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**TWENTY-FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Forty-ninth Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, May 18, 2023

The House of Representatives was called to order at 1:08 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	Gadberry	Miguez
Adams	Gaines	Miller, D.
Amedee	Garofalo	Miller, G.
Bacala	Geymann	Mincey
Bagley	Glover	Moore
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Muscarello
Bishop	Green	Nelson
Bourriaque	Harris	Newell
Boyd	Hilferty	Orgeron
Brass	Hodges	Owen, C.
Brown	Hollis	Owen, R.
Bryant	Horton	Phelps
Butler	Hughes	Pierre
Carpenter	Huval	Pressly
Carrier	Illg	Riser
Carter, R.	Ivey	Romero
Carter, W.	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Jenkins	Schlegel
Coussan	Johnson, M.	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson, T.	Selders
Crews	Jordan	St. Blanc
Davis	Kerner	Stagni
Deshotel	Knox	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaCombe	Tarver
DuBuisson	LaFleur	Thomas
Echols	Landry	Thompson
Edmonds	Larvadain	Turner
Edmonston	Lyons	Villio
Emerson	Mack	Wheat
Farnum	Magee	White
Firment	Marcelle	Willard
Fisher	Marcelo	Wright
Fontenot	McCormick	Zeringue

Freiberg  
Frieman  
Total - 103

McFarland  
McMahan

The Speaker announced that there were 103 members present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Pastor Alonzo Frank of Spirit and Truth Church in Lafayette, Louisiana.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Rep. Hodges 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. Thompson, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Thompson, the Journal of May 17, 2023, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials, and  
Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**SENATE BILLS**

May 18, 2023

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. 34, 111, 137, 154, 162, 167, 207 and 217

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 placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

**SENATE BILL NO. 34—**

BY SENATORS BERNARD, PEACOCK AND SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:410(A)(3)(c) and R.S. 39:17.2(D) and to enact R.S. 40:1321(U), relative to state driver's licenses and state photo identification cards; to provide for added language to driver's license requirements; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 111—**

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 973(E) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 985.2, relative to expungement of records; to provide relative to automated

expungement of certain criminal records; to require the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information to send certain records to the Louisiana Supreme Court Case Management Information System; to provide relative to duties of the clerks of district courts; to authorize the adoption of rules and regulations by state police and the supreme court; to provide relative to the effects of expunged records of arrest and conviction; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 137—**

BY SENATORS BARROW, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, DUPLESSIS, FESI, HENSGENS, HEWITT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, FRED MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, POPE, PRICE, SMITH AND WOMACK  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:2019(C) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(34) and to enact R.S. 36:4.1(C)(16), R.S. 40:2019(C)(23), and R.S. 49:210.1, relative to the Office of the State Child Ombudsman; to provide for the Office of the State Child Ombudsman within the office of the governor; to provide for the state child ombudsman; to provide for the duties of the office; to provide for the duties of state agencies; to provide for access to certain records; to provide for confidentiality of certain records and an exception to the Public Records Law; to provide for legislative review; to prohibit retaliation by certain parties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 154—**

BY SENATOR ALLAIN  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 12-B of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 30:1161 through 1178, relative to renewable energy leases; to provide for rights and obligations; to provide for terms and conditions; to provide for remedies; to provide for termination; to provide for privileges; to provide for redesignation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 162—**

BY SENATORS MCMATH, BARROW, CATHEY, CLOUD, CORTEZ, FESI, HARRIS, HENRY, HEWITT, LAMBERT, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, REESE, SMITH, STINE, WHITE AND WOMACK AND REPRESENTATIVE SCHLEGEL  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 20 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1751 through 1760, relative to social media; to provide for limitations and restrictions of certain accounts on a social media platform; to provide for age verification of account holders; to provide for parental consent; to provide for enforcement by the Department of Justice; to provide for terms, conditions, definitions, and procedures; to provide relative to implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 167—**

