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Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, October 6, 2020

The House of Representatives was called to order at 4:25 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	Freeman	McKnight
Adams	Freiberg	McMahen
Amedee	Frieman	Miguez
Bacala	Gadberry	Miller, D.
Bagley	Gaines	Miller, G.
Beaullieu	Garofalo	Mincey
Bishop	Goudeau	Moore
Bourriague	Green	Muscarello
Brass	Harris	Newell
Brown	Henry	Orgeron
Bryant	Hodges	Owen, C.
Butler	Hollis	Owen, R.
Carpenter	Hughes	Phelps
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Carter, G.	Illg	Pressly
Carter, R.	Ivey	Riser
Carter, W.	James	Romero
Cormier	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Coussan	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson, M.	Selders
Crews	Johnson, T.	St. Blanc
Davis	Jones	Stefanski
Deshotel	Jordan	Tarver
DeVillier	Kerner	Thomas
DuBuisson	LaCombe	Thompson
Duplessis	Landry	Turner
Echols	Larvadain	Villio
Edmonds	Lyons	Wheat
Edmonston	Mack	White
Emerson	Magee	Willard
Farnum	Marcelle	Wright
Firment	McCormick	Zeringue
Fontenot	McFarland	

Total - 98

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

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Zeringue.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Cox 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. White, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. White, the Journal of October 5, 2020, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials, and
Communications**

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

Message from the Senate

DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

October 6, 2020

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has refused to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 29 by Sen. Cortez, and ask the Speaker to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

October 6, 2020

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. 6 and 11

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions
Lying Over**

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY SENATORS ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAU, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JOHNS, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, PEACOCK, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt adjustments to the minimum foundation program (MFP) formula to ensure that school districts impacted by Hurricane Laura do not lose MFP funding during the 2020-2021 fiscal year due to decreases in student enrollment.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Magee, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education, under the rules.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY SENATORS ALLAIN, TARVER, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAU, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, PETERSON, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK AND REPRESENTATIVES ST. BLANC, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIQUE, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARPENTER, CARRIER, GARY CARTER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER, DUBUISSON, DUPLESSIS, DWIGHT, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAINES, GAROFALO, GLOVER, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HARRIS, HENRY, HILFERTY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HORTON, HUGHES, HUVAL, ILLG, IVEY, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JONES, JORDAN, KERNER, LACOMBE, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MACK, MAGEE, MARCELLE, MARINO, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCKNIGHT, MCMAHEN, MIGUEZ, DUSTIN MILLER, GREGORY MILLER, MINCEY, MOORE, MUSCARELLO, NELSON, NEWELL, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, PHELPS, PIERRE, PRESSLY, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHEXNAYDER, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, TARVER, THOMAS, THOMPSON, TURNER, VILLIO, WHEAT, WHITE, WILLARD, WRIGHT AND ZERINGUE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences on behalf of the members of the Legislature of Louisiana, past and present, and the citizens of Louisiana to the family of Governor Murphy James "Mike" Foster Jr., businessman and statesman.

Read by title.

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Magee, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials, and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials, and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

October 6, 2020

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 1, 26, 32 and 39

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on first reading were taken up, read, and, under a suspension of the rules, referred to committees, as follows:

SENATE BILL NO. 1—

BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(B), relative to tax credits and incentives; to provide for the carryforward of the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on inventory; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 26—

BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:1655(N), relative to the employees of the Regional Transit Authority; to provide for membership in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for calculation of and payments for certain unfunded accrued liability attributable to the authority; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 32—

BY SENATORS FIELDS, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAU, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CORTEZ, FESI, HARRIS, JOHNS, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER AND WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3393, relative to colleges and universities; to provide relative to the exceptions and exemptions that a public postsecondary education institution may receive from state regulations of their operations under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 39—

BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:17.2, relative to meetings of legislative houses and committees during a gubernatorially declared state of disaster or emergency; to provide for public input; 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 House and Governmental Affairs.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Dustin Miller, 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. 7— BY REPRESENTATIVE DUSTIN MILLER A RESOLUTION

To adopt House Rule 3.6 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to prohibit reprimands or reprisals against employees of the House of Representatives under certain circumstances.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Dustin Miller, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs, under the rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 8— BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON A RESOLUTION

