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**Forty-eighth Extraordinary Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, February 15, 2022

The House of Representatives was called to order at 2:07 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	Miguez
Adams	Freiberg	Miller, D.
Amedee	Frieman	Miller, G.
Bacala	Gadberry	Mincey
Bagley	Garofalo	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Geymann	Nelson
Bishop	Glover	Newell
Bourriague	Goudeau	Orgeron
Boyd	Green	Owen, C.
Brass	Harris	Owen, R.
Brown	Hilferty	Phelps
Butler	Horton	Pierre
Carpenter	Hughes	Pressly
Carrier	Huval	Riser
Carter, R.	Illg	Romero
Cormier	Ivey	Schamerhorn
Coussan	Jefferson	Schlegel
Cox	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Crews	Johnson, M.	Selders
Davis	Johnson, T.	St. Blanc
Deshotel	Kerner	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaCombe	Tarver
DuBuisson	Landry	Thomas
Duplessis	Larvadain	Thompson
Echols	Lyons	Turner
Edmonds	Mack	Villio
Edmonston	Magee	Wheat
Emerson	Marcelle	White
Farnum	McCormick	Willard
Firment	McFarland	Wright
Fisher	McKnight	Zeringue
Fontenot	McMahen	

Total - 95

The Speaker announced that there were 95 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. C. Travis Johnson.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Goudeau 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. Mincey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Mincey, the Journal of February 14, 2022, was adopted.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on
House and Governmental Affairs
February 15, 2022

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:

Senate Bill No. 5, by Hewitt
Reported favorably. (11-4)

Senate Bill No. 14, by Cortez
Reported with amendments. (9-4-1)

Senate Bill No. 19, by Reese
Reported favorably. (11-0)

JOHN M. STEFANSKI
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**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. 23—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:35.3 and to repeal R.S. 24:35.2, relative to redistricting; to provide for the election districts for the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 24—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:35.3 and to repeal R.S. 24:35.2, relative to redistricting; to provide for the election districts for the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:35.1 and to repeal R.S. 24:35, relative to legislative redistricting; to provide for the election districts for the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:101.2 and 101.3, and to repeal R.S. 13:101, 101.1, and 312.4, relative to the supreme court; to provide relative to redistricting supreme court justice districts; to provide for the filling of vacancies; to eliminate statutory provisions for a temporary additional judgeship for the Court of Appeal for the Fourth Circuit and such judge's appointment to the supreme court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

House 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. 22—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:101.2 and 101.3 and to repeal R.S. 13:101, 101.1, and 312.4, relative to the supreme court; to provide relative to redistricting supreme court justice districts; to provide for the filling of vacancies; to eliminate statutory provisions for a temporary additional judgeship for the Court of Appeal for the Fourth Circuit and such judge's appointment to the supreme court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 22 by Representative Ivey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 20 and delete pages 2 through 4 and on page 5, delete lines 1 through 3 and insert the following:

"(1) District 1 is composed of Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 105, 106, 108, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125A, 125B, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 132, 247, 248, 1-GI, 1-H, 2-H, 3-H, 4-H, 5-H, 6-H, 7-H, 8-H, 9-H, 1-K, 2-K, 3-K, 4-K, 5-K, 6-KA, 6-KB, 7-KA, 7-KB, 8-K, 9-K, 10-K, 11-K, 12-K, 13-KA, 13-KB, 14-K, 15-K, 16-K, 17-K, 18-K, 19-K, 20-K, 25-K, 27-K, 28-K, 29-K, 34-K, 35-K, and 1-L of Jefferson Parish; Precincts 3-20, 4-8, 4-9, 4-11, 4-14, 4-15, 4-17, 4-17A, 4-18, 4-20, 4-21, 4-22, 4-23, 5-13, 5-15, 5-16, 5-17, 5-18, 9-45A, 17-17, 17-18, 17-18A, 17-19, and 17-20 of Orleans Parish; Plaquemines Parish; St. Bernard Parish; St. Tammany Parish; and Washington Parish.

(2) District 2 is composed of Precincts 2-18D, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, and 4-1A of Bossier Parish; Caddo Parish; Claiborne Parish; Concordia Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-4, 1-5, 1-6, 1-10, 1-11, 1-13, 1-14, 1-15, 1-16, 1-17, 1-18, 1-19, 1-20, 1-21, 1-22, 1-23, 1-24, 1-25, 1-26, 1-27, 1-28, 1-29, 1-30, 1-31, 1-32, 1-36, 1-37, 1-38, 1-44, 1-45, 1-46, 1-50, 1-51, 1-54, 1-58, 1-61, 1-62, 1-63, 1-67, 1-68, 1-70, 1-71, 1-76, 1-77, 1-78, 1-81, 1-82, 1-83, 1-84, 1-85, 1-86, 1-87, 1-88, 1-91, 1-92, 1-93, 1-94, 1-95, 1-97, 1-100, 1-101, 1-102, 1-104, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-5, 2-9, 2-10, 2-11, 2-12, 2-13, 2-14, 2-15, 2-16, 2-17, 2-18, 2-19, 2-20, 2-21, 2-22, 2-23, 2-24, 2-25, 2-26, 2-27, 2-28, 2-29, 2-30, 2-31, 2-32, 2-34, 2-35, 2-36, 2-37, 3-8, 3-12, 3-24, 3-28, 3-32, 3-54, and 3-72 of East Baton Rouge Parish; East Carroll Parish; East Feliciana Parish; Madison Parish; Morehouse Parish; Precincts 3, 5, 8, 9, 9A, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 27A, 28, 29, 30, 34, 47, 59, 60, 62, 63, 65, 65A, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 72, 73, 74, and 79 of Ouachita Parish; Tensas Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 24, and 26 of Union Parish; Webster Parish; West Carroll Parish; and West Feliciana Parish.

