, 407.51(F), (H), (J), and (K), 407.52, 407.64(A), 407.66(B), 407.70, 407.71(C) and (E), 407.72(A), 407.82(2), 3048.1(Y), 3914(K)(3)(a) and (c)(introductory paragraph), 3921.2(B)(6), 4002.4(D)(2), 4002.6(B), 4017(B), 4019, 4022(3), and 4035.1(D), relative to various provisions in Title 17; to provide for technical corrections in various education laws including corrections in legal citations and corrections in names of programs and agencies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 155—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Calcasieu 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.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 156—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Debra Stutes, et al v. General Motors Corp., et al"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 157—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:54(B)(3) and to enact R.S. 39:54(B)(4), relative to nonrecurring revenue; to provide for the payment of new highway construction; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 158—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To enact Part LXXX of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.431 through 1300.435, relative to smoking cessation programs and services; to provide for online publication by the Department of Health and Hospitals of certain information concerning smoking cessation; to provide for duties of the secretary of the

Department of Health and Hospitals relative to coordination of certain departmental programs with programs of the Smoking Cessation Trust; to provide for a termination date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 159—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1184(2)(a) and (3)(a), 1207(A), and 1230(A), relative to fees of the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to establish the pharmacy education support fee to be collected by the board; to provide for assessment of the fee at the time of pharmacist license renewal and pharmacy permit renewal; to provide an option for pharmacists and pharmacies to elect not to remit the fee; to dedicate the proceeds of the fee to certain public university pharmacy schools; to provide for disbursement of the proceeds of the fee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 160—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:890(Q), relative to the issuance of certificates of insurance by an insurance producer; to provide for no cause of action against an insurance producer under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 161—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.9(G)(1)(a), relative to revocation of parole for a violation of condition; to establish penalties for

second and third technical parole violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 162—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:11(D) and R.S. 38:2194 and to enact R.S. 39:1554(T), relative to the contracting authority of the adjutant general; to provide for alternative contracting methods to be utilized by the adjutant general when a certain amount of federal funds are utilized for projects; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 163—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the final judgment in the suit entitled "Jean Boudreaux and the Victims of the Flood on April 6, 1983 on the Tangipahoa River v. State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; to provide for interest; to provide for court costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 164—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Jeffrey and Lillie Christopher Individually and on Behalf of their Minor Child Tiffany Christopher v. The State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, James "Buddy" Caldwell, and the City of Plaquemine Parish/Parish of Iberville"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 165—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1281(B) and 1281.2(A), relative to fees collected by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to increase the fee used for the treatment of certain healthcare providers suffering from conditions which interfere with their ability to practice their profession; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 166—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOUIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:10.5(C)(1) and 10.7(C)(1) and (3) and to enact R.S. 17:1990(B)(4)(b)(v), relative to the Recovery School District; to require the transfer of certain schools from the Recovery School District to the local school system; to provide time limits for the transfer of schools from the Recovery School District; to provide relative to the rights and responsibilities of ownership of facilities of the school being transferred; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 167—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:116.1(D)(2), relative to taking of outlaw quadrupeds, nutria, and beaver; to allow the night taking of feral hogs and coyotes at any time throughout the year; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 168—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351.20, relative to tuition and fees for graduate, professional, and other postbaccalaureate programs at public higher education institutions; to authorize the higher education management boards to modify tuition, fees, and fee amounts charged for such programs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 169—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(13) and to enact R.S. 24:15, relative to the provision of information; to require state entities, officials, and employees to provide information to the legislature; to provide that any privileged or confidential information maintains its status; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 170—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1462(A), relative to private driving schools; to reduce the required surety bond for such schools; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 171—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3139.2(2)(a) and (4)(a), relative to performance agreements between the Board of Regents and certain public postsecondary education institutions; to provide relative to the terms of such agreements with respect to remedial courses and developmental study programs offered at certain historically black colleges and universities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 172—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Kirk Waters and Deborah Waters v. United Fire & Casualty, Acme Glass & Mirror Co., Inc., and State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 173—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1746(C), relative to sweet potato tax disbursements; to provide for an increase in sweet potato tax disbursements; to provide for the modification of the percentages of disbursements allocated to the Louisiana Sweet Potato Association and the Louisiana Agricultural Experiment Station; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 174—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(G), (Schedule IV)(A)(3) and (B)(45.5) and to repeal R.S. 40:964(Schedule III)(D)(1)(c) and (d) and R.S. 40:989.3, relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to add certain substances to Schedules I and IV; to provide with respect to classifications in Schedule III; to reschedule certain products containing hydrocodone; to repeal the crime of unlawful distribution of products containing *Mitragyna speciosa* to a minor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 175—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1688, relative to tuition exemptions at public postsecondary education institutions; to provide a tuition exemption for former members of the armed forces; to provide

for eligibility; to provide for limitations; to provide for monitoring; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 176—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:295(A)(1)(k)(iii) and (l)(iii), relative to investments by political subdivisions; to provide with respect to requirements for investments in bonds, debentures, notes, or other indebtedness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 177—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITNEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:451.2(2) and (15)(introductory paragraph), 451.3(A) and (C) through (G), 451.4(B), and 455.2(B), to enact R.S. 28:915(B)(9), and to repeal R.S. 28:451.2(23), relative to implementation of the Developmental Disabilities Law; to provide for responsibilities of human services authorities and districts within the developmental disabilities services system; to provide for functions of advisory committees of human services authorities and districts; to delete outdated references to regional offices and state developmental centers of the office for citizens with developmental disabilities within the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 178—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(U)(1), relative to the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District; to provide for the transfer of certain land in the possession of the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District for certain purposes to the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 179—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:13.1, relative to district attorneys' investigators; to provide with respect to certain arrest powers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 180—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOUIE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:173, relative to the construction of schools; to prohibit the construction of certain schools on certain former waste sites; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 181—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii)(aa) and (ee)(II) and to enact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii)(gg), relative to receipt of awards from the Louisiana Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to citizenship requirements for receipt of such award; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 182—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:332(H)(3) and Chapter 6-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:661 through 669, relative to pay equality; to provide with respect for public policy; to provide for definitions; to further prohibit pay discrimination; to provide a complaint procedure, penalties, and damages; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 183—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(26) and to enact Chapter 18-B of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2431 through 2436, relative to peace officers; to establish the "Peace Officer and Citizens Protection Act"; to provide for legislative findings and intent; to provide for definitions; to require all law enforcement officers to wear body cameras; to provide for policies and procedures relative to the use of body cameras; to provide relative to funding and effectiveness; to provide for an exception to the "Public Records Law"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 184—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1551(C)(1), relative to renewal of an insurance producer license; to provide for an exemption from examination for renewal of a resident producer license when application is made within two years of the date of expiration of the previous license; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 185—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2(B), relative to the authority of the commissioner of insurance; to clarify and otherwise provide with respect to the authority of the commissioner to maintain and to share confidential information with certain state, federal, and international entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 186—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.181(A), 1300.182, and 1300.183, relative to breast cancer screening services; to provide relative to notification of results of screening mammograms and breast ultrasound examinations; to prescribe language to be included in such notifications; to provide for limitation of liability; to specify an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 187—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:841.2, relative to excise taxes on tobacco; to authorize certain political subdivisions to levy an excise tax on certain tobacco products; to provide for the use of the avails of the tax; to require voter approval of such tax; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xviii), relative to individual income tax; to provide relative to tax table income for purposes of calculating income tax; to exclude certain contributions to certain savings accounts; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 189—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A)(3) and (4) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to regular legislative sessions; to provide the convening of and for subject matter limitations on the consideration of legislative instruments during regular legislative sessions in even- and odd-numbered years; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 190—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 30:2531(I), relative to litter abatement; to provide for the prohibition of littering; to remove exceptions from littering; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 191—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4.2(G)(1) and to repeal R.S. 15:574.4.2(G)(5), relative to infectious disease testing of certain persons being released on parole; to require certain infectious disease testing of inmates being released because of diminution of sentence before being placed on parole; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 192—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:236.1(H), relative to home study programs; to authorize participation in such programs by students age nineteen and older; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 193—
BY REPRESENTATIVES GUINN AND DANAHAY
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Calcasieu 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.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 194—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5713(F) and R.S. 40:2109.1, relative to the treatment of victims of a sexually-oriented crime; to require the coroner to examine victims; to require the use of a barcode to maintain confidentiality; to provide for the transfer of evidence; to provide for the forensic medical examination; to provide for ancillary healthcare services; to require a regional sexual assault response plan; to provide for input by stakeholders; to provide procedures for the billing of services provided to a victim; to authorize certain licensure disciplinary actions for violations; to provide for a costs schedule; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 195—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JIM MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:111(B) and R.S. 13:5705 and 5712(A), relative to coroners; to provide relative to the information upon which the coroner bases the medical pronouncement of death; to provide for the notification of death to the coroner; to provide relative to the appointment of deputy and assistant coroners and their qualifications; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 196—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER AND ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 689, 690, 691, 692, 694, and 705, to enact Chapter 1-A of Code Title IV of Code Book II of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:1261 through 1270, and to repeal Civil Code Article 696.1, relative to utility servitudes for enclosed estates; to provide for utility servitudes; to provide for the scope of the utility servitude; to provide for works necessary for the utility servitude; to provide for the location of the utility servitude; to provide for voluntary loss of utility access; to provide for loss of utility access due to partition or alienation; to provide for relocation of the utility servitude; to provide for the prescriptibility of actions for compensation and indemnity; to provide for a definition of utility; to provide for the application of the rules governing predial servitudes; to provide for applicability relative to existing servitudes; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 197—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:221(A), (B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (2), and (C)(1) and (2), relative to the Judges and Lawyers Assistance Program of the Louisiana State Bar Association; to provide for a statement of public policy; to provide relative to privilege and confidentiality; to provide relative to civil immunity; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 198—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:305(B)(2), relative to commercial crab fishing; to increase the fees for participation in the commercial crab fishery; to increase the dedications to certain accounts from the funds collected by the crab trap gear license; to authorize a tag fee for crab trap identification tags; to establish an exception to the senior commercial fishing license exemption; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 199—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact Subpart G-2 of Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:691.31 through 691.38, relative to corporate governance of insurers and insurance groups; to provide with respect to the authority of the commissioner to require corporate governance annual disclosures; to provide for confidentiality of information; to provide for sanctions for noncompliance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 200—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.251, 130.252, 130.253, 130.254(A), 130.255, 130.256, 130.257(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 130.258, and 130.261(C) and (D), relative to the Terrebonne Economic Development Authority; to provide relative to purpose and governance of the authority; to provide relative to the membership of the governing board of the authority; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the authority and its governing board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 201—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOU CET
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574(F)(9), relative to the Acadia Parish Convention and Visitors Commission; to provide for changes to the tourist commission's board of directors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 202—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9206(11), relative to the Lafayette Parish Bayou Vermilion District; to authorize the district to perform public works on streams and bayous in other parishes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 203—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2014-2015 to the account of the

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Lafourche Parish School Board; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 204—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.1(C)(8) and Code of Civil Procedure Articles 74.2(A) and 2592(8) and to enact R.S. 9:315.1(C)(9) and 315.22(E) and Code of Civil Procedure Article 10(A)(9), relative to child support for adult child with disabilities; to provide for deviations from the child support guidelines; to provide for the awarding of support; to provide for the application of the child support guidelines; to provide for subject matter jurisdiction; to provide for venue; to provide for the use of summary proceedings; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 205—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1203.1(J)(1) and (K), relative to the workers' compensation medical treatment schedule; to provide with respect to the procedure and time periods for determining disputes; to provide for appeals to the medical director; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 206—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Dawn Sistrunk, individually and on behalf of her deceased minor daughter, Christi Collins v. Ford Motor Company and ABC Insurance Company"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 207—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(n), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the exemption for food for home consumption; to provide for bakery products eligible for the exemption; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 208—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:78 and to enact R.S. 39:34(E) and 54(D), relative to the Transportation Trust Fund; to provide relative to executive budget recommendations for appropriations of monies out of the Transportation Trust Fund; to provide relative to appropriations of monies out of the Transportation Trust Fund; to provide limitations on the utilization of monies in the Transportation Trust Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 209—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2266.1(B)(1) and (2) and 2266.1.1(A)(1) and to repeal R.S. 40:2266.1(B)(6), relative to criminalistics laboratory commissions; to provide relative to the assessment of certain court costs and fees in parishes participating in a criminalistics laboratory commission; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 210—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:978.2, relative to the treatment for overdose of controlled dangerous substances; to require pharmacists to dispense naloxone; to limit liability for prescribing or dispensing naloxone; to authorize the receipt and administration of a naloxone prescription by a third party; to limit liability for the administration of naloxone by a third party; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 211—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:661(A)(3)(a) and to enact R.S. 24:661(E), relative to the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay; to provide for the membership of the committee; to provide for the appointment of members to the committee; to provide for the election of members to the committee; to provide procedures for electing and removing members of the committee; to provide for vacancies in the membership of the committee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 212—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:122(A), relative to capital outlay; to provide relative to the capital outlay process; to provide for line of credit recommendations for projects; to require the approval

of certain line of credit recommendations; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 213—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(D)(1)(d) and (D)(2)(c) and to enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(e), relative to tax credits; to provide for the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for an annual program cap; to provide for factors which must be considered in granting tax credits; to provide with respect to certain approvals and denials issued by the office and the secretary; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 214—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:46(introductory paragraph) and (17), 432, 434, 438(A)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (B), 446, 1456(B)(2), and 1661(6) and to enact R.S. 22:46(17.1), 435(B)(3), and 436.1, relative to the creation of domestic surplus line insurers; to provide for the creation of domestic surplus lines insurers; to provide for definitions; to provide for regulation of domestic surplus lines insurers by the commissioner of insurance; to provide for exemptions from form and rate filing for domestic surplus lines insurers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 215—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2195, relative to the authority of the commissioner of insurance; to provide relative to a notice of wrongful conduct; to provide for the contents of the notice, including informing the person of the opportunity to show cause as to why regulatory action should not be taken; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 216—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SEABAUGH, HENRY BURNS, MIKE JOHNSON,
AND PATRICK WILLIAMS AND SENATOR BUFFINGTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(A)(24)(c) and (d), relative to the Shreveport-Bossier Convention and Tourist Bureau; to provide relative to hotel occupancy taxes levied by the bureau; to provide with respect to an additional hotel occupancy tax; to provide relative to the use of tax proceeds; to provide with respect to the duration of the authority for the additional tax; to provide relative to limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 217—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOUIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6016.1(B)(6), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act program; to provide for eligibility requirements for the tax credit; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 218—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:246(E) and (G), 287.86, 1621(B)(7), and 1623(C), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 47:181(B)(3), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for the net operating loss deduction, to eliminate net operating loss deduction carry back, to increase net operating loss deduction carry forward; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 219—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROWN AND SHADOIN
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Union 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.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 220—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Donald M. Ragusa, Individually and on behalf of his minor son, Trevor Ragusa, and Tina Cristina v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 221—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:439(A) and (B), relative to reporting requirements for the surplus lines insurance tax; to specify which surplus lines brokers shall file which type of report with the commissioner of insurance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 222—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 223—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(8)(m) and (9) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(5)(k) and (10), relative to the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; to provide for prospective and retroactive application; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 224—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6), relative to the tobacco tax; to provide with respect to the rate of the tax levied on cigarettes; to increase the rate of the tax levied on cigarettes; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on cigarettes in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 225—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:1-1602(E) through (G) and to enact R.S. 12:1-1203 and 1-1602(H), relative to minority shareholders; to provide for a right of first refusal for minority shareholders of closely held corporations; to provide for inspections of records by minority shareholders of closely held corporations; to provide for corporate written notice to shareholders for the purchase, sale, or lease of corporate property; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 226—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:297.8(A), relative to individual income tax; to provide with respect to the earned income tax credit; to reduce the amount of the tax credit; to provide for applicability of the tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 227—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JIM MORRIS
AN ACT

To designate the section of Interstate Highway 49 from the overpass at the interchange with U.S. Highway 71, in Caddo Parish, to the Arkansas state line in memory of Greg Wall, Professional Engineer.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 228—
BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:10.2, relative to state mineral income from activity in and adjacent to Lake Bistineau; to dedicate a portion of such revenue to weevil production for control of giant salvinia in the lake; to create the Lake Bistineau Management Account in the Conservation Fund; to provide for the use of monies in the account; to provide legislative oversight; to provide for termination; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 229—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(B), relative to incentives for businesses; to provide with respect to the Enterprise Zone Program; to provide for certain eligibility requirements; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 230—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 47:6006, relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to repeal the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on inventory; and to provide for an effective date.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 231—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:971(B)(1)(a), (2), and (7), relative to court reporter fees; to authorize an increase in court reporter fees for the Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 232—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:2(12) and 241(10) and to repeal R.S. 26:85.1 and 273(C), relative to the regulation of alcohol manufacturers and brewers; to authorize manufacturers and brewers to sell certain quantities of alcoholic beverages at their facilities; to require the remission of sales and excise taxes for the sale of certain products by manufacturers; to require manufacturers to obtain a state health permit; to repeal provisions of law relative to the issuance of certain retail permits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 233—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:2(13) through (24) and 71(A)(3)(d) and to enact R.S. 26:2(25) and (26), 71(A)(3)(e), and 71.3, relative to microdistillery permits; to provide for definitions; to establish criteria for microdistillery permitting; to provide for permit fees; to provide for the taxation of beverages produced by a microdistiller; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Recess

On motion of Rep. Leger, the Speaker declared the House at recess upon the call of the House.

Joint Session of the Legislature

The joint session of the legislature was called to order at 1:15 P.M. by the Honorable John A. Alario, Jr., President of the Senate.

On motion of Sen. Broome, the calling of the roll on the part of the Senate was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Leger, the calling of the roll on the part of the House was dispensed with.

The President of the Senate appointed the following special committee to escort the Honorable Bobby Jindal, Governor of the State of Louisiana, to the joint session.

On the part of the Senate: Senators Adley, Amedee, Broome, Buffington, Kostelka, Murray, and Nevers.

On the part of the House: Representatives Arnold, Fannin, Dove, Tim Burns, and Barrow.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Father Jeff Bayhi of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Zachary.

Pledge of Allegiance

The Honorable John A. Alario, Jr., President of the Senate, led the joint session in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

The President of the Senate introduced the Honorable Bobby Jindal, who addressed the joint session of the legislature.

On motion of Sen. Broome, the Senate retired to its own chamber.

After Recess

Speaker Kleckley called the House to order at 1:53 P.M.

House Business Resumed**Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and, pursuant to House Rule 7.2(E), referred to committee:

HOUSE BILL NO. 234—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FOIL, BARROW, AND THIERRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xviii), relative to individual income tax; to provide relative to tax table income; to exclude certain contributions to savings accounts for financing qualified expenses of persons with disabilities; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 235—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VI, Section 2 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize the legislature to provide, by local law, for the incorporation of any area located within the boundaries of a single parish and to exclude the area from the boundaries of any municipality; to provide for the effectiveness of such boundary change; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 236—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(C)(20) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide with respect to ad valorem property tax; to exempt certain items constituting business inventory from ad

valorem property tax; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 237—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article XI, Section 5 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide that the registrar of voters is appointed for a term; to provide for the term of office of the registrar; to authorize the manner of appointment of the registrar to be provided by law; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 238—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(C)(20) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide with respect to ad valorem property tax; to exempt certain items constituting business inventory from ad valorem property tax; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 239—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2583.8, relative to constables; to authorize a constable of a justice of the peace court in Tangipahoa Parish to appoint a deputy constable; to require certain qualifications and training for deputy constables; to provide for certain procedures relative to the filing of the oaths of office; to provide relative to compensation; to provide for residency requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 240—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 241—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:205, R.S. 25:125, and R.S. 43:22 and to repeal R.S. 24:173, relative to certain state publications and documents; to remove certain provisions requiring the secretary of state to distribute certain publications and documents to specified persons; to remove certain provisions providing certain publications to certain persons and public entities free of charge; to provide relative to the fees collected for certain

publications by the secretary of state; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 242—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:101(A)(3), 154(A) and (C)(2)(b), 178, 402(C)(2) and (E)(2)(c), 425(B), 435(A)(Subsection heading) and (1) and (B), 463(A)(2)(c)(i) and (ii), 467(3), 534(B), 536(A)(introductory paragraph) and (3), 551(C)(1), and 1306(E)(2), to enact R.S. 18:154(H) and (I), 491(C)(3), and 1308(A)(1)(c), and to repeal R.S. 18:173(A), 402(F)(7), and 1306(E)(1)(g), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to revise the system of laws comprising the Louisiana Election Code; to provide relative to qualifications, requirements, and procedures for voter registration; to provide for the confidentiality of certain information relative to voter registration and voting; to provide for exceptions; to provide for election dates; to repeal certain reporting requirements relative to deaths; to require reports of certain information received through jury questionnaires; to provide relative to the qualifications of commissioners; to allow certain persons to serve as commissioners; to provide relative to watchers; to provide for the content and procedure for submitting lists of watchers; to provide relative to polling places; to provide for a change in the location of a polling place; to authorize certain officials to change the location of a polling place under certain circumstances; to provide for notification of such changes; to provide relative to the appointment of certain persons to direct potential voters to the new location of the polling place; to provide relative to absentee voting by mail; to provide relative to procedures and requirements for voting absentee by mail; to provide relative to the content of absentee by mail voting materials; to provide relative to voting absentee by mail by certain persons who are hospitalized; to provide relative to standing to bring an action objecting to candidacy; to provide relative to listing candidates on the ballot; to provide relative to the notice of candidacy; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 243—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:266(23), relative to certain powers of the Louisiana Agriculture Finance Authority; to clarify the type of programs that the authority can use to promote the purchase of Louisiana agricultural products; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 244—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 414 of the 2011 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to tax credits; to provide relative to the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program; to extend the sunset date for termination of the Angel Investor Tax

Credit Program; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 245—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.4(K), relative to public school students; to prohibit the use of state content standards, state assessments, or other methods to measure certain noncognitive skills of students; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 246—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HENSGENS AND GEYMAN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1111.1, relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for additional ethical standards for members and former members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the state superintendent of education and the former state superintendent of education, and related persons; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 247—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:21(B)(10), relative to limitations on disciplinary proceedings of the Louisiana Physical Therapy Board; to exempt from limitations on disciplinary proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 248—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:299.3, relative to off-road vehicles; to provide relative to "neighborhood vehicles" as "off-road vehicles"; to provide relative to safety equipment required for neighborhood vehicles; to provide for restrictions on speed and eligible roadways to be used by neighborhood vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 249—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:854(B), relative to the excise tax on tobacco; to extend the excise tax exemption for samples of

certain tobacco products; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 250—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1874(B)(3) and (C)(4) and to enact R.S. 17:1874(B)(4) and (5) and (C)(5), relative to the Workforce Training Rapid Response Fund; to authorize additional deposits into the fund; to require a private match for the use of additional deposits into the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 251—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LOPINTO AND JAMES AND SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 330.3, relative to bail for certain offenses involving domestic abuse; to authorize the court to require a contradictory bail hearing prior to setting bail; to limit the types of offenses for which the court has this authority; to provide relative to the time period within which the hearing shall be held; to provide relative to the factors and evidence the court may consider; to authorize the court to order that the defendant be held without bail; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 252—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCKET

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:841 (introductory paragraph), (A), (C), (E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6) and (G), relative to the tobacco tax; to provide with respect to the rate of the tax levied on certain tobacco products; to increase the tax on certain tobacco products; to levy a tobacco tax on certain vapor and cigarette products; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on tobacco products in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 253—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(3), relative to the individual income tax; to provide with respect to the deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions; to provide for the amount of the deduction; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 254—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.12, relative to corporation income tax; to provide relative to the rate of the corporation income tax; to reduce the rates of such tax; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 255—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:691.10(A) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:691.2(11) and (12), 691.9.1, and Subpart G-2 of Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:691.31 through 691.39, relative to supervision of insurance holding company systems, including risk management and corporate governance, by the commissioner of insurance; to provide with respect to the authority of the commissioner to determine or acknowledge a group supervisor for internationally active insurance groups; to provide for the authority of the commissioner to require own risk and solvency assessments; to provide for confidentiality of information; to provide for sanctions for noncompliance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 256—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1342(1), 1343(B) and (F), and 1344, relative to the joint self insurance programs created by local governmental subdivisions; to authorize the Louisiana School Board Association to act on behalf of local public school systems as an administrator of an interlocal risk management agency; to authorize the Louisiana School Board Association to participate as a member of such agency; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 257—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1009(A)(5) and (7) and to enact R.S. 22:1009(B)(5), relative to healthcare provider credentialing; to specify that licensed dentists are healthcare providers and dental benefit plans are health insurance issuers for purposes of credentialing; to prohibit requiring recredentialing for additional practice locations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 258—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1000.12, relative to bench warrant fees; to authorize the collection of bench warrant fees in the Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court for certain offenses; to provide for the collection and use of such fees; to restrict the number of recall fees imposed against any person; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 259—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:439 and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 361 of the 2011 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to surplus lines of insurance; to decrease the tax on annual gross premiums for surplus lines of insurance; to expand the surplus lines tax base; to provide for the surplus lines tax report; to repeal the authority of the commissioner to enter the Nonadmitted Insurance Multi-State Agreement; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 260—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALFRED WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1299.4.3 and 2018.3(D)(5), relative to health services for persons with sickle cell disease; to establish a sickle cell patient navigator program and provide for functions of the program; to provide for administration of the program by the Department of Health and Hospitals under the direction of the Louisiana Sickle Cell Commission; to provide for program implementation contingent upon appropriation of funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 261—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:283(C)(1)(a)(introductory paragraph), and to enact R.S. 46:283(C)(1)(a)(v) and Subpart D-2 of Part II of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:286.21 through 286.25, relative to the well-being of children in foster care; to establish the reasonable and prudent parent standard for persons and agencies providing foster care; to provide relative to training for prospective foster care providers; to limit liability of foster caregivers in certain circumstances; to provide relative to training for prospective foster care providers; to provide legislative findings and intent; to provide for rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 262—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to income taxation; to provide with respect to the deductibility of federal income taxes paid for purposes of computing state income taxes; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 263—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to income taxation; to provide with respect to the deductibility of federal income taxes paid for purposes of computing state income taxes; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 264—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to income taxation; to provide for individual income tax rates and brackets; to provide with respect to the deductibility of federal income taxes paid for purposes of computing state income taxes; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 265—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 3.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to specify that a certain current state sales and use tax shall be levied and collected for the benefit of certain local governmental subdivisions and school boards; to provide for the distribution of the avails of such tax; to exclude certain transactions from the imposition of local sales and use tax; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 266—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to income taxation; to provide with respect to the deductibility of federal income taxes paid for purposes of computing state income taxes; to provide for an effective date;

to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 267—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2213(P), relative to the city of Sulphur; to provide relative to employees of the city's police department; to authorize the city to establish and implement a work schedule for certain employees; to provide relative to the calculation of compensatory time and overtime pay for such employees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 268—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:410, relative to video draw poker devices; to provide with respect to the amount of money which can be played on a hand of video draw poker; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 269—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1 and 15(A) and to enact R.S. 3:15(C), relative to the authority of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to provide for the issuance of certifications and registrations; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 270—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:460.51 (introductory paragraph) and the heading of Subpart B of Part XIII of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and to enact R.S. 46:442 and 460.70, relative to the medical assistance program of this state, known also as Medicaid; to prescribe duties of the Department of Health and Hospitals in administering the Medicaid program; to provide relative to Medicaid managed care organizations; to provide relative to provider claims for certain health services; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 271—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 893(A), (B)(1)(a)(iv)(aa) and (bb), and (B)(1)(b) and 894(A)(6) and (7), (B)(1), and (D)(1), relative to probation; to provide relative to the duration of probation for a defendant participating in a drug division probation program or a driving while intoxicated or sobriety court program; to increase the maximum duration of the probation period for these defendants to eight years; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 272—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5366(B)(9), relative to the Veterans Court program; to expand eligibility for participation in the Veterans Court program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 273—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT

To repeal Title XVIII of Book III of the Civil Code, comprised of Civil Code Articles 3084 through 3098, relative to respite; to provide for the repeal of all provisions governing voluntary and forced respite; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 274—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
AN ACT

To enact Subpart VV of Part 1 of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.291, relative to state individual income tax return checkoffs for certain donations; to provide for a method for individuals to donate all or a portion of any refund due to them to the Louisiana Naval War Memorial Commission; to provide for the administration and disbursement of donated monies; to provide for reporting; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 275—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3382(3) and 3386(A), relative to the use of pesticides in certain school classrooms; to provide for the use of pesticides in pre-kindergarten; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 276—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(e), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for the certification of credits; to provide for the payment of tax credits by the state; to provide for certain limitations; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 277—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 47:297(D), relative to individual income tax; to repeal the tax credit for certain educational expenses for children attending kindergarten through secondary school; and to provide for an effective date.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 278—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 47:6015, relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to repeal the refundable research and development tax credit; and to provide for an effective date.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 279—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(B)(1) and (2)(a) and (c) and to repeal R.S. 47:6030(B)(2)(b)(iii), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the solar energy systems tax credit; to change the sunset date for the tax credit; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 280—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(B)(3)(b), relative to incentives for businesses; to provide with respect to the enterprise zone program; to provide for certain eligibility requirements; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 281—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5554(EE), relative to the premium costs of group insurance for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs of the Allen Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for eligibility for payment of such costs for retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs of the Allen Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 282—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(9)(e), relative to individual income tax; to provide with respect to income excluded from tax table income for purposes of calculating state income taxes for resident individuals; to increase the amount of the exclusion for certain income earned while on active duty with the armed forces; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 283—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:13, relative to advertisement placement on property of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; to provide for sponsorship of signs on state-owned assets; to provide for the authority of the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 284—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO AND SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 976, 977(C)(introductory paragraph) and (1), 978(B)(1) and (3), 979, 980(C) and (D), 984(C), 988, 989, and 992 and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 894.5, 977(C)(3), 984(D), 986(C), and 996, relative to expungement; to provide for a time limitation for an expungement for an arrest for operating a vehicle while intoxicated involving the use of a pretrial diversion program; to provide for the eligibility to expunge certain convictions; to prohibit the expungement of a record of arrest and conviction for misdemeanor stalking; to provide with respect to the expungement of arrest and conviction records of certain felony convictions of violations of the Uniformed Controlled Dangerous Substances Act; to provide for notice regarding the service of expungement motions through United States mail; to provide with respect to time periods for objecting to a motion to expunge records; to amend procedures involving the expungement of records for violations of the operation of a motor vehicle while intoxicated; to provide with respect to the forms required for expungements; to provide for the amendment of forms to include names of the appropriate court ordering the expungement of records; to amend expungement forms to provide a fee waiver for juvenile drug court participants; to

provide forms for expungement by redaction; to provide forms for submission of data to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, regarding driving while intoxicated offenses; to provide for applicability; to provide for time limitations to make an objection to an expungement and the setting of a contradictory hearing regarding an objection; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 285—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOU CET

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3374(A) and 3375(B), relative to fees paid by structural pest control business owners; to increase the fees for each standard contract and wood destroying insect report submitted; to remove the Structural Pest Control Commission's ability to appoint a committee to recommend research topics; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 286—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:238(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 17:3023(B), 3138.5, 3351(H) and 36:8.2, relative to internal auditing functions in state government; to require an internal auditing function in the Board of Regents, the Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission, postsecondary education management boards and certain state departments; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 287—

BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(4), 22(2)(e), 1964(D)(9), 1970.4(D)(2)(I), and 1970.24(E)(1)(h), to enact R.S. 17:351.1 and 356, and to repeal R.S. 17:8 through 8.2, 351, 352, and 415.1, relative to textbooks and other instructional materials for use in elementary and secondary schools; to provide relative to the duties, functions, and responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the state Department of Education, and public school governing authorities; to provide relative to funding; to provide relative to the review of textbooks and other instructional materials by the state Department of Education, parents, and the public; to provide relative to contracts with publishers for the purchase, lease, and use of textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to depositories for textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to rules and regulations; to provide relative to the Task Force on Textbooks and Instructional Materials; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 288—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:123, relative to feral hogs; to define "feral hogs"; to prohibit the release and importation of feral hogs; to provide for the transportation of feral hogs; to provide relative to penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 289—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR AND SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2109.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (2), (3), and (4)(a) and (D) and to enact R.S. 15:623, relative to evidence collected from victims of rape offenses; to require submission of a sexual assault collection kit within a certain period of time; to require retrieval of evidence by local law enforcement within a certain period of time; to provide for notification of evidence to law enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 290—

BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:542 and to enact R.S. 18:541(C), relative to the hours of voting; to provide for an extension in the closing of the polls on election day under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the duties of parish boards of election supervisors; to provide for notification of an extension in the closing of the polls; to provide relative to the termination of voting on election day; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 291—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3803(16) and (17), 3806(B), (C), and (D), and 3810.2(A) and to enact R.S. 3:3803(18) and 3806(H), relative to the regulation of horticulture; to authorize the increase of license and permit fees; to increase civil penalties for certain violations; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 292—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 793.3(B)(introductory paragraph), relative to early intervention programs; to provide that the Sixteenth Judicial District's early intervention program shall be used as a model in the implementation of programs in certain parishes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 293—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:86, relative to reporting requirements for contracts entered into by certain courts; to require certain courts to report information relative to any contracts entered into by the court; to require the supreme court to establish and maintain a website to publish contract information submitted by the courts; to provide relative to the deadline for establishing a website; 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 Judiciary.

HOUSE BILL NO. 294—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 1-D of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:65 through 67, relative to personal financial disclosure statements for judges and justices of the peace; to require all elected judges and justices of the peace to file an annual financial statement with the office of the judicial administrator for the Louisiana Supreme Court; to provide relative to requirements and procedures for reporting; to provide for reporting forms; to provide for a website with access to filed financial disclosure reports and those persons who failed to comply with requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide for the issuance of notice of delinquencies; to provide for requirements and procedures for noncompliance with reporting requirements; 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 Judiciary.

HOUSE BILL NO. 295—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part II-A of Chapter 28 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:4321, relative to the forest protection tax; to provide for a forest protection assessment; to provide for unencumbered and unexpended monies in the Forest Protection Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 296—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(28) and to enact Part V of Chapter 15 of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 42:1191 through 1194, and R.S. 44:3.4, relative to records related to the enforcement of provisions of law under the jurisdiction of the Board of Ethics; to provide an exception to the Public Records Law for certain records of the Board of Ethics; to authorize the expungement of records relative to ethics code enforcement under certain circumstances; to provide for eligibility for obtaining expungement; to provide for the confidentiality of expunged records; to provide procedures for obtaining expungement; to

provide for consideration of requests for expungement; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the ethics administrator and the Board of Ethics relative to expungement; to provide for orders of expungement; to provide for the confidentiality of deliberations and records relative to requests for expungement; to provide for the effects of expungement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 297—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:67.1 and 67.2, relative to theft; to create the crimes of theft of livestock and theft of timber; to provide for definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for duties of enforcement and investigation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 298—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:652(B) and 656(C)(1)(f) and to repeal R.S. 51:650(13), relative to the sale of fireworks; to provide for the dates and times during which fireworks may be sold; to provide with respect to permit fees for retailers; to remove the differentiation between resident and nonresident retailers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 299—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:255(R), relative to witness fees for off-duty law enforcement officers; to authorize the transfer of certain witness fee surplus funds within the Sixth Judicial District; to provide for the transfer procedures and use of such funds; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 300—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1156, relative to the installation and maintenance of aerobic sewage treatment systems; to permit a property owner to install an aerobic sewage treatment system after meeting certain criteria; to exempt a property owner from certain licensing requirements to maintain an aerobic sewage treatment system; to clarify the term property owner; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 301—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:71(B) and 72(A), relative to civil involuntary outpatient treatment; to increase the maximum initial period of treatment; to increase the maximum period of subsequent treatment; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 302—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1730.26(3) and to enact R.S. 40:1730.26(5), relative to the State Uniform Construction Code; to provide for legislative oversight; to provide for adoption of updates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 303—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:325.4(D), relative to stock assessments of certain finfish; to remove the requirement that the assessments for black drum, sheepshead, and flounder contain certain information for each species; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 304—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1007(A) and (G), relative to prescription monitoring; to share prescription monitoring program information with equivalent programs in other states; to provide for the security of personal information; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 305—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5807.1(A) and 5807.5, relative to the collection of fees by city marshals; to increase the fees that the Houma City Marshal's Office is entitled to charge for services provided for in civil matters; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 306—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:116.1(D)(3), relative to hunting outlaw quadrupeds; to provide that a hunting license is not required when hunting outlaw quadrupeds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 307—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 28:53(P), relative to admission by emergency certificate; to prohibit denial of coverage or refusal to pay claims for services rendered while under an emergency certificate on the basis of medical necessity; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 308—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 309—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4733.1, relative to evictions; to provide for the eviction of lessees from multifamily developments; to provide for definitions; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 310—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1437 and 1448, relative to fees for the seed industry; to increase seed dealer license and regulatory fees; to modify who is subject to register as a seed dealer; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 311—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:622(A)(2) and (4) and R.S. 46:1802(4), (7) through (10), 1806(B), (C), and (D), 1809(B)(3) and (4)(a), and 1817(A) and to enact R.S. 46:1802(10.1), (11), (12), and (13), 1806(E), and 1807(B)(7), relative to crime victims reparations; to provide relative to forensic medical examinations; to provide for certain application requirements for reparations relative to victims of sexually-oriented criminal offenses; to require the Crime Victims Reparations Board to promulgate rules and regulations; to provide for certain eligibility provisions; to provide for notification requirements; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 312—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A), 293(3), and 297.8(A), relative to individual income tax; to reduce certain individual income tax rates; to provide for income tax deductions and credits; to provide with respect to the deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions; to provide for the amount of the deduction; to provide with respect to the earned income tax credit; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 313—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JIM MORRIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:912(G), relative to life insurance policies; to provide an exemption for funeral expenses from life insurance proceeds paid to a parent on the life of an unmarried adult forced heir; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 314—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2225.1(B)(3), relative to public contracts with political subdivisions; to provide for inclusion of a clause authorizing compensation for the variation in size of a project; to provide for an adjustment in the contract price; to provide a contracted rate of compensation for contractor services in excess of the specified contract or FEMA Project Worksheet limit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 315—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1004.1(A) and (B)(1), relative to licensing fees for check-cashers; to increase the license application fee for check-cashers; to increase the annual license renewal fee for check-cashers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 316—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1037(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1) and 1040(A) and (B)(1), relative to licensing fees applicable to money transmission agents; to increase investigation fees; to increase annual license renewal fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 317—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3561.1(A) and (B), relative to licensing fees applicable to lenders licensed to make consumer loans; to increase the initial application, survey, and license fee applicable to lenders licensed to make consumer loans; to increase the annual renewal fee for lenders licensed to make consumer loans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 318—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1786(B) and (C), relative to licensing fees applicable to pawnbrokers; to reclassify and to increase initial licensing fees applicable to pawnbrokers; to eliminate initial application fees applicable to pawnbrokers; to reclassify application fees applicable to pawnbrokers when applying for additional licenses; to eliminate licensing fees applicable to pawnbrokers when applying for additional licenses; to increase annual renewal fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 319—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1164(16) and 1241(A)(17) and to enact R.S. 37:1164(58) and (59), 1185, and 1226.1, relative to interchangeable biological products; to provide for definitions; to provide for licensure penalties; to require certain information to be sent to a prescriber; to require the posting of certain information on the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy's web page; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 320—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:221.4(A) and (C)(introductory paragraph) and 221.6(A), (E)(introductory paragraph), and (I)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 17:221.6(I)(4), relative to high school dropout recovery programs; to require such programs in certain high schools; to provide with respect to funding; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 321—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:837(B)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (I), relative to the Louisiana Egg Commission; to provide

for a decrease in the membership of the commission; to provide for commission meeting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 322—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 323—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 12 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for appropriations for higher education; to prohibit the displacement or reduction of certain appropriated amounts in certain fiscal years; to provide for exceptions; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 324—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9091.22, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the Fairway Estates Subdivision Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 325—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9091.22, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the Faubourg Marigny Security and Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 326—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:281(A)(2), relative to surveys of students in Orleans Parish schools; to authorize public school governing authorities in Orleans Parish to allow students to be surveyed about their risk behaviors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 327—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(T)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (i), (b) and (c), and (4) and to enact R.S. 38:291(T)(2)(d), relative to the membership of the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District; to provide relative to the number of board commissioners; to provide for lengths of terms for board members; to remove requirement that members of the board of commissioners be from certain areas; to provide for a definition of a quorum; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HOUSE BILL NO. 328—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:142(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 43:146.1, relative to the village of Grosse Tete; to provide relative to the official journal of the village; to provide relative to the selection of the official journal; to provide relative to qualifications of newspapers to be the official journal; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 329—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:860, relative to the state Office of Group Benefits; to require coverage for treatment for morbid obesity; to provide for certain requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 330—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4021(C), to enact R.S. 17:4021(D), and to repeal R.S. 17:4021(A)(3), relative to the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program; to provide with respect to nonpublic school eligibility requirements for participation in such program; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 331—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:627(A) and to enact R.S. 26:793(D) and R.S. 40:627(E), relative to alcoholic beverage labels; to transfer the authority for the registration and label review of alcoholic beverages; to provide for administrative rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 332—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:305.6(B), relative to commercial crab trap gear licenses; to authorize certain wholesale/retail dealers to purchase a commercial crab trap gear license; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 333—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WESLEY BISHOP, BADON, BOUIE, GAINES,
AND JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3139.2(2)(a) and (4)(a), relative to performance agreements between the Board of Regents and certain public universities; to provide relative to the terms of such agreements with respect to remedial courses and developmental study programs offered at certain universities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 334—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1970.24(B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and to enact 1970.24(B)(1)(f), relative to the New Orleans Center for Creative Arts; to provide with respect to the membership of its board of directors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 335—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.39(A)(1)(a)(ii)(introductory paragraph) and 1299.41(A)(10), relative to medical malpractice; to include licensed dietitians within the definitions of state health care provider and health care provider; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 336—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:303(B)(8), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide for the collection of state sales and use tax on vehicles acquired by certain foreign business entities; 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 Ways and Means.

Speaker Pro Tempore Leger in the Chair**HOUSE BILL NO. 337—**BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 41 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2421 through 2425, relative to insurance unfair trade practices in the use of nonoriginal equipment manufacturer (non-OEM) aftermarket parts to prohibit the use of non-OEM aftermarket parts that affect the safe operation of a motor vehicle; to provide that an insurer may not specify the use of non-OEM aftermarket parts in the repair of a claimant's vehicle unless the claimant is notified in writing prior to the repair; to require that an insurer notify a claimant under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 338—BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(K)(7)(b), 337.13.1(A)(2), (B)(1), and (C), 337.27, 337.28.1(B), 337.33(A)(5), 337.45(B), 337.63(A)(3) and (B), 337.64(B), 337.81(A)(2) and (B), 337.86(E)(2)(a), 1401, 1403(B)(5), 1418(4), 1434, 1438, 1522, 1561(B)(3), 1603(A)(3), and 1625, and Sections 5 and 7 of Act No. 640 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature, and to enact R.S. 47:337.45(A)(4), 337.51(B)(4), 337.63(E), 337.79(C), 337.81(A)(3), 1403(A)(4) and (B)(6)(c), 1407(5), 1408(D) and (E), 1413(D) and (E), 1418(6) and (7), 1439, 1561(A)(4) and (B)(4), 1580(B)(5), 1621(D)(4), and 1623(F), relative to the enforcement and adjudication of state and local taxes and the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide with respect to disputes concerning taxes; to provide for administration of the board; to provide with respect to certain revenues dedicated to the board; to establish an escrow account; to provide for the deposit, investment, and use of monies in the account; to establish a fund within the escrow account and provide for its sources of revenue and use; to provide for certain procedures and requirements relative to adjudication and appeals of certain cases involving state and local taxes; to provide with respect to compensation and benefits of officers of the board; to authorize certain agreements regarding the compensation and expenses of ad hoc judges; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 339—BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.5.2(F), relative to functions and responsibilities of the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board; to provide for the availability of certain resources to satisfy mitigation requirements related to integrated coastal protection projects of the board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 340—BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4013(2)(a), relative to the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program; to provide with respect to eligibility of entering kindergarten students in the voucher program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 341—BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:431(D), relative to penalties for theft of oysters; to provide additional penalties for theft of oysters from leased acreage; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 342—BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:170(A)(2), relative to immunizations of persons entering educational institutions for the first time; to add vaccinations for meningococcal disease to list of required vaccinations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 343—BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:93.10(2)(a)(iv), relative to the unlawful possession of alcoholic beverages; to provide relative to the crime prohibiting public possession of alcoholic beverages by a person under twenty-one years of age; to amend the definition of "public possession" relative to possession and consumption in a private residence; to provide that possession and consumption of an alcoholic beverage in a private residence is not "public possession" if the person under twenty-one is accompanied by a parent, guardian, or spouse who is at least twenty-one; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 344—BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:427(H) and 449(B) and (C) and to enact R.S. 27:449(D), relative to video draw poker employee permits; to provide with respect to the issuance of video draw poker employee permits; to provide that a person who is the holder of a valid video draw poker employee permit shall not be required to undergo an additional suitability determination to be named a designated representative; to prohibit a person who has had a video draw poker employee permit denied or revoked from serving as a designated representative; to prohibit provisional authorization to work for a person who has had a video draw poker employee permit denied or revoked; to require a subsequent suitability determination for an employee with an

expired video draw poker employee permit prior to that person serving as a designated representative; to establish a time period that a provisional authorization to work is valid; to require that a licensee maintain a list of designated representatives; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 345—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3883(A)(6)(a)(introductory paragraph), (b), and (c), relative to evaluations of public school teachers and administrators; to require the advisory subcommittee of the Accountability Commission to report and make recommendations regarding proposed modifications of regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 346—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:775(B) and to enact R.S. 37:775(C) and 795(B)(1)(n), relative to advertising by dentists; to provide for review of advertising; to provide for an advisory opinion; to establish a fee for the review of advertising; to repeal the option to correct an advertisement in lieu of receiving sanctions; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 347—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2488.40.1, relative to city courts; to provide for the disposition of surplus funds in the Baker City Court; to authorize the transfer of certain unclaimed surplus funds to the court's general fund; to provide for certain restrictions; to provide for use of the funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 348—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1309(A)(2), (B)(1), (C), and (M) and 1400.8 and to repeal R.S. 18:1309(A)(4), relative to early voting; to expand the time during which the registrar must remain open to allow for early voting during the early voting period; to repeal provisions allowing the registrar to determine the time during which early voting takes place at certain locations; to repeal provisions requiring the registrar to observe certain holidays during the early voting period; to provide relative to expenses incurred by registrars conducting early voting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 349—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:901(10), (22), and (26)(introductory paragraph), relative to tobacco products; to provide relative to certain vapor products; to provide relative to manufacturers of tobacco products; to provide relative to stamping agents; to provide relative to excise or tobacco taxes; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 350—
BY REPRESENTATIVES NANCY LANDRY, ORTEGO, ROBIDEAUX, AND
THIERRY AND SENATOR GUILLORY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2582(A)(2) and 2583(A)(2)(b), relative to justice of the peace courts; to exempt certain justices of the peace and constables from office qualifications relative to age requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 351—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1011(C) and to enact R.S. 22:1011(D), relative to employer-provided health plan pharmacy benefits; to prohibit the requirement that certain employees obtain prescription drugs from a mail order pharmacy as a condition of payment for such drugs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 352—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1702(D)(introductory paragraph) and (2)(a)(ii)(introductory paragraph), relative to land reclamation for coastal protection and restoration purposes; to provide relative to approval of land reclamation by an "acquiring authority" for integrated coastal protection purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 353—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.22(F), 1730.22.2, 1730.23(J), 1730.23.1, 1730.34.1, and 1730.34.2, relative to the review of the enforcement of the state uniform construction code; to provide for a supervising council member; to establish the Building Code Enforcement Officer Subcommittee; to provide for the membership, duties, and powers of the subcommittee; to provide for the investigation and resolution of complaints regarding

violations of the state uniform construction code; to provide for a local board of appeals; to require due process protections; 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 Commerce.