To commend John Benjamin "JB" Humphrey on his one hundredth birthday.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 9— BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Jerome Fred Scott, longtime mayor of the town of Pollock, Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress and the Louisiana congressional delegation to take such actions as are necessary to fully fund the Livestock Indemnity Program in response to the negative impact created by losses to the Louisiana livestock industry as a result of Hurricane Laura.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Romero, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development, under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25— BY REPRESENTATIVE GADBERRY A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Civil Service Commission to establish the same or substantially similar benefits as those provided in R.S. 17:1201(C)(1) and (D)(1), relative to sick leave benefits for public school teachers injured or disabled while acting in their official capacity, for classified employees serving as teaching

staff within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of juvenile justice.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Gadberry, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education, under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26— BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to issue guidance and policies relative to the creation and operation of micro schools, by public schools or public school governing authorities approved for such purpose, to help ensure that Louisiana students continue to have high quality and safe learning experiences amidst the ongoing COVID-19 public health emergency.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Freiberg, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education, under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27— BY REPRESENTATIVES CHARLES OWEN AND SCHAMERHORN AND SENATOR REESE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Vernon Parish District Attorney Asa Skinner on his retirement.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Charles Owen, 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. 87— BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:11(C), relative to rules and regulations by the commissioner of insurance; to authorize the commissioner to issue emergency rules related to insurance policies or contracts during a state of emergency or public health emergency; to provide for limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 88— BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1474(I) and 1592(E), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide with respect to the unemployment trust fund balance range; to increase the maximum weekly benefit amount; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 89—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:293(4)(e), relative to individual income tax; to define federal income tax liability for purposes of calculating individual income tax liability; to require certain federal disaster losses to be included in the calculation of federal income tax liability; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on
Appropriations
October 6, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 27, by Zeringue
Reported by substitute. (16-0)

House Bill No. 72, by Stefanski
Reported with amendments. (15-4)

House Bill No. 75, by McFarland
Reported with amendments. (16-0)

House Bill No. 84, by Edmonds
Reported with amendments. (17-0)

House Bill No. 85, by Magee
Reported favorably. (16-0)

JEROME "ZEE" ZERINGUE
Chairman

Report of the Committee on
Natural Resources and Environment
October 6, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 7, by Coussan
Reported favorably. (12-0)

House Bill No. 10, by McFarland
Reported favorably. (11-0)

JEAN-PAUL P. COUSSAN
Chairman

Report of the Committee on

Transportation, Highways and Public Works

October 6, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 22, by Johnson, Travis
Reported with amendments. (13-0)

VINCENT J. PIERRE
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. Davis, the Committee on Commerce was discharged from further consideration of House Concurrent Resolution No. 19.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the Task Force on the 4.9 GHz Spectrum to study and make recommendations on how to close the digital divide and allocate the 4.9 GHz spectrum should it become available in Louisiana and to submit a written report of its findings and recommendations to the legislature no later than February 1, 2021.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Davis, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

**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. Garofalo, the Committee on Education was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 58.

HOUSE BILL NO. 58—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:154.1(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 17:154.1(C), relative to minimum requirements for instructional time for students in public schools; to provide for the meaning of instructional time; to provide for applicability of such requirements under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Thomas, the bill was withdrawn from the files of the House.

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 CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the Procurement Processing Company Rebate Program pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 47:6351.

Read by title.

Rep. Stefanski moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 92 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the enforcement authority of the state fire marshal pursuant to R.S. 40:1591 and any powers delegated to the state fire marshal pursuant to R.S. 29:721 et seq. or 760 et seq. as they apply to violations of COVID-19-related restrictions.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Miguez gave notice of his intention to call House Concurrent Resolution No. 13 from the calendar on Monday, October 12, 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. 20—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297.15, relative to individual income tax deductions; to authorize a deduction for certain educational expenses incurred during the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020; to provide for the amount of the deduction; to provide for definitions; to provide for limitations and requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Crews, 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. 20 by Representative Edmonds

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, change "Brumfield, et al. v. Dodd, et al. 425 F. Supp. 528" to "Brumfield, et al. v. Dodd, et al. 425 F. Supp. 528 (E.D. La. 1977)"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Edmonds to Engrossed House Bill No. 20 by Representative Edmonds

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 11 through 13 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(3) "Immediate family" shall mean the taxpayer's spouse, the children of the taxpayer, the spouses of the taxpayer's children, the taxpayer's brothers or sisters and their spouses, the taxpayer's parents, and the parents of the taxpayer's spouse."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete line 19 in its entirety and insert the following:

"not be the taxpayer or a member of the taxpayer's immediate family."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fontenot	McMahan
Adams	Freeman	Miguez
Amedee	Freiberg	Miller, G.
Bacala	Gaines	Mincey
Bagley	Garofalo	Moore
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Muscarello
Bishop	Green	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Harris	Owen, C.
Brass	Henry	Owen, R.
Brown	Hodges	Pressly
Bryant	Hollis	Riser
Butler	Hughes	Romero
Carpenter	Huval	Schamerhorn
Carrier	Illg	Seabaugh
Carter, G.	Ivey	Selders
Carter, R.	James	St. Blanc
Cormier	Jefferson	Stefanski
Coussan	Jenkins	Tarver
Cox	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Crews	Johnson, T.	Thompson
Davis	Jordan	Turner
Deshotel	Kerner	Villio
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Echols	Larvadain	White
Edmonds	Mack	Willard
Edmonston	Magee	Wright
Emerson	McCormick	Zeringue
Farnum	McFarland	
Firment	McKnight	
Total - 85		

