The House of Representatives was called to order at 11:25 A.M., by the Honorable Taylor Barras, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker      Gaines       Mack
Abraham          Garofalo     Magee
Abrams           Gisclair      Marcelle
Amedee          Glover       Marino
Anders           Guinn         McFarland
Armes            Hall          Miguez
Bacala           Harris, J.   Miller, D.
Bagley           Harris, L.   Miller, G.
Bagneris         Havard        Moreno
Billiot          Hazel        Morris, Jay
Bishop           Hensgens     Morris, Jim
Bouie            Hillierty    Norton
Broadwater       Hill          Pearson
Brown, C.        Hodges       Pierre
Brown, T.        Hoffmann     Pope
Carmody          Hollis       Price
Carpenter        Horton       Pugh
Carter, G.       Howard       Pylant
Carter, R.       Hunter       Reynolds
Carter, S.       Huval        Richard
Chaney           Ivey          Schexnayder
Connick          Jackson      Schroder
Coussan          James        Seabough
Crews            Jeffersoin   Shadoin
Cromer           Jenkins      Simon
Dunahay          Johnson      Smith
Davis            Jones         Stagni
DeVillier        Jordan       Stefanski
Dwight           Landry, N.   Stokes
Edmonds          Landry, T.   Talbot
Emerson          LeBus        Thibaut
Falconer         Leger         Thomas

The Speaker announced that there were 102 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Shadoin.

Pledge of Allegiance

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

Reading of the Journal

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


House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Suspension of the Rules

Rep. Foil moved to suspend House Rule 6.25, which motion was agreed to.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY

AN ACT

Making annual appropriations for Fiscal Year 2017-2018 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.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Jackson to Engrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative Henry

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 12, after line 30, insert the following:

"F. The Civil Service Commission shall not require any hiring freezes or withhold authorizing performance adjustments for employees of any levee district that does not receive an appropriation of state general funds in this Act, even if the commission suspends performance adjustments for state employees due to the state's financial crisis."

Point of Order

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

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.
On motion of Rep. Jackson, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative McFarland to Engrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative Henry

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 12, delete lines 20 through 30 in their entirety and insert the following:

"E. The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to allocate up to $17,900,775 in State General Fund (Direct) upon the approval of an employee compensation plan by the Civil Service Commission and the governor. The commissioner of administration is also authorized to adjust the other means of financing necessary to implement the approved plan. This authorization applies to the unclassified employees within this Act that are paid according to approved pay scales.

F. The commissioner of administration is authorized to require each budget unit to withhold a portion of the appropriation contained in this Act in the notification required under R.S. 39:57.1. Such withholdings shall be greater or equal to $100,000,000 in aggregate. The commissioner of administration shall report the distribution of the withholdings to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget at its August meeting. The head of each agency or department is prohibited from expending or encumbering any withholdings until February 1, and then only if there has not been a budget status report presented to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget that indicates the total appropriation from the State General Fund (Direct) for Fiscal Year 2017-2018 will exceed the forecast for that fund or a budget status report that shows a deficit for State General Fund (Direct) at the close of the previous fiscal year. The monthly budget status report submitted to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget shall include a section reporting the amounts withheld."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 17, between lines 30 and 31, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
for a compensation plan approved by the Civil Service Commission and the governor $ 17,900,775"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 37, delete lines 9 through 11 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 50, delete lines 3 through 5 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 62, delete lines 16 through 18 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 69, after line 44, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Central/Southwest Region Program for expenses associated with the opening, staff training, partial-year operation, and other necessary costs at Acadiana Center for Youth $ 7,200,000"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 71, line 16, change "187,675,546" to "5,234,293"

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 79, between lines 30 and 31, insert the following:

"The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of financing for Severe Combined Immunodeficiency screenings in the Payments to Public Providers Program in this agency by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by $234,615 and the appropriation out of Federal Funds by $405,360. The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of financing for the Payments to Private Providers Program in this agency by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by $146,458,245 and the appropriation out of Federal Funds by $537,101,241. Provided, further, that the department shall only make twelve managed care checkwrites in Fiscal Year 2017-2018."

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

On page 92, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**

On page 97, delete lines 20 through 22 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 11**

On page 98, line 32, between "268" and "is enacted" insert "of the 2017 Regular Session of the Legislature"

**AMENDMENT NO. 12**

On page 98, between lines 33 and 34, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Tax Collection Program for auditing functions, including twenty (20) authorized positions $ 1,526,786"

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On page 108, delete lines 35 through 37 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 14**

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**AMENDMENT NO. 15**

On page 110, delete lines 16 through 18 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 16**

On page 111, delete lines 9 through 11 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 17**

On page 147, at the end of line 41, insert "Tournament"

On motion of Rep. McFarland, the amendments were withdrawn.

