The House of Representatives was called to order at 1:10 P.M., by the Honorable Clay Schexnayder, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker Freiberg McKnight
Adams Frieman McMahen
Amedee Gadberry Miller, D.
Bacala Gaines Miller, G.
Bagley Garofalo Mincey
Beaullieu Goudeau Nelson
Bishop Green Newell
Bourriaque Harris Phelps
Brass Henry Pierre
Brown Hillfert Owen, C.
Bryant Hodges Owen, R.
Butler Horton Phelps
Carpenter Hughes Pierre
Carrier Huval Pressly
Carter, G. Illg Riser
Carter, R. Ivey Romero
Carter, W. James Schamerhorn
Cormier Jefferson Seabaugh
Coussan Jenkins Selders
Crews Johnson, M. Seabaugh
Davis Johnson, T. St. Blanc
Deshotel Jones Stefanski
DeVillier Jordan Tarver
DuBuisson Kerner Thomas
Duplessis LaCombe Thompson
Dwight Landry Turner
Echols Larvadain Villio
Edmonds Lyons Wheat
Edmonston Mack White
Emerson Magee Willard
Farnum Marcelle Wright
Firment Marlin Zeringue
Fontenot McCormick

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

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Coussan.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Illg 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. Huval, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Huval, the Journal of June 15, 2020, was adopted.

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. 71—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPLESSIS AND HUGHES
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(cc) and Chapter 13-A of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 42:1021, and to repeal, effective July 1, 2023, R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(cc) and Chapter 13-A of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 42:1021, relative to a death benefit for certain employees of public healthcare facilities who died of COVID-19; to create a special fund in the treasury, from which the benefit is paid, and a board to administer the fund and the benefit; to provide conditions of eligibility for the benefit; to provide for beneficiaries to whom a payment is made; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana R.S. 32:295.1(E), relative to the exclusion of evidence of failure to wear a safety belt.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana R.S. 1269(B), relative to the right of direct action against an insurer in certain circumstances.

Read by title.
Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH**
**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**
To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732(A)(1), relative to the jury trial threshold for a petitioner's cause of action.

Read by title.

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

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 70—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVES JENKINS, ADAMS, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, CARPENTER, GARY CARTER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, DUPLESSIS, FREEMAN, GLOVER, GREEN, JAMES, JEFFERSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JONES, JORDAN, LACOMBE, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, DUSTIN MILLER, MOORE, NEWELL, SELDERS, AND WILLARD

**AN ACT**
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(K) and to enact R.S. 51:1787(L), relative to the Enterprise Zone incentive; to extend eligibility for Enterprise Zone incentives to certain workers; to establish a rebate for certain essential critical infrastructure workers; to provide for the amount of the rebate; to provide for definitions; to provide for the application, approval, and payment of the rebate; to provide for rebate requirements and limitations; to authorize 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 and House Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 6—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCORMICK**
**A RESOLUTION**
To urge and request the governor to ensure that the right to individual liberty, the right to freedom of religion, and the right of the citizens of Louisiana to peaceably assemble are protected at all times without restriction.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Resolution No. 6 by Representative McCormick

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, at the beginning of line 2, change "To direct" to "To urge and request"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 2, line 4, after "hereby" and before "the governor" change "direct" to "urge and request"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**
On page 2, line 8, after "hereby" and before "the governor" change "direct" to "urge and request"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**
On page 2, line 12, after "hereby" and before "the governor" change "direct" to "urge and request"