HOUSE BILL NO. 354—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1088.2(A), relative to licensing fees applicable to mortgage lenders, mortgage brokers, mortgage servicers, and mortgage originators; to increase license application fees for mortgage lenders, mortgage brokers, mortgage servicers, and mortgage originators; to increase license renewal fees for mortgage lenders, mortgage brokers, mortgage servicers, and mortgage originators; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 355—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(4)(h), and to enact R.S. 47:301(4)(m), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the collection and remittance of sales and use tax; to provide for the definition of dealer; to provide a method for reporting and remitting taxes by certain dealers; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 356—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PYLANT AND ADAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1991(A)(1), relative to employees of fire departments; to provide relative to the applicability of provisions pertaining to wages and hours; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 357—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:333(F)(14) and (18), R.S. 46:236.1.4(A) and (C), and R.S. 47:1677(A) and (F)(2), relative to financial disclosure authorizations; to require banks or their subsidiaries or affiliates to disclose certain information; to authorize financial institutions to provide certain information of joint account holders to the Department of Revenue; to authorize financial institutions to provide certain information of joint account holders to the Department of Children and Family Services; to mandate the payment of the reimbursement fee received by financial institutions conducting data match; to provide relative to the participation fee payment from the Department of Revenue; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 358—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2094(2), relative to the state veterinarian's authority to quarantine; to provide authorization for the state veterinarian to quarantine any animal until certain inspections are completed; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 359—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:281(H), relative to sex education instruction in Orleans Parish; to require public school governing authorities in Orleans Parish to adopt policies for and to offer sex education instruction to students in certain grades; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 360—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to specify that the ad valorem property tax exemption for public lands and property is for land and property of this state and its political subdivisions; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 361—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions; to provide with respect to certain contracts granting ad valorem property tax exemptions for certain manufacturing establishments and additions; to provide for the amount of the exemption; to provide for the term of the initial contract and renewals; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 362—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions; to provide with respect to certain contracts granting ad valorem property tax exemptions for certain manufacturing establishments and additions; to provide for the amount of the

exemption; to provide for the term of the initial contract and renewals; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 363—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 364—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 365—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 8:308.1, relative to interment space in the city of Franklin; to provide relative to ownership of interment spaces in a cemetery governed by the city governing authority; to provide a procedure for clarifying ownership interests in interment spaces under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 366—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:297.6(A)(4), 6006(B), 6006.1(C) and (D), 6014(D) and (E)(2), 6015(B)(1) and (2) and (D), 6030(F), 6032(A) and (E), 6034(C)(1)(a)(ii)(dd), (D)(1), and (E)(1)(d)(iv), and 6035(E), and to repeal R.S. 47:6014(E)(4), relative to income and franchise tax credits; to make certain tax credits which are refundable in excess of tax liability nonrefundable; to make certain tax credits nontransferable; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 367—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1703(F), relative to ad valorem taxes; to provide for exemptions from ad valorem taxes for certain property; defines "fraternal" for purposes of ad valorem property tax exemptions; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 368—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 21-D of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:1860 through 1863, relative to family justice centers; to provide for the establishment of family justice centers; to provide a list of the victims who are eligible to receive services at the family justice center; to provide relative to the entities that may assign persons to provide services at the family justice center; to provide certain requirements for any established family justice center; to provide relative to the sharing and confidentiality of information relative to a victim served by the family justice center; to provide relative to immunity from liability for persons providing services to a victim at a family justice center; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 369—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW AND SENATOR CLAITOR
AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 28 of Title 46, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2148, relative to the state domestic violence coalition of Louisiana; to require the opportunity for an appeal hearing prior to disciplinary action; to require certain notifications; to provide for board membership of the coalition; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 370—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER, EDWARDS, AND SHADWIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:802(B)(6) and (7) and to enact R.S. 42:802.1(F), 812, and Part VI of Chapter 12 of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 42:891 through 894, relative to the Office of Group Benefits; to provide for the power and duties of the Office of Group Benefits; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to an annual actuarial report; to provide with respect to premium rates; to establish the Group Benefits Actuarial Committee; to provide for rule promulgation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 371—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:824(B)(1)(a), relative to the housing of inmates; to provide relative to persons committed to the custody of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections who are housed in a parish jail; to reduce the amount of the reimbursement paid to the sheriffs for the housing of these inmates in parish jails; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 372—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:202(A) and to enact R.S. 35:191.1(B)(3) and (4), relative to notaries public; to require the secretary of state to make certain information publicly accessible; to require certain information on the required annual report; 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 Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 373—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(E), relative to state content standards; to provide for implementation of state content standards by the state Department of Education subject to legislative approval; to require that the standards be promulgated by rule in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act prior to implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 374—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:73.1, relative to the expenditure of state funds; to prohibit the expenditure or transfer of state funds for certain standards and assessments required for students unless certain conditions are met; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 375—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.72 and 337.9(D)(34), relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for a state and local sales and use tax exemption for sales of certain ophthalmic drugs; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 376—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1595(A)(2) and (B)(1), (2), and (3) and to enact R.S. 39:136 and 1623(A)(8), relative to procurement; to establish the Board of Regents Contracts and Grants Clearinghouse and provide for the powers, duties, and functions of the clearinghouse; to provide for increased participation in the receipt and administration of contracts and federal funds by public postsecondary institutions of higher learning; to provide for notification of public postsecondary institutions of higher learning of requests for proposals; to require state agencies receive certification from the Board of Regents for certain contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 377—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:347(B)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 22:347(A)(5), relative to dedications from fire protection fees; to provide for a dedication of a portion of the Two Percent Fire Insurance Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 378—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 866 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the domicile of the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry; to delay the effective date of the change of domicile; to delay the effective date of the change in venue for judicial review of adjudication; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 379—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:1002(J) and 1005(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 49:1001(14), relative to drug testing standards; to provide for drug testing by CAP-HAIR-certified laboratories; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 380—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:843(D)(1), 847(A) and (D), and 849(C), relative to tobacco; to require tobacco dealers to stamp unstamped cigarettes prior to cigarettes being shipped; to remove provisions of law authorizing tobacco dealers to retain stock for interstate sales without affixing stamps to that stock; to remove provisions regarding prima facie evidence of a violation of stamping provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 381—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON AND SIMON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2154(18), relative to behavioral health services rendered to specialty courts; to exempt from licensure requirements providers furnishing behavioral health services to certain specialty courts; 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 Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 382—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, HUNTER, SMITH, COX, GAINES, HALL, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:341(A)(1) through (3), relative to the state excise tax levied on certain alcoholic beverages; to provide for the tax rates levied on certain alcoholic beverages; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 383—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, BURRELL, COX, GAINES, HALL, HUNTER, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, PIERRE, SMITH, AND WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:246(E) and (G), 287.86(A), (B)(1), (C), (D), (E), and (I), 1621(B)(7), and 1623(E)(introductory paragraph), and to repeal R.S. 47:287.86(F), (G), and (H), and 1623(C) and (D), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for the net operating loss deduction; to eliminate net operating loss deduction carryback; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 384—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351.15(A), relative to the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System; to authorize the board to impose certain fee amounts for enrollment in the dental hygiene program at the University of Louisiana at Monroe; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 385—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NANCY LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 603(17)(b), relative to mandatory reporters; to define mental health/social service practitioner; to establish an exception for certain mental health/social service practitioners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 386—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:91(C) and to enact R.S. 39:91(D), relative to the Deepwater Horizon Economic Damages Collection Fund; to dedicate interest earnings from the fund to higher education; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 387—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER AND BOUIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6019(A)(2)(c) and (C) and to enact R.S. 47:6019(A)(1)(c), relative to tax credits; to provide for the tax credit for the rehabilitation of historic structures for nonresidential property; to provide relative to eligibility requirements; to provide for an administrative fee; to extend the sunset of the tax credit; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 388—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:818.12(B) and 818.101(A), relative to the state excise tax; to provide for the excise tax levied on certain fuel; to levy an additional tax on gasoline, diesel fuel, and certain special fuels for a certain period of time; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 389—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:287.82, relative to corporate income tax; to provide with respect to certain corporate deductions; to require that certain deductible items and costs be added-back when computing corporate income tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 390—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:221(A)(4)(c) and (d), relative to the disposition of excess immovable property by the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for the sale of property by a realtor licensed in Louisiana; to provide for the sale of property classified as an uneconomic remnant; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 391—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(3), relative to the forestry commission's market value determination authority; to provide for a modification in the forestry commission's method of determining the market value of trees, timber, and pulpwood; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 392—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1212 and 1212.1, relative to the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Criminal Justice; to require the commission to create and maintain a database for deposit of information relative to law enforcement officers; to provide for the functions, powers, and duties of the commission relative to the database; to provide for reporting requirements relative to all law enforcement agencies throughout the state; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 393—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1196.1(B)(3), (4), (5), and (6) and to enact R.S. 23:1196.1(B)(7), (8), (9), and (10), relative to workers' compensation, to provide with respect to group self-insurance funds; to provide for admissible investments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 394—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:204(B)(introductory paragraph), 204.1(A), 303(A), 1306(A)(3) and (4), and 1307(B)(2) and R.S. 51:213(B)(2), to enact R.S. 9:3401(C) and R.S. 12:1401(A)(3)(e), 204(G), and 1306(A)(5), and to repeal R.S. 12:1307(B)(3), relative to names of business entities, trade names, trademarks, and service marks; to provide an application process to specify partnership and nonprofit corporate names with the secretary of state; to provide for a reservation period of the specified name; to provide for the right to transfer specified partnership and nonprofit corporate names; to amend the reservation period for specified names of limited liability companies; to prohibit the inclusion of certain language in the names of business entities generally; to include partnerships as a business entity for which names are required to be distinguishable; to amend the reservation period for specified trade names, trademarks, or service marks; to repeal the assessed fee relative to reserving a trade name, trademark, or service mark; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 395—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:246(E) and (G), 287.86(A), (B)(1), (C), (D), (E), and (I), 1621(B)(7), and 1623(E)(introductory paragraph) and to repeal R.S. 47:287.86(F), (G), and (H), and 1623(C) and (D), relative to corporate income tax; to provide

for the net operating loss deduction; to eliminate net operating loss deduction carryback; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 396—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:807, relative to withdrawal of deposits; to provide for the withdrawal of deposits by domestic insurers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 397—

BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1224.2, relative to the refilling of topical ophthalmic prescriptions; to authorize a pharmacist to dispense early refills of topical ophthalmic prescriptions; to provide for physician authorization of early refills of topical ophthalmic prescriptions; 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 Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 398—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PRICE AND BROADWATER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:461.4(A) and (B)(1) and 461.9(A) and to enact R.S. 39:461.4(B)(3), relative to the interim emergency board; to change the vote requirements for approvals of capital outlay changes; to require the board to provide additional information to members of the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 399—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the judgment of interest on future medical expenses in the suit entitled "John M. Byrd, Eugene Moore, Chris Navarro and Joseph Michael Williams v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development" consolidated with "Jerry Starr, individually and on behalf of his minor daughter Jamie Starr v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; to provide for interest; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 400—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:4(P), relative to the powers and duties of the commissioner of conservation; to authorize the commissioner to regulate liquefied natural gas facilities in the state; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 401—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Todd Foles, Faith Landry and Cheryl Sedotal, individually and on behalf of the deceased, Jeanne Foles v. State of Louisiana, State of Louisiana Department of Highways, the Parish of Assumption and ABC Contractor"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 402—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:33(A)(4) through (6), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the individual income tax credit for taxes paid to other states; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 403—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 5 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:601 through 618, relative to corporation franchise tax; and to provide for an effective date.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 404—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6007(G), relative to income tax; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for the invalidation of tax credits under certain circumstances; to provide for certain requirements; to authorize the recovery of tax credits under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 405—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:44.1, 293(2)(a)(i) and (b), and 297(I)(2), relative to individual income tax; to provide for tax expenditures; to provide for individual income tax exemptions, deductions, and credits; to provide relative to the annual retirement and disability income tax exemption; to provide relative to the construction code retrofitting income tax deduction; to provide relative to the bone marrow donor expense income tax credit; to reduce the amount of the income tax exemptions, deductions, and credits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 406—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.732(B)(2), 287.738(F)(1), and 287.758(B), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for tax expenditures; to provide for corporate income tax exclusions, deductions, and credits; to reduce the amount of certain corporate income tax exclusions, deductions, and credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 407—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:841(C), relative to state excise taxes; to provide for the tobacco tax; to provide with respect to the rate of the tax levied on certain tobacco products; to increase the tax on certain tobacco products; to provide for an effective date; and to provide

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 408—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 409—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITNEY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Emile Collins v. City of Thibodaux, Lafourche Parish Government, and State of Louisiana"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 410—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICK WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:7(33), relative to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide with respect to powers, duties, and responsibilities of the board; to require the board to promulgate rules pertaining to student lunch time; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 411—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 5(D)(4) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to the authority to set admission standards at public postsecondary education institutions; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 412—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 2.2, and to add Article VII, Sections 10(F)(4)(h) and 10.15, of the Constitution of Louisiana, to dedicate certain state sales and use tax revenues for support of public education; to provide with respect to the base of certain one percent state sales and use taxes; to provide for tax exemptions; to establish a special treasury fund; to provide with respect to the deposit and use of monies in the fund; to authorize the legislature to provide by law with regard to the fund; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 413—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(K)(1), relative to the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East; to provide for the boundary of the Orleans Levee District; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HOUSE BILL NO. 414—

BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 415—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4885, relative to regulations concerning maintenance of private property in municipalities; to require

certain municipal governing authorities to adopt ordinances to provide for community standards of civic health and integrity; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 416—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:913(3)(a)(vii) and (ix), (8), and (9)(introductory paragraph) and to enact Part V of Chapter 11 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1018, relative to advanced practice registered nursing; to provide for definitions; to establish an exemption to the collaborative practice agreement requirement; to provide for duties and powers of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing; 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 Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 417—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.184, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to provide for the "Challenge ALS" special prestige license plate; to provide for creation, issuance, and design of such license plates; to provide relative to the fee and distribution of fees for such plates; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations relative to the creation and implementation of a special prestige license plate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 418—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:438, R.S. 23:890(F) and (G), and R.S. 42:456(A), to enact R.S. 42:456(C), (D), and (E), and to repeal R.S. 42:457 and 457.1, relative to authorized payroll deductions; to remove authority for certain public employee, charter school employee, firefighter, and law enforcement payroll withholdings; to grandfather certain collective bargaining agreement terms for payroll deductions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 419—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:353(15) and 361(B)(5), relative to the conduct of slot machine gaming activity; to dedicate a percentage of net slot machine proceeds from the gaming operations at the pari-mutuel live horse racing facility in Bossier Parish to facility improvements; to provide for submission of improvement plans to the Louisiana State Racing Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 420—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS
AN ACT

To designate certain portions of Louisiana highways to honor the public service of Louisiana citizens; to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 72 as "Private First Class Joshua C. Burrows Drive"; and to designate a portion of U.S. Highway 80 as "Sergeant Craig Nelson Memorial Highway".

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 421—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Stephanie Marie Landry and Tommie Varnado, Jr. v. City of New Orleans, Leonard D'Arensbourg and State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 422—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:2.1(A)(1), relative to affidavits of corrections; to provide relative to the filing of affidavits of corrections; to provide for the applicability to certain acts affecting movable or immovable property; to authorize certain persons to execute affidavits of corrections; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 423—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:246(E) and (G), 287.86(A), (B)(1), (C), (D), (E) and (I), 1621(B)(7), and 1623(E)(introductory paragraph), and to repeal R.S. 47:287.86(F), (G), and (H) and 1623(C) and (D), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for the net operating loss deduction; to eliminate net operating loss deduction carryback; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 424—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1302(2) and 1316(C) and to enact R.S. 14:222.3 and R.S. 15:1302(3.1) and (16.1), 1316(D) and (E), 1317, and 1318, relative to electronic surveillance; to create

the crime of unlawful use of a cellular tracking device; to provide for definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for exceptions; to provide for applicability; to provide procedures for use of a cellular tracking device by law enforcement officers and investigative officers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 425—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:26.1(B)(10), relative to National Guard death and disability benefits; to restrict certain federal rating decisions from the definition of "qualifying disability" for National Guardsmen; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 426—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:246(E) and 287.86(A) and (B), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for the net operating loss deduction; to reduce net operating loss deduction carry back and carry forward; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 427—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, COX, GAINES, HALL, HUNTER,
JAMES, SMITH, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:841(introductory paragraph), (A), (C), (E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6) and (G), relative to the tobacco tax; to provide with respect to the rate of the tax levied on certain tobacco products; to increase the tax on certain tobacco products; to levy a tobacco tax on certain vapor and cigarette products; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on tobacco products in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 428—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(F), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for solar energy systems; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 429—BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006.1(C) and (D), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on certain offshore vessels; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 430—BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6015(B)(1) and (2) and (D), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for certain research and development expenses; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 431—BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6034(D)(1), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for musical and theatrical productions and certain infrastructure projects; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 432—BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(A) and (B), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on certain natural gas; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 433—BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6019(A)(3)(a) and (b)(i)(aa), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide relative to the tax credit for the rehabilitation of certain structures; to prohibit the carryforward of the tax credit against

subsequent tax liability; to prohibit the transferability of the tax credit; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 434—BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:321(L) and 331(S), relative to sales and use tax; to provide for the effectiveness and applicability of the exemptions

for electric power or energy, natural gas, water, and steam; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 435—BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1519(B) and 1520(A), and to enact R.S. 47:1519(D), relative to the electronic payment and filing of taxes; to provide for the payment of taxes by electronic funds transfer; to provide for the electronic filing of tax returns; and to provide for exceptions; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 436—BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT JOHNSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2625(A)(1)(c),(d), (e) and (2), relative to reimbursement of provider fees remitted to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for an increase in the out-patient per prescription fee paid for Medicaid; to provide that health insurance issuers reimburse pharmacies or pharmacists for payment of the fee; to provide that payors administering health benefits and licensed by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy are responsible for remitting payment fees directly to the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 437—BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT JOHNSON
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:1667.1(F)(2), relative to supplemental monthly compensation for certain law enforcement officers; to remove the restriction on the number of eligible tribal officers of the Tunica-Biloxi Tribe of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 438—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:556.15 and R.S. 56:330(D), relative to the sale of live crawfish; to provide for a minimum size limit for live crawfish intended for direct human consumption; 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 Natural Resources and Environment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 439—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NANCY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1783(B), 1821, 1822, 1891, 1894, 1904, 1905, 1953, 2026, 2028, 2031, 2087(B), 2096, and 2158, and to enact R.S. 9:2047 and 2114.1 and Chapter 1-C of Code Title II of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:2263, relative to the Louisiana Trust Code; to provide for who may be trustee; to provide for when testamentary trusts are created; to provide for when inter vivos trusts are created; to provide for creation of classes; to provide for representation; to provide for general rules for classes of beneficiaries; to provide for interest in income for members of the same class; to provide for assignment of interest in trusts and termination of trusts for mixed private and charitable purposes; to provide for termination or modification to prevent impairment of trust purposes and termination of small trusts; to provide for concurrence of settlors in termination; to provide for delegation of the right to amend; to provide for delegating trustee performance; to provide for co-trustees; to provide for the power to adjust by a trustee; to provide for the revocation of inter vivos trusts upon divorce; to provide for the allocation of different powers to different trustees; to provide for trusts for the care of an animal; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 440—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1852(13) and (14) and 1856.2, relative to the adjudication of pharmacy benefit claims; to provide for definitions; to prohibit certain fees relative to such adjudication; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 441—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(A) and (B), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on inventory; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 442—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6014(D) and (E)(2), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on certain properties owned by telephone companies; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 443—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6035(E), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for conversion of certain vehicles to alternative fuel usage; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 444—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6020(F), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program; to prohibit the transferability of the credit; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 445—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:532.1(A)(1), (3)(a), (6), and (B), relative to public tag agents; to provide relative to persons who may undertake duties of public tag agents; to provide relative to bonds required to be executed by public tag agents; to provide relative to qualifications for public tag applicants; to authorize public tag agents to be designated as official office of motor vehicle field offices; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 446—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MIGUEZ AND STUART BISHOP
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:270, relative to required courses of study; to require each city, parish, and other local public school board to provide classroom instruction regarding firearm familiarity and safety to elementary school students; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 447—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2495.3, relative to municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to persons selected for appointment to a position as an entry level firefighter in certain municipalities; to provide relative to the start of the working test period; to require such persons to complete a fire training academy prior to the start of the working test period; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 448—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:663(B), relative to impaired driving; to provide relative to the qualifications and competence of those issued permits for the purpose of chemical testing for drivers suspected of operating a vehicle while impaired; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 449—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.95(F)(3) and 606(A)(1)(a); relative to corporate income and corporate franchise tax; to provide for determination of taxable income from sales of certain aircraft manufactured in this state; to provide for the determination of taxable capital from sales of certain aircraft manufactured in this state; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 450—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2199(F)(1) and to enact R.S. 40:2199(G), relative to fines and penalties collected from home health agencies; to provide for an exception in deposits into the Healthcare Facility Fund; to provide for the creation of the Home Health Agency Trust Fund; to provide for deposits into the fund; to provide for uses of the fund; to provide for transfers into the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 451—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:380.75 and 380.76 and R.S. 36:744(U) and 851(A), and to repeal R.S. 25:380.72, 380.73, 933(2), and 941, R.S. 36:209(T), 509(R) and (T), and 801.14,