NAYS

Landry	Phelps
Total - 2	

ABSENT

Carter, W.	Glover	Marino
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Miller, D.
Duplessis	Horton	Nelson
Dwight	Jones	Newell
Frieman	Lyons	Pierre
Gadberry	Marcelle	Stagni
Total - 18		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Edmonds 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. 22—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI

AN ACT

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

Read by title.

Rep. Kerner moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freeman	Miguez
Adams	Freiberg	Miller, D.
Amedee	Gadberry	Miller, G.
Bacala	Gaines	Mincey
Bagley	Green	Moore
Beaullieu	Harris	Muscarello
Bishop	Henry	Newell
Bourriaque	Hodges	Orgeron
Brass	Hollis	Owen, C.
Brown	Hughes	Owen, R.
Bryant	Huval	Phelps
Butler	Illg	Pierre
Carpenter	Ivey	Pressly
Carrier	James	Riser
Carter, G.	Jefferson	Romero
Carter, R.	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Selders
Coussan	Johnson, T.	St. Blanc
Cox	Jones	Stefanski
Crews	Jordan	Tarver
Davis	Kerner	Thomas
Deshotel	LaCombe	Thompson
DeVillier	Landry	Turner
Duplessis	Larvadain	Villio
Echols	Lyons	Wheat

Edmonds	Mack	White
Edmonston	Magee	Willard
Emerson	McCormick	Wright
Farnum	McFarland	Zeringue
Firment	McKnight	
Fontenot	McMahen	
Total - 91		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter, W.	Glover	Marino
DuBuisson	Goudeau	Nelson
Dwight	Hilferty	Seabaugh
Frieman	Horton	Stagni
Garofalo	Marcelle	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Kerner 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. 25—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6016.1(B)(4) and (6) through (11) and to enact R.S. 47:6016.1(B)(12), relative to Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act tax incentives; to add businesses impacted by Hurricane Laura to eligible qualified active low-income community businesses; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Farnum moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	Miller, D.
Adams	Gadberry	Miller, G.
Amedee	Gaines	Mincey
Bacala	Goudeau	Moore
Beaullieu	Green	Muscarello
Bishop	Harris	Newell
Bourriaque	Henry	Orgeron
Brass	Hodges	Owen, C.
Brown	Hollis	Owen, R.
Bryant	Hughes	Phelps
Butler	Huval	Pierre
Carpenter	Illg	Pressly
Carrier	Ivey	Riser
Carter, G.	James	Romero
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Coussan	Johnson, M.	Selders
Cox	Johnson, T.	St. Blanc
Crews	Jordan	Stefanski
Davis	Kerner	Tarver
Deshotel	LaCombe	Thomas
DeVillier	Landry	Thompson
Duplessis	Larvadain	Turner
Echols	Lyons	Villio
Edmonds	Mack	Wheat

Edmonston	Magee	White
Emerson	McCormick	Willard
Farnum	McFarland	Wright
Firment	McKnight	Zeringue
Fontenot	McMahen	
Freeman	Miguez	
Total - 91		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bagley	Garofalo	Marcelle
Carter, W.	Glover	Marino
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Nelson
Dwight	Horton	Stagni
Frieman	Jones	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Farnum 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. 26—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:302(BB)(113), 305.74, 321(P)(114), 321.1(I)(114), and 331(V)(114), relative to sales and use tax; to establish a sales and use tax holiday for certain purchases; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for the effectiveness of the sales and use tax holiday; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Schexnayder to Engrossed House Bill No. 26 by Representative Schexnayder

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 19, after "provided" and before "in" delete "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 6, after "other" and before the comma " ," delete "failure" and insert "feature"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 28, after "provided" and before "in" delete "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 10, after "provided" and before "in" delete "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 21, after "provided" and before "in" delete "for"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	Miguez
Adams	Gadberry	Miller, D.
Amedee	Gaines	Miller, G.
Bacala	Garofalo	Mincey
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Moore
Bishop	Green	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Harris	Newell
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Deshotel	Jordan	Tarver
DeVillier	LaCombe	Thomas
Duplessis	Landry	Thompson
Echols	Larvadain	Turner
Edmonds	Lyons	Villio
Edmonston	Mack	Wheat
Emerson	Magee	White
Farnum	McCormick	Willard
Firment	McFarland	Wright
Fontenot	McKnight	Zeringue
Freeman	McMahen	
Total - 92		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bagley	Glover	Marino
Carter, W.	Hilferty	Nelson
DuBuisson	Horton	Stagni
Dwight	Kerner	
Frieman	Marcelle	
Total - 13		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 29—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:631, relative to suspending certain severance taxes; to provide for a suspension on oil production from certain wells; to provide for the amount of the suspension in the form of an exemption; to provide for applicability; to provide for definitions; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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Rep. Crews, 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. 29 by Representative DeVillier