(3) District 3 is composed of Acadia Parish; Allen Parish; Beauregard Parish; Calcasieu Parish; Cameron Parish; Jefferson Davis Parish; Lafayette Parish; and Vermilion Parish.

(4) District 4 is composed of Bienville Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-3A, 1-3B, 1-4, 1-5, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-3A, 2-4, 2-5A, 2-6, 2-7, 2-8, 2-9, 2-10, 2-11, 2-11A, 2-12A, 2-12B, 2-12C, 2-13, 2-14, 2-15, 2-16, 2-17A, 2-17B, 2-18B, 2-18C, 2-18E, 2-18F, 2-18G, 2-19, 2-20, 2-21A, 2-21B, 2-21C, 2-21D, 2-22A, 2-22B, 2-22C, 2-23, 4-2, 4-3A, 4-3B, 4-3C, 4-3D, 4-4A, 4-4B, 4-5A, 4-6A, 4-6B, 4-7A, 4-7B, 4-8A, 4-8B, 4-8C, 4-8D, 4-8E, 4-8G, 4-9, 4-10, 4-11A, 4-11B, and 4-11C of Bossier Parish; Caldwell Parish; Catahoula Parish; De Soto Parish; Franklin Parish; Grant Parish; Jackson Parish; La Salle Parish; Lincoln Parish; Natchitoches Parish; Precincts 1, 1A, 2, 4, 6, 7, 25, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 44A, 45, 46, 48, 49, 50, 51, 51A, 52, 52A, 53, 54, 55, 56, 56A, 57, 58, 61, 64, 71, 75, 76, 77, and 78 of Ouachita Parish; Rapides Parish; Red River Parish; Richland Parish; Sabine Parish; Precincts 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 17A, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 27, 28, and 29 of Union Parish; Vernon Parish; and Winn Parish.

(5) District 5 is composed of Ascension Parish; Precincts 1-7, 1-8, 1-9, 1-12, 1-33, 1-34, 1-35, 1-39, 1-40, 1-41, 1-42, 1-43, 1-47, 1-48, 1-49, 1-52, 1-53, 1-55, 1-56, 1-57, 1-59, 1-60, 1-64, 1-65, 1-66, 1-69, 1-72, 1-73, 1-74, 1-75, 1-79, 1-80, 1-89, 1-90, 1-98, 1-99, 1-103, 1-105, 1-107, 2-6, 2-7, 2-8, 2-33, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-5, 3-6, 3-7, 3-9, 3-10, 3-11, 3-13, 3-14, 3-15, 3-16, 3-17, 3-18, 3-19, 3-20, 3-21, 3-22, 3-23, 3-25, 3-26, 3-27, 3-29, 3-30, 3-31, 3-33, 3-34, 3-35, 3-36, 3-37, 3-38, 3-39, 3-40, 3-41, 3-43, 3-44, 3-45, 3-46, 3-47, 3-48, 3-49, 3-50, 3-51, 3-52, 3-53, 3-55, 3-56, 3-57, 3-58, 3-59, 3-60, 3-61, 3-62, 3-63, 3-64, 3-65, 3-66, 3-67, 3-68, 3-69, 3-70, and 3-71 of East

Baton Rouge Parish; Livingston Parish; St. Helena Parish; and Tangipahoa Parish.

(6) District 6 is composed of Assumption Parish; Avoyelles Parish; Evangeline Parish; Iberia Parish; Iberville Parish; Lafourche Parish; Pointe Coupee Parish; St. James Parish; St. Landry Parish; St. Martin Parish; St. Mary Parish; Terrebonne Parish; and West Baton Rouge Parish.