Part XXV of Chapter 13 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 38:3087.171 through 3087.185, and Part XXIX of Chapter 13 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 38:3087.241 through 3087.255, relative to boards, commissions, authorities, districts, and like entities; to provide relative to the functional organization of state government by abolishing certain boards, commissions, councils, authorities, districts, and like entities; to transfer certain powers, functions, and duties; to remove references to certain abolished entities; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Allen Parish Reservoir District and its board of commissioners, the Historic Cemetery Trust Advisory Board, and the West Ouachita Parish Reservoir District and its board of commissioners; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the governing board of the Jean Lafitte Marine Fisheries Museum and transfer specific authority over the museum to the secretary of state and the Department of State; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 452—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:51(A) and (C)(1), 55(F), and 59(M) and to enact R.S. 18:51.1, relative to registrars of voters and certain employees of the registrar; to provide relative to the manner of appointment of the registrar of voters; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the parish governing authority relative to the appointment of the registrar of voters; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the State Board of Election Supervisors relative to the appointment of the registrar of voters; to provide relative to the compensation of registrars of voters and certain employees of the registrar; to prohibit certain increases during certain time periods; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 453—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:297.8(B), relative to individual income tax credits; to provide with respect to the earned income tax credit; to remove authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to authorize unused tax credits amounts to be carried forward for subsequent tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 454—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 47:6030, relative to the provision of credit against the income tax for the cost of purchase and installation of certain solar energy systems.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 455—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1110, relative to False River; to provide for a delineation of the boundary between state ownership and private land ownership of the land adjacent to the water body; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 456—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8-L of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of RS. 45:844.61 through 844.67, relative to commercial mobile service providers and telecommunications carriers; to provide for a short title; to provide for definitions; to require disclosure of call location information in emergency situations; to provide for limited liability; to allow for protocols relative to voluntary disclosure of call location information; to provide for an emergency contact listing; to provide for enforcement and penalties; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for special effectiveness dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 457—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:176(G), relative to school membership in athletic associations; to prohibit schools from holding membership in certain interscholastic extracurricular athletic associations or organizations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 458—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SMITH, BURRELL, COX, HUNTER, JACKSON, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, NORTON, AND PIERRE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(10) and to repeal R.S. 47:293(3) and (9)(a)(xi), relative to the individual income tax; to repeal the deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 459—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:9025(D) and to enact R.S. 40:1402, relative to lottery revenues; to create the New Orleans Public Safety Fund in the state treasury; to provide for deposit, use, and investment of the money in the fund; to provide for the use of

certain unclaimed lottery prize money; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 460—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1833, relative to the Louisiana Tax Commission, to provide for the qualifications of members appointed to serve; to require certain certifications; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 461—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1276.1(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph), relative to telemedicine; to provide for a telemedicine license; to provide for the regulation of telemedicine; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 462—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:183.3(B)(2)(d), 3048.1(B)(2)(introductory paragraph), (c)(introductory paragraph), (d), (e), and (f), and R.S. 17:3048.5(D)(4) and to enact R.S. 17:3048.1(B)(2)(g), relative to student eligibility for certain programs; to align the high school curriculum requirements for eligibility for a TOPS-Tech award and a career diploma; to provide relative to certain testing requirements for eligibility for a TOPS-Tech Early Start Award; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 463—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:386(A) and (D), relative to Lawrason Act municipalities; to provide relative to the appointment of municipal officials; to provide relative to the first regular meeting of the board of aldermen when such appointments are made; to provide for a clarification as to the meaning of the first meeting of the board of aldermen; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 464—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:921(F)(1)(d), relative to employment contracts; to provide for franchise relationships; to provide with respect to the status of employees in franchises; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 465—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6039, relative to tax credits; to establish the Student Adjustment for a Valuable Education (SAVE) Credit Program; to grant transferable SAVE Fee Credits and SAVE Scholarship Credits for SAVE fees charged by a public institution of postsecondary education; to provide for the transfer of credits to such institutions and for payment of such credits to such institutions; to provide for use of such funds paid; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 466—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(B)(3)(b), relative to incentives for businesses; to provide with respect to the enterprise zone program; to provide for certain eligibility requirements; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 467—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:909.1, relative to sales of tobacco products; to provide relative to the payment and purchase of tobacco products for wholesale and retail dealers; to require specific consideration for tobacco products; to provide for notification requirements relative to a retailer's failure to timely make payments for receipt of products; to authorize the commissioner to suspend certain permits for untimely payment; to require the commissioner to promulgate rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 468—

BY REPRESENTATIVE NANCY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3893(A)(2)(b), relative to duties of real estate licensees representing clients; to eliminate the option of clients to waive a duty imposed on licensees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 469—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1512(E) and 1520(C), relative to the transportation of hazardous material; to prohibit the imposition of a civil penalty on a person who transports hazardous materials in certain circumstances; to prohibit the issuance of a citation for careless handling of hazardous material in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 470—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:996.37(A), relative to additional court costs or fees; to provide for an increase in court costs or fees for the judicial expense fund of the Sixteenth Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 471—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301.2, relative to sales and use taxes; to establish the Sales Tax Streamlining and Modernization Commission; to provide for membership; to provide for duties of the commission; to provide for the various policies to be considered by the commission; to provide with respect to commission meetings; to require certain reporting; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 472—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALFRED WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.2.2, relative to parole; to provide for additional duties for the committee on parole; to provide for parole eligibility for certain offenders; to require the committee on parole to study and review the case of certain eligible offenders; to require the committee on parole to report its findings to the governor; to provide for certain criteria the committee on parole shall consider in making its determination; to provide relative to an offender's release on parole; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 473—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1856, relative to the assessed valuation of public service property for purposes of levying ad valorem tax; to provide with respect to the protest of the

assessed valuation of certain public service properties; to authorize certain parties to protest such valuations; to provide for the mailing of notices; to require the production of certain documents; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 474—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SMITH, BURRELL, HUNTER, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, PIERRE, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(10) and to repeal R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xvii), relative to individual income tax; to provide for certain deductions for purposes of calculating individual income tax liability; to repeal the deduction for certain net capital gains; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 475—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO
AN ACT

To enact R.S.14:90(D) and 90.3(J), relative to gambling; to provide an exception to the crimes of gambling and gambling by computer; to provide an exception for certain fantasy or simulation games under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 476—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5401(B)(1)(a), (3)(a), and (7)(c) and (C)(1) and to enact R.S. 13:5401(B)(3)(c) and (7)(d) and (e) and (C)(9), relative to reentry courts; to provide for the payment of costs associated with reentry court; to provide for sentencing options for violations of reentry probation; to provide with respect to eligibility for participation in reentry court programs; to provide for penalties for failure to complete reentry probation successfully; to provide for the definition of a technical violation; to authorize the creation of a reentry division of the Twenty-Fifth Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 477—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:901(14) through (29), 909(B)(1)(b) and (2), and 924 and to enact R.S. 26:901(30) through (34) and 909(A)(6), relative to cigarette pricing; to provide for the computation for minimum wholesale and retail cigarette pricing; to provide for eligibility requirements; to authorize the

commissioner to suspend or revoke permits for failure to pay certain taxes; to provide relative to penalties; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 478—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MIGUEZ AND STUART BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1261(A)(1)(t), relative to warranty repairs; to provide relative to unauthorized acts; to provide for exemptions; to provide for certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 479—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2418(I)(1) and (2), relative to waste tires; to provide for the fees collected at the sale of tires; to provide for payments to processors from the fees collected; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 480—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(B)(1), (2)I(introductory paragraph) and (a), (b)(iii), and (c), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to refundable income tax credits; to provide for the amount of the solar energy system tax credit; to provide for the sunset of the tax credit; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 481—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(A)(1)(b), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the enterprise zone program; to provide relative to the refundable investment income tax credit for certain capital expenditures; to provide for the amount of the credit; to limit the aggregate value of tax credits which may be authorized in any fiscal year; to add a termination date for the tax credit; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 482—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:832(B), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the insurance premium tax; to provide for the amount of the tax credit for investing in certain Louisiana based investments; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 483—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(7)(c)(iii)(introductory paragraph), relative to severance tax; to provide with respect to the exemption for certain horizontally drilled wells; to provide for the period of exemption; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 484—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(D)(5) and to enact R.S. 47:6006(D)(6), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on inventory; to provide for the amount of the credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 485—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3138.5, relative to public postsecondary education institutions; to require the Board of Regents to establish a process for designating an institution as a "Governor's Military and Veteran Friendly Campus"; to provide for such designation by the governor based on information submitted by the Board of Regents; to provide eligibility criteria; to provide application procedures including required reporting; to provide for definitions; to provide for legislative findings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 486—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT JOHNSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1270(D), relative to duties and powers of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide relative to collaborative practice agreements between physicians and advanced practice registered nurses; to provide for a limitation on regulatory authority of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 487—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6) and 841.2, relative to the tobacco tax; to provide with respect to the rate of tax levied on certain tobacco products; to increase the rate of the tax levied on cigarettes; to establish the Healthier Louisiana Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of the monies in the fund; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on cigarettes in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 488—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:34.1(B)(3), 35.3(A), (B)(3)(introductory paragraph), (4), (5), and (6), (G), and (J), 37.7(A) and (B), 40.2(A) and (B)(1)(a), 79(B), (C), and (H), and 95.10(A), (C), and (E), R.S. 15:590(introductory paragraph), and R.S. 46:2136.3(A) and to enact R.S. 14:34.1(B)(4) and 35.3(B)(7) and (8), R.S. 15:590(8), and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 387, relative to domestic abuse; to provide relative to criminal offenses and procedures involving domestic abuse; to provide relative to the crime of second degree battery; to amend the definition of "serious bodily injury" in the crime of second degree battery to include strangulation; to amend the crimes of domestic abuse battery and domestic abuse aggravated assault to include family members and dating partners as possible victims; to provide for definitions of "family member" and "dating partner"; to amend the definition of "household member" and "court-monitored domestic abuse intervention program"; to provide relative to the types of offenses that are designated as "domestic abuse" for consideration in any criminal or civil proceeding; to expand the crime of stalking to specifically include written threats; to amend the penalties for a first offense conviction of stalking; to provide relative to the crime of violation of protective orders; to amend and provide relative to the penalties for certain offenses of violation of protective orders; to prohibit persons convicted of stalking from possessing a firearm; to prohibit persons subject to certain court-approved consent agreements, permanent injunctions, or protective orders from possessing a firearm for the duration of the consent agreement, injunction, or order; to provide relative to the obtaining and filing of fingerprint and other identification information of persons arrested or issued a summons for certain domestic abuse-related offenses; to provide relative to the type of information that a prosecutor is required to provide for certain domestic abuse-related offenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 489—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:283.2, relative to the nonconsensual disclosure of private images; to create the crime of nonconsensual disclosure of a private image; to provide for elements of the offense; to

provide for criminal penalties; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 490—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:82(A), relative to divided highways; to provide for usage of improved openings and crossovers on interstate highways; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 491—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:761(A)(l), relative to qualifications of applicants for a dental license; to allow persons with valid and current legal authority to reside and work in the United States to apply for a dental license; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 492—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PATRICK WILLIAMS AND SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 3494 and to enact Section 3-A of Chapter 4 of Title XXIV of Book III of the Civil Code, to be comprised of Articles 3498.1 and 3498.2, relative to liberative prescription; to increase the prescriptive period applicable to certain actions arising from contracts; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 493—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICK WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:45.2, relative to a violation of a child custody or visitation order; to create the crime of violation of a child custody or visitation order; to provide for the elements of the offense; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for a defense to prosecution; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 494—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1236.8, relative to emergency medical transportation; to require ambulance services to establish protocols for transporting patients with cardiac and stroke emergencies; to require filing of such protocols with the

Department of Health and Hospitals; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to maintain the protocols and make them available upon request; to provide relative to right of a patient to refuse emergency transport to a recommended destination; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 495—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:122(A), relative to capital outlay; to provide relative to the capital outlay process; to provide for line of credit recommendations for nonstate entity projects; to require the approval of certain line of credit recommendations; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 496—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:830(F), (G)(4), and (H)(2) and to repeal R.S. 6:830(G)(5), relative to the recordation of mortgages in favor of savings and loans; to provide relative to the reinscription of mortgages within certain periods of time; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 497—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY
AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Article 2315.9, relative to exemplary damages; to provide for exemplary damages in actions for injury caused by acts of terror; to authorize a maximum amount recoverable in such suits; to provide for court costs and attorneys fees; to provide for a prescriptive period; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 498—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.111 and 1300.113(A)(introductory paragraph), (1), and (9), and to repeal R.S. 40:1300.113(B), relative to public information concerning prices and quality of health services; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for duties of the Department of Health and Hospitals relative to collecting and reporting of healthcare data; to require promulgation of rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 499—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:415.3, relative to driver's licenses issued to certain persons upon release from incarceration; to require the issuance of a provisional Class "E" driver's license to certain persons upon their release from incarceration; to provide for exceptions; to provide that certain fees, fines, and penalties be waived; to provide for revocation of a provisional Class "E" driver's license under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 500—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GEYMAN, STUART BISHOP, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, HUVAL, JAY MORRIS, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHRODER, AND TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:33(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 39:33.3 and 51(G), relative to operating budget development; to provide for review and development of budget documents by committees of the House of Representatives; to provide for the development of an appropriation bill for the ordinary expenses of state government; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 501—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(10)(m), relative to state and local sales and use tax; to provide with respect to state and local sales and use tax exemptions; to exempt certain aircraft manufactured in this state from state and local sales and use taxes; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 502—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HENSGENS AND GEYMAN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(2), relative to student assessments; to provide relative to the length of such assessments; to limit the amount of time allowed for administration of required state assessments to students in certain grades; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to promulgate rules to implement such limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 503—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.24.2, relative to municipal sales and use tax; to authorize the town of Jonesville to levy a sales and use tax, subject to voter approval; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 504—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2371.1, relative to donations inter vivos; to provide for the effect of donations in authentic form as to certain third persons; to provide for applicability of donations inter vivos recorded during certain time periods; to provide for legislative intent; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 505—

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:413.1 and 442(A)(1)(c), relative to certain teachers first employed on or after July 1, 2015; to provide relative to employment of such teachers; to provide relative to termination of employment of such teachers; to provide relative to tenure for such teachers 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 Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 506—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:287.733(C), relative to corporation income tax; to establish a pilot program adopting combined unitary reporting for income tax purposes; to provide for definitions; to require the reporting of certain information related to corporation income and groups of corporations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 507—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(A)(1), (B)(1), (C)(2) and (3), and (D)(2)(a), relative to solar energy systems tax credits; to provide for definitions; to provide for the locations of systems for which the credit is allowed; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 508—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297.13, relative to income taxation; to provide relative to individual and corporation income tax deductions; to authorize an income tax deduction for taxpayers who employ certain qualified disabled individuals; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 509—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SMITH, BURRELL, COX, HALL, HUNTER, JACKSON, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, PIERRE, THIERRY, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:302(V), 321(L), and 331(S), relative to sales and use tax; to provide for the effectiveness and applicability of the exemptions for electric power or energy, natural gas, water, and steam; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 510—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JAMES, COX, GAINES, HALL, HUNTER, JACKSON, TERRY LANDRY, NORTON, SMITH, AND WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(B)(1) and (2)(a) and (c) and to repeal R.S. 47:6030(B)(2)(b)(iii), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the solar energy systems tax credit; to change the sunset date for the tax credit; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 511—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2018 and 2034(G), relative to insurance receiverships; to provide for the appointment of counsel in matters related to rehabilitation, liquidation, or conservation of insurers; to provide for the distributions of assets by the commissioner subject to approval of the court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 512—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:438(A), R.S. 23:890(F), and R.S. 42:456(A)(1), relative to authorized payroll deductions; to provide for payroll deductions for public employees, teachers, school board employees, and charter school employees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 513—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:331(S), relative to the state sales and use tax; to provide relative to the effectiveness and applicability of certain exemptions to the tax; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 514—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1204, relative to notice of certain actions; to provide relative to allegations of violations of certain permits; to provide for service of citation; to provide for notice of judgment or settlement; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 515—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:841(introductory paragraph), (A)(1), (C), (E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 47:841(G), relative to the tobacco tax; to increase the tax on certain cigars, cigarettes, certain smoking tobacco, and smokeless tobacco; to levy a tobacco tax on certain vapor products and electronic cigarettes; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on tobacco products in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 516—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 20(A)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax; to provide with respect to the homestead exemption; to modify eligibility requirements; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 517—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article XII, Section 8.2 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for expansion of eligibility standards for the medical assistance program, known also as Medicaid, in conformance with federal law; to authorize means by which expansion of Medicaid eligibility may be implemented; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 518—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to regular sessions of the legislature; to provide for the consideration of certain matters

during certain regular sessions; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 519—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PATRICK WILLIAMS, BURRELL, COX, GAINES, HALL, JACKSON, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, PIERRE, SMITH, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 3.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to specify that a certain current state sales and use tax shall be levied and collected for the benefit of certain local governmental subdivisions and school boards; to provide for the distribution of the avails of such tax; to exclude certain transactions from the imposition of local sales and use tax; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 520—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HENSGENS, STUART BISHOP, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HUVAL, JAY MORRIS, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHRODER, AND TALBOT

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to enact Article VII, Section 2.4 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to prohibit the granting of certain tax exemptions in certain circumstances; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 521—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(C)(20) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide with respect to ad valorem property tax; to exempt certain offshore vessels from ad valorem property tax; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 522—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(C)(20) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide with respect to ad valorem property tax; to exempt certain natural gas stores from ad valorem property tax; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 523—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHRODER, STUART BISHOP, FOIL, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HAVARD, HENSGENS, PEARSON, RICHARD, AND TALBOT

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Sections 4.1, 5, 10(F)(2)(a) and (b), 10.1(A) and (B), 10.8(A)(1) and (B), 11(A), and 27(A) and (B), Article VIII, Section 13(B), and Article XII, Section 6(A)(1) and to enact Article VII, Section 10(K) and to repeal Article VI, Section 38.1(C), Article VII, Sections 4(D) and (E), 10(D)(3) and (F)(4)(b) through (e) and (g), 10.1(C) and (D), 10.2, 10.4, 10.5, 10.8(A)(2), (3), (4), and (5) and (C), 10.9, 10.10, 10.13, 10.14, and 26, Article VIII, Section 13(A), and Article IX, Section 10 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to eliminate certain constitutional dedications and funding mandates, including supplements to the salaries of law enforcement and fire protection officers, free school books, the minimum foundation program, the hospital stabilization formula, parish allocations of severance tax, and deposits into and expenditure out of certain funds including the Lottery Proceeds Fund, Hospital Stabilization Fund, Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund, Louisiana Quality Education Support Fund, Education Excellence Fund, Health Excellence Fund, TOPS Fund, Louisiana Fund, Millennium Leverage Fund, Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund, Barrier Island Stabilization and Preservation Fund, Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund, Transportation Trust Fund, Parish Transportation Fund, Louisiana Investment Fund for Enhancement, Higher Education Louisiana Partnership Fund, the Atchafalaya Basin Conservation Fund, and Revenue Sharing Fund; to eliminate certain restrictions on budget deficit reductions; to prohibit the creation of certain statutory dedications; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 524—

BY REPRESENTATIVE OURSO

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, the preamble and Sections 1 and 4 and to add Article VIII, Sections 9.1 and 13(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize the creation of independent school districts by petition and proposition of residents of the district; to provide for governance by an elected board of trustees, to provide with respect to jurisdictional territory of any such school district; to provide with respect to its issuance of certificates; to provide as to funding through the Minimum Foundation Program; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 525—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 27(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to special funds; to dedicate certain mineral revenues to the Transportation Trust Fund; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 526—
BY REPRESENTATIVE OURSO