BY SENATOR ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:250.3(B), (C), (D), and (E), and to enact R.S. 38:2225.2.6 and R.S. 48:250.3.1, relative to design-build; to provide for design-build for airports; to provide for

design-build contracts and qualifications of design-builders components; to provide for progressive design-build contracts by the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for requirements of design-builders, notice of intent letters, and procurement process for progressive design-build; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 207—**

BY SENATORS MILLIGAN, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, KLEINPETER, LUNEAU, FRED MILLS, MORRIS, PEACOCK, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, STINE, TALBOT, TARVER, WHITE AND WOMACK  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416.16(A), (B), (C)(1), (D), (E), (F), (H), and (I), and R.S. 29:726.5 and to enact R.S. 17:416.16(G)(4) and (5) and R.S. 29:726.5.1, relative to school safety; to provide relative to school crisis management and response plans; to provide for additional safety drills; to require bleeding control kits in each school; to provide for training of designated employees on traumatic injury response; to provide relative to liability for rendering aid; to require rules relative to training and bleeding control kits; to provide relative to the duties and membership of the Louisiana Commission on School and Nonprofit Security; to provide for the Louisiana Center for Safe Schools; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 217—**

BY SENATORS HENRY, FESI AND MCMATH  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3-G of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:563 through 563.3, relative to offenses against minors; to create the Child Abuse and Neglect Registry; to provide relative to registration requirements; to provide for crimes of conviction; to provide for duties of the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information; to provide relative to a public database; to provide for exempt data; to provide relative to restrictions; to provide for duration of registration; to provide relative to implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Magee, 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. 172—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIQUE, BOYD, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARPENTER, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER, DUBUISSON, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FISHER, FONTENOT,

FREEMAN, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMANN, GLOVER, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HARRIS, HILFERTY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HORTON, HUGHES, HUVAL, ILLG, IVEY, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JORDAN, KERNER, KNOX, LACOMBE, LAFLEUR, 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, PRESSLY, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, TARVER, THOMAS, THOMPSON, TURNER, VILLIO, WHEAT, WHITE, WILLARD, WRIGHT, AND ZERINGUE

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Honorable Vincent J. Pierre and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Lafayette Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 173—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BUTLER AND ECHOLS

A RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana Department of Health to report information, including statistics, on abuse and neglect in certain Medicaid programs.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 111—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to extend temporary housing agreements and to postpone the requirement to pay rent for survivors of Hurricane Ida.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 112—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a task force to study and make recommendations to determine whether designating a certain percentage of man-hours in any apprenticeable occupation to registered apprentices for certain construction and capital projects would be beneficial for this state.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 113—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to ban the import of shrimp and crawfish from outside the United States.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Magee, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 114—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to study the possible outcomes of allowing supervised practice for previously sanctioned physicians and its effects on the physician shortage in this state.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 115—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a task force to support the cross-agency work associated with the creation of the Early Childhood Supports and Services program in Louisiana and to hold the Louisiana Department of Health accountable for the responsible and timely development and delivery of the program.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**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 RESOLUTION NO. 167—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS

A RESOLUTION

To request the legislative auditor to conduct a review and evaluation of the pharmacy benefit manager contracts for provision of pharmacy benefits provided through the Office of Group Benefits, to compare the overall annual cost to provide pharmacy benefits, the price of common medications, and administrative fees and to evaluate the Office of Group Benefits' management of the contract including its oversight of practices that are prohibited by the pharmacy benefit manager contract such as spread pricing.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 168—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

A RESOLUTION

To create the Louisiana Violent Crime Task Force to study and evaluate recent legislative reforms to the Louisiana criminal justice system and the effects of such reforms on public safety and crime in Louisiana and to propose future legislation to address and improve public safety and reduce crime in Louisiana.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 169—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER

A RESOLUTION

To request the legislative auditor to provide information regarding projects administered by the Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) included in the Capital Outlay Act for the current fiscal year and for each of the previous five fiscal years, including the priority level, project location, bond

priority, general fund obligation, status, expenditures to date, and estimated completion date for each such project.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health and the United States Food and Drug Administration to expand testing of imported shrimp products and increase public awareness of health risks associated with imported shrimp.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 106—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Office of Group Benefits to request certain information from current and former contractors of pharmacy benefit manager services, to include certain provisions in future contracts for pharmacy benefit manager services, and to report to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget no later than November 1, 2023.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 108—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development study and make recommendations and plans for contraflow, evaculanes, and siren system use throughout the state for public safety and to require the submission of a written report of its findings.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to impose a quota or tariff on imported shrimp and enact a buy plan for domestic shrimp directly from domestic commercial fishermen.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions  
Lying Over**

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—**  
BY SENATOR ALLAIN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Bayou Chene Operational Advisory Committee.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**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 ALLAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:601(D)(2) and 1675(J) and to enact R.S. 47:601(E) and 1675(K), relative to the corporation franchise tax; to provide for the reduction of franchise tax under certain circumstances; to provide for the utilization of credits against repealed taxes; 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. 6—**  
BY SENATOR ALLAIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:2456(B)(2), relative to the Quality Jobs Program; to provide relative to sales and use tax and qualified capital expenditure rebates; to provide for the reduction of the rebates under certain conditions; 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. 33—**  
BY SENATORS WHITE, ABRAHAM, BOUDREAUX, HARRIS AND MILLIGAN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2591(A)(1), R.S. 40:1666.1(A)(1), (4)(a), and (6)(a), 1667.1(A)(1) and (2)(a), 1667.7(B) and (G), and 1667.9, relative to supplemental pay for firemen, police officers, law enforcement officers of certain state agencies and political subdivisions, deputy sheriffs, and full-time deputy sheriffs employed as field representatives or process servers, justices of the peace, constables, harbor police, bridge police, fireboat employees, and certain tribal officers and firemen; to provide for extra compensation for commissioned law enforcement officers employed by a public institution of higher education; to provide certain constables and marshals as provided by law; to provide for extra compensation for certain harbor police officers, fireboat operators, certain tribal officers, and bridge police officers employed by the state; to provide for extra compensation for certain tribal firemen; to provide for extra compensation for certain fire protection officers with the Plaquemines Port Harbor and Terminal District; 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 Appropriations.

**SENATE BILL NO. 43—**

BY SENATOR BOUIE

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1252(25) through (27), (45), and (59) through (74) and to enact R.S. 32:1252(46)(c)(vii) and (75), relative to trolling motors; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to licensing requirements and exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**SENATE BILL NO. 159—**

BY SENATOR CATHEY

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 305(A)(3) and (B)(4), 306(B), (C), and (D), and 821(E), relative to juvenile court jurisdiction; to provide relative to juvenile detention for certain offenses; to provide factors for continued custody hearings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

**SENATE BILL NO. 163—**

BY SENATOR HEWITT

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.13 and 3996(B)(75), relative to numeracy skills professional development; to require numeracy skills training for certain teachers; to provide reporting on the training; 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. 164—**

BY SENATOR CLOUD

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:812(A), relative to the Office of Group Benefits; to provide for requirements for self-funded health plans; to provide for prior authorizations; to provide for an annual report; to provide terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 177—**

BY SENATOR MCMATH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:100.13, relative to expanded academic supports provided for certain low-performing students; to provide relative to the students who qualify for expanded academic supports; to provide relative to accelerated instruction offered to the low-performing students; to provide relative to high-quality tutoring providers; to provide waivers; to provide relative to the responsibilities of the state Department of Education; 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. 215—**

BY SENATOR BARROW

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Evidence Article 412.4(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 14:18.1 and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894.1(G), relative to criminal culpability; to provide a duress defense for victims of domestic abuse, sexual assault, or trafficking; to provide for sentencing mitigation for victims of domestic abuse, sexual assault, or human trafficking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