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, following "amended" and before "to read" insert "and reenacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 17, change "Office of Conservation" to "office of conservation"

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

Speaker Pro Tempore Magee in the Chair

Speaker Schexnayder in the Chair

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Firment	Miguez
Amedee	Fontenot	Miller, G.
Bacala	Freiberg	Mincey
Bagley	Gadberry	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Garofalo	Orgeron
Bishop	Goudeau	Owen, C.
Bourriaque	Harris	Owen, R.
Brass	Henry	Pressly
Brown	Hodges	Riser
Butler	Hollis	Romero
Carrier	Huval	Schamerhorn
Carter, G.	Illg	Seabaugh
Coussan	Ivey	St. Blanc
Cox	Johnson, M.	Stefanski
Crews	Johnson, T.	Tarver
Davis	Kerner	Thomas
Deshotel	LaCombe	Thompson
DeVillier	Mack	Turner
Echols	Magee	Villio
Edmonds	McCormick	Wheat
Edmonston	McFarland	Wright
Emerson	McKnight	Zeringue
Farnum	McMahen	
Total - 68		

NAYS

Adams	Jefferson	Moore
Carpenter	Jenkins	Newell
Carter, R.	Jones	Phelps
Cormier	Jordan	Pierre
Duplessis	Landry	Selders
Gaines	Lyons	Willard
Green	Marcelle	
James	Miller, D.	
Total - 22		

ABSENT

Bryant	Frieman	Larvadin
Carter, W.	Glover	Marino
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Nelson

Dwight Freeman	Horton Hughes	Stagni White
Total - 15		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. DeVillier 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. 37—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BEAULLIEU AND CHARLES OWEN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6041, relative to income tax credits; to authorize an income tax credit for certain businesses; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for requirements and limitations; to authorize the carryforward of unused amounts of the credit; to provide for the claiming of credits; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Beaullieu gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 37 from the calendar on Monday, October 12, 2020.

HOUSE BILL NO. 38—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To enact Part VIII of Chapter 1 of Subtitle 1 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:291 through 293, relative to funding for parish, municipal, and postsecondary education agency police departments; to provide for budget submission requirements; to provide for the authority of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Harris gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 38 from the calendar on Monday, October 12, 2020.

HOUSE BILL NO. 54—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 61 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3211 through 3214, relative to the use of digitized identification cards; to provide definitions; to provide for the acceptance of digitized identification cards at places of business; to provide for exceptions; to limit liability; to provide for certain powers and duties; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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 Bill No. 54 by Representative James

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 7, after "bar" delete the remainder of the line, and delete line 8 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "or restaurant that is"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 16, change "A.(1)" to "A."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 20 through 24 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 12, after "Board" insert a comma "," and "the Louisiana State Racing Commission."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 15, delete "Applicability" and insert "Limitations of applicability"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the beginning of line 16, insert "A."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, after line 19, insert the following:

"B. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the provisions of this Chapter do not apply to the following:

(1) A federally insured depository institution that is organized under the laws of this state, another state, or the United States. However, a federally insured depository institution may, at its option, accept a digitized identification card as a valid form of identification.

(2) An entity licensed pursuant to the provisions of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, including but not limited to a casino, official gaming establishment, or other establishment providing gaming operations. However, such licensee may, at its option, accept a digitized identification card as a valid form of identification.

(3) An entity licensed pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 4 of Title 4 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950. However, such licensee may, at its option, accept a digitized identification card as a valid form of identification.