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 527—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.25, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Forest Heights Park Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District within the parish; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district; to provide with respect to termination of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 528—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To enact Part XII of Chapter 6 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:3101, relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide for the creation of a municipal revenue amnesty program; to provide relative to the operation and administration of the program; to prohibit certain persons from participating in the program; to authorize the city to cooperate with the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board and other political subdivisions to allow their participation in the program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 529—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:334(A), relative to expenditures of taxes collected by the Lafourche Basin Levee District from property in St. Charles Parish located west of the Mississippi River; to provide that certain provisions of law relating to expenditures of taxes collected by the Lafourche Basin Levee District from property in St. Charles Parish located west of the Mississippi River shall not apply in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 530—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:181(B)(2), 246(E) and (G), 287.86, 1621(B)(7), and 1623(C), (D), and (E)(introductory paragraph), and to enact R.S. 47:181(B)(3), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for the net operating loss deduction; to eliminate net operating loss deduction carryback; to increase net operating loss deduction carryforward; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 531—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:287.82, relative to corporate income tax; to provide with respect to certain corporate deductions; to require that certain deductible items and costs be added-back when computing corporate income tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 532—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S.47:6006(B); relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect for authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 533—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRICE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:781(9) and 793(B)(4)(d) and (C)(2), to enact R.S. 32:792(B)(17)(j), and to repeal R.S. 32:781(1) and 792(C), relative to the regulation of used motor vehicles; to provide for definitions; to amend requirements for security deposits applicable to rental purchase agreements; to restrict repossession provisions in rental purchase agreements; to require a bona fide certification process for certain advertising; to eliminate references to "brokers"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 534—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOUIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:1363(4), 1364(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), (C)(introductory paragraph), (D), (E), (G), and (I), 1365(A)(2) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and (1), and 1371 and to enact R.S. 45:1363(16), relative to the Public Service Commission; to transfer authority to regulate cable and video service providers from the secretary of state to the Louisiana Public Service Commission; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 535—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(10), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor tax credit; to exclude certain costs from the definition of

production expenditures; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 536—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PATRICK WILLIAMS, BURRELL, COX, GAINES, HALL, JACKSON, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, PIERRE, SMITH, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(4)(h), and to enact R.S. 47:301(4)(m), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the collection and remittance of sales and use tax; to provide for the definition of dealer; to provide a method for reporting and remitting taxes by certain dealers; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 537—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SMITH AND JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1990(B)(4)(a) and 3991(H) and to enact R.S. 17:1990(B)(4)(b)(v) and (c), relative to the use of property by and between the Recovery School District, charter schools, and local public schools; to provide relative to the right of use by the Recovery School District; to provide for the maintenance and repair of the property; to provide in the event of underutilization of the property; to govern use by a charter school of school buildings built or renovated with public funds in certain circumstances; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 538—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:11, relative to public benefits requirements; to provide relative to certain requirements relative to the receipt of state and local public benefits; to provide for definitions; to require all state agencies, departments, or political subdivisions of the state to verify lawful presence for any applicant requesting certain public benefits; to prohibit discrimination; to provide for exceptions relative to verification of lawful presence; to provide for certain documents for proof of lawful presence; to provide for severability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 539—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 103(4) and (5) and 2362.1, Code of Civil Procedure Article 1702(E), and R.S. 9:368, relative to domestic abuse; to provide with respect to grounds for divorce in cases of domestic abuse; to provide for the confirmation of a default judgment; to provide for the obligation to pay court costs and attorney fees; to provide for default

judgment procedures; to provide for legislative intent; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 540—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.2(C), relative to special prestige license plates; to provide for a combination special and mobility impaired prestige license plate; to provide for size, color, and design of such plate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 541—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STOKES, TIM BURNS, FOIL, LEGER, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS CROWE, MARTINY, AND NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6020(C)(1)(a) and (b), (2)(b), (D)(1) and (2)(a) and (b) and to enact R.S. 47:6020(G), relative to tax credits; to reestablish the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program; to provide for the amount and duration of the tax credit; to provide for limitations and requirements relative to eligible angel investors; to provide for a sunset date; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 542—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(1)(a) and (d) and (3)(a) and (b)(ii), relative to standards-based assessments; to prohibit the implementation of certain standards-based assessments; to provide exceptions; to provide for parental approval relative to the administration of certain alternate assessments for certain students with disabilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 543—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4015(2) and (9) and to enact R.S. 17:4021(A)(4) and 4022(7), relative to the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program; to provide relative to eligibility requirements for nonpublic schools applying to participate in the program; to require the Department of Education to develop an accountability system for participating nonpublic schools; to require compliance with the system by participating nonpublic schools; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 544—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6), relative to the tobacco tax; to authorize an additional tax to be levied on cigarettes; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on cigarettes in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 545—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 3 of Subtitle IV of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:2711 through 2717, relative to state taxes; to impose a tax on the sale of certain student assessment materials and services; to require permits for the sale of student assessment materials and services; to provide for a permit application fee; to provide for the tax rate; to provide with respect to the collection of the tax; to require certain records be maintained for inspection; to establish penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 546—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRICE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(B)(2)(introductory paragraph) and (4)(b), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to TOPS-Tech awards; to provide with respect to programs or courses of study eligible for such awards for certain students; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 547—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODRUFF
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6039, relative to tax credits; to authorize an income and corporation franchise tax credit for certain businesses that sell fresh food products in an area designated as a food desert; to provide for the amount and use of the credit; to provide for qualifications for receipt of a credit; to provide for administration of a tax credit program; to require applications; to provide for limitations; to authorize rulemaking; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 548—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(c)(introductory paragraph) and (d) and to enact 6007(C)(1)(c)(iii), (e), (f), and (g), relative to income tax credits; to provide for the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for a reduction of the movie picture

investor tax credit for a certain period; to provide for an annual program cap; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 549—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(7)(b) and (c)(i) and (iii), and (9)(b), relative to severance tax; to provide with respect to special tax treatment for severance taxes on oil, natural gas, distillate, condensate, and other similar natural resources; to provide for exemptions; to provide for suspensions; to provide for reduced tax rates; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 550—

BY REPRESENTATIVES THIERRY, BURRELL, COX, GAINES, HALL, HUNTER, JACKSON, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, PIERRE, SMITH, AND WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A), relative to individual income tax; to reduce individual income tax rates; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 551—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:302(V), 321(L), and 331(S), relative to the state sales and use tax; to provide relative to the effectiveness and applicability of exemptions to the tax; to suspend all exemptions on state sales and use tax for a certain period; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 552—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Chapter 36 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 37:2801, 2802(A)(1) and (B), 2804(B), 2805(B)(1)(introductory paragraph), 2806, 2808(introductory paragraph), 2812 through 2814, 2816(A)(introductory paragraph) and (15), (E), and (F)(1), 2817, 2818(C), 2824, and 2830(A) and to enact R.S. 37:2818(D), relative to the scope of practice of chiropractic; to change the designation of a professional licensed to practice chiropractic from "chiropractor" to "chiropractic physician"; to authorize patient counseling and ordering of diagnostic tests by chiropractic physicians; to delete restrictions relative to utilization of certain diagnostic procedures in chiropractic; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 553—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(3), relative to the individual income tax; to provide with respect to the deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions; to provide for the amount of the deduction; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 554—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:831(introductory paragraph) and (10) and (44) and 842(F)(1) through (3), relative to state licensed embalmers and funeral directors; to provide for definitions relative to branch and funeral establishments; to provide for authorized embalming performed by supervised registered interns; to require a minimum number of caskets in display rooms of funeral establishments; to provide with respect to funeral establishment management; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 555—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(4)(h), and to enact R.S. 47:301(4)(m), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the collection and remittance of sales and use tax; to provide for the definition of dealer; to provide a method for reporting and remitting taxes by certain dealers; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 556—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1803(3), (4), and (5)(b), 1805(4), 1806(2) and (3), and 1807(B)(1), (2), and (3) and (C), (D), and (E) and to repeal R.S. 51:1804, relative to tax credits; to provide for the Urban Revitalization Tax Incentive Program; to provide for definitions; to provide requirements for local governing authorities; to provide requirements of businesses seeking tax credits; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 557—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 47:6030, relative to tax credits; to repeal the solar energy systems tax credit; to provide for applicability; and to provide for effectiveness.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 558—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(7)(c)(iii)(introductory paragraph), relative to severance tax; to provide with respect to the exemption for certain horizontally drilled wells; to reduce the exemption for certain horizontally drilled wells; to provide for the period of exemption; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 559—BY REPRESENTATIVES JAY MORRIS, ABRAMSON, HARRIS,
SCHRODER, AND STOKES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:525 and R.S. 39:366.7, relative to certain state contracts; to require certain contracting entities to submit certain information to the legislative auditor; to provide for the duties of the legislative auditor relative to such requirement; to provide for certain procedures and requirements to be subject to the approval of the Legislative Audit Advisory Council; to provide for certain restrictions and contract prohibitions for failure to comply; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 560—

BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8-C of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:979.11 through 979.13, relative to the medical assistance program of the state commonly known as Medicaid; to provide for Medicaid eligibility criteria; to require state participation in the expansion of Medicaid program eligibility provided in federal law; to provide for definitions; to provide for legislative findings and intent; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 561—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Gerald L. Blow, Traci L. Newsom, individually and on behalf of her minor child Emily Johnson v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development and Richard W. Suhm"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 562—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HAVARD, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HENSGENS, JAY MORRIS, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, AND TALBOT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:24(G), 34(B)(3), and 54(B)(2)(d), relative to state funds; to require the Revenue Estimating Conference to include certain information in the official forecast; to require the Revenue Estimating Conference to designate certain money as nonrecurring; to provide for the uses of certain money designated as nonrecurring; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 563—

BY REPRESENTATIVES THIERRY AND JAMES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(D)(5), 6006.1(E)(3), 6030(B)(1) and (2)(a), 6034(C)(1)(a)(ii)(bb), (C)(1)(a)(iii), and (C)(1)(c) and (d), and 6035(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:6006(D)(6) and 6006.1(E)(4); relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 564—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1306(C)(1)(b) and (c) and to enact R.S. 32:1311(G), relative to motor vehicle inspections; to require official inspection stations to offer certificates of inspections that are valid for various periods of time; to exempt certain trailers from inspection requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 565—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:331(S), relative to the state sales and use tax; to provide relative to the effectiveness and applicability of certain exemptions to the tax; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 566—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2361(A)(2) and to repeal R.S. 47:6014(E), relative to special treasury funds; to provide for the transfer, dedication, use, and appropriations as specified of certain treasury funds; to provide for the deposit of certain funds into the state treasury; to provide for deposits into the Rapid Response Fund; to repeal the Telephone Company Property Assessment Relief Fund; to authorize the transfer of balances between funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 567—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PEARSON, STUART BISHOP, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, JAY MORRIS, POPE, RICHARD, AND SCHRODER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6301(E) and 6351(I) and R.S. 51:1787(K) and 2367(E), relative to rebates; to provide relative to the sunset of certain rebates; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 568—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1241(B) through (F) and to enact R.S. 37:1241(A)(23) and (24) and (G), relative to the disciplinary powers of the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide for prohibited acts; to provide for definitions; to provide for scope of application; to require the production of information necessary for the investigation of certain violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 569—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(8), relative to income tax credits; to provide relative to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for the transfer of credits; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for applicability; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 570—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A)(2) and (3), relative to individual income tax; to provide for a change in rates and brackets; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 571—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAMBERT, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, HUVAL, JAY MORRIS, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHRODER, AND TALBOT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:34(E) and 54(D), relative to the expenditure of state funds; to limit recommended appropriations from the state general fund in the executive budget; to limit appropriations from the state general fund by the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 572—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 34:1041, 1042(A), 1044 through 1046, and 1048, relative to steamship pilots; to provide for appointments relative to new examiners and commissioned steamship pilots; to provide for qualifications relative to steamship pilots; to provide for pilotage fees; to repeal obsolete statutory provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 573—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAZEL, HOFFMANN, AND JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1267, 1269, 1270(A)(7) and (8), 1278(A) and (B), 1285(A)(12) through (14), (C)(1), (E), (F), and (G) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(23) and to enact R.S. 37:1270(A)(9) through (11) and Part IV of Chapter 15 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1345.1 through 1345.78, and to repeal R.S. 37:1270(B)(5), 1285(H) and (I), and 1285.1, relative to the powers and duties of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for quorum; to provide for waiver of privileges; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to provide for publication of actions; to provide for procedures to be used for complaints, investigations, and formal adjudications; to provide for informal settlement conferences; to define medical incompetency and unprofessional conduct; to provide for expert physician review panels; to provide for the appointment, powers, and duties of a supervising member; to provide for emergency actions; to provide for the redesignation of certain portions of Chapter 15 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 574—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:606(A)(3)(c)(iv), relative to corporation franchise tax; to provide for the allocation of taxable capital; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for certain exclusions; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 575—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(C), relative to rates of tax; to provide for a flat state tax levied on corporation income; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 576—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 577—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:174(B)(1) and (C) and to enact R.S. 33:180(D), relative to the extension of the corporate limits of municipalities; to provide with respect to judicial suits to contest the reasonableness of proposed extension of corporate limits; to provide relative to attempts to challenge or invalidate ordinances to annex territory; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 578—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(B)(3)(b), relative to enterprise zone incentives for businesses; to provide with respect to the enterprise zone program; to provide for certain eligibility requirements; to provide for applicability; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 579—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:428(C) and 446(A), relative to oyster harvesting; to increase the rental payments for oyster leases; to increase the severance tax on oysters; to provide for a tax credit for expenses associated with maintaining an oyster lease; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 580—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:22.1, relative to education funding; to provide for a funding formula; to provide for a distribution of the formula; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 581—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:299.3, relative to off-road vehicles; to provide relative to "utility terrain vehicles" as "off-road vehicles"; to provide relative to safety equipment required for utility terrain vehicles; to provide for restrictions on speed and eligible roadways to be used by utility terrain vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 582—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:563, relative to railroad safety fees; to provide for the collection of fees for the Public Service Commission for its participation in the State Rail Safety Participation Program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 583—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 5 of Subtitle VII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:6361 through 6363, relative to rebates; to provide rebate incentives for attracting specified major events; to establish a program for such incentives; to provide for qualifications of major events; to provide for calculation of the amount of the rebates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 584—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(10) and to repeal R.S. 47:293(3) and (9)(a)(xi), relative to the individual income tax; to repeal the deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 585—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:44.3, relative to individual income tax; to provide with respect to income from a public state retirement system received from other states; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 586—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT
AN ACT

To enact Subpart S of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.146, and Part IV of Chapter 3 of Subtitle IV of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:2711, and R.S. 47:6039, relative to state taxation; to impose a tax on money transmission; to provide for the amount of the tax; to provide with respect to the collection and remittance of the avails of the tax; to provide with respect to licenses issued by the Office of Financial Institutions; to provide for the use of the avails of the tax; to establish a special treasury fund; to

provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to establish a tax credit for taxpayers who have paid the money transmission tax; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for eligibility; to provide for certain limitations; to authorize rulemaking; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 587—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgments in the suit entitled "Steve Brengettsy, et al v. the State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 588—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgments in the suit entitled "Theresa Melancon and Sheryl Dupre, curatrix, as representative of Theresa L. Melancon, an interdict v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al" consolidated with "Steven Melancon v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 589—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(A)(3) and (B)(3), relative to incentives for businesses; to provide with respect to the enterprise zone program; to provide for requirements for contracts to receive tax credits and rebate payments; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 590—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COX
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2067, relative to air quality; to require a fence-line air monitoring system at certain facilities; to provide for definitions; to provide for submission and approval of an air monitoring plan; to provide for notices; to provide for public comment and inspection; to provide for the authority of the Department of Environmental Quality; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 591—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(A), (C), (D), (E)(1)(a), (c), (d), and (e) and (2)(a), (c), (d), and (e), and (F)(1), (3), (4), and (6), 467(1) through (4) and (6), 501, 502, 503(A)(1), 1256, and 1280.22(C), relative to elections; to provide for election dates for certain elections; to provide for qualifying for certain elections; to provide for the opening of the qualifying period for certain elections; to provide for the close of the qualifying period for certain elections; to provide relative to withdrawal by a candidate; to provide procedures and requirements for withdrawal; to provide for the effect of a withdrawal; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the secretary of state relative to a withdrawal; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 592—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:70, 73, 75(A) and (B), 78, 201, 403, 456(A), 461(A) (introductory paragraph) and (2) and (B), 462, 466, 506(B), and 606(A) and to enact R.S. 8:705.1, relative to cemetery authorities; to increase certain regulatory, application, and examination fees established by the Louisiana Cemetery Board; to authorize the board to impose certain fines; to provide for exempt certificates of authority; to provide for fees relative to renewal of exempt certificates of authority; to clarify provisions relative to corporate entities engaged in cemetery business; to provide relative to required content of annual reports of trustees and cemetery authorities; to provide for application requirements and fees relative to sales of cemetery space, rights of use, or interment in cemetery structures and gardens; to provide for exemptions; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 593—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1305(A) and to repeal R.S. 32:1306(E), relative to motor vehicle inspection certificates and stations; to require the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, to develop a system of electronic filing of inspection certificates; to provide for the requirements of such a system; to authorize the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, to establish fees for motor vehicle inspection violations; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 594—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1254(G)(4), 1256.1(A)(1) and (2)(d), 1257(C), 1258(A)(introductory paragraph) and (6),

1261(A)(1)(n) and (r), 1264(A), (B), and (D), 1270.5(A), (D), (E), and (J), 1270.17(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c), and (B), and 1270.29(A)(1)(c) and (B), relative to the distribution and sale of vehicles; to provide for technical amendments; to establish a procedural requirement for furnishing proof of insurance; to amend procedural requirement for issuing notice; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 595—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1908(F) and 1925.11 and to repeal R.S. 47:1925.9 and 1925.10, relative to expenses of assessors; to authorize an automobile expense allowance for assessors; to provide for certain limitations and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 596—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:183(A)(introductory paragraph) and (4)(b) and (B), 217(B)(introductory paragraph) and (D)(1)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (d), and 218(A) and R.S. 27:361(B)(4)(b) and (c), 438(B)(4), and 439(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 4:251.1(C) and 252(D) and Part VI of Chapter 4 of Title 4 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 4:280, and R.S. 27:361(B)(4)(a)(iv), relative to gaming funds payable to certain horse racing entities; to require such funds be sent to the state treasury for deposit in the newly created Horse Industry Economic Sustainability Fund; to impose state travel and other regulations on the expenditure of such funds; to provide for review by the legislative auditor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 597—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:4.3, 2044, and 2381, relative to environmental audits; to provide for a privilege from disclosure of certain information contained in voluntary environmental audit reports in civil or administrative proceedings under the auspices of the commissioner of conservation, the Department of Environmental Quality, and the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for definitions; to prohibit administrative or civil penalties for a violation disclosed as part of a voluntary environmental audit; to provide for a voluntary environment audit procedure; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 598—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FOIL, BARROW, LEGER, AND THIERRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:802.24 and R.S. 46:1722(1), (2), and (7)(introductory paragraph) and (h), 1723, and 1725(B)(2), to enact R.S. 17:3093.1, R.S. 36:651(T)(6), and R.S. 46:1722(8) and (9) and 1726 through 1729, and to repeal R.S. 36:259(Y) and R.S. 46:1722(4) through (6), 1724, and 1725(D), relative to the ABLÉ Account Program established by the Louisiana ABLÉ Act; to provide for implementation of the ABLÉ Account Program in conformance with applicable federal laws; to provide relative to the composition and functions of the ABLÉ Account Authority; to provide for cooperative endeavors between the ABLÉ Account Authority and the Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority; to provide for concurrent operation and management of the ABLÉ Account Program and the Louisiana Student Tuition Assistance and Revenue Trust Program; to authorize rulemaking and oversight thereof by certain legislative committees; to provide relative to treatment by certain assistance programs of funds in ABLÉ Accounts; to provide relative to tax treatment of amounts deposited in ABLÉ Accounts; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 599—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:407.23(B)(5), relative to the early childhood care and education network; to provide relative to the implementation timeline of the early childhood care and education network; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 600—
BY REPRESENTATIVES GEYMAN AND HENSGENS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:951(6), 954, 963(C), 968(E)(2), and 970, relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to provide relative to the procedures for adopting and contesting the validity of rules; to provide for definitions; to provide for standards; to provide relative to the adoption of certain emergency rules; to provide relative to gubernatorial suspension or veto of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 601—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:1161.1, relative to members elected to the Public Service Commission; to require certain age, residence, and domicile requirements for elected members; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 602—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT JOHNSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1839, relative to health insurance; to provide for the collection of coinsurance and deductibles by health insurance issuers; to provide for definitions; to provide for exclusions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 603—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1149 and 1160 and R.S. 46:2403(D), relative to laws providing for safe and anonymous relinquishment of an infant known as the safe haven law; to provide for duties of the Department of Children and Family Services relative to public awareness of the safe haven law; to provide for communication plans and dissemination of public information by the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide for information and training resources to be utilized by designated emergency care facilities; to authorize funding by the Children's Trust Fund of outreach concerning the safe haven law; to provide for reporting; to provide a short title; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 604—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(9) through (11), (D)(2)(c) through (e), 6015(B)(3)(i)(i), (4) and (5)(introductory paragraph) and (F)(5), 6022(C)(10)(b)(vii), (F)(2), (3)(b) and (c), 6023(B)(1), (D)(2)(c) and (d), (4) and (5), and 6034(B)(4) and (7)(b), and (E)(1)(e) and (f), and to enact R.S. 36:104(B)(9) and 104.1, R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(e) and (D)(2)(f), 6015(B)(6), 6023(D)(2)(e), and 6034(E)(2)(c), relative to tax credits; to provide for the powers and duties of the Department of Economic Development; to require an independent verification of expenditures for certification of certain tax credits; to establish procedures and program requirements; to provide definitions; to authorize the imposition of a fee; to authorize contracting with certain private entities; to establish requirements for certain contracting entities; to authorize rulemaking; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 605—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:142(B)(introductory paragraph), (C), and (D), 146(A)(1), 147(A) and (C)(1), 148(B)(1)(introductory paragraph), (2)(introductory paragraph), (3), (4), (5), (7), (8), (9), (10), (11), (12), (13), and (15), 152(B)(1), (2), (5), (8), (13), and (15), 153(B)(1), (2), (3), (4), and (6), 155(B)(4) and (8), 157(B)(1) and (2) and (C), 159(D), 160(B)(1), (2), (5), and (7), 161(A) and (E)(1), (6), (7), (8), (9), and (13), 164(B), (C), and (F)(1), 165(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (3), and (E), and 167(C), to enact Part I-A of Code Title XIV of Chapter 1 of

Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:184, 184.1, 184.2, 184.3, 184.4, 184.5, 184.6, 184.7, and 184.8, and to repeal R.S. 15:169, 178, and 182, relative to indigent defender representation; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the Louisiana Public Defender Board; to provide relative to the provision of public defender services in capital cases; to provide relative to the establishment of a statewide system providing indigent defender services in capital cases; to establish the Committee for the Provision of Indigent Defense Services in Capital Cases; to provide for definitions; to provide for the membership, powers, duties, responsibilities, obligations, and compensation of the committee; to require the committee to develop a recommended master plan for the establishment of a statewide system for providing capital public defender services; to provide for the approval of the master plan by the Louisiana Supreme Court; to request that the Louisiana Supreme Court enact or amend its rules to establish and implement the master plan; to remove the responsibility of providing indigent defender services in capital cases from the Louisiana Public Defender Board; to create the Louisiana Capital Defense Services Fund; to provide for the appropriation and use of monies in the fund; to provide relative to the appropriation and use of monies in the Louisiana Public Defender Fund; to transfer all powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the Louisiana Public Defender Board with regard to capital cases to the Committee for the Provision of Indigent Defense Services in Capital Cases, the Louisiana Supreme Court, and the district courts for each judicial district of the state; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 606—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:227, 265, 287.664, 297.2, the heading of 6005 and (D), 6007(C)(1), 6015(J), 6023(C)(1), and 6105, to enact R.S. 25:1226.4(D), R.S. 47:34(F), 35(E), 37(I), 287.748(D), 287.749(E), 287.752(D), 287.753(E), 287.755(I), 287.758(D), 297(Q), 297.4(C), 297.8(C), 297.9(D), 6004(C), 6005(G), 6006(E), 6006.1(G), 6008(D), 6009(F), 6012(F), 6013(D), 6014(F), 6015(K), 6016.1(N), 6017(C), 6018(F), 6022(K), 6025(D), 6032(H), 6034(K), 6035(H), 6036(K), 6037(I), 6104(D), 6106(E), and 6107(C), and R.S. 51:1787(K), 1807(F), 1924(H), 2354(D), 2399.3(C), and 3085(F), and to repeal R.S. 47:287.756, 287.759, 297(G), 6005(D)(2), 6010, 6028, 6029, and 6033, relative to tax credits; to provide for the sunset of certain tax credits; to repeal certain tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 607—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STUART BISHOP, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, JAY MORRIS, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, AND TALBOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:227, 265, 287.664, 297.2, the heading of 6005 and (D), 6007(C)(1), 6015(J), 6023(C)(1), and 6105, to enact R.S. 25:1226.4(D), R.S. 47:34(F), 35(E), 37(I), 287.748(D), 287.749(E), 287.752(D), 287.753(E), 287.755(I), 287.758(D), 297(Q), 297.4(C), 297.8(C), 297.9(D), 6004(C), 6005(G), 6006(E), 6006.1(G), 6008(D), 6009(F), 6012(F),