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AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 110, delete lines 16 through 18 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 111, delete lines 9 through 11 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 147, at the end of line 41, insert "Tournament"

Rep. McFarland moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 33 yeas and 68 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Rep. Leger sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:
HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Leger to Engrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative Henry

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 10, delete lines 3 through 12 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 10, at the beginning of line 13, change "C." to "B."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 12, delete lines 20 through 30 in their entirety and insert the following:
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AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 17, between lines 30 and 31, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for a compensation plan approved by the Civil Service Commission and the governor $17,900,775"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 32, line 6, change "5,983,670" to "5,683,670"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 32, line 16, change "27,666,618" to "29,999,132"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 32, line 24, change "18,935,760" to "16,903,246"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 37, delete lines 9 through 11 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 41, delete lines 28 through 33 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 50, delete lines 3 through 5 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 61, delete lines 4 and 5 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 62, delete lines 16 through 18 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 65, delete lines 29 through 31 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 14
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AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 71, delete lines 14 through 16 in their entirety

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AMENDMENT NO. 17
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AMENDMENT NO. 18
On page 92, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 97, delete lines 20 through 22 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 20
On page 98, line 32, between "268" and "is enacted" insert "of the 2017 Regular Session of the Legislature"

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 98, between lines 33 and 34, insert the following:
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Tax Collection Program for auditing functions, including twenty (20) authorized positions $1,526,786"

AMENDMENT NO. 22
On page 102, line 47, change "2,347,418" to "4,694,836"

AMENDMENT NO. 23
On page 102, line 48, change "2,347,418" to "4,694,836"

AMENDMENT NO. 24
On page 103, line 2, change "500,000" to "1,000,000"
AMENDMENT NO. 25
On page 103, line 3, change "1,847,418" to "3,694,836"

AMENDMENT NO. 26
On page 103, line 4, change "2,347,418" to "4,694,836"

AMENDMENT NO. 27
On page 108, delete lines 35 through 37 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 28
On page 109, delete lines 22 through 24 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 29
On page 110, delete lines 16 through 18 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 30
On page 111, line 11, change "10,000,000" to "500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 31
On page 114, delete lines 7 through 28 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 135, line 21, change "210,770,365" to "170,904,658"

AMENDMENT NO. 33
On page 135, line 25, change "1,213,682,358" to "1,173,816,651"

AMENDMENT NO. 34
On page 135, line 33, change "80,959,108" to "41,093,401"

AMENDMENT NO. 35
On page 135, line 38, change "1,196,530,974" to "1,156,665,267"

AMENDMENT NO. 36
On page 135, line 49, change "1,134,293" to "39,865,707"

AMENDMENT NO. 37
On page 136, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 38
On page 147, at the end of line 41, insert "Tournament"

Rep. Leger moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Foil objected.

By a vote of 53 yeas and 49 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Schexnayder to Engrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative Henry
AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Floor Amendment No. 3 by Representative Leger (#73), on page 1, line 11, after "authorization" and before "applies" insert "also"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Abraham to Engrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative Henry

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Floor Amendment No. 1 by Representative Havard (#69), on page 1, line 6, change "$60,000,000" to "$100,000,000"

Rep. Abraham moved the adoption of the amendments.


By a vote of 49 yeas and 51 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Recess

On motion of Rep. Leger, the Speaker declared the House at recess until 3:30 P.M.

After Recess

Speaker Barras called the House to order at 4:16 P.M.

House Business Resumed

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker Gaines Magee
Abraham Garofalo Maricel
Amedee Glover Marino Maricel
Anders Guinn McFarland
Armee Hall Miller, D.
Bagneris Harris, J. Miller, G.
Billiot Havard Moreno
Bouie Hill Morris, Jay
Broadwater Hoffmann Morris, Jim
Brown, C. Hunter Norton
Brown, T. Ivey Price
Carter, G. Jackson Pope
Carter, R. Jefferson Pope
Chaney Jenkins Price
Connick Johnson Price
Danahey Jones Reynolds
Foil Jordan Reynolds
Franklin Landry, T. Reynolds
Gaines LeBas Reynolds
Gissclair Leger Reynolds