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	McMahan
Adams	Gadberry	Miguez
Amedee	Gaines	Miller, D.
Bacala	Garofalo	Miller, G.
Bagley	Goudeau	Mincey

Beaulieu	Green	Moore
Bishop	Harris	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Henry	Newell
Brass	Hodges	Orgeron
Brown	Hollis	Owen, C.
Bryant	Hughes	Owen, R.
Butler	Huval	Phelps
Carpenter	Illg	Pierre
Carrier	Ivey	Pressly
Carter, G.	James	Riser
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Romero
Cormier	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Coussan	Johnson, M.	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson, T.	Selders
Crews	Jones	St. Blanc
Davis	Jordan	Stefanski
Deshotel	Kerner	Tarver
DeVillier	LaCombe	Thomas
Duplessis	Landry	Thompson
Echols	Larvadain	Turner
Edmonds	Lyons	Villio
Edmonston	Mack	Wheat
Emerson	Magee	White
Farnum	Marcelle	Willard
Firment	McCormick	Wright
Fontenot	McFarland	Zeringue
Freeman	McKnight	
Total - 95		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter, W.	Glover	Nelson
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Stagni
Dwight	Horton	
Frieman	Marino	
Total - 10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. James 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. 63—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:770.1, relative to the provision of information during a public health emergency; to mandate that the state fire marshal provide a mechanism for business owners and operators to post safety measures to the public; to describe the parameters and requirements of the mechanism; to exempt participants from liability; to provide for rule making; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 64—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:770.1, relative to the provision of information during a public health emergency; to mandate that the state fire marshal provide a mechanism for the operators of public buildings and utilities to post safety measures to the public; to describe the parameters and requirements of the mechanism; to

exempt participants from liability; to provide for guidance from local government; to provide for rule making; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ivey to Engrossed House Bill No. 64 by Representative Ivey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "buildings" delete "and utilities" and change "safety" to "mitigation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "from" delete "local"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, after "buildings" delete "and utilities may" and insert in lieu thereof "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 13, change "safety" to "mitigation"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 19, change "possible safety" to "recommended mitigation"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"(f) Reduced occupancy limits are observed.

(g) No mitigation measures are being implemented."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 9, after "options the" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "building is implementing."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 10, after "building" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "will implement"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 11, change "safety procedures" to "mitigation measures"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"C. The state fire marshal shall provide rules relative to the size and placement of the form, and the owner or operator shall post the form accordingly."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 12, change "C." to "D."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, line 13, after "the" delete "local"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, line 15, after "the" delete "local"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 2, line 17, after "the" delete "local"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 2, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

"E. During a public health emergency, an owner and operator shall have the authority to choose which recommended mitigation measures will be implemented inside of their establishment. Notwithstanding any emergency order to the contrary, an owner or operator is only required to implement the mitigation measures they have chosen, from the recommended options, and have indicated on the posted form."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 2, at the beginning of line 20, change "D." to "F."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 2, after line 21, add the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	McKnight
Adams	Gadberry	McMahan
Amedee	Gaines	Miguez
Bacala	Garofalo	Miller, D.
Bagley	Goudeau	Miller, G.
Beaullieu	Green	Mincey
Bishop	Harris	Moore
Bourriaque	Henry	Muscarello
Brass	Hodges	Newell
Brown	Hollis	Orgeron
Butler	Hughes	Owen, C.
Carpenter	Huval	Owen, R.
Carrier	Illg	Phelps
Carter, G.	Ivey	Pierre
Carter, R.	James	Pressly
Cormier	Jefferson	Riser
Coussan	Jenkins	Romero
Cox	Johnson, M.	Schamerhorn
Crews	Johnson, T.	Selders
Davis	Jones	St. Blanc
Deshotel	Jordan	Stefanski
DeVillier	Kerner	Thomas

Duplessis	LaCombe	Thompson
Echols	Landry	Turner
Edmonds	Larvadain	Villio
Edmonston	Lyons	Wheat
Emerson	Mack	White
Farnum	Magee	Willard
Firment	Marcelle	Wright
Fontenot	McCormick	Zeringue
Freeman	McFarland	
Total - 92		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bryant	Glover	Seabaugh
Carter, W.	Hilferty	Stagni
DuBuisson	Horton	Tarver
Dwight	Marino	
Frieman	Nelson	
Total - 13		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 67—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS

AN ACT

To provide for certain reductions to sales tax dedications under certain circumstances for Fiscal Year 2020-2021; to provide for the powers, duties, and authority of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Crews gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 67 from the calendar on Monday, October 12, 2020.

HOUSE BILL NO. 74—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL AND SENATORS JOHNS AND MIZELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:4(CC), R.S. 49:968(B)(21)(d), and Chapter 12 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1361 through 1364, relative to the office of broadband and connectivity; to place the office within the executive branch; to provide definitions; to provide for the appointment and termination of an executive director; to require reporting; to provide for functions, powers, and duties; to establish contract authority; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Deshotel to Engrossed House Bill No. 74 by Representative Deshotel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 27, change "but only with the concurrence of" to "and shall provide written notice of the termination to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"(2) To promote and encourage broadband adoption for households that have not accessed services.