**SENATE BILL NO. 223—**

BY SENATOR MORRIS

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:429(A)(3), relative to fees charged at the office of motor vehicles field offices; to authorize the governing authority of the city of West Monroe to levy a fee for each service or transaction carried out as an operation of the office of motor vehicles field office in the city of West Monroe; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**SENATE BILL NO. 233** (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 181 by Senator Cloud)—

BY SENATOR CLOUD

## AN ACT

To enact Chapter 37 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2201 through 2202, and 2312(A)(11), relative to health care workforce initiatives; to create the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Fund; to provide for the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program; to provide for grants to expand health care workforce training; to provide for the creation of a commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

### Suspension of the Rules

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

### 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. Magee, the Committee on Commerce was discharged from further consideration of House Concurrent Resolution No. 103.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 103—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Congress to support the extension of funding for the Affordable Connectivity Program

(ACP) of 2021, which provides our citizens with access to broadband services.

Read by title.

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

**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. 107—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study the feasibility of funding a remote monitoring program for technology-dependent children who are tracheostomy patients.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Resolution No. 107 by Representative Freeman

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 17, change "technology dependent" to "technology-dependent"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 3, change "eighty five" to "eighty-five"

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

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 131—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

**A RESOLUTION**

To create a commission to study the crime of communicating false information of a planned bombing on school property, at a school-sponsored function, or in a firearm-free zone when the offender is a juvenile and to report its findings to the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice and the House Committee on Education prior to the convening of the 2024 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To create the Louisiana Solar Siting Task Force to study the impact of, and alternatives to, locating solar energy developments on farmland.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 85—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS JOHNSON

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries (LDWF) to study the feasibility of allowing a black bear hunting season.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 88—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES KERNER, BOURRIAQUE, BUTLER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, FISHER, GAROFALO, HILFERTY, MINCEY, ORGERON, RISER, ROMERO, AND SCHAMERHORN

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to compel the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to fulfill its duties regarding inspection and testing of imported seafood.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee**

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—**

BY SENATOR HENSGENS

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To approve the annual state integrated coastal protection plan for Fiscal Year 2024, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

On motion of Rep. Coussan, the resolution was ordered recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—**

BY SENATOR HENSGENS AND REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To approve the comprehensive master plan for integrated coastal protection projects, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—**  
BY SENATOR CARTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to convene a Nursing Maternal Mortality and Preterm Births Task Force.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 by Senator Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "Department of Health" to "State Nurses Association"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 1, change "Department of Health" to "State Nurses Association"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, at the end of line 3, after "be" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, at the beginning of line 4, delete "Department of Health and" and change "department" to "Louisiana Department of Health"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete line 14 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 15, change "(4)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 16, change "(5)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 17, change "(6)" to "(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 18, change "(7)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 20, change "(8)" to "(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, line 21, change "(9)" to "(8)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 22, change "(10)" to "(9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, line 24, change "(11)" to "(10)"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 26, change "(12)" to "(11)"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, line 28, change "(13)" to "(12)"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, line 30, change "(14)" to "(13)"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 4, line 2, change "(15)" to "(14)"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 4, line 4, change "(16)" to "(15)"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 4, line 5, change "(17)" to "(16)"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 4, line 7, change "(18)" to "(17)"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, line 8, change "(19)" to "(18)"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 4, line 10, change "(20)" to "(19)"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 4, line 12, change "(21)" to "(20)"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 4, line 14, change "(22)" to "(21)"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 4, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"(22) The president of DePaul Community Health Centers of New Orleans or his designee."

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 5, at the end of line 5, after "Session" and before the period ".", insert a comma "," and "and the task force shall terminate after such submissions."