Total - 101

The Speaker announced that there were 101 members present and a quorum.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson Glover Lyons
Anders Guinn Magee
Armes Hall Maricel
Bagneris Harris, J. Marino
Billiot Havard Miller, D.
Bouie Hill Moreno
Broadwater Hoffmann Norton
Brown, C. Hunter Pope
Brown, T. Ivey Pope
Carter, G. Jackson Price
Carter, R. Jefferson Reynolds
Chaney Jenkins Shadoin
Connick Johnson Smith
Danahey Jones Stagni
Foil Jordan Thibaut
Franklin Landry, T. White
Gaines LeBas Zeringue
Gissclair Leger

Total - 56

NAYS

Mr. Speaker Falconer Miller, G.
Abraham Garofalo Morris, Jay
Amedee Harris, L. Morris, Jim
Bacala Hazel Pearson
Bagley Hensgens Pugh
Bishop Hilferty Pylant
Carmody Hodges Richard
Carter, S. Hollis Schexnayder
Coussan Horton Schroder
Crews Howard Seabaugh
Cromer Hual Hult
Davis Landry, N. Leopold
DeVillier Mack Thomas
Dwight
Edmonds McFarland
Emerson Miguez

Total - 46

ABSENT

Berthelot Cox Henry

Total - 3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Foil moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.
Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Carmody requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 1 as nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Talbot requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 1 as nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 3—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2017, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond Commission; to provide relative to the submission of capital outlay applications; to provide with respect to the resubmission of certain capital outlay budget requests; to require approval of the State Bond Commission under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 4—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.21, relative to special treasury funds; to provide for the transfer, deposits, and use, as specified, of certain treasury funds; to provide for the deposits into and uses of the Overcollections Fund; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Foil to Engrossed House Bill No. 4 by Representative Henry

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, after "transfer" and before "from" change "$15,400,000" to "$17,164,923"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Emerson LeBas
Abraham Foil Leger
Abramson Franklin Leopold
Amedee Gaines Lyons
Anders Glover Marcelle
Bacala Guinn Marino
Bagley Hall McFarland
Bagnéris Harris, J. Miller, D.
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Chaney Jackson Stokes
Connick James Talbot
Coussan Jefferson Thibaut
Danahay Jenkins Thomas
Davis John Jones White
DeVillier Jones Zeringue
Edmonds Landry, T.
Total - 83

NAYS

Crews Landry, N. Pylant
Cromer Mack Schexnayder
Falconer Miguez Schroder
Hensgens Morris, Jay Seabaugh
Hodges Morris, Jim Simon
Horton Pearson Stefanski
Total - 18

ABSENT

Berthelot Garofalo
Cox Henry
Total - 4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions in appropriations from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016-2017; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Rep. Foil sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Foil to Engrossed House Bill No. 5 by Representative Henry

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 4, line 34, change "CENTER" to "INSTITUTE"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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**ABSENT**

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Total - 5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Abramson to Engrossed House Bill No. 2 by Representative Abramson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 106, at the beginning of line 13, delete "50/J40" and insert "50/J42"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Hunter to Engrossed House Bill No. 2 by Representative Abramson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 6, after line 30, insert the following:

"In addition to the Priority schedule provided for herein, it is the intent of the legislature to further prioritize funded projects into the following subcategories:

(A) Health, safety, and welfare projects, including but not limited to water systems, alarms, call systems, law enforcement organizations, hospitals, and education buildings.

(B) Major repairs requiring federal match, including but not limited to roads, bridges, and aviation.

(C) Renovations and replacement of essential structures, including but not limited to colleges and universities.

(D) Renovations and replacement of nonessential structures.

(E) Improvements and enhancements, including but not limited to land acquisitions and new planning and construction projects.

(F) Sports, recreational, parks, and courses.

(G) Other projects.

The commissioner of administration shall create these subcategories and, as best as practicable, fully fund each project in subcategory order, beginning with the projects in Subcategory A, prior to funding projects in the subsequent subcategory. Nothing herein shall be construed to prevent any funding required by an emergency."

Rep. Hunter moved the adoption of the amendments.
Rep. Abramson objected.