"(3) To study and identify barriers to households that have not adopted broadband services."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 3, change "(2)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 6, change "(3)" to "(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 9, change "(4)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 14, change "(5)" to "(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 20, change "(6)" to "(8)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 23, change "(7)" to "(9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 26, change "(8)" to "(10)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, line 1, change "(9)" to "(11)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, line 3, change "(10)" to "(12)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 7, change "(11)" to "(13)"

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

Point of Order

Rep. Jordan asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether or not the bill was required to be duly referred and recommitted to the House Committee on Appropriations.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that there was not a determinable cost on the bill, and therefore, was not required to be recommitted to the House Committee on Appropriations.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. Speaker, Adams, Amedee, Bacala, Bagley, Beaulieu, Bishop, Bourriaque, Brass, Brown, Bryant, Butler, Carpenter, Carrier, Carter, G., Carter, R., Cormier, Coussan, Cox, Crews, Davis, Deshotel, DeVillier, Duplessis, Echols, Edmonds, Edmonston, Emerson, Firmont, Fontenot, Freeman, Freiberg, Total - 94.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Carter, W., DuBuisson, Dwight, Farnum, Total - 11.

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Deshotel 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. 77— BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:1-709(C) and (D), relative to remote participation in meetings; to allow certain persons to participate in certain meetings by remote communications; to provide for guidelines and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Davis moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. Speaker, Adams, Amedee, Bacala, Bagley, Beaulieu, Bishop, Bourriaque, Brass, Brown, Bryant, Butler, Carpenter, Carrier, Carter, G., Carter, R., Cormier, Coussan, Crews, Davis, Deshotel, DeVillier, Duplessis, Echols, Edmonds, Edmonston, Emerson, Farnum, Firmont, Fontenot, Freeman, Total - 93.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Carter, W., Cox, DuBuisson, Dwight, Total - 12.

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 78— BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2760, relative to payments in lieu of 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 certain conditions and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Beaulieu gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 78 from the calendar on Monday, October 12, 2020.

HOUSE BILL NO. 79—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1017.1(6) and R.S. 29:739(C) and to enact R.S. 29:723(20), relative to first responders; to expand the definition of first responders to include electrical linemen; to provide for a definition of electrical linemen; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Crews, 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. 79 by Representative Harris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, following "Section 1." and before "is hereby" change "R.S. 23:1017.1" to "R.S. 23:1017.1(6)"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Magee to Engrossed House Bill No. 79 by Representative Harris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 1, after "(20)" and before "'Electrical" insert "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 4, after the period ".", insert the following:

"Electrical linemen shall be considered first responders only in instances involving weather emergencies as declared by the governor pursuant to R.S. 29:721 et seq.

(b) Nothing in this Subsection shall relieve an employer of its responsibilities pursuant to Civil Code Article 2320."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	Miguez
Adams	Gadberry	Miller, D.

Amedee	Garofalo	Miller, G.
Bacala	Goudeau	Mincey
Bagley	Green	Moore
Bishop	Harris	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Henry	Orgeron
Brass	Hodges	Owen, C.
Brown	Hollis	Owen, R.
Bryant	Hughes	Phelps
Butler	Huval	Pierre
Carpenter	Illg	Pressly
Carrier	Ivey	Riser
Carter, G.	James	Romero
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Coussan	Johnson, M.	Selders
Cox	Johnson, T.	St. Blanc
Crews	Jones	Stefanski
Davis	Jordan	Tarver
Deshotel	Kerner	Thomas
DeVillier	LaCombe	Thompson
Duplessis	Larvadain	Turner
Echols	Lyons	Villio
Edmonds	Mack	Wheat
Edmonston	Magee	White
Emerson	Marcelle	Willard
Farnum	McCormick	Wright
Firment	McFarland	Zeringue
Fontenot	McKnight	
Freeman	McMahan	

Total - 91

NAYS

Beaulieu
Total - 1

ABSENT

Carter, W.	Glover	Nelson
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Newell
Dwight	Horton	Stagni
Frieman	Landry	
Gaines	Marino	

Total - 13

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Green requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 79 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 63—

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:770.1, relative to the provision of information during a public health emergency; to mandate that the state fire marshal provide a mechanism for business owners and operators to post safety measures to the public; to describe the parameters and requirements of the mechanism; to exempt participants from liability; to provide for rule making; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Ivey to Engrossed House Bill No. 63 by Representative Ivey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, change "safety" to "mitigation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line at the end of line 5, add "to provide for emergency orders;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, after "shall" insert a comma "," and "in consultation with the Louisiana Department of Health."²

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 11, change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 12, change "safety" to "mitigation"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 17, after "the" delete "possible safety" and insert in lieu thereof "recommended mitigation"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"(f) Reduced occupancy limits are observed.

