The House of Representatives was called to order at 5:12 P.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 Leopold
Abraham Garofalo Lyons
Abramson Gisclair Mack
Amedee Glover Magee
Anders Guinn Marcelle
Armes Hall Marino
Bacala Harris, J. McFarland
Bagley Harris, L. Miller, D.
Bagneris Havard Morris, Jay
Berthelot Hazel Morris, Jim
Billiot Henry Muscarello
Boutie Hensgens Norton
Brass Hill Pearson
Brown, C. Pierre
Brown, T. Pope
Carmondy Hoffmann Pugh
Carpenter Howard Pylant
Carter, R. Reynolds Richard
Carter, S. Schexnayder
Chaney Huval Shado
Connick Ivey Simon
Cox Jackson Smith
Davis Jefferson Stagni
DeVillier Jenkins Stefanski
Duplessis Johnson Stokes
Dwight Johnson Talbot
Edmonds Jones Thomas
Emerson Jordan Wright
Falconer Landry, N. Zeringue
Foil Landry, T. LeBus
Franklin Total - 93

The Speaker announced that there were 93 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. James.

Pledge of Allegiance

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

Reading of the Journal

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

On motion of Rep. Hill, the Journal of May 23, 2018, was adopted.

Petitions, Memorials, and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 24, 2018

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

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 4, 6, 7, 8, and 12

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:

SENEATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State University Center for Energy Studies (LSU CES), the Louisiana State University Public Administration Institute (LSU PAI), and the Louisiana Tax Institute to analyze mineral revenues, taxes, and exemptions in Louisiana and to submit a written report of its findings to the legislature.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

SENEATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Lewis Cook on being named to the 2018 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

Read by title.
On motion of Rep. Stefanski, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7**
**BY SENATOR LONG**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Brandon Stokley on being named to the 2018 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8**
**BY SENATOR LONG**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Steve Gleason on receiving the 2018 Dave Dixon Louisiana Sports Leadership Award.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12**
**BY SENATOR MILLS**
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family and friends of Byron Terrell Dore upon his passing and to express support for the dedication of a flagpole installed in his honor at the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Law Enforcement Training and Emergency Response Complex.

Read by title.

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

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent**

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 12**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH**
A RESOLUTION
To create the Task Force on Student Fees to study and make recommendations relative to the assessment of fees to students attending public schools and students attending nonpublic schools as part of the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program and to submit a written report of findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education not later than January 31, 2019.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 13**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY**
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Delhi High School girls’ basketball team on winning the Class 1A State Championship at the 2018 Allstate Sugar Bowl Louisiana High School Athletic Association Tournament.

Read by title.

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

**Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following entitled House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading and, under a suspension of the rules, were referred to committee as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 30**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE**
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(3)(c) and to enact R.S. 47:293(3)(d), relative to the individual income tax; to provide with respect to the deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Marcelle, the rules were suspended in order to refer the bill to committee at this time.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 31**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY CARTER**
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:481 and R.S. 48:196(A)(introductory paragraph) and 197 and to repeal R.S. 48:25.2(D), relative to certain registration and license fees and taxes collected on trucks and trailers; to provide for the collection, deposit, and appropriation of such registration and license fees and taxes collected in certain parishes; to create the Jefferson Parish Maintenance and Improvement Fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for the New Orleans Ferry Fund; to repeal the termination date of the New Orleans Ferry Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Bouie, the rules were suspended in order to refer the bill to committee at this time.

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

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on
Ways and Means
May 24, 2018

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

House Bill No. 3, by Abramson
Reported with amendments. (15-0)

House Bill No. 27, by Harris, L.
Reported with amendments. (11-6-1)

House Bill No. 28, by Abramson
Reported with amendments. (15-0)

House Bill No. 29, by Henry
Reported with amendments. (15-0)

NEIL C. ABRAMSON
Chairman

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the rules were suspended in order to take up House Bills contained in the committee report at this time.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committee

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 3—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON**

**AN ACT**

To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2018, 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 for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 3 by Representative Abramson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 5, after "Commission;" and before "to" insert the following:

"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 commissioner of administration under certain circumstances; to require the capital outlay application to include certain information; to provide relative to line of credit recommendations for capital outlay projects; to require the approval of certain line of credit recommendations; to authorize certain parties to enter into a cooperative endeavor agreement for purposes of capital outlay projects;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 7, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

"Section 8. Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 39:101(A) and 112(C), projects included within Section (1)(A) of House Bill No. 2 of the 2018 Regular Session of the Legislature are hereby deemed to have timely submitted capital outlay budget request applications for Fiscal Year 2018-2019 and to have complied with the late approval requirements of R.S. 39:112(C), and as such shall be eligible for cash and noncash lines of credit for Fiscal Year 2018-2019. Beginning in Fiscal Year 2019-2020 all projects shall comply with the provisions of R.S. 39:101(A) and 112(C)."

Section 9. Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 39:101(A) and 112(C), projects included within Section (1)(B) of House Bill No. 2 of the 2018 Regular Session of the Legislature are hereby deemed to have until June 30, 2018, to submit a capital outlay budget request application pursuant to R.S. 39:101(A) and if the application is submitted by that date, the project is deemed to have complied with the late approval requirements of R.S. 39:112(C). Beginning in Fiscal Year 2019-2020, all projects shall comply with the provisions of R.S. 39:101(A) and 112(C).

Section 10.(A) The Department of Transportation and Development is authorized to enter into a cooperative endeavor agreement with the New Orleans Aviation Board for the State Street, Algiers including Landside Roadways at Louis Armstrong International North Terminal, Planning and Construction project in Jefferson and Orleans. Furthermore, the application for the Landside Roadways - Louis Armstrong International North Terminal project submitted by New Orleans shall govern the scope of this project.

(B) Beginning in Fiscal Year 2019-2020, the office of facility planning and control shall include in any report submitted to the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:105 information regarding the amount of local match required to be provided by a nonstate entity requesting capital outlay funding for each project application and whether the local match requirement has been waived by the office of facility planning and control. If a local match requirement has been waived by the office of facility planning and control, the report shall also include the rationale and basis for the waiver.

Section 11. Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 39:122, for Fiscal Year 2018-2019, the commissioner of administration shall make recommendations to the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs concerning the late and nonstate entity projects to be granted lines of credit. The commissioner of administration shall submit to the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs a list of state and nonstate entity projects that the division of administration recommends for lines of credit no less than thirty days prior to the meeting date of the State Bond Commission in which the lines of credit are to be considered. The House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs shall receive the list of recommendations from the division of administration and shall have discretion to either approve the list or make changes to the list. The committees shall make final recommendations and shall separately approve a list of projects which shall be submitted to the State Bond Commission for consideration of lines of credit. Only projects which received approval from both the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs shall be submitted to the State Bond Commission for consideration of lines of credit."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 7, at the beginning of line 27, delete "Section 8." and insert "Section 12."

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

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.
HOUSE BILL NO. 27—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCE HARRIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(16)(o)(i), 302(R)(2) and (3), (S), (T), (X)(introductory paragraph), (AA)(introductory paragraph), (AA)(29) through (31), and (AA)(32)(introductory paragraph), 321(H)(2) through (6), and (I) through (K), and 321.1(A) through (C), (E), (F)(introductory paragraph), (F)(66)(introductory paragraph), (F)(67) through (69), and (F)(70)(introductory paragraph), and 331(P), (Q), and (R), to enact R.S 47:302(BB) and (CC), 321(P) and (Q), 321.1(I) and (J), and 331(V) and (W), and to repeal R.S. 47:302(Y), 321(M), 331(T), and Act No. 395 of the 2017 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, relative to state sales and use taxes; to provide for the tax rate; to provide for the applicability of certain exclusions and exemptions applicable to certain taxes; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 27 by Representative Lance Harris

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the beginning of line 9, delete "The" and insert the following:
"For purposes of the imposition of the sales and use tax levied by the state and any political subdivision whose boundaries are coterminous with those of the state, the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 9, delete lines 25 and 26 in their entirety and insert the following:
"(74) Sales of dental devices and materials as provided in R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(6)."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 19, delete lines 8 and 9 in their entirety and insert the following:
"(74) Sales of dental devices and materials as provided in R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(6)."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 29, delete lines 8 and 9 in their entirety and insert the following:
"(74) Sales of dental devices and materials as provided in R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(6)."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 38, delete lines 8 and 9 in their entirety and insert the following:
"(74) Sales of dental devices and materials as provided in R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(6)."