On motion of Rep. Gregory Miller, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY**
**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**
To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations to the Legislature of Louisiana regarding language in the Constitution of Louisiana that is outdated or transitional in nature and which can be removed or updated without affecting the effect of the constitutional provisions.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 25—**
**BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT**
**AN ACT**
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:246(E) and (G), 287.86(A), (B), and (C), 1621(B)(7), and 1623(C) and to enact R.S. 47:287.86(F), relative to the net operating loss deduction; to authorize the carry-back of certain corporate income tax deductions for purposes of calculating corporate income tax; to provide for the administration of the deduction; to provide for certain adjustments; to authorize the refund of certain amounts; to authorize the payment of interest on certain amounts; to provide for time limitations for the payment of certain claims; 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. 25 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 20, after "after" and before "through" delete "January 1, 2017," and insert "January 1, 2019."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 1, after "before" and before "at" delete "January 1, 2022," and insert "January 1, 2021."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, at the end of line 8, delete "January 1, 2017." and insert "January 1, 2019."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 14, after "after" and before "through" delete "January 1, 2017.," and insert "January 1, 2019."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 15, after "before" and before "any" delete "January 1, 2022," and insert "January 1, 2021"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 3, line 2, after "after" and before "through" delete "January 1, 2017," and insert "January 1, 2019."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, line 3, after "before" and before "there" delete "January 1, 2022," and insert "January 1, 2021."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, line 4, after "equal to" and before "the" insert "seventy-two percent of"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, at the end of line 6 before the period "," insert a comma and "but the deduction shall never exceed seventy-two percent of Louisiana net income"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, at the end of line 12, delete "January 1, 2017," and insert "January 1, 2019."

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 3, line 13, after "before" and before "a" delete "January 1, 2022," and insert "January 1, 2021."

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 3, at the end of line 24, delete "January 1, 2017," and insert "January 1, 2019."

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 3, line 25, after "before" and before "the" delete "January 1, 2022," and insert "January 1, 2021."

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 4, delete line 14 in its entirety and insert the following:
"on and after January 1, 2019, through tax years commencing before January 1, 2021"

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 6, line 15, after "after" and before "through" delete "January 1, 2017," and insert "January 1, 2019."

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 6, line 16, after "before" and before "in" delete "January 1, 2022," and insert "January 1, 2021."

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

Under the rules, the above bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 40—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to add Article VII, Section 9.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to create a category of dedicated funds in the state treasury and require the enactment of a law by two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature to create or modify any fund designated as a protected fund; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Engrossed House Bill No. 40 by Representative Ivey

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, delete lines 10 through 13 and insert the following:
"Do you support an amendment to create a category of protected funds in the state treasury and to require the enactment of a law by two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature to create or modify any fund designated as a protected fund? (Adds Article VII, Section 9.1)"

On motion of Rep. Gregory Miller, the amendments were adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 55—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295.1(E), relative to the requirement to wear safety belts while operating a motor vehicle; to provide for the introduction of evidence of the failure to wear a safety belt under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.
The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 55 by Representative Mike Johnson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 13, after "damages" and before the period "." insert "and may be used as an affirmative defense"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, delete lines 16 through 18 in their entirety

On motion of Rep. Gregory Miller, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 60—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES MCFARLAND AND PRESSLY**

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1269(B)(2), Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732, and Code of Evidence Article 411, to enact R.S. 9:2800.25, and to repeal R.S. 32:295.1(E), relative to liability; to provide relative to civil liability and to motor vehicle liability coverage; to provide relative to awarding medical expenses reduced or paid by a collateral source; to provide relative to collateral source, jury trials, and jury trial thresholds under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the right of direct action against an insurer; to provide relative to the admissibility of certain evidence; to require certain annual rate filings with the commissioner of insurance; to provide for a rate reduction under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 60 by Representative McFarland

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 4, at the end of line 14, change "upon" to "only upon"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 4, line 16 after "amount of" and before "medical" change "the" to "past"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 4, line 21, after "any" and before "premiums" change "medical" to "health insurance"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 5, at the end of line 3, delete "upon" and at the beginning of line 4, delete "motion of the plaintiff and"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 5, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"G. The provisions of this Section shall apply notwithstanding the provisions of Code of Evidence Article 409."

On motion of Rep. Gregory Miller, the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 68—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL**

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 47:6041, relative to income or corporation franchise tax credits; to establish a tax credit for certain broadband coverage providers; to provide for the amount of the credit; to limit the total amount of credits authorized to be granted; to provide for requirements and limitations; 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. 68 by Representative Deshotel

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 4, after "household" and before "identified" insert "in Louisiana"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 69—**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL**

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 47:302(BB)(113), 305.75, 321(P)(114), 321.1(I)(114), 331(V)(114), and 337.9(D)(35), relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for a sales and use tax exemption for certain fiber-optic cables; to provide for limitations and conditions; 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. 69 by Representative Deshotel

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 1, after "321.1(I)(114)," delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert "331(V)(114), and 337.9(D)(35),"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 7 at the end of the line delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 8, after "331(V)(114)" insert a comma "," and insert "and 337.9(D)(35)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 3, between lines 11 and 12 insert the following:

"§337.9. Exemptions applicable to local tax in Chapters 2, 2-A, and 2-B, other exemptions applicable
*                     *                    *
(35) R.S. 47:305.75, "key words": fiber-optic cables purchased by a broadband internet service provider.
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On motion of Rep. Bishop, the amendments were adopted.