(g) No mitigation measures are being implemented."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 6, after "is" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "implementing."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

"C. The state fire marshal shall provide rules relative to the size and placement of the form, and the owner or operator shall post the form accordingly."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, delete line 9 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"D. An owner or operator:"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 13, after "any" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "civil liability as a result of posting the form, except as provided in Subsection F of this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"E. During a public health emergency, an owner or operator shall have the authority to choose which recommended mitigation measures will be implemented inside of his establishment. Notwithstanding any emergency order to the contrary, an owner or operator is only required to implement the mitigation measures he has chosen, from the recommended options, and has indicated on the posted form."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, line 14, change "D." to "F."

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 2, after line 15, add the following:

Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	McMahan
Adams	Gadberry	Miguez
Amedee	Gaines	Miller, D.
Bacala	Garofalo	Miller, G.
Bagley	Goudeau	Mincey
Beaullieu	Green	Moore
Bishop	Harris	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Henry	Newell
Brass	Hodges	Orgeron
Brown	Hollis	Owen, C.
Bryant	Hughes	Owen, R.
Butler	Huval	Phelps
Carpenter	Illg	Pierre
Carrier	Ivey	Pressly
Carter, G.	James	Riser
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Romero
Cormier	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Coussan	Johnson, M.	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson, T.	Selders
Crews	Jones	St. Blanc
Davis	Jordan	Stefanski
Deshotel	Kerner	Thomas
DeVillier	LaCombe	Thompson
Duplessis	Landry	Turner
Echols	Larvadain	Villio
Edmonds	Lyons	Wheat
Edmonston	Mack	White
Emerson	Magee	Willard
Farnum	Marcelle	Wright
Firment	McCormick	Zeringue
Fontenot	McFarland	
Freeman	McKnight	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter, W.	Glover	Nelson
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Stagni
Dwight	Horton	Tarver
Frieman	Marino	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 12—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:573.2 and 574.4.1(A)(2), relative to hearings of the Board of Pardons and committee on parole; to provide relative to the continuity of government by authorizing certain persons to appear before the Board of Pardons and committee on parole by teleconference; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Marino to Engrossed House Bill No. 12 by Representative Marino

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 1, change "shall" to "may"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	McMahan
Adams	Gadberry	Miguez
Amedee	Gaines	Miller, D.
Bacala	Garofalo	Miller, G.
Bagley	Goudeau	Mincey
Beaulieu	Green	Moore
Bishop	Harris	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Henry	Newell
Brass	Hodges	Orgeron
Brown	Hollis	Owen, C.
Bryant	Hughes	Owen, R.
Butler	Huval	Phelps
Carpenter	Illg	Pierre
Carrier	Ivey	Pressly
Carter, G.	James	Riser
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Romero
Cormier	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Coussan	Johnson, M.	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson, T.	Selders

Crews	Jones	St. Blanc
Davis	Jordan	Stefanski
Deshotel	Kerner	Tarver
DeVillier	LaCombe	Thomas
Duplessis	Landry	Thompson
Echols	Larvadain	Turner
Edmonds	Lyons	Villio
Edmonston	Mack	Wheat
Emerson	Magee	White
Farnum	Marcelle	Willard
Firment	McCormick	Wright
Fontenot	McFarland	Zeringue
Freeman	McKnight	
Total - 95		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter, W.	Glover	Nelson
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Stagni
Dwight	Horton	
Frieman	Marino	
Total - 10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. James 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.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

SENATE BILL NO. 14—
BY SENATORS JOHNS, MCMATH, REESE, SMITH AND WARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6016.1(B)(4), (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), and (11) and to enact R.S. 47:6016.1(B)(12), relative to the Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act tax incentives; to add businesses impacted by Hurricane Laura to the eligible qualified active low-income community businesses; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Farnum moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Freiberg	McMahan
Amedee	Gadberry	Miguez
Bacala	Goudeau	Miller, D.
Bagley	Green	Miller, G.
Beaulieu	Harris	Mincey
Bishop	Henry	Moore
Bourriaque	Hodges	Muscarello
Brass	Hollis	Newell
Brown	Hughes	Orgeron
Bryant	Huval	Owen, C.
Butler	Illg	Owen, R.
Carpenter	Ivey	Pierre

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Carrier	James	Pressly
Carter, G.	Jefferson	Riser
Carter, R.	Jenkins	Romero
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Schamerhorn
Coussan	Johnson, T.	Seabaugh
Crews	Jones	Selders
Davis	Jordan	St. Blanc
Deshotel	Kerner	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaCombe	Tarver
Duplessis	Landry	Thomas
Echols	Larvadain	Thompson
Edmonds	Lyons	Turner
Edmonston	Mack	Villio
Emerson	Magee	White
Farnum	Marcelle	Willard
Firment	McCormick	Wright
Fontenot	McFarland	Zeringue
Freeman	McKnight	