(7) District 7 is composed of Precincts 104, 115, 131, 133, 134, 136, 138, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157A, 157B, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179A, 179B, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185A, 185B, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193A, 193B, 194A, 194B, 195, 196, 197A, 197B, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 210, 211, 212, 213A, 213B, 213C, 214A, 214B, 215, 216A, 216B, 216C, 217, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232A, 232B, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238A, 238B, 246, 1-G, 2-G, 3-G, 4-G, 5-G, 6-G, 7-G, 8-G, 9-G, 10-G, 11-G, 12-G, 13-G, 21-K, 22-K, 23-K, 24-K, 26-K, 30-K, 31-K, 33-K, 1-W, 2-W, 3-W, 4-W, 5-W, 6-W, and 7-W of Jefferson Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-5, 1-6, 2-1, 2-2, 2-4, 2-6, 2-7, 3-1, 3-8, 3-9, 3-12, 3-14, 3-15, 3-18, 3-19, 4-2, 4-3, 4-5, 4-6, 4-7, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-5, 5-7, 5-8, 5-9, 5-10, 5-11, 5-12, 6-1, 6-2, 6-4, 6-6, 6-7, 6-8, 6-9, 7-1, 7-2, 7-4, 7-5, 7-6, 7-7, 7-8, 7-9A, 7-10, 7-11, 7-12, 7-13, 7-14, 7-15, 7-16, 7-17, 7-18, 7-19, 7-20, 7-21, 7-23, 7-24, 7-25, 7-25A, 7-26, 7-27, 7-27B, 7-28, 7-28A, 7-29, 7-30, 7-32, 7-33, 7-35, 7-37, 7-37A, 7-40, 7-41, 7-42, 8-1, 8-2, 8-4, 8-6, 8-7, 8-8, 8-9, 8-12, 8-13, 8-14, 8-15, 8-19, 8-20, 8-21, 8-22, 8-23, 8-24, 8-25, 8-26, 8-27, 8-28, 8-30, 9-1, 9-3, 9-4, 9-5, 9-6, 9-7, 9-8, 9-9, 9-10, 9-11, 9-12, 9-13, 9-14, 9-15, 9-16, 9-17, 9-19, 9-21, 9-23, 9-25, 9-26, 9-28, 9-28C, 9-29, 9-30, 9-30A, 9-31, 9-31A, 9-31B, 9-31D, 9-32, 9-33, 9-34A, 9-35, 9-35A, 9-36, 9-36B, 9-37, 9-38, 9-38A, 9-39, 9-39B, 9-40, 9-40A, 9-40C, 9-41, 9-41A, 9-41B, 9-41C, 9-41D, 9-42, 9-42C, 9-43A, 9-43B, 9-43C, 9-43E, 9-43F, 9-43G, 9-43H, 9-43I, 9-43J, 9-43K, 9-43L, 9-43M, 9-43N, 9-44, 9-44A, 9-44B, 9-44D, 9-44E, 9-44F, 9-44G, 9-44I, 9-44J, 9-44L, 9-44M, 9-44N, 9-44O, 9-44P, 9-44Q, 9-45, 10-3, 10-6, 10-7, 10-8, 10-9, 10-11, 10-12, 10-13, 10-14, 11-2, 11-3, 11-4, 11-5, 11-8, 11-9, 11-10, 11-11, 11-12, 11-13, 11-14, 11-17, 12-1, 12-2, 12-3, 12-4, 12-5, 12-6, 12-7, 12-8, 12-9, 12-10, 12-11, 12-12, 12-13, 12-14, 12-16, 12-17, 12-19, 13-1, 13-2, 13-3, 13-4, 13-5, 13-6, 13-7, 13-8, 13-9, 13-10, 13-11, 13-12, 13-13, 13-14, 13-15, 13-16, 14-1, 14-2, 14-3, 14-4, 14-5, 14-6, 14-7, 14-8, 14-9, 14-10, 14-11, 14-12, 14-13A, 14-14, 14-15, 14-16, 14-17, 14-18A, 14-19, 14-20, 14-21, 14-23, 14-24A, 14-25, 14-26, 15-1, 15-2, 15-3, 15-5, 15-6, 15-8, 15-9, 15-10, 15-11, 15-12, 15-12A, 15-13, 15-13A, 15-13B, 15-14, 15-14A, 15-14B, 15-14C, 15-14D, 15-14E, 15-14F, 15-14G, 15-15, 15-15A, 15-15B, 15-16, 15-17, 15-17A, 15-17B, 15-18, 15-18A, 15-18B, 15-18C, 15-18D, 15-18E, 15-18F, 15-19, 15-19A, 15-19B, 15-19C, 16-1, 16-1A, 16-2, 16-3, 16-4, 16-5, 16-6, 16-7, 16-8, 16-9, 17-1, 17-2, 17-3, 17-4, 17-5, 17-6, 17-7, 17-8, 17-9, 17-10, 17-11, 17-12, 17-13, 17-13A, 17-14, 17-15, and 17-16 of Orleans Parish; St. Charles Parish; and St. John the Baptist Parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, delete lines 26 through 29 and on page 6, delete lines 1 through 14 and insert the following:

"Section 4. This Act shall become effective on January 1, 2023."

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

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

Leave of Absence

Rep. Stagni - 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Coussan, at 2:21 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, February 16, 2022, at 2:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 2:00 P.M., Wednesday, February 16, 2022.

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT
Clerk of the House

ANGELA S. SMITH
Assistant Clerk of the House / Journal Clerk