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

Suspension of the Rules
On motion of Rep. James, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration at this time.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration
The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions on third reading for final consideration were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
A RESOLUTION
To create a study group to study law enforcement systems and policing and to report its findings to the House of Representatives prior to the convening of the 2021 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

Read by title.

Motion
On motion of Rep. James, the resolution was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the United States Congress to call a convention of states for the purpose of proposing amendments to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a member of the United States House of Representatives and to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a member of the United States Senate.

Read by title.

Acting Speaker Davis in the Chair
Rep. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 67 yeas and 18 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

Speaker Schexnayder in the Chair

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To adopt Joint Rule No. 4(H) of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives to provide relative to fiscal notes.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative James to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 8 by Representative James

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 9, change "via email." to "in writing."

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

Rep. James moved the adoption of the resolution, as amended.

By a vote of 95 yeas and 1 nay, the resolution, as amended, was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT, BOURRIAQUE, BUTLER, CARRIER, COUSSAN, DESHOTEL, KERNER, MINCEY, ROMERO, AND WHEAT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the United States Congress and the Louisiana congressional delegation to remove the revenue sharing cap on the Gulf of Mexico Energy Security Act of 2006 (GOMESA) for Gulf producing states and to take such actions as are necessary to rectify the federal revenue sharing inequities between energy producing states.

Read by title.

Rep. Bourriaque moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 94 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.
Suspension of the Rules

Rep. Garofalo moved to suspend the rules to take House Concurrent Resolution No. 12 out of its regular order at this time, which motion was agreed to.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To authorize and direct the Louisiana Workforce Investment Council to study and report on resources available and innovative ways to coordinate and rapidly deploy opportunities for retraining and developing new skills for Louisiana workers who are unemployed because of the COVID-19 crisis.

Read by title.

Rep. Garofalo moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 70 yeas and 21 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Freeman gave notice of her intention to call House Concurrent Resolution No. 5 from the calendar on Wednesday, June 17, 2020.

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:

HOUSE BILL NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:306(A)(3)(a), relative to the compensation of persons required to collect state sales and use tax; to provide for the amount of compensation persons required to collect state sales and use tax may deduct for the purpose of remitting sales and use taxes; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Stefanski moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS


NAYS

James  Landry  Phelps  Total - 3  ABSENT

Carter, W.  Cox  Glover  Hollis  Hughes  Ivey  Magee  Marcele  Marino  McFarland  Total - 13

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Stefanski 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. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(B)(3)(c) and (K) and to enact R.S. 51:1787(B)(3)(e), relative to the Enterprise Zone incentive program; to authorize certain businesses to participate in the Enterprise Zone incentive program; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Wright moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Edmonston McCormick Wheat
Emerson McFarland Wright
Farnum McKnight
Total - 62

NAYS
Adams Green Marcelle
Brass Hughes Miller, D.
Carpenter James Moore
Carter, G. Jenkins Newell
Carter, R. Johnson, T. Pierre
Carter, W. Jones Selders
Cormier Jordan Thompson
Duplessis Landry White
Freeman Larvadain Willard
Gaines Lyons
Total - 32

ABSENT
Brown LaCombe Stagni
Cox Magee Zeringue
Glover Marino
Hollis Muscarello
Total - 10

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Wright 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. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:601(A) and 611(A), relative to the state corporation franchise tax; to suspend the corporation franchise tax levied on certain taxable capital during a certain period of time; to suspend the initial tax levied on certain entities during a certain period of time; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Mincey to Engrossed House Bill No. 17 by Representative Bishop

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 19, after "beginning" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert the following:
"on or after July 1, 2020, and no later than June 30, 2022."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, at the end of line 4, after "beginning" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete line 5 in its entirety and insert the following:
"on or after July 1, 2020, and no later than June 30, 2022."