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 5, line 18, after "University," and before "and" insert "the DePaul Community Health Centers of New Orleans,"

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

Under the rules, the above resolution, as amended, was ordered recommitted 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. 31—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:541(12)(e) and to enact R.S. 15:541(12)(f), relative to offenses requiring registration as a sex offender; to provide relative to criminal offenses against a minor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 659** (Substitute for House Bill No. 31 by Representative Romero)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3-G of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:563 through 563.3, relative to reporting requirements of persons convicted of certain offenses against minors; to provide for registration; to provide relative to the duty of offenders to notify law enforcement; to provide relative to the failure to register; to provide relative to the duration of registration requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Marino, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 659 by Rep. Romero, on behalf of the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice, as a substitute for House Bill No. 31 by Rep. Romero.

Under the rules, lies over in the same order of business.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 32—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHLEGEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:297.10(A), 297.11(A), and 297.12(B)(1), relative to deductions from individual income taxes; to increase the amount of the deduction for elementary and secondary school tuition; to increase the amount of the deduction for educational expenses for home-schooled children; to increase the amount of the deduction for certain educational expenses for a quality public education; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 38—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:1379.1.4(B)(5), relative to the carrying of concealed weapons by qualified retired law enforcement officers; to provide relative to annual qualification; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 660** (Substitute for House Bill No. 38 by Representative Stagni)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES STAGNI, BACALA, EDMONSTON, GAROFALO, HORTON, KNOX, LAFLEUR, MARCELLE, AND SEABAUGH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.1.4(B)(5), relative to the carrying of concealed weapons by qualified retired law enforcement officers; to provide relative to annual qualification; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Marino, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 660 by Rep. Stagni, on behalf of the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice, as a substitute for House Bill No. 38 by Rep. Stagni.

Under the rules, lies over in the same order of business.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 127—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUGHES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:854(A) and (B) and 855 and to enact R.S. 26:421(F) and R.S. 47:302(BB)(119), 305.79, 321(P)(120), 321.1(I)(120), and 331(V)(120), relative to state excise and sales and use taxes; to provide for exemptions from such taxes; to exempt from such taxes the furnishing of alcoholic beverages, products otherwise subject to the state tobacco tax, and other items at no charge as samples at, or in conjunction with, conferences, conventions, expositions, trade shows, and similar events; to provide for limitations on the exemptions; to terminate the exemptions on a certain 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. 127 by Representative Hughes

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, after "events;" and before "to terminate" insert "to provide for limitations on the exemptions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 14, change "F.(1)" to "F.(1)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 15, after "sample" and before "at," insert "in a business-to-business exchange"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"(b) For purposes of this Subsection, "business-to-business exchange" means the distribution by a business of free samples in a limited quantity to another business as part of a genuine effort to sell or market a product to that business."



AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the beginning of line 16, delete "A. The sales and use tax imposed" and insert in lieu thereof "A.(1) The sales tax imposed"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 17, after "sample" and before "at," insert "in a business-to-business exchange"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"(2) For purposes of this Section, "business-to-business exchange" means the distribution by a business of free samples in a limited quantity to another business as part of a genuine effort to sell or market a product to that business."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, at the beginning of line 24, change "B.(1)" to "B.(1)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 25, after "sample" and before "at," insert "in a business-to-business exchange"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, between lines 27 and 28, insert the following:

"(b) For purposes of this Subsection, "business-to-business exchange" means the distribution by a business of free samples in a limited quantity to another business as part of a genuine effort to sell or market a product to that business."

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. 131—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCORMICK, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, CREWS, EDMONSTON, FIRMENT, FRIEMAN, GEYMAN, HODGES, HORTON, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, AND WRIGHT

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(M)(1) and (2) and R.S. 40:1379.3(B)(2)(a), 1379.3.3(B), (D)(1) and (6), and (F)(2), to enact R.S. 40:1379.3.3(D)(9), and to repeal R.S. 14:95(M)(3), relative to the illegal carrying of weapons; to exempt certain persons from the crime of illegal carrying of weapons; to provide relative to concealed handgun permits; to provide relative to the authority of a person to carry a concealed handgun without a permit; to provide relative to an online education course; to provide relative to course topics; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 131 by Representative McCormick