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 28—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT
To appropriate funds from certain sources in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations to the capital outlay budget for Fiscal Year 2018-2019; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 28 by Representative Abramson

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, delete lines 17 through 23 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 24, delete "Section 7." and insert "Section 6."

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 29—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY
AN ACT
To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and reductions for said agencies and purposes for Fiscal Year 2017-2018; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.
Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 29 by Representative Henry

AMENDMENT NO. 1
Change the author from Representative Abramson to Representative Henry

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

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

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. Abramson, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred at this time.
House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

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

Motion

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 6.

HOUSE BILL NO. 6—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
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; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 7.

HOUSE BILL NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(J)(1)(b), (2)(a), and 3(a), relative to motion picture production income tax credits; to provide for the maximum amount of credits granted via final certification letters; to provide for the maximum amount of credits claimed on income tax returns; to provide for the maximum amount of credits granted per project; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the above bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 8.

HOUSE BILL NO. 8—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCE HARRIS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(J)(1)(b), (2)(a), and 3(a), relative to motion picture production income tax credits; to provide for the maximum amount of credits claimed on income tax returns; to provide for the maximum amount of credits claimed on income tax returns; to provide for the maximum amount of credits claimed per project; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 12.

HOUSE BILL NO. 12—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(V)(1)(introductory paragraph), (a), (b)(introductory paragraph), and (c), and to enact R.S. 47:302(V)(1)(d), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to collection and reporting of sales and use taxes; to provide for the definition of dealer; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 13.

HOUSE BILL NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:158(C) and (D), 287.73(C)(4), and 287.745(B) and Section 6 of Act No. 123 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature and to repeal Sections 3 and 4 of Act No. 123 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to corporate income tax; to provide relative to certain exclusions, exemptions, and deductions; to provide for continued effectiveness of reductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 17.

HOUSE BILL NO. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(V)(1)(introductory paragraph), (a), (b)(introductory paragraph), and (c), and to enact R.S. 47:302(V)(1)(d), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to collection and reporting of sales and use taxes; to provide for the definition of dealer; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.
HOUSE BILL NO. 18—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:33(A)(5) and Section 4 of Act No. 109 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, to enact R.S. 47:33(A)(7), and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 109 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the individual income tax credit for taxes paid to other states; to repeal provisions providing for an increase in the credit; to limit the amount of the credit; to authorize a deduction of income taxes paid to other states under certain circumstances; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Jim Morris, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion
On motion of Rep. Abramson, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 19.

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT
To amend Section 6 of Act No. 126 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Act No. 28 of the 2016 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature and to repeal Section 3 of Act No. 126 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature and Section 7 of Act No. 126 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature as enacted by Act No. 28 of the 2016 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, relative to certain rebates; to provide for continued effectiveness of certain rebate reductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion
On motion of Rep. Abramson, the Committee on Ways and Means was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 24.

HOUSE BILL NO. 24—
BY REPRESENTATIVE 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; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Abramson, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment
May 24, 2018

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. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
A RESOLUTION
To designate May 20 through 26, 2018, as Emergency Medical Services Week, highlighting the theme of "EMS Strong: Always in Service".

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE
A RESOLUTION
To commend the government of Iceland for hosting the Linkages Across the Sea Level Rise Continuum youth leadership exchange program and to congratulate the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People delegates for climate and environmental justice for attending the event.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
A RESOLUTION
To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Louis M. Blakes.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 10—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COX
A RESOLUTION
To commend Fletter Cox Taylor on her many accomplishments.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS
A RESOLUTION
To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Judge Clare Jupiter of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

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.

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. Abramson, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Ways and Means to meet on Friday, May 25, 2018, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 17, 18, 19, and 24

Leave of Absence
Rep. Miguez - 1 day
Rep. Leger - 1 day

Adjournment
On motion of Rep. Billiot, at 5:38 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Friday, May 25, 2018, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Friday, May 25, 2018.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House