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

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. Speaker Fontenot Miller, G.
Amedee Freiberg Mincey
Bacala Friemant Muscarello
Bagley Gofalfo Nelson
Beaullieu Goudeau Owen, C.
Bishop Bourrieau Owen, R.
Brass Henry Pressly
Carrier Hilferty Riser
Carter, R. Hodges Romero
Cormier Jones Selders
Duplessis Jordan Thomas
Freeman Larvadain Willard
Coussan Norton Schamerhorn
Crews Huval Sebaugh
Davis Ilg St. Blanco
Deshotel Ivey Stevenski
Devillier Johnson, M. Tarver
DuBuisson Johnson, T. Thomas
Dwight Kerner Thompson
Echols Mack Turner
Edmonds McCormick Villio
Edmonston McFarland Wheat
Emerson McKnight Wright
Farnum McMahen
Firment Miguez
Total - 67

NAYS
Adams Hughes Marcelle
Amedee Myers Miller, D.
Bacala James Moore
Bagley Newell Nelson
Beaullieu Phelps Owen, C.
Bishop Bourrieau Owen, R.
Brass Henry Pressly
Carrier Hilferty Riser
Carter, G. Hodges Romero
Cormier Jones Selders
Duplessis Jordan Thomas
Freeman Larvadain Willard
Gaines Larvadain Willard
Green Lyons
Total - 25

ABSENT
Brown Glover Marino
Bryant Hollis Miller, D.
Butler LaCombe Stagni
Cox Magee Zeringue
Total - 12

The Chair declared the above bill, not having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, failed to pass.

Motion to reconsider pending.

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRESSLY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2453(2)(c)(i) and to enact R.S. 51:2453(2)(b)(ix), relative to the Quality Jobs Program; to authorize certain businesses to participate in the Quality Jobs Program; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Pressly moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:
YEAS
Mr. Speaker Miguez
Amedee Miller, G.
Bacala Mincey
Bagley Moore
Beaullieu Muscarello
Bishop Nelson
Bourriaque Owen, C.
Brass Owen, R.
Brown Pressly
Butler Riser
Carrier Romero
Coussan Schamerhorn
Crews Seabaugh
Davis St. Blanc
Deshotel Stefanski
DeVillier Tarver
DuBuisson Thomas
Dwight Thompson
Echols Turner
Edmonds Villio
Edmonston Wheat
Emerson Wright
Farnum
Total - 68
NAYS
Adams Lyons
Bryant Marceille
Carpenter Miller, D.
Carter, G. Newell
Carter, R. Phelps
Carter, W. Pierre
Cornier Selders
Duplessis White
Gaines Larvadain
Total - 26
ABSENT
Cox Willard
Glover Zeringue
Hollis
Hughes
Total - 10

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pressly 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.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 28—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9021(8) and (10) and 9022(1) and to enact R.S. 33:2760, relative to payments in lieu of ad valorem taxes; to provide for agreements for investments in political subdivisions authorizing payments in lieu of ad valorem taxes; to provide for agreements authorizing payments in lieu of ad valorem taxes that may allow for property tax exemptions; to provide for the authority of political subdivisions; to provide for ownership and title of property subject to certain agreements; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain conditions and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

HOUSE BILL NO. 35—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BISHOP, BEAULLIEU, RISER, STEFANSKI, AND WRIGHT
AN ACT
To enact Subpart Q 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. 39:100.121, relative to capital outlay funds; to create the Capital Outlay Savings Fund; to provide for uses of the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative Horton on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 35 by Representative Bishop

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 15, change "only be used" to "be used only"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Representative DeVillier to Engrossed House Bill No. 35 by Representative Bishop

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 15, change "only be used" to "be used only"

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

On page 1, line 4, after "Savings Fund;" and before "to provide" insert "to provide for the transfer and deposit of certain monies into the fund;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 5, after "fund;" and before "and" insert "to provide for an effective date;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, at the beginning of line 12, insert "A.(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 14, after "comprised of" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert the following: "nonrecurring state general fund revenues.