By a vote of 26 yeas and 71 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Emerson LeBas
Abraham Falconer Leger
Abramson Foil Leopold
Amedee Franklin Lyons
Anders Gaines Magee
Armes Gisclair Marcelle
Bagala Glover Marino
Bagley Gunn McFarland
Bagnères Hall Miller, D.
Billiot Harris, J. Miller, G.
Bishop Havard Moreno
Bouie Hazel Morris, Jim
Broadwater Hillert Norton
Brown, C. Hill Pierre
Brown, T. Hoffmann Price
Carmody Hollis Reynolds
Carpenter Horton Richard
Carter, G. Havel Sebaugh
Carter, R. Ivey Shadoin
Carter, S. Jackson Smith
Chaney James Stagni
Connick Jefferson Stokes
Coussan Jenkins Thibaut
Danahay Johnson Thomas
Davis Jones White
DeVillier Jordan Zeringue
Dwright Landry, N.
Edmonds Landry, T.
Total - 82

NAYS

Crews Hunter Pylant
Cromer Mack Schexnayder
Garofalo Miguez Schroder
Harris, L. Morris, Jay Simon
Hensgens Pearson Stefanski
Hodges Pope Talbot
Howard Pugh
Total - 20

ABSENT

Berthelot Cox Henry
Total - 3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 3—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT
To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2017, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond Commission; to provide relative to the submission of capital outlay applications; to provide with respect to the resubmission of certain capital outlay budget requests; to require approval of the State Bond Commission under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Abramson to Engrossed House Bill No. 3 by Representative Abramson

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 18, after "of the 2017" and before "Session" delete "Regular" and insert "Second Extraordinary"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 7, line 26, after "of the 2017" and before "Session" delete "Regular" and insert "Second Extraordinary"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 7, line 27, after "timely" and before "capital" delete "resubmitted" and insert "submitted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 8, line 4, after "of the 2017" and before "Session" delete "Regular" and insert "Second Extraordinary"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 8, at the beginning of line 13, delete "project" and insert "entity"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Edmonds Landry, N.
Abraham Emerson Landry, T.
Abramson Falconer LeBas
Amedee Foil Leger
Anders Gaines Leopold
Armes Gisclair Magee
Bagala Glover Marino
Bagley Gunn McFarland
Bagnères Hall Miller, D.
Billiot Harris, J. Miller, G.
Bishop Havard Moreno
Bouie Hazel Morris, Jim
Broadwater Hillert Norton
Brown, C. Hill Pierre
Brown, T. Hoffmann Price
Carmody Hollis Reynolds
Carter, G. Howard Reynolds
Total - 183
The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 7—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON**

**AN ACT**

To provide for limitations on certain appropriations included in the Capital Outlay Act for Fiscal Year 2017-2018; to provide relative to the capital outlay program for Fiscal Year 2017-2018; to exempt certain capital outlay appropriations from certain budget request application and late approval requirements; to extend application and late approval deadlines for certain capital outlay budget request appropriations; to require certain actions to receive approval from the commissioner of administration; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Abramson to Engrossed House Bill No. 7 by Representative Abramson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 11, after "of the 2017" and before "Session" delete "Regular" and insert "Second Extraordinary"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 12, after "timely" and before "capital" delete "resubmitted" and insert "submitted"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 18, after "of the 2017" and before "Session" delete "Regular" and insert "Second Extraordinary"

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker Foil Leger
Abraham Franklin Leopold
Abramson Gaines Lyons
Amedee Gisclair Mack
Anders Glover Magee
Armes Guillen Marie
Bacala Hall Marino
Bagley Harris, J. McFarland
Bagneris Harris, L. Miller, D.
Billiot Havard Miller, G.
Bishop Haford Pugh
Borie Haferty Pugh
Broadwater Hill Morris, Jay
Brown, C. Hoffmann Norton
Brown, T. Hollis Pierre
Carmody Horton Pope
Carpenter Howard Price
Carter, G. Hunter Pugh
Carter, R. Huval Pylant
Carter, S. Ivey Reynolds
Chaney Jackson Richard
Connick James Schexnayder
Coussan Jefferson Shadoian
Danahay Jenkins Smith
Davis Johnson Stagni
DeVillier Jones Stokes
Dwight Jordan Thibaut
Edmonds Landry, N. Thomas
Emerson Landry, T. White
Falconer LeBas Zeringue

Total - 90

**NAYS**

Crews Hodges Seabaugh
Cromer Miguez Simon
Garofalo Pearson Stefanski
Hensgens Pope Talbot

Total - 12

**ABSENT**

Berthelot Henry
Cox Horton

Total - 3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

June 14, 2017

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:
I am directed by your Committee on Enrollment to submit the following report:

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER**

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Scotlandville High School Hornets Alumni Association, Incorporated, upon its third annual Scotlandville High School Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony and Banquet.

Respectfully submitted,

CHRIS HAZEL
Chairman

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

**Leave of Absence**

Rep. Henry - 1 day

**Adjournment**

On motion of Rep. Billiot, at 4:55 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Friday, June 16, 2017, at 4:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 4:00 P.M., Friday, June 16, 2017.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House