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 14:95(M)(1) and (2)" and before the comma "," change "and R.S. 40:1379.3(B)" to "and R.S. 40:1379.3(B)(2)(a), 1379.3.3(B), (D)(1) and (6), and (F)(2), to enact R.S. 40:1379.3.3(D)(9), and to repeal R.S. 14:95(M)(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "permit;" and before "and" insert "to provide relative to an online education course; to provide relative to course topics;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 13, delete "resident of Louisiana" and insert "person"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 16, after "R.S. 14:95.1" delete "or any other state"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 1, after "Section 2." delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"R.S. 40:1379.3(B)(2)(a) and 1379.3.3(B), (D)(1) and (6), and (F)(2) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 40:1379.3.3(D)(9) is hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 5 through 16 in their entirety and insert the following:

"B.

\* \* \*

(2)(a) A ~~Louisiana resident~~ person who meets the qualifications of R.S. 14:95(M) shall not be required to possess a valid concealed handgun permit issued by the state of Louisiana pursuant to the provisions of this Section in order to carry a concealed handgun in the state of Louisiana. ~~The provisions of this Paragraph shall not affect the requirements of reciprocity as provided in Subsection T of this Section."~~

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, after line 17, add the following:

"§1379.3.3. Louisiana Firearm Safety Awareness Act

\* \* \*

B. The Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, shall provide a ~~two-hour~~ two hour and fifteen-minute online handgun education course at no cost to Louisiana residents.

\* \* \*

D. The online handgun education course shall include instruction on all of the following topics:

(1) Handgun basics and nomenclature, including handling procedures for a revolver and a semiautomatic pistol.

\* \* \*

(6) Accident prevention, including safe storage of firearms.

\* \* \*

(9) Suicide prevention, with an emphasis on the impact of firearm-related suicides involving veterans and current service members of the United States Armed Forces.

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F.

\* \* \*

(2) In accordance with Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, shall divide the topics provided in Subsection D of this Section into eight nine video segments that shall broadcast for no less than fifteen minutes per segment.

Section 3. R.S. 14:95(M)(3) is hereby repealed in its entirety."

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 147—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WRIGHT AND VILLIO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:592.2(B)(3), 574.2(C)(2)(b), and 574.4(A)(4)(b), (B)(2)(a)(iii), (b)(iii), (c)(iii), and (d)(iii), (D)(1)(b), (E)(1)(b), (F)(1)(b), (G)(1)(b), and (J)(1)(b), relative to parole; to provide relative to parole eligibility; to provide relative to the time period for disciplinary offenses prior to parole eligibility and hearing date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 147 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 8, after "(2)" delete the remainder of the line and on line 9, before "committee" delete "of this Subsection, the" and insert the following:

"Except in cases where the offender is released pursuant to Paragraph (4) of this Subsection, the The"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 151—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WRIGHT AND VILLIO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.4(B)(1), relative to forfeiture of diminution of sentence; to provide for forfeiture of diminution of sentence based on certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 192—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(c), relative to nepotism; to provide relative to the appointment or employment of family members of certain municipal governing authority members under certain circumstances; to require recusal by the related municipal governing authority member; to provide for an effective date; 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. 192 by Representative Jefferson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, change "parish." to "municipality."

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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 207—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHAMERHORN, BACALA, EDMONSTON, GAROFALO, HORTON, KNOX, LAFLEUR, MARCELLE, AND SEABAUGH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:93.2.4, relative to criminal liability for certain acts of minors; to create the crime of unlawful swimming in certain waterways; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 207 by Representative Schamerhorn

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "waterways" and before the semicolon ";," delete "for minors"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "waterways" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "any" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 9 delete "eighteen" and insert "parent or legal"

guardian who has care and control of a minor, to permit a minor, either knowingly, wilfully, or through criminal negligence"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 1, line 12, after "the" delete the remainder of the line and deletes lines 13 and 14 in their entirety and insert "parent or legal guardian shall be issued a warning ticket, fined not more than twenty-five dollars, or both."