6013(D), 6014(F), 6015(K), 6016.1(N), 6017(C), 6018(F), 6022(K), 6025(D), 6032(H), 6034(K), 6035(H), 6036(K), 6037(I), 6104(D), 6106(E), and 6107(C), and R.S. 51:1787(K), 1807(F), 1924(H), 2354(D), 2399.3(C), and 3085(F), and to repeal R.S. 47:287.756, 287.759, 297(G), 6005(D)(2), 6010, 6028, 6029, and 6033, relative to tax credits; to provide for the sunset of certain tax credits; to repeal certain tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 608—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:562(Q), relative to the limit of indebtedness of school districts; to authorize an increase in bonded indebtedness in certain parishes, with voter approval; 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 Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 609—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT JOHNSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 1 of Title XIII of the Louisiana Children's Code, formerly comprised of Articles 1301.1 through 1308.2, to be comprised of Articles 1301.1 through 1309.3, and R.S. 46:236.3(I), relative to family support enforcement; to provide for a revision of the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act; to provide with respect to procedures for the registration, recognition, enforcement, and modification of family support orders; to extend applicability to foreign countries; to provide for jurisdiction; to provide procedures applicable to initiating and responding tribunals; to provide for the duties of the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide definitions; to provide with respect to income withholding to enforce a child support obligation; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 610—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS, GEYMAN, SCHRODER, STUART BISHOP, POPE, PEARSON, JAY MORRIS, HAVARD, BERTHELOT, WILLMOTT, SCHEXNAYDER, TALBOT, HENSGENS, RICHARD, AND HARRISON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:101(A), 102(A), 103, 104(A)(1), (5), and (7) and (B)(2), 106(A), 107(A), and 108(B)(7), relative to the office of the lieutenant governor; to place the Department of Economic Development in the office of the lieutenant governor; to provide for the powers, functions, and duties of the lieutenant governor relative to the department; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 611—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1431(34) and 1448.3, relative to certain real estate contracts; to define a net listing agreement; to prohibit net listing agreements between real estate brokers and sellers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 612—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:193(B), R.S. 9:3583, R.S. 12:1041(A), R.S. 14:107.2(A) and 326(C), R.S. 15:1204.2(B)(4) and 1402(A), R.S. 17:111, 158(F), 1676(D), 2053(D)(3), 3402(A), and 3991(B)(3), R.S. 22:1452(C)(25), 1454(A), and 1964(7)(f), R.S. 23:332 and 2043(B)(1), R.S. 27:27.2(B) and 27.4, R.S. 37:1025(B), 1107(C), 1360.23(I), 1437(D), 1455(A)(28), 2654(C)(1), 2719, 3425(C), and 3447(C), R.S. 38:2315, R.S. 39:1411, R.S. 40:1232(C), 2113.4(A), 2113.6(A)(1) and (B), 2120.35(B)(5), 2125(B), 2403(H)(1), and 2504, R.S. 46:437.11(A), 1104, 1134, 1154, 1407(B)(1)(e)(introductory paragraph) and (F), 1995, and 2205, R.S. 47:37(C) and 287.755(C), R.S. 48:274.1(C), R.S. 49:145 and 146(A)(1), and R.S. 51:2231(A), 2232(5), 2235(16)(a), 2236(A), 2237(2), 2247, 2248, 2254(1) and (2), 2255(A)(introductory paragraph), 2602(A), 2606(A)(1) through (5), 2607(A) and (C), and 2608 and to enact R.S. 23:302(9) and (10); relative to discrimination; to expand the application of various provisions relative to discrimination by adding additional criteria, including gender identity or expression and sexual orientation and, in some cases, age, sex, or disability; to define terms for purposes of the Louisiana Employment Discrimination Law and for unlawful discrimination in employment; to provide for the definition of hate crimes; to remove certain activities from provisions for the attorney general to institute civil proceedings against certain corporations; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 613—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(M) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide with respect to ad valorem property tax; to exempt certain items constituting business inventory from ad valorem property tax; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 614—

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(C)(20) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide with respect to ad valorem property tax; to exempt certain items constituting business inventory from ad valorem property tax; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; ; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 615—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VI, Section 29(A) and Article VII, Sections 4(C) and 27(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana and to add Article VI, Section 29.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize a parish governing authority to levy and collect a sales tax on motor fuels; to require approval of the electors; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 616—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to income taxation; to provide with respect to the deductibility of federal income taxes paid for purposes of computing state income taxes; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 617—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JIM MORRIS, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, FOIL, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, HUVAL, JAY MORRIS, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, AND TALBOT
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10(K) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to state funds; to limit the transfer and appropriation of monies out of dedicated funds; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 618—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 14(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to public funds; to authorize public funds to be used to invest in a state infrastructure bank; to authorize the loan, pledge, or guarantee of public funds by a state infrastructure bank for transportation projects; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 619—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Sections 10(F)(4)(h) and 10.15 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to support of political subdivisions of the state; to establish a dedication of certain state revenues for support of certain political subdivisions; to establish the Ad Valorem Tax Abatement Fund as a special fund within the state treasury; to provide for sources of revenue for the fund; to provide with respect to the deposit, allocation, and distribution of monies in the fund; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 620—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(M) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide with respect to ad valorem property tax; to exempt certain items constituting business inventory; to prohibit the loss of revenue associated with this exemption from impacting the calculation of millage rates by taxing authorities; to require taxing authorities to absorb the loss of revenue resulting from the exemption; to prohibit the reappraisal and valuation of property for purposes of millage adjustment under certain circumstances; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 621—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VI, Section 29(A) and Article VII, Sections 4(C) and 27(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana and to add Article VI, Section 29.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize a parish governing authority to levy and collect a sales tax on motor fuels; to require approval of the electors; to provide that the avails of any such tax shall be used solely to supplement state and federal funding for the construction and maintenance of state highways and bridges located in the parish where collected; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 622—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(AA), relative to public bidding; to allow the city of Lafayette, the parish of Lafayette, and Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government to utilize construction time and life cycle costs as factors in determining the lowest responsive bidder, in addition to bid cost; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 623—

BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 36 of Title 13 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5761 through 5764, relative to the Webster Parish coroner's office; to provide for the creation of a taxing district to fund the Webster Parish coroner's office; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to authorize the levy and collection of ad valorem taxes; to provide for the use of such proceeds; to provide for the powers and duties of the coroner's office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 624—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.732(B)(2) and 287.738(F)(1), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for corporate tax expenditures; to provide for corporate income tax exclusions and deductions; to reduce the amount of certain corporate income tax exclusions and deductions; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 625—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 101, 625(A) and (D), 640(A), 641, 644(A)(7), 645(A), 646(D), 674, 675(B), 682(B)(5), 689, 700, 702(C)(5) and (J), 720(A), 724(B), 1133, and 1134 and R.S. 46:283(C)(1)(a)(introductory paragraph) and to enact Children's Code Articles 644(A)(8) and (9), 646(E), 682(B)(6), 684(E)(5), 702(K), 710(A)(4), 724.1, and R.S. 46:283(C)(1)(a)(v) and (D), relative to children who enter state custody through child in need of care proceedings; to authorize means of delivery of delivery of documents, notifications, and reports relating to such proceedings; to require instruction to persons before the court relative to achieving permanency in child placement; to provide for duties of persons to advise the court of the whereabouts of relatives of children involved in child in need of care proceedings; to provide relative to case plans and case review reports for children involved in such proceedings; to provide relative to hearings and dispositions on custody, safety plans, and permanency; to provide for notice of filing of surrender of parental rights; to provide for temporary and successor guardianship; to establish a standard applicable to parental decisions by foster caregivers; to provide relative to training for prospective foster care providers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 626—

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1111.1, relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for additional ethical standards for members and former members of the State Board of Elementary and

Secondary Education, the state superintendent of education and the former state superintendent of education, and related persons; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 627—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5706(A) and (B)(2) and (3) and 5710, relative to coroners; to authorize an increase in fees for specific services; to eliminate fees relative to assisting physicians; to require each parish to provide suitable quarters for the coroner's office and decedent storage; to provide relative to autopsy fees and expert fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 628—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:287.82, relative to corporate income tax; to provide with respect to certain corporate deductions; to require that certain deductible items and costs be added-back when computing corporate income tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 629—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, WESLEY BISHOP, COX, GAINES, HALL, HUNTER, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, NORTON, PIERRE, SMITH, AND WOODRUFF
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:1226.4(C)(1) and (2), R.S. 47:34(B)(1), 35(C), 37(C), 227, 265, 287.664, 287.748(B)(1), 287.749(B), 287.752(B)(1), 287.753(C), 287.755(C), 287.758(B), 287.759(A) and (C)(3), 297(A), (B), (C)(1), (D)(2), (F), (G)(2), (H)(1), (I)(2), (J)(4), (K)(2)(a), (L)(3), (M)(1), (N)(1) and (2), and (P)(2), 297.2, 297.4(A)(1)(a)(ii), (2), (3), and (4), 297.6(A)(1) and (5), 297.8(A)(introductory paragraph), 297.9(A), 6004(A)(2), the heading of 6005, 6005(C)(1) and (D)(1), 6006(D)(5), 6006.1(E)(3), 6007(C)(1)(c)(introductory paragraph), 6008(A), 6009(D)(1), 6012(B), 6013(A), 6014(A), 6015(C)(2) and (D), 6016.1(B)(1) and (E)(5), 6017(A), 6018(C), 6019(A)(1)(a), 6020(D)(1) and (2)(a), 6022(D)(2)(introductory paragraph), 6023(C)(1) and (3)(a), 6025(A)(1), 6026(D)(2) and (3), 6030(B)(1) and (2)(a), 6032(C) and (F), 6034(C)(1)(a)(ii)(bb), (C)(1)(a)(iii), (C)(1)(c), and (d), 6035(C)(1), 6036(C)(1)(b) and (1)(2)(a)(i), 6037(B)(1) and (2)(b), (c), and (d), 6104(A), 6105, 6106(A), and 6107(A), and R.S. 51:1787(A)(1)(b) and (2), 1807(C), 1924(B)(1) and (2), 2354(A) and (B), 2399.3(A)(2)(a) and (b), and 3085(B)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 47:297.4(A)(1)(a)(iii), 6006(D)(6), 6006.1(E)(4), 6007(C)(1)(c)(iii) and (d), and 6022(D)(3), relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 630—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 47:33, relative to the individual income tax credit for net income taxes paid to other states by resident taxpayers.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 631—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(7)(c)(iii)(introductory paragraph), and to enact R.S. 47:633(7)(d), relative to severance tax; to provide with respect to the tax on production from certain horizontally drilled wells; to provide for the amount and duration of the exemption for certain horizontally drilled wells; to provide with respect to the determination of the price of oil and natural gas for purposes of the exemption; to provide for duties of the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources; to provide for applicability of the exemption; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 632—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2315, R.S. 51:2231 (Section heading), 2235(16)(a), 2236(A), and 2237(2) and to enact R.S. 23:335 and R.S. 38:1553.1 and 2183; relative to discrimination; to provide with respect to sexual orientation, gender identity, and gender expression; to prohibit discrimination with respect to employment; to prohibit discrimination with respect to public services; to prohibit discrimination when awarding public contracts and procurement contracts; to provide that parishes and municipalities may prohibit discrimination; to provide with respect to local human rights commission; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 633—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JAMES, GAINES, HALL, HUNTER, JACKSON, AND SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(8), (9)(introductory paragraph), and (10), (C)(4) and (5), and (D)(2)(d)(i) to enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(e) and (f) and to repeal R.S. 47:6006(C)(6), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor income tax credit; to provide for definitions; to provide for transferability of the motion picture investor credit; to provide for an annual program cap for the motion picture investor tax credit; to require publication of production audit reports; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 634—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:77.1, relative to special treasury funds; to dedicate certain mineral revenues to the Transportation Trust Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 635—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6301(A)(1) and 6351(B)(1) and (C) and R.S. 51:1787(A)(1)(a)(ii), 2455(A), 3114(B), and 3121(C)(3)(b)(i) and (C)(4)(c) and to enact R.S. 51:2367(E), relative to rebates; to reduce the amount of rebates; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 636—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:13(D) and 301(28)(e); relative to sales tax exemptions; to provide relative to certain tax exemption certificates; to provide relative to certain farm equipment; to provide relative to fees, and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 637—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6035(E), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for conversion of certain vehicles to alternative fuel usage; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 638—

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1322(B)(2) and R.S. 49:316.1, relative to state agencies; to provide for fees charged by state departments, agencies, boards, and commissions on certain transactions made by credit cards, debit cards, and similar payments of obligations; to provide for electronic payments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 639—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Sections 4(C) and 27(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to excise taxes on motor fuels; to authorize certain political subdivisions to levy an excise tax on certain motor fuels; to provide for the use of the monies; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 640—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1461(B), relative to election offenses; to provide relative to the criminal penalties for certain election offenses; to provide for the criminal penalties for bribery of voters; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 641—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:30.6(D), (G), (J), and (L), relative to the central computer system for monitoring of electronic gaming devices; to remove the requirement that the central computer be located within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, gaming division; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 642—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A), 79, 293(10), and 295(B) and to repeal R.S. 47:293(3) and (9)(a)(xi) and 294, relative to the individual income tax; to provide for the calculation of individual income tax liability; to provide for the rates and brackets on individual income tax; to provide for certain deductions and credits; to reduce certain deductions and credits; to repeal the deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 643—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON
AN ACT

To enact Subpart S of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.146; to create the State Employer Health Insurance Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for deposits into the fund; to provide for uses of the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 644—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1595.2, relative to the certain contractual agreements entered into by the state; to prohibit the expenditure of state funds for certain agreements unless certain conditions are met; to require amendment of certain contractual agreements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 645—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:79, relative to toll credits; to require toll credits to be used for highway projects within the area the toll credits were generated; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 646—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:34(A) and to enact R.S. 39:2(15.1) and (15.2), 24.1, and 36(A)(7), relative to budgetary procedures; to define incentive expenditures; to provide for an incentive expenditure forecast; to provide for the inclusion of the incentive expenditure forecast in the executive budget; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 647—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:554(B), relative to the Legislative Audit Advisory Council; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and authority of the council; to provide relative to an auditee or local auditee that fails to comply with recommendations or to correct findings contained in an audit report; to require the council to conduct a hearing under certain circumstances; to require the council to direct the treasurer to withhold funds under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 648—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:355(C) and (D) and to enact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(5) and 355(B)(3), relative to access to school-related information and materials; to provide relative to access by parents and teachers to assessments administered in public schools; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 649—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:832(B), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the insurance premium tax; to provide for the amount of the tax credit for investing in certain Louisiana based investments; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 650—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:461.4(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 39:461.4(B)(3) and (C)(3), relative to the interim emergency board; to require the board to provide additional information to members of the legislature; to provide notification to members of the status of ballots; to require ballots to be invalidated and reissued if a sufficient number are not received by a particular date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 651—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES AND SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:114(B)(1), (E), and (F) and to repeal R.S. 18:114(J), relative to voter registration; to provide for voter registration through driver's license facilities; to provide procedures and requirements for voter registration through driver's license facilities; to provide procedures and requirements for application to obtain, renew, or change the name or address on a driver's license or identification card issued by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide relative to the powers, functions, and duties of the deputy secretary for public safety services of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, employees of driver's license facilities, the secretary of state, and registrars of voters; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 652—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:254(D)(4) and Part XIV of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:460.101 through 460.104, relative to duties of the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals in the operation of the Medicaid program; to provide a system of Medicaid reimbursement for certain hospitals; to provide relative to state hospitals operated by private entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 653—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON, REYNOLDS, AND HENRY BURNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:154.1(A)(3), relative to minimum requirements for instructional time; to provide for applicability of such requirements to certain public schools and school systems under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 654—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

Withdrawn from the files of the House prior to introduction.

HOUSE BILL NO. 655—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.72, 305.73, and 305.74 and to repeal R.S. 47:301(7)(h), (14)(h), and (16)(p), relative to state sales and use taxes; to repeal certain exclusions from the state sales and use taxes; to provide for certain exemptions from the state sales and use taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 656—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:140.62(A)(3) and (4), relative to state planning and development districts; to move St. Mary Parish to a new district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 657—

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:318(A) and to enact Subpart S of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle 39 of The Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.146, relative to state sales and use tax; to provide for a dedication of certain sales and use tax revenues for support of certain political subdivisions; to establish a special fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide with respect to distributions from the fund; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 658—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:246(E) and 287.86(A) and (B), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for the net operating loss deduction; to reduce net operating loss deduction carryback; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 659—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:227, 265, 287.664, 297.2, the heading of 6005 and (D), 6007(C)(1), 6015(J), 6023(C)(1), and 6105, to enact R.S. 25:1266.4, 47:34(F), 35(E), 37(I), 287.748(D), 287.749(E), 287.752(D), 287.753(E), 287.755(I), 287.758(D), 297(Q), 297.4(C), 297.8(C), 297.9(D), 6004(C), 6005(G), 6006(E), 6006.1(G), 6008(D), 6009(F), 6012(F), 6013(D), 6014(F), 6015(K), 6016.1(N), 6017(C), 6018(F), 6022(K), 6025(D), 6032(H), 6034(K), 6035(H), 6036(K), 6037(I), 6104(D), 6106(E), and 6107(C), and 51:1787(K), 1807(F), 1924(H), 2354(D), 2399.3(C), and 3085(F), and to repeal R.S. 47:287.756, 287.759, 297(G), 6005(D)(2), 6010, 6028, 6029, and 6033, relative to tax credits; to provide for the sunset of certain tax credits; to repeal certain tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 660—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(e), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor income tax credit; to provide for an annual program cap for the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 661—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1521(H) and (I) and to enact R.S. 32:1521(J) and (K), relative to the transportation of hazardous materials; to provide for certain restrictions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 662—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARTER, BROADWATER, CARMODY,

LOPINTO, PRICE, REYNOLDS, AND SMITH AND SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(A)(4) and (E)(1), relative to state content standards; to provide a process for the review of state

content standards including specified time lines; to provide for a standards review committee including committee membership and selection; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to promulgate rules for the development, implementation, and review of state content standards; to provide for definitions; 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 Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 663—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

To provide for the establishment and reestablishment of agency ancillary funds, to be specifically known as internal service funds, auxiliary accounts, or enterprise funds for certain state institutions, officials, and agencies; to provide for appropriation of funds; and to regulate the administration of said funds.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 664—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(C) and (D) and to enact R.S. 47:6006(E), relative to tax credits; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for renditions of inventory; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 665—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(14)(g)(i)(bb), relative to sales and use tax; to provide for the local sales and use tax exclusion on repairs to tangible property; to exclude repairs made to certain aircraft from sales of services by certain taxing authorities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 666—
BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:213(B), 291(D) and (E), 705(C)(2), 786(D), and 1191(C) and to enact R.S. 6:213(C), relative to banking regulations; to provide relative to articles of incorporation; to allow and restrict authorizing reversion of ownership interests; to allow and restrict limited liability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 667—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.49(F), (G), and (H), relative to energy efficiency in state buildings; to provide for the installation of energy efficient light-emitting diode or LED bulbs in state buildings; to provide for the savings generated from the installation of energy efficient light-emitting diode or LED bulbs to fund state issued bonds; to authorize the installation of solar energy equipment on state buildings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 668—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 56:57.2 as enacted by Act 283 of the 1987 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature and R.S. 56:57.2 as enacted by Act 891 of the 1987 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, as amended, relative to enforcement of the federal requirement for the use of turtle excluder devices in shrimp trawls; to repeal the prohibition on such enforcement; to require the Louisiana Shrimp Task Force to report to the legislature recommendations for legislation applicable to enforcement of the federal requirements for the use of turtle excluder devices in shrimp trawls used in state waters; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 669—
BY REPRESENTATIVES REYNOLDS, BROADWATER, CARMODY,
CARTER, PRICE, AND SMITH AND SENATOR APPEL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(2) and (5), relative to assessments used by the Department of Education as part of the Louisiana Educational Assessment Program; to require inclusion of certain elements in such assessments; to provide relative to administering and scoring of such assessments and the results thereof; to provide relative to the procurement of such assessments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 670—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BILLIOT AND WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To enact Subpart VV of Part 1 of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.291, relative to state individual income tax return checkoffs for certain donations; to provide for a method for individuals to donate all or a portion of any refund due to them to The Extra Mile, Southeast La., Inc., The Extra Mile, Region IV, Inc., The Extra Mile, Region VI, Inc., and The Extra Mile, Region VIII, Inc.; to provide for the administration and disbursement of donated monies; to provide for reporting; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 671—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:100.146, relative to the dedication of state revenues; to dedicate the avails of certain state taxes on tobacco, nicotine products, and alcoholic beverages; to establish the Ad Valorem Tax Abatement Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit and use of monies in the fund; to authorize distributions from the fund for support of certain political subdivisions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 672—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS, ARMES, BROWN, HENRY BURNS, GEYMAN, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENRY, HENSGENS, HODGES, HOLLIS, IVEY, MACK, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, AND WHITNEY AND SENATORS CROWE, KOSTELKA, AND JOHN SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(A)(4), (E), and (F)(1)(c), (d), and (f) and to enact R.S. 17:24.4(A)(5), (6), and (7), (F)(1)(g), and (K), relative to state content standards and related assessments; to provide for the development, review, and adoption of state content standards for required subjects by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide a process for standards development and review; to provide for participation by Louisiana citizens; to provide for public hearings by public school governing authorities and public comment relative to the standards; to provide for legislative approval of the standards; to provide for the promulgation of rules for implementation of the standards and assessments; to provide relative to the standards and assessments to be used in certain school years; to remove requirements that standards-based assessments be based on rigorous standards comparable at the national level; to provide for definitions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 673—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1542(3) and (6) and 1543(B), relative to insurance licensure requirements; to provide that consulting services providing insurance advice or recommendations be licensed as producers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 674—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITNEY
AN ACT