(2)(a) The state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer and deposit into the fund an amount equal to one hundred six million, seven hundred thirty-seven thousand, eight hundred fifty-four dollars of nonrecurring revenues from the Fiscal Year 2018-2019 surplus as recognized by the Revenue Estimating Conference.

(b) In the event that a project included in the comprehensive capital outlay budget that has a state general fund direct nonrecurring revenue appropriation is deemed null by the division of administration or is vetoed by the governor, the state treasurer is authorized and directed to deposit into the fund an amount equal to the amount of the appropriation for the project that is deemed null or vetoed from the nonrecurring revenues in the state general fund.
B. Monies in the fund shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, after line 19, insert the following:

"C. The monies in the fund shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund, and any interest earned on the monies in the fund shall be credited to the fund.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2020; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2020, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker                            Freeman                              McCormick
Adams                                  Freiberg                              McFarland
Amedee                                 Friedeman                             McKnight
Bacalia                                Guberry                               McMahon
Bagley                                  Gaines                                Miguez
Beaulieu                                Garafalo                              Miller, G.
Bishop                                  Goudreau                              Mincey
Bourr iaque                             Green                                 Moore
Brass                                   Harris                                 Muscarello
Brown                                   Henry                                 Nelson
Bryant                                   Hilferty                              Owen, C.
Butler                                   Hodges                                Owen, R.
Carpenter                               Horton                                Pierre
Carrier                                  Hughes                                Pressly
Carter, G.                               Huval                                 Riser
Carter, W.                               Illg                                  Romero
Cormier                                  Ivey                                  Schamerhorn
Coussan                                  James                                 Seabough
Crews                                   Jefferson                              Selders
Davis                                    Jenkins                               St. Blanc
Deshotel                                 Johnson, M.                           Stefanski
DeVillier                                Johnson, T.                           Tarver
Dubuisson                                Jones                                 Thomas
Duplessis                                Jordan                                Thompson
Dwight                                   Kerner                                Turner
Echols                                   LaCombe                               Villio
Edmonds                                  Landry                                Wheat
Edmonston                                Larvadain                              Willard
Emerson                                  Lyons                                 Wright
Farnum                                   Mack                                  Zeringue
Firment                                  Magee                                 Marcelle
Fontenot                                  Marce1le                              Total - 94

NAYS

Carter, R.                                Phelps                                Total - 4
Newell                                   White

ABSENT

Cox                                       Hollis                                Miller, D.
Glover                                    Marino                                Total - 6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.
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The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Harris 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. 34—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS
AN ACT
To enact Subpart M 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. 39:100.41, relative to the disbursement of monies received from opioid settlements; to establish the Louisiana Opioid Settlement Fund; to provide for administration of the fund; to provide for specific uses of the fund; to provide for reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 43—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732(1), R.S. 9:2800.25(C), and R.S. 22:1269(B)(1), to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732.1, and to repeal R.S. 9:2800.25(D), relative to suits for delictual and quasi delictual actions; to provide for jury trials; to lower the jury trial threshold for certain actions; to provide for the number of jurors for certain actions; to provide for rendering a verdict; to repeal provisions relative to recovery of premiums paid; to provide for the recovery of medical expenses when paid pursuant to the Louisiana Workers' Compensation Law; to provide relative to the right of direct action against an insurer; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Bagley, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Reports of Committees at this time.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on Health and Welfare

June 16, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Resolution No. 19, by Willard
Reported with amendments, with recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations. (13-0)

LAWRENCE A. "LARRY" BAGLEY
Chairman

Report of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

June 16, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Resolution No. 20, by Mincey
Reported favorably. (14-0-1)

STEPHEN C. DWIGHT
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

June 16, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 17, by Carpenter
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

House Bill No. 62, by Zeringue
Reported with amendments. (13-1)

House Bill No. 65, by Wright
Reported with amendments. (12-0)

BARBARA W. CARPENTER
Chairman

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

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Lyons, the Committee on Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of House Resolution No. 9.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 9**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS**

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office to adopt policies and procedures relative to the use, storage, and maintenance of body-worn cameras and the storage, retention, and release of audio and video data recorded by body-worn cameras.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Lyons, the resolution was recommitted to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

**Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau**

June 16, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the following report:

Senate Bill No. 4
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

DODIE HORTON
Chair

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

June 16, 2020

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. 8**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN**

A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt House Rule 6.26(D) of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to change provisions relative to the vouchered allotment for members of the House of Representatives set by the House Executive Committee.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 21**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON**

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Dr. Birdex Copeland, Jr.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Checkers restaurant for its service to the north Baton Rouge community.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 25**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULIEU**

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Michael "Mike" Anthony Barras.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 26**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. James H. Crawley on his ninetieth birthday.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 27**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES**

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of George Perry Floyd.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 28**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Florence Murchison Breda on the celebration of her ninetieth birthday.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHANIE HILFERTY
Chair

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. Muscarello, Jr., 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. 29**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Chief Edwin Bergeron, Jr., and the Hammond Police Department for their response to the events at the Hammond Square shopping center on June 5, 2020.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 30**

**BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Jim Martin, on the occasion of his retirement, for thirty-six years of dedicated public service in Bienville Parish.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Jefferson, 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 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. 72—**
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1875 and to enact R.S. 22:1872(24), relative to billing by noncontracted facility-based physicians; to define surprise billing; to prohibit surprise billing; to provide for billing by noncontracted facility-based providers; to provide for applicability; to provide for exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Gregory Miller, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to meet on Wednesday, June 17, 2020, 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. 51, 59, and 66
House Concurrent Resolution Nos. 18, 19, and 20
Senate Bill Nos. 9 and 11

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Bishop, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Ways and Means to meet on Wednesday, June 17, 2020, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill No. 70
House Resolutions No. 23
Senate Bill Nos. 6 and 13
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4

**Leave of Absence**

Rep. Cox - 1 day
Rep. Stagni - 1 day

**Adjournment**

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 3:00 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, June 17, 2020, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 17, 2020.

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT
Clerk of the House

**Committee Meeting Notices**

The following committees posted notices as follows:

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure
Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.
Committee on Ways and Means
Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.
Date: Wednesday, June 17, 2020
Location: Committee Room 4

HB 70  JENKINS (TBA) TAX/TAX REBATES  Extends Enterprise Zone Program incentives to essential critical infrastructure workers by authorizing the payment of a one-time hazard pay rebate (Item #18) (Subject to Rule Suspension)

HR 23  IVEY (TBA) ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  Requests a study of data points used for performance analysis by the Department of Economic Development (Subject to Rule Suspension)

SB 6  ALLAIN (TBA) TAX/FRANCHISE/CORPORATE  Provides for the suspension of the corporation franchise tax and initial corporation franchise tax for small business corporations. (Item #16) (gov sig) (Subject to Rule Suspension)

SB 13  WARD (TBA) ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  Provides for the Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act. (Item #19) (8/1/20) (Subject to Rule Suspension)

SCR 4  FOIL (TBA) TAX/TAXATION  Requests the study of the feasibility of establishing a tax credit program as a funding mechanism for public-private partnership investment in Louisiana infrastructure projects. (Subject to Rule Suspension)

OTHER BUSINESS:
COMMITTEE ROOM 3 TO BE USED FOR OVERFLOW

ANNOUNCEMENTS:
Persons who do not feel comfortable giving testimony in person at this time may submit a prepared statement in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee:

A. Any interested person or any committee member may file with the committee a prepared statement concerning a specific instrument or matter under consideration by the committee or concerning any matter within the committee’s scope of authority, and the committee records shall reflect receipt of such statement and the date and time thereof.

B. Any person who files a prepared statement which contains data or statistical information shall include in such prepared statement sufficient information to identify the source of the data or statistical information. For the purposes of this Paragraph, the term "source" shall mean a publication, website, person, or other source from which the data or statistical information contained in the prepared statement was obtained by the person or persons who prepared the statement.

NOTE: Only statements mailed to leab@legis.la.gov and received prior to 8:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 17, will be included in the record for this committee meeting. All persons desiring to participate in the meeting shall utilize appropriate protective health measures and observe the recommended and appropriate social distancing.

STUART J. BISHOP
Chairman