Total - 90

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Frieman	Horton
Carter, W.	Gaines	Marino
Cox	Garofalo	Nelson
DuBuisson	Glover	Phelps
Dwight	Hilferty	Stagni

Total - 15

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Farnum 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 17—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:682(4) through (15), 683(A), (B)(1), (2), and (3), and (C), 684, 686, 693(A) and (B), 695, 698(C), 700(C), and to enact R.S. 37:682(16), relative to the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board; to provide for board membership and qualifications of members; to provide for licensure requirements of professional engineers; to provide for examinations; to remove provisions relative to professional naval architects and marine engineers; to provide for disciplinary and enforcement actions by the board; to provide for terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Gadberry moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	McMahan
Adams	Gadberry	Miguez
Amedee	Gaines	Miller, D.
Bacala	Goudeau	Miller, G.
Bagley	Green	Mincey
Beaullieu	Harris	Moore
Bishop	Henry	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Hodges	Newell
Brass	Hollis	Orgeron
Brown	Hughes	Owen, C.

Bryant	Huval	Owen, R.
Butler	Illg	Pierre
Carpenter	Ivey	Pressly
Carrier	James	Riser
Carter, G.	Jefferson	Romero
Carter, R.	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Seabaugh
Coussan	Johnson, T.	Selders
Crews	Jones	St. Blanc
Davis	Jordan	Stefanski
Deshotel	Kerner	Tarver
DeVillier	LaCombe	Thomas
Duplessis	Landry	Thompson
Echols	Larvadain	Turner
Edmonds	Lyons	Villio
Edmonston	Mack	White
Emerson	Magee	White
Farnum	Marcelle	Willard
Firment	McCormick	Wright
Fontenot	McFarland	Zeringue
Freeman	McKnight	

Total - 92

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter, W.	Garofalo	Nelson
Cox	Glover	Phelps
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Stagni
Dwight	Horton	
Frieman	Marino	

Total - 13

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Gadberry 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 33—
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:1-1005(5) and 1-1105(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 12:1-709(C) and 1-1105(D), relative to corporations; to provide for the holding of annual and special shareholders' meetings solely by means of remote communication; to provide relative to articles of incorporation; to remove certain corporate name change requirements; to provide for additional provisions related to mergers between the parent and subsidiary, or between subsidiaries; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Davis moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	Miguez
Adams	Gadberry	Miller, D.
Amedee	Gaines	Miller, G.
Bacala	Goudeau	Mincey
Bagley	Green	Moore
Beaullieu	Harris	Muscarello
Bishop	Henry	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Hodges	Owen, C.

Brass	Hollis	Owen, R.
Brown	Hughes	Phelps
Bryant	Huval	Pierre
Butler	Illg	Pressly
Carpenter	Ivey	Riser
Carrier	James	Romero
Carter, G.	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Carter, R.	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Selders
Coussan	Johnson, T.	St. Blanc
Crews	Jones	Stefanski
Davis	Jordan	Tarver
Deshotel	Kerner	Thomas
DeVillier	LaCombe	Thompson
Duplessis	Landry	Turner
Echols	Lyons	Villio
Edmonds	Mack	Wheat
Edmonston	Magee	White
Emerson	Marcelle	Willard
Farnum	McCormick	Wright
Firment	McFarland	Zeringue
Fontenot	McKnight	
Freeman	McMahen	

Total - 91

NAYS

Newell
Total - 1

ABSENT

Carter, W.	Garofalo	Marino
Cox	Glover	Nelson
DuBuisson	Hilferty	Stagni
Dwight	Horton	
Frieman	Larvadain	

Total - 13

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Miguez, 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 CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28— BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct any state agency, board, or commission to comply with the Administrative Procedure Act in taking actions related to COVID-19 or to the implementation of any directive arising from an executive order or proclamation issued by the governor if such action meets the definition of a rule under the Administrative Procedure Act.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Duplessis, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs, under the rules.

Suspension of the Rules

Rep. James moved to suspend the rules to permit the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to meet at 11:15 A.M. on Wednesday, October 7, 2020.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Garofalo, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Education to meet on Wednesday, October 7, 2020, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Concurrent Resolution Nos. 25 and 26

Senate Bill No. 32

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6

Leave of Absence

Rep. Hilferty - 1 day

Rep. Horton - 1 day

Rep. Marino - 2 days

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 6:31 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, October 7, 2020, at 2:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 2:00 P.M., Wednesday, October 7, 2020.

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT
Clerk of the House