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 1, line 15, after "the" delete the remainder of the line and deletes lines 16 and 17 in their entirety and insert "parent or legal guardian shall be fined not more than fifty dollars, imprisoned for not more than seven days, or both."

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 1, line 18, after "the" delete the remainder of the line and deletes lines 19 and 20 in their entirety and insert "parent or legal guardian shall be fined not more than seventy-five dollars nor more than two hundred fifty dollars, imprisoned for not more than thirty days, or both."

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 221—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:961(A)(1) and (2)(a) and to enact R.S. 49:966(O), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to provide for the procedure for adoption of rules; to provide relative to legislative oversight of rules; to provide for effectiveness; 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. 221 by Representative Wright

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 14, after "identify" delete the remainder of the line and line 15 and insert "two rules of the agency that may be repealed or revised."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 20, after "two rules" delete the remainder of the line and insert "the agency may repeal or revise."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 8, after "legislature" delete the period "." and insert "if the chairman of the standing committee or oversight subcommittee notifies the select committee no later than the seventh day of the committee's oversight period that his committee will not hold a hearing on the proposal."

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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 247—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297.23, relative to income tax credits; to authorize an individual income tax credit for purchases of firearm safety devices; to establish the tax credit as a nonrefundable credit; to provide for the amount of the credit; to authorize carrying forward of the credit; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide for termination; 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. 247 by Representative Landry

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, delete lines 6 through 8 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(2) The total amount of credits granted pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall not exceed five hundred thousand dollars per calendar year."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, delete lines 25 and 26 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"E. No credits authorized by this Section may be claimed for any taxable year beginning after December 31, 2027."

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. 255—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6043, relative to income tax credits; to establish a refundable tax credit for restaurants that recycle oyster shells; to provide for qualifications for the credit; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for means by which corporations, individuals, estates, trusts, and partners and members of entities not taxed as corporations may claim the credit; to provide for limitations with respect to the credit; to require the secretary of the Department of Revenue to promulgate administrative rules with respect to the credit; to require the secretary of the Department of Revenue to collaborate with the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries in developing such rules; to provide for applicability; 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. 255 by Representative Landry

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, after "the credit;" and before "to require" insert "to provide for limitations with respect to the credit;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 9, change "C." to "C.(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

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

"(2) The total amount of credits granted pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars per calendar year.

(3) The granting of tax credits authorized by this Section shall be on a first-come, first-served basis. If the total amount of credits claimed in a particular calendar year exceeds the amount of tax credits authorized for that year, the Department of Revenue shall treat the excess as having been applied for on the first day of the subsequent year. The department shall treat all requests received on the same business day as received at the same time. If the aggregate amount of the requests received on a single business day exceeds the total amount of available tax credits, the department shall approve tax credits on a pro rata basis."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"H. No credits authorized by this Section may be claimed for any taxable year beginning after December 31, 2028."

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. 286—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, KNOX, AND LAFLEUR  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 986(A) and (C) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 977(D), 983(M), and 998, relative to expungement; to provide relative to the motion to expunge a record of arrest and conviction of a misdemeanor offense; to provide relative to when a person may file an expungement for certain convictions of possession of marijuana; to provide relative to the fees for an expungement of a record; to provide for fees in certain expungement cases; to provide relative to the expungement form for misdemeanor marijuana convictions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 286 by Representative Boyd

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "Procedure" and before "986(A)" change "Articles 983(J), (K), and (L) and" to "Article"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 8, delete "exemptions of"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, after "Procedure" and before "986(A)" change "Articles 983(J), (K), and (L), and" to "Article"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 1, change "R.S. 40:966(C)(2)(a) or (b)" to "R.S. 40:966(C)(2)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 7 through 23 in their entirety and insert the following:

"M.(1) Notwithstanding Paragraph B of this Article, the total cost to obtain a court order expunging a record of a misdemeanor first offense involving the possession of marijuana, tetrahydrocannabinol, or chemical derivatives thereof pursuant to R.S. 40:966(C)(2)(a) shall not exceed three hundred dollars. The nonrefundable processing fees for a court order expunging such record shall be as follows:

(a) The Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information may charge a processing fee of fifty dollars for the expungement of the record when ordered to do so by the court in compliance with the provisions of this Title.