To rename a portion of Louisiana Highway 24 in Gray, Louisiana, as the "Northpark Bridge"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 675—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(b)(i) and to enact R.S. 17:3048.1(Z), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to the minimum American College Test score required for eligibility for the Opportunity award; to provide with respect to the monetary amounts for awards granted pursuant to the program; to provide relative to future increases in award amounts; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 676—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:306(A)(3), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide for the amount of dealer compensation for the accounting for and the remittance of taxes to the state; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 677—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 6-B of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:671 through 675 and to repeal R.S. 642, relative to minimum wage; to establish a state minimum wage; to raise the minimum wage paid to tipped workers; to provide for penalties for violations; to provide for exceptions; to repeal the prohibition of the establishment of mandatory local wage and benefit rates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 678—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(1) through (8), (9)(intro.para.) and (10) through (16), (C)(1)(c)(i), and (D)(6), 6022(C)(1) through (3), (4)(introductory paragraph), (5)(a) (introductory paragraph), (6) through (9), 10(a), (11) through (14), and (D)(2)(a), and to enact R.S. 47:6007(B)(17) and (18), 6022(B)(15) and (16), and (L), and to repeal R.S. 47:6007(D)(8), relative to tax credits; to establish requirements for inclusion of certain Louisiana promotional content or activity related to productions eligible for certain entertainment industry tax credits; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide with respect to the digital interactive media and software tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 679—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To enact Subpart D-3 of Part III of Chapter 7 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1651 through 1660, relative to conveyance devices; to provide for creation of the Conveyance Devices Safety Pilot Program; to provide for intent and purposes; to provide for definitions; to require the reporting of deaths or injuries on conveyance devices; to provide for a three-year pilot program; to require third party inspections under certain circumstances; to provide for the promulgation of administrative rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 680—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1702(D)(1), (2)(e), (F), and (G)(2) and R.S. 56:425(A) and to enact R.S. 56:425(F), (G), (H), and (I), relative to private oyster leases on private water bottoms; to authorize private oyster leases on private water bottoms; to provide for clarification of water bottom ownership in relation to private oyster leases; to provide for a presumption of legally harvested oysters from a private oyster lease on a private water bottom; to authorize reclamation of water bottoms through the development of engineered oyster reefs on private oyster leases; to provide relative to permits for reclamation projects that involve private oyster leases; to provide for challenges to state claims to the ownership of certain water bottoms; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 681—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3394.3(C)(1)(y), relative to the issuance of bonds for financing certain capital improvement projects on properties within the Louisiana Community and Technical Colleges System; to provide with respect to the list of projects to be financed from the issuance of bonds; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 682—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:2323(E), relative to ad valorem property tax; to provide with respect to assessments of certain immovable property; to define affordable rental housing for purposes of assessment; to provide for methods to be used for valuation of affordable rental housing; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 683—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY AND DANAHAY AND SENATORS
JOHNS AND MORRISH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:2762, relative to uncompensated care costs for hospital inpatient acute care services; to require a methodology for reimbursing uncompensated care costs in Calcasieu Parish; to provide for legislative oversight; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 684—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the judgment in the suit entitled "Murphy Cormier General Contractor, Inc. v. State of Louisiana, Department of Health and Hospitals, et al"; to provide for interest; to provide for costs and attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 685—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:331(C), relative to foreign insurers; to provide the commissioner of insurance the authority to admit foreign insurers to transact health insurance business; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 686—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1303(G) and to repeal R.S. 18:2(8), 102(A)(1) and (B), 104(A)(5), 171, 171.1, 176(A), 177(A), and 177.1, relative to registration and voting; to repeal provisions of law providing relative to suspension of registration and voting rights based on conviction of a felony; to provide relative to procedures for voter registration and voting; to provide relative to reinstatement of voter registration; to provide relative to notice and reporting of felony convictions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 687—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2092(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 9:2029.1 and 2092(B)(1)(g), relative to the recordation of an extract of trust; to provide limitations under certain conditions on the transfer of property owned by a trust; to provide for certain

information included in a recorded extract of trust; to provide for the effectiveness against third parties; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 688—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:140.62(C), relative to regional planning; to provide relative to state planning and development districts; to authorize the governor to designate another entity to represent state planning and development district no. 4; to provide that such entity may be designated as a regional planning commission and a United States Department of Commerce recognized economic development district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 689—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:99.2, 99.3(13), 99.12(A)(2)(b) and (B)(2), 99.14, and 99.18, to enact R.S. 39:99.12.(A)(2)(c) and 99.21, and to repeal R.S. 39:99.12(B)(3), relative to the sale of tobacco assets; to provide for the deposit of bond proceeds received by the state from the sale of tobacco assets; to provide for the creation of the Supplemental TOPS Fund and for deposits into and appropriations out of such fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 690—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:530, 531(B), 532, and 537(B) and to enact R.S. 40:483.1 and 537(A)(6), relative to the Housing Authority of New Orleans; to provide relative to the governing board of the authority; to provide relative to the appointment, terms, and removal of board members; to provide relative to the application of the Code of Governmental Ethics to certain board members; to require the housing authority to adopt procedures to provide for the method of reimbursement of monies owed to the housing authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 691—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.25, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish, to create the Riverbend Crime Prevention and Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 692—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:154(A)(4) and (D)(3) and to enact R.S. 9:154(D)(5), relative to presumptions of abandonment of unclaimed property; to provide relative to federally insured financial institutions; to provide relative to electronic communications and transactions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 693—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

Under a suspension of Rule 7.2(E), the above bill will be introduced at a later date.

HOUSE BILL NO. 694—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3982(B)(2), relative to property for educational purposes in Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the sale or lease of immovable property that is vacant or slated to be vacant to charter school groups; to provide relative to the buy back option of the Orleans Parish School Board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 695—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:158(J)(2) and (3) and R.S. 32:80(C), relative to loading and unloading of school buses; to provide relative to restrictions on the location of loading and unloading students; to provide relative to the requirement that other vehicles stop for a school bus that is loading or unloading students; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 696—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 966, relative to motions for summary judgment; to provide for certain procedures at the hearing on a motion for summary judgment; to provide for the filing and consideration of certain documents; to provide for the burden of proof; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 697—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 2636(8) and 2637(F) and R.S. 13:3733.1(A)(introductory paragraph), (2), and (4), (C), and (E) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2636(9) and R.S. 13:3733.1(A)(5) and (6), (L), and 3733.2, relative to electronic obligations records and electronic signatures; to deem financial institution records and promissory notes containing electronic signatures to be authentic evidence; to provide for electronic signatures regarding evidence which need not be authentic; to provide for definitions; to modify the certificate required to deem reproductions as authentic evidence; to provide for the transferability of rights, authority, and protections relative to the use of reproductions; to provide for obligations records containing electronic signatures; to allow for a presumption of authenticity; to provide for a certification form; to exempt collateral mortgage notes; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 698—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:81(B)(2) and 83(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 13:83(E), relative to judicial financial reporting; to require an annual financial report of certain prior year judicial budget information; 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 Judiciary.

HOUSE BILL NO. 699—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.183, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to provide for the "300th Anniversary of the City of New Orleans" special prestige license plate; to provide for creation, issuance, and design of such license plates; to provide relative to the fee and distribution of fees for such plates; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations relative to the creation and implementation of a special prestige license plate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 700—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(B)(1) and (F)(1) and to enact R.S. 15:587(I), relative to home- and community-based services; to provide for fees for criminal history background checks for employees of home- and community-based services providers; to provide for enhancement of Medicaid reimbursement for home- and community-based services through the proceeds of the fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 701—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WHITNEY AND HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1299.30.2, relative to abortion; to provide relative to attempts to perform abortions; to prohibit certain actions undertaken in connection with abortion; to provide for civil actions pursuant to violation of certain abortion prohibitions; to provide a legislative declaration; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 702—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:2396 and 2397, relative to the appeal or review process for adverse determinations made by health insurance issuers; to provide with respect to notice of such determinations; to provide relative to continued coverage of healthcare services, including prescription drugs, during the appeal or review process; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 703—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 6-B of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:670 and 671, relative to the payment of family and medical leave benefits; to authorize payroll taxes to finance the payment of benefits; to provide for the method of calculation; to provide for the collection; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 704—
BY REPRESENTATIVES THIERRY, GAINES, HUNTER, JACKSON,
JAMES, AND SMITH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(e), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor income tax credit; to provide for an annual program cap for the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 705—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 50 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:5001 through 5122; all relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students (TOPS); to provide for a technical recodification of TOPS provisions contained in statutory law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 706—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2795(A)(1) through (4), (C), (D), (E)(2)(a), (b), and (d), and (F), and to enact R.S. 9:2795(A)(6) through (8), relative to a limitation of liability for certain nonprofit youth organizations; to provide for definitions; to extend the limitation of liability to nonprofit youth organizations and youth adventure activities; to provide for exceptions; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 707—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON

AN ACT

To enact Part XX of Chapter 32 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5243 through 5248, relative to marriage and the right of conscience; to create a cause of action for the protection of the right of conscience as relates to marriage; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide for rules of construction; to provide for remedies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 708—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(b)(i) and 3351.3(C)(4) and to enact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(4)(f), (Z), (AA), and (BB), relative to postsecondary education; to provide with respect to the required minimum American College Test score for Taylor Opportunity Program for Students award eligibility; to provide relative to monetary amounts for awards granted pursuant to such program; to provide relative to future increases in award amounts; to provide relative to continued eligibility for such awards; to place certain residency or repayment requirements on recipients of program awards; to authorize the use of funds for postgraduate study if certain conditions are met; to provide relative to the waiver of academic excellence fees levied by certain boards of supervisors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 709—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:308(A), relative to per diem of board members; to change the per diem of certain members and board of commissioners to equal federal per diem rates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 710—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2772(I) and to enact R.S. 3:2772(J), relative to dog breeders; to require certain commercial breeders to register annually with and provide certain information to the local parish clerk's office; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 711—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:586(A)(6), 599(A), and 601, relative to the Louisiana Cosmetology Act; to provide relative to certain examination fees; to provide relative to certificates of registration and permit fees; to provide relative to fines; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 712—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN AND SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:711 and to enact R.S. 47:802(D) and 752(3), relative to sales taxes on gasoline and special fuels; to increase such taxes; to dedicate the revenues from the increase in such taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 713—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.748(B)(1), 287.749(B)(1), 287.752(B)(1)(introductory paragraph), 287.753(C), 287.755(C), 287.758(B), 6104(A), 6105, and 6106(A), relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 714—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3981(2) and to enact R.S. 17:3995(K), relative to charter schools; to prohibit the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education from entering into proposed charters for two years; to require Type 5 charter schools located in certain public school systems to pay a proportional share of the retiree health care costs, including any legacy costs, of the public school system; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to promulgate rules relative to such payments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 715—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.50, relative to the Pineville Downtown Development District; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to change the membership of the board; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the district, including the authority to levy taxes and issue bonds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 716—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:223, 224(A)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (6) and (B), and 225(A)(1) and (B) and Subpart B of Part III of Chapter 1 of Code Title IV of Code Book I of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:226 through 228, and to enact R.S. 9:224(A)(7) and 225(A)(4), relative to a marriage license; to provide for the application for a marriage license; to provide for the application form; to provide for required information; to provide for required documentation; to provide with respect to the use of birth certificates in the process of applying for a marriage license; to provide for documentation in lieu of a birth certificate; to provide for court orders; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 717—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 48 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9701, relative to parish and municipal ordinances; to provide relative to ordinances enacted with respect to emergency services provided to victims of domestic abuse and other crimes; to prohibit parishes and municipalities from enacting certain ordinances with respect to such victims and the landlords of such victims; to provide for remedies for wrongful actions taken against such victims and landlords; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 718—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3914(C)(2)(introductory paragraph) and (3), (F)(1), (2), and (4), (G), (H), (K)(3)(c)(ii) and (4), and 3996(B)(38) and to enact R.S. 17:3914(C)(2)(e), (F)(5), and (K)(3)(d), relative to student information; to provide relative to exceptions to the prohibition on the collection and sharing of student information; to extend time lines relative to such prohibition and the assignment of student identification numbers; to provide relative to prohibitions, requirements, and exceptions with respect to certain contracts and access to student

information pursuant to such contracts; to provide relative to parental consent and required notification with respect to the withdrawal of such consent; to require the Board of Regents to destroy certain data; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 719—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(B)(3)(b), and to enact R.S. 39:100.146, relative to tax incentives; to provide with respect to the enterprise zone program; to provide for tax credits and rebates available as incentives through the program; to provide for eligibility for contracts for incentives; to require reports by the secretary of the Department of Economic Development; to authorize resolutions of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; to provide with respect to the transfer of monies from the state general fund for deposit into a special treasury fund; to provide for duties of the state treasurer; to establish the Go Grants Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit, use and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 720—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3394.4, relative to public postsecondary education; to authorize the Board of Supervisors of the Community and Technical College System to enter into contractual agreements with private nonprofit corporations for certain services; to provide with respect to the purposes relative to such contractual agreements; to provide for the terms and conditions of such contractual agreements; to provide for the organization of the private nonprofit corporations party to such contractual agreements; to provide for the distribution of excess profits or revenues generated by private nonprofit corporations as a result of such contractual agreements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 721—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:105(H), 114(F)(3), 295(C), 309(B), 1602(A)(2)(a) and (3)(a), 1603(A)(2) and (3), 1604.1, and 1604.2 and to repeal R.S. 47:337.74, relative to the penalties; to provide for certain civil penalties; to provide for the waiver of penalties; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 722—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2131, 2132(3) and (4), 2135(A), 2136(A), and 2140(A), (C)(2)(g), and (3), relative to domestic abuse assistance; to provide relative to domestic abuse between dating partners; to provide relative to non-physical offenses; to provide relative to the issuance of temporary restraining orders; to provide relative to the granting of protective orders; to provide relative to duties of law enforcement officers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 723—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 287.759(A) and (C)(3), 297(A), (B), (C)(1), (D)(2), (F), (G)(2), (H)(1), (I)(2), (J)(4), (K)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph), (L)(3)(introductory paragraph), (M)(1), (N)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (2), and (P)(2), 297.2, 297.4(A)(1)(a)(ii), (2), (3), and (4), 297.6(A)(1) and (5), and 6107(A) and R.S. 51:1787(A)(1)(b) and (2) and 1807(C) and to enact R.S. 47:297.4(A)(1)(a)(iii), relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 724—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:1226.4(C)(1) and (2) and R.S. 47:34(B)(1), 35(C), 37(C), 227, 265, 287.664, 6035(C)(1), 6036(C)(1)(b) and (1)(2)(a)(i), and 6037(B)(1)(Introductory Paragraph) and (2)(b), (c), and (d), relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of certain tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 725—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6016.1(B)(1) and (E)(5); relative to insurance premium tax; to provide for the Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act tax credits; to provide for definitions, to provide for applicable percentage; to provide with respect to issuance date; to provide with respect to amounts available for certification and allocation, 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 726—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To enact Subpart G of Part I of Chapter 6 of Title 33, to be comprised of R.S. 33:2740.91 and 2740.92, relative to taxes on

telecommunications; to authorize parishes to levy a tax on wireless telecommunications; to provide relative to the levy and collection of such taxes; to provide for definitions; to provide exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 727—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:297.9(A), 6004(A)(2)(introductory paragraph), 6005(C)(1) and (D)(1), 6006(D)(5), 6006.1(E)(3), and 6007(C)(1)(c)(introductory paragraph) and (d) and R.S. 51:1924(B)(1) and (2), 2354(A) and (B), 2399.3(A)(2)(a) and (b), and 3085(B)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 47:6006(D)(6), 6006.1(E)(4), 6007(C)(1)(c)(iii) and (e), relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 728—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4917, 4918, 4919(A)(introductory paragraph) and (5), (B), and (C), 4922, and 4925(A) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4917.1, 4917.2, 4917.3, 4921.1(C) and 4921.2, relative to justice of the peace courts; to provide the filing of written pleadings; to provide for service; to provide relative to trial procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 729—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(D)(5) and to enact R.S. 47:6006(D)(6) through (10); relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide for the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on inventory; to phase out the amount of the credit over a certain period of time; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 730—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODRUFF
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 31 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:4751 through 4756; relative to farmers providing food in public schools; to establish a "farm to school" program; to set the parameters for such program; to provide definitions; to provide for the responsibilities of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry and the Department of Education; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 731—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Elizabeth F. Canizaro and Charles M. Canizaro, individually and on behalf of his two minor children, Kala Canizaro and Christian Canizaro v. State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (Office of Highways)"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 732—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5713(D), relative to the disposition of human remains; to authorize adult persons to make a declaration of final disposition of their remains; to provide for the form of the declaration; to provide relative to the implementation of the declaration; to prohibit autopsies in certain circumstances; to provide for exceptions and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 733—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:172.4, relative to the city of Abbeville; to provide with respect to annexation procedures; to provide with respect to notice for property owners in areas to be annexed; to provide with respect to public hearings relative to proposed annexations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 734—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(A)(1)(a) and (D)(2), the heading of Part X-C of Chapter 1 of Title 17, R.S. 17:407.61, 407.62(4) through (6), and 407.63 through 407.72 and to enact R.S. 17:407.62(7), relative to regulation of certain child care providers; to provide relative to definitions; to provide relative to registration, criminal background checks, education, inspection, and regulation of such providers; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education with respect to such providers; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the state Department of Education with respect to such providers; to provide with respect to the powers and duties of the State Fire Marshal with respect to such providers; to provide relative to revocation and reinstatement of registration for such providers; to provide relative to penalties, fees, and fines assessed against such providers; 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 Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 735—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:164(D) and 6007(B)(8) and (D)(5), relative to individual income tax; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for employee compensation eligible as a production expense for purposes of the tax credit; to require the reporting of certain payments and other information; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 736—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4684 and R.S. 47:818.2(18), (43), (44), and (63), 818.101 through 818.104 and to enact R.S. 47:818.105 through 818.122, relative to state excise taxes on certain motor fuels; to provide with respect to the levy and collection of the excise tax levied on special fuels; to provide for the calculation of the rate of the tax; to provide for collection and administration of the tax; to require issuance of certain licenses; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for certain fees, penalties, and sanctions; to provide for search, seizure, and sale of certain property; to authorize certain actions by the secretary of the Department of Revenue; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 737—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO
AN ACT

To enact Part XVII of Chapter 3 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:691 through 698, relative to recording devices in motor vehicles; to provide for disclosure of the existence of a recording device to owner of motor vehicle; to provide for ownership of a motor vehicle recording device; to provide exceptions for ownership; to provide for access to recorded data on a motor vehicle recording device; to provide for a condition precedent to a request for recorded data; to provide for a prohibition on conditioning insurance coverage and payment of a claim on the release of recorded data; to provide for a prohibition on the download of recorded data; to provide for commercial availability of a tool capable of accessing and retrieving recorded data; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 738—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JAMES, BURRELL, GAINES, HUNTER, TERRY LANDRY, PIERRE, AND SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(B)(3)(b) and (c) and to enact R.S. 51:1787(B)(3)(d) and (K), relative to enterprise zone incentives for businesses; to provide with respect to the enterprise zone program; to provide for certain eligibility

requirements; to provide for applicability; to require the transfer of certain funds; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 739—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 20-I of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3050.5 through 3050.10, relative to higher education assistance; to establish the Louisiana Education and Workforce Opportunity Grant Program; to establish the Education and Workforce Opportunity Grant Council and provide for members; to establish the Louisiana Education and Workforce Opportunity Fund and funding source; to provide for administration of the program; to provide for rule promulgating authority; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 740—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6015(K), relative to corporate franchise tax; to provide relative to certain corporate franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the research and development tax credit; to prohibit issuance of tax credits for certain periods; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 741—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALFRED WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1853(B)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 1855, 1862(A)(introductory paragraph), 2042(introductory paragraph), (1), and (3), 2043(A)(introductory paragraph), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), and (11)(a) and (b)(xi), and (D), 2044, 2046, 2061(2) and (3), 2063(A)(1) and (B), 2065(A)(4), (7), and (8), 2091(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1), the heading of Part V of Chapter 14 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 23:2191, 2192(A) and (C), 2193(A), (B) and (D), 2195(A), 2196(A) and (B), 2197(section), 2200(A) and (B)(20), 2210(B); to enact R.S.23:2195(C), 2199(D); and to repeal R.S.23:2043(A)(7) through (10), 2193(C), and 2196(E), relative to workplace investment initiatives; to provide for conformity with federal laws; to provide with respect to the membership of the Workforce Investment Council, to provide with respect to workforce development boards; to provide for the membership of workforce development boards; to provide for the designation of workforce development areas; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 742—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:229.1 and to repeal R.S. 48:229, relative to programs of construction to be commenced in the coming fiscal year submitted to the legislature by the Department of Transportation and Development; to prescribe the process by which the Department of Transportation and Development shall select and prioritize certain construction projects; to require the Department of Transportation and Development to make certain information public; to repeal the current requirements by which the Department of Transportation and Development prioritizes certain construction projects; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HOUSE BILL NO. 743—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:1-202(B)(5)(introductory paragraph), 1-501(2)(b) (introductory paragraph) and (i), 1-502(A)(5), 1-504(A), 1-1435(C), 1-1436(D), (E)(introductory paragraph), (1)(introductory paragraph), and (2), and 1-1442(A)(2) and (C) and to enact R.S. 12:1-140(25B), 1-501(2)(b)(ii), 1-502(A)(7), and 1-832(D), relative to corporations; to provide with respect to articles of incorporation; to provide with respect to registered agents and service of process; to provide with respect to judicial determinations relative to withdrawing shareholders; to provide with respect to withdrawal rights; to provide for definitions; to provide for retroactivity; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 744—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

AN ACT

To enact Subpart C of Part 1 of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:11.1 through 11.8, relative to municipal incorporation; to provide for the incorporation of the fifteenth ward of the parish of Orleans as a municipality within the parish of Orleans; to provide for the governance of the newly created municipality; to change the boundaries of the city of New Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 745—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3097.4(D)(6), relative to the conservation of groundwater; to provide for entities responsible for the conservation of groundwater; to limit membership of boards governing certain entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 746—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MIGUEZ AND STUART BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2418(I)(2) and Sections 3(A) and (C) of Act No. 323 of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature and to enact R.S. 30:2412(31) and 2418(H)(10), relative to waste tires; to provide for the waste tire program; to provide for definitions; to provide for payments to processors of waste tires; to provide for the authority of the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for the Waste Tire Program Task Force; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 747—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(10) and to repeal R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xvii), relative to individual income tax; to provide for certain deductions for purposes of calculating individual income tax liability; to repeal the deduction for certain net capital gains; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 748—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(5), (10) through (16), (C)(1)(introductory paragraph), (a)(iii) and (b)(iii), (D)(2)(d)(i), (E), and (F)(1), and to add R.S. 47:6007(B)(17), (C)(1), and (c)(iii), (D)(1)(d)(iv) and (v) and (2)(d)(iii), G, and H, relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for definitions; to provide eligibility for certain types of productions; to provide requirements for the completion of projects and certification of expenditures; to authorize assignment of credits to a lender under certain circumstances; to provide for recapture of tax credits; to provide for the final certification of certain expenditures for state-certified infrastructure projects; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 749—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6105, to enact R.S. 47:6004(C), 6005(G), 6006(E), 6006.1(G), 6007(G), 6008(D), 6009(F), 6012(F), 6013(D), 6014(F), 6015(K), 6016.1(N), 6017(C), 6018(F), 6022(L), 6023(I), 6025(D), 6026(G), 6030(H), 6032(H), 6034(K), 6035(H), 6036(K), 6037(I), 6104(D), 6106(E), and 6107(C), and to repeal R.S. 47:6005(D)(2), 6010, 6028, 6029, and 6033, relative to tax credits; to require certain reviews and reports relative to tax credits; to terminate certain tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 750—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT

To enact Subpart E of Part III of Chapter 7 of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of RS. 40:1651 through 1655, relative to the Louisiana Office of State Fire Marshal; to provide for a short title; to provide for definitions; to authorize inspections of fuel tanks, fuel tank installations, and fuel dispensing facilities; to provide for enforcement relative to violations; to provide for inspection fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 751—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:306(A)(3), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide for the amount of dealer compensation for the accounting for and the remittance of taxes to the state; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 752—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SMITH AND CARTER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(5), relative to student assessments; to provide relative to disciplinary action against a public school employee, his school, school system, or a school governing authority with respect to the nonparticipation of a student in a state assessment; to provide for the issuance of letter grades and calculations of school performance scores for schools with certain percentages of nonparticipating students; to provide for investigation by the state Department of Education; to provide for rules by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 753—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1851(M), to enact RS. 47:1954.1, and to repeal R.S. 47:1851(B) and (Q) and 1855(G) and (H), relative to ad valorem property tax assessments; to provide with respect to the classification of property for use in the calculation of the tax; to provide for public service properties; to define and provide for the estimation of the value of, and allocation of the property of, barge line, towing, and other water transportation companies; to provide with respect to the classification of property owned by a telephone company; to provide for the allocation of certain movable property to the certain taxing authorities; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Speaker Kleckley in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 754—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1431(A) and 6015(B)(4) and (C)(2)(c), to enact R.S. 47:1407(5), and to repeal R.S. 47:6015(B)(5), relative to research and development tax credits; to provide for the application for such credit; to provide for taxpayers eligible to claim the credit; to provide for the determination of the amount of the credit for certain businesses; to provide for appeals of disapproved credits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 755—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:33(A)(1) and (2) and to enact R.S. 47:33(A)(4), relative to income taxes; to provide for individual income tax credit; to limit the amount of the credit; to make the credit nonrefundable; to provide a carryforward period for unapplied credits; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 756—

BY REPRESENTATIVES OURSO AND LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:27(A), (B), (C), (D)(1)(a), (E), (H)(12), and (J), relative to Grant Anticipation Revenue Vehicles Bonds; to provide for technical corrections; to provide for the definitions of certain terms; to provide relative to the authority of the State Bond Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 757—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6019(A)(1)(a), 6020(D)(1) and (2)(a), 6022(D)(2)(introductory paragraph), 6023(C)(1) and (3)(a), 6025(A)(1), 6026(D)(2) and (3), 6030(B)(1) and (2)(a), 6032(C) and (F), and 6034(C)(1)(a)(ii)(bb) and (iii) and (C)(1)(c) and (d) and to enact R.S. 47:6022(D)(3), relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 758—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JAY MORRIS, STUART BISHOP, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, HUVAL, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHRODER, AND TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:51(E) and (F) and to enact R.S. 39:24.1, 34(E), and 51(G) and R.S. 47:1675(K), relative to the appropriation of tax expenditures; to provide for definitions; to provide for reporting on tax expenditures; to provide for the

appropriation of tax expenditures in the General Appropriation Bill and the executive budget; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 759—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6008(A), 6009(D)(1), 6012(B), 6013(A), 6014(A), 6015(C)(2) and (D), 6016.1(B)(1) and (E)(5), 6017(A), and 6018(C), relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of tax credits; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 760—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2054, 2055(A)(2), (8), and (9), 2056(B), 2057, 2058(A), (B), and (C), and 2059, to enact R.S. 3:2058(K), and to repeal R.S. 3:2062, relative to the Louisiana Beef Industry Council; to provide for the domicile of the council; to provide for the council membership and terms of office; to provide for powers and duties of the council; to provide for certain assessments and refunds; to repeal the authority for referendum for assessment purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 761—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2302(A) and to enact Chapter 31 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:4751 through 4754, relative to urban agriculture incentive zones; to provide relative to implementation; to establish contract requirements; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for prohibitions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 762—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TALBOT, STUART BISHOP, FOIL, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, JAY MORRIS, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, AND SCHRODER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2(C), 4321(B), and 4423(3), R.S. 9:165(C), R.S. 3 13:5073(A)(1) and 5077(H), R.S. 17:407.27(B)(3), 3046.3(C), 3048.1(Y)(3), and 4019(C), R.S. 22:1476(A)(2) and 1931.8, R.S. 23:1514(D)(5), R.S. 27:27.1(F), 92(B)(2), 247, 249(A), 270(A)(2) and (3)(a), and 437, R.S. 33:9551(E)(3), 9561(E)(3), and 9571(E)(3), R.S. 39:82(A), 100.61(B)(1), and 352, R.S. 40:1582(E), 1593, 1730.53(6), and 2845(A)(6), R.S. 42:262(B), R.S. 46:977.13, R.S. 47:481, and 9029(B), R.S. 48:77(B), 196.1(B), and 2074(A) and Section 4(B) of Act No. 421 of the 2013 Regular

Session of the Legislature and to repeal R.S. 3:277, 4321(C) and (D), and 4411, R.S. 9:165.1, R.S. 11:545, R.S. 15:147(B)(14), 167, 185.5, and 572.8(N), R.S. 17:354, 421.7, 1874, 3129.6, 3138.2, 3138.3, 3138.4, and Part VI of Chapter 42 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:4001, R.S.22:347, 831(B), 835(C) through (F), and 1931.9, R.S. 24:39, R.S. 27:92(C), 392(B)(2) and (4) through (6), and (C)(6), and 439, R.S. 28:842, R.S. 33:171(B) and (C), R.S. 39:97.3, 98.7, Subpart G of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.1, Subpart H of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.11, Subpart I of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S.. 39:100.21, Subpart J of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.26, Subpart K of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.31, Subpart M of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.41, Subpart N of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.51, Subpart P-1 of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.81, Subpart Q-1 of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.122, Subpart R of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.126, Subpart R-1 of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.136, and R.S. 39:1357, R.S. 40:16.2, 1428(C), 1547, 1730.68 and 2845(D) and (E), R.S. 46:2913, R.S. 47:318, 841.1, 1520(A)(1)(e), 1602.1, and 6351(G)(3) and (4), R.S. 48:196, 2073(24)(d), 2077(24), and 2082(B), and Chapter 32 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 48:2111 through 2119, R.S. 49:259, and Chapter 37-A of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2211 through 2216, Part VI-A of Chapter 39 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2361 through 2363, Part VI-B of Chapter 39 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2365 through 2367, Code of Criminal Procedure Article 926.1(K), Section 7(A) of Act No. 420 of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Section 3 of Act No. 1065 of the 1997 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to special treasury funds; to provide for the elimination of certain special treasury funds; to eliminate certain dedications into certain special treasury funds; to eliminate certain authority to issue debt; to eliminate the Louisiana Agricultural Finance Authority Fund, Forest Protection Fund, Forest Productivity Fund, Department of Public Safety Peace Officers Fund, Tobacco Control Special Fund, Louisiana Public Defender Fund, Indigent Parent Representation Program Fund, Innocence Compensation Fund, Academic Improvement Fund, Support Education in Louisiana First Fund, Workforce Training Rapid Response Fund, Higher Education Initiatives Fund, Louisiana Charter School Start-Up Loan Fund, Two Percent Fire Insurance Fund, Louisiana State Police Salary Fund, Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund, Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Fund, Legislative Capitol Technology Enhancement Fund, Riverboat Gaming Enforcement Fund, Pari-Mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming Control Fund, Rehabilitation for the Blind and Visually Impaired Fund, Equine Health Studies Program Fund, Southern University AgCenter Program Fund, Friends of NORD Fund, Video Draw Poker Device Fund, Video Draw Poker Device Purse Supplement Fund, Compulsive and Problem Gaming Fund, Tobacco Settlement Enforcement Fund, Payments Towards the UAL Fund, Sports Facility Assistance

Fund, Overcollections Fund, FEMA Reimbursement Fund, State Emergency Response Fund, Louisiana Interoperability Communications Fund, Health Care Redesign Fund, Community Water Enrichment Fund, Insurance Fraud Investigation Fund, Louisiana State University Firemen Training Program Film Library Fund, Industrialized Building Program Fund, Marketing Fund, Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund, Department of Justice Legal Support Fund, Rapid Response Fund, Louisiana Mega-Project Development Fund, DNA Testing Post-Conviction Relief for Indigents Fund, 2013 Amnesty Collections Fund, Casino Support Services Fund, Workforce and Innovation for a Strong Economy Fund, Competitive Core Growth Fund, Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) Upgrade Fund, Louisiana Asbestos Detection and Abatement Fund, Center of Excellence for Autism Spectrum Disorder Fund, Major Events Fund, Unfunded Accrued Liability and Specialized Educational Institutions Support Fund, MediFund, Transportation Mobility Fund, Department of Health and Hospitals' Facility Support Fund, Louisiana Emergency Response Network Fund, FMAP Stabilization Fund, Fund for Louisianians in Need of Civil Legal Assistance, Fiscal Administrator Revolving Loan Fund, Status of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Fund, and State Highway Improvement Fund; to authorize the transfer of balances between funds; to provide for deposit of monies into the state general fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 763—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(C)(4)(f)(ii) and to enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(8), relative to income tax credits; relative to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide relative to the transfer of credits; to provide for the value of a credit transferred to the state; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for applicability; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 764—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:331(S), relative to the state sales and use tax; to provide relative to the effectiveness and applicability of certain exemptions to the tax; 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 Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 765—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3402(17) and (18), 3405(A)(3) and (4), (B)(7), 3409 through 3412, and 3414.4 and to enact R.S. 3:3402(19) and 3412.1, relative to the Agricultural Commodities Dealer and Warehouse Law; to provide for security and provisional stock insurance requirements; to remove the bond requirement from the law; to provide a purpose and additional guidelines for the self-insurance fund; to provide

guidelines for reimbursement for agricultural commodities and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 766—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3139.2, 3139.5, and 3139.6(1), relative to public colleges and universities; to remove institutional performance criteria as conditions on institutions receiving certain exceptions and exemptions from state regulations of their operations; to provide certain financial solvency criteria on the receipt of such exceptions and exemptions; to provide relative to the exceptions and exemptions that an institution may receive; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 767—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:77(B)(2) and to enact Part XX of Chapter 1 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 48:471 through 481, relative to providing funds to certain entities for transportation related projects; to create the Louisiana State Transportation Infrastructure Bank; to provide for a board of directors; to provide for membership, duties, and authority of the board; to provide for the adoption of bylaws, rules, and regulations by the board; to create the Louisiana State Transportation Infrastructure Fund; to provide for the receipt, administration, and expenditure of monies allotted for the fund; to provide for the investment and disposition of the monies of the fund; to authorize the bank to incur debt and issue bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness and to guarantee the debt of other entities; to authorize loans from the fund to certain entities; to provide procedures to enter into such indebtedness; to exempt evidence of indebtedness from taxation; to exempt any debt of or obligation entered into by the bank from being used in the calculation of net state tax supported debt; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 768—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301 and 305, and to enact Subpart S of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.146, relative to the dedication of state revenues; to dedicate certain state sales and use tax revenues for support of public education; to establish a special treasury fund; to provide with respect to the deposit and use of monies in the fund; to provide with respect to the applicability of certain tax exemptions; to provide with respect to the applicability of certain exclusions from tax; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 769—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 13-N of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:4720.301, to create the Shreveport Implementation and Redevelopment Authority; to provide for the formation of a program or programs in the city of Shreveport for the use of appropriate private and public resources to eliminate and prevent the development or spread of slum, blighted, and distressed areas; to allow the rehabilitation, clearance, and redevelopment of slum, blighted, and distressed areas; to provide for the expeditious conversion of blighted or underused property into habitable residential dwellings in the city of Shreveport; to define the duties, liabilities, authority, and functions of the redevelopment authority; to authorize public bodies to furnish funds, services, facilities, and property in aid of redevelopment projects; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 770—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(F), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for solar energy systems; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 771—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:209(I) and 808 and Chapter 5 of Subtitle VII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:6361 through 6368, relative to rebates; to authorize contracts for certain state sales and use tax rebates; to provide for the amount, approval, and issuance of rebates; to establish the Tourism Development Incentives Authority; to provide for the placement of the authority within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide for the powers and duties of the authority; to provide with respect to the membership of the authority; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the secretary and undersecretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the Department of Revenue and its secretary; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 772—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1634(A), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for the determination of claims; to provide for appeals; to provide for the judicial review of a board

of review decision; to provide for an appeal procedure; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 773—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:104(B), R.S.47:6007(D)(2)(b) and (4), 6015(B)(3)(introductory paragraph), 6034(E)(2)(a)(i)(aa) and (iii)(aa), and R.S. 51:2317, to enact R.S. 36:104(C), and to repeal R.S. 47:6007(D)(4)(ii) and R.S. 51:936.2, relative to fees assessed by the secretary of the Department of Economic Development; to provide a uniform authorized fee schedule for economic development incentive and financial assistance programs; to provide for the recovery of costs associated with certain administrative functions; to provide for establishment and collection of authorized fees and costs; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for disposition of application fees; 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 BILL NO. 774—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:15(16), 105(A) and (B), 299.5, 1507, and 1578(B)(4)(c), and to enact R.S. 47:1578(B)(4)(d) and (e), relative to the Department of Revenue; to provide for installment agreements for the payment of taxes due and to establish associated fees; to establish fees for offset claims; to establish fees for the authentication of tax records; to establish fees and payments required to apply for compromises of judgments; to establish procedures relative to the payment of these amounts; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 775—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To enact Part II-B of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:288.1 through 288.50, relative to corporation income tax; to require reporting; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 776—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A), relative to individual income tax; to reduce individual income tax rates; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**Introduction of House Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 777—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:818.12.1 and 818.101.1, relative to the state excise tax; to provide for the excise tax levied on certain fuel; to levy an additional tax on gasoline, diesel fuel, and certain special fuels for a certain period of time; to provide for establishment of the rate of the tax based upon the price of gasoline; to provide for the duties of the legislative auditor; to provide for duties of the secretary of the Department of Revenue; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 778—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 2-E of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:340, relative to state sales and use tax; to provide for the levy and collection of a one percent sales and use tax; to provide for the period of time during which the tax shall be imposed; to require the deposit of monies into certain special treasury funds; to establish a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for the specific highway and bridge projects for which monies from the fund may be appropriated; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 779—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(A)(1), (B), (C)(6), and (D), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the solar energy systems tax credit; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide with respect to eligibility for certain types of solar energy systems; to limit certain types of financing for eligible systems; to provide with respect to the claiming of the credit; to repeal the credit for leased systems; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, 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, pursuant to House Rule No. 7.2(E), referred to committee:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the annual integrated coastal protection plan for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To apply to the United States Congress, under the provisions of Article V of the Constitution of the United States, for the calling of a convention of the states limited to proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States that impose fiscal restraints on the federal government, limit the power and jurisdiction of the federal government, and limit the terms of office for its officials and for members of congress.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Department of Health and Hospitals rule (LAC 50:III.501) which provides relative to medical assistance program (Medicaid) eligibility, and to direct the office of the state register to print the amendments in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the intent of the legislature regarding the standard of care that physicians are required to use in the practice of telemedicine pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 442 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the Atchafalaya Basin Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2015-2016, as adopted by the Atchafalaya Basin Research and Promotion Board and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To repeal the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education rule (LAC 28:CXLVII.309(C)), relative to the teacher evaluation process, and to direct the office of the state register to print the notice of the repeal in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the provisions of R.S. 47:287.86 that provides for a deduction from Louisiana net income.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTTOUCET

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the exemption for business utilities as to the tax levied pursuant to R.S. 47:331 for sales of steam, water, electric power or energy, and natural gas, including but not limited to the exemption in R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(b), (c), (d), and (g), and any other exemptions provided in those portions of Chapter 2 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, that provide for exemptions from the taxes imposed therein.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the exemption for business utilities as to the tax levied pursuant to R.S. 47:302, 321, and 331 for sales of steam, water, electric power or energy, and natural gas, including but not limited to the exemption in R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(b), (c), (d), and (g), and any other exemptions provided in those portions of Chapter 2 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, that provide for exemptions from the taxes imposed therein.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the provisions of LAC 46.LIII.2511(C)(4), providing that prescriptions with computer generated electronic signatures are invalid.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the exemptions for the tax levied pursuant to R.S. 47:302, 321, and 331.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Revenue to categorize the tax expenditures in the Tax Exemption Budget using certain categories.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the exemptions for the tax levied pursuant to R.S. 47:331.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, BURRELL, COX, GAINES, HALL, HUNTER, JAMES, PIERRE, SMITH, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the exemptions for the tax levied pursuant to R.S. 47:331.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONToucET

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the provisions of R.S. 47:305.54, 305.58, and 305.62 authorizing annual state sales tax holidays.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the exemptions for the tax levied pursuant to R.S. 47:331.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana certain exemptions and exclusions applicable to the additional state sales tax levied pursuant to R.S. 47:331.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for legislative approval of the formula developed by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education pursuant to Article VIII, Section 13(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana to determine the cost of a minimum foundation program of education in all public elementary and secondary schools as well as to equitably allocate the funds to parish and city school systems, and adopted by the board on March 6, 2015.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Revenue to accept an individual taxpayer's copy of his extension of time to file his federal income tax return with the United States Internal Revenue Service as the taxpayer's application to file for an extension of time to file his state income tax return.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Department of Transportation and Development rule specified in LAC 70:1.1101(B)(3)(introductory paragraph) and (C), which provides for a traffic impact study for new access requests affecting traffic on state highways; and to direct the Office of State Register to print the amendments in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

Read by title.

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

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

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize April 14, 2015, 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. 22—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the members of the United States Armed Forces for their service and to recognize May 2015 as Military Appreciation Month.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON AND SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To apply to the United States Congress, under the provisions of Article V of the Constitution of the United States of America, for the calling of a convention of the states limited to proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States of America that address term limits for federal officials and members of congress, election reform, ethics for public servants, financial discipline, states' countermand authority, and other appropriate matters to modernize the constitution and enhance the freedoms, opportunities, and prosperity of the people; to demand that the United States Congress convene the convention within a specific time period leaving all other decisions regarding the convention to the state legislatures and their appointed delegates in the manner provided herein; and to demand that delegates be prohibited from offering and instructed to oppose amendments that weaken the Bill of Rights, limit civil rights, reduce personal freedoms, or create special privileges.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a committee to provide for an in-depth study of the need for, and for preparation of a plan for the conduct of, a convention to revise the Constitution of Louisiana and to express legislative intent to call a constitutional convention based upon the results of such study.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, April 16, 2015, as YMCA Day in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, May 12, 2015, as Elmer's Candy Day in the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize April 14, 2015, as Ponchatoula Strawberry Festival Day in the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Carla Jackson upon her selection as 2015 Teacher of the Year.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Environmental Protection Agency to withdraw the proposed guidelines for reducing carbon dioxide emissions from fossil fuel-fired power plants pursuant to Section 111(d) of the federal Clean Air Act and that in the event the United States Environmental Protection Agency adopts the proposed guidelines, urge and request the governor and the attorney general to use every means at their disposal, including taking legal action, to prevent the guidelines from being implemented.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and recognize the contributions, unique skillsets, and sacrifices of Louisiana's women veterans.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, April 28, 2015, as Workers' Memorial Day in recognition of workers killed, injured, and disabled on the job.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Charles "Charlie" Tubre, an advocate for the disabled and the elderly throughout Louisiana.

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. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Neighborhood Development Foundation for its outstanding service to the city of New Orleans.

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. 34—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the month of April as Louisiana Crawfish Awareness Month.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Postal Service to consider assigning a new zip code to the town of Richwood in Ouachita Parish.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY AND SENATOR ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 13, 2015, as the third annual Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Day at the state capitol.

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. 37—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, JACKSON,

MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF

AND SENATORS BROOME, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, April 14, 2015, as Equal Pay Day in the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Norman Francis upon his retirement after forty-six years as president of Xavier University of Louisiana in New Orleans.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and request the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to meet and function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations with respect to the advisability of reducing the number of signatures required to have a recall election.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SMITH, KLECKLEY, AND JIM MORRIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commemorate the life of Kathryn Ellen "Kate" Lemon, senior research librarian with the David R. Poynter Legislative Research Library and thirty-three-year member of the House staff, and to recognize and record her many significant contributions to the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, April 22, 2015, as the National Multiple Sclerosis Society Louisiana State Action Day at the state capitol and to encourage efforts to inform the citizens of Louisiana about multiple sclerosis.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH AND SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Chicken Shack management and personnel upon the celebration of eighty years of continuous operation.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize November 13, 2013, through November 11, 2025, as the commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Airport Managers and Associates and to welcome them to the state capitol.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Clarence Herbert Downs of Alexandria, Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 3—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, April 29, 2015, as Plaquemines Parish Day at the state capitol.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

A RESOLUTION

To commend the organizers and volunteers of the 2015 Plaquemines Parish Heritage and Seafood Festival.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 5—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

A RESOLUTION

To commend the organizers and volunteers of the 2015 Plaquemines Parish Fair and Orange Festival.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 6—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Riverside Academy High School boys' basketball team upon winning their third consecutive Class 2A state championship and to congratulate the Riverside Academy Runnin' Rebels on an outstanding 2014-2015 season.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A RESOLUTION

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

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER

A RESOLUTION

To commend Joshua Husser upon his appointment to the United States Air Force Academy.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER AND EDWARDS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Cadet Malik Donte Jarrett upon his selection to attend West Point's Summer Leaders Experience program.

Read by title.

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

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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 10—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCKET
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Physical Therapy Association for its outstanding achievements and to recognize April 27 through May 1, 2015, as Louisiana Physical Therapy Association Week.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
A RESOLUTION

To commend ExxonMobil and recognize Monday, April 20, 2015, as ExxonMobil Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 12—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
A RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, May 19, 2015, as the thirty-first annual Red and White Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
A RESOLUTION

To recognize the month of April as Sarcoidosis Awareness Month in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 14—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
A RESOLUTION

To recognize Friday, April 24, 2015, as Louisiana Knights and Ladies of Peter Claver Day.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 15—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
A RESOLUTION

To commend Paul Klein for winning his fourth individual Division I state wrestling title at the Louisiana High School Athletic Association's state wrestling championship held at the Pontchartrain Center in Kenner, in February of 2015.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 16—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH
A RESOLUTION

To commend Kappa Beta Delta and the students at Baton Rouge Community College who are members of this international business honor society.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
A RESOLUTION

To commend the North Central High School girls' basketball team for winning the Class 1A state championship.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 18—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
A RESOLUTION

To commend Alton Broussard of Opelousas for his contributions to the community of Opelousas as a civil and social rights advocate and business owner.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
A RESOLUTION

To designate June 3, 2015, as 4-H Day at the legislature and to commend the state executive board officers of 4-H.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 20—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
A RESOLUTION

To designate April 28, 2015, as FFA Day at the legislature and to commend the state officers of FFA.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 21—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
A RESOLUTION

To commend Major Luranie Richard upon her promotion as the first female major in the Lafayette Police Department.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, April 28, 2015, as March of Dimes Day at the Louisiana state capitol.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 23—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Monday, April 13, 2015, as Electrical Lineman Appreciation Day in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Billiot, at 3:03 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Tuesday, April 14, 2015, at 4:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 4:00 P.M., Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