(b) The sheriff may charge a processing fee of fifty dollars for the expungement of the record when ordered to do so by the court in compliance with the provisions of this Title.

(c) The district attorney may charge a processing fee of fifty dollars for the expungement of the record when ordered to do so by the court in compliance with the provisions of this Title.

(d) The clerk of court may charge a processing fee of one hundred fifty dollars to cover the clerk's costs of the expungement.

(2) The clerk of court shall collect all processing fees at the time the motion for expungement is filed.

(3) The clerk shall immediately direct the collected processing fee provided for in Subsubparagraph (1)(a) of this Paragraph to the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information, and the processing fee amount shall be deposited immediately upon receipt into the Criminal Identification and Information Dedicated Fund Account.

(4) The clerk shall immediately direct the collected processing fees provided for in Subsubparagraphs (1)(b) and (c) of this Paragraph to the sheriff and the district attorney, and the processing fee amount shall be remitted immediately upon receipt in equal proportions to the office of the district attorney and the sheriff's general fund.

(5) The provisions of this Paragraph shall be null, void, and without effect and shall terminate on August 1, 2026."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 19, change "R.S. 40:966(C)(2)(a) or (b)" to "R.S. 40:966(C)(2)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 8, change "R.S. 40:966(C)(2)(a) or (b)" to "R.S. 40:966(C)(2)(a)"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 300—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:82(A) and 83(C), to enact R.S. 13:61.1, and to repeal R.S. 13:61, 83(D), and 84, relative to the judiciary; to provide relative to the Judicial Council of the Supreme Court; to provide for the duties of the council; to require the review of courts and offices within the judicial branch of state government; to provide relative to data utilized by the council; to transfer certain duties from the judicial administrator and the Judicial Budgetary Control Board to the council; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 661** (Substitute for House Bill No. 300 by Representative Muscarello)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:61, relative to the judiciary; to provide relative to the Judicial Council of the Supreme Court of Louisiana; to provide for the duties of the council; to provide relative to the review of courts and offices within the judicial branch of state government; to provide relative to data utilized by the council; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Stefanski, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 661 by Rep. Muscarello, Jr., on behalf of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs, as a substitute for House Bill No. 300 by Rep. Muscarello, Jr..

Under the rules, lies over in the same order of business.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 330—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.9(D)(35), to enact R.S. 47:305.79, 321(P)(120), 321.1(I)(120), 331(V)(120), and 337.9(D)(36), and to repeal R.S. 47:305.77, relative to sales and use tax exemptions and rebates; to repeal provisions establishing a state sales and use tax rebate for the purchase of certain items by commercial farmers; to provide for a state and local sales and use tax exemption for the purchase of certain items by commercial farmers; to exempt from state and local sales and use tax certain agricultural fencing materials purchased by commercial farmers; to provide for a limitation associated with the exemption; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to authorize administrative rulemaking; to provide for effective dates; 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. 330 by Representative Mike Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "enact" delete the remainder of the line and insert "R.S. 47:305.79,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "purchase" delete the comma "," and delete "lease, or rental"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "materials" delete "and trailers"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, after "purchased" delete the comma "," and delete "leased, or rented"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, at the beginning of line 15, delete "47:302(BB)(119), 305.79," and insert "47:305.79,"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, delete lines 17 through 20 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 7 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 9, after "Louisiana" and before "or any" insert "pursuant to R.S. 47:321, 321.1, and 331 and R.S. 51:1286"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 10, after "purchase" and before "by" delete the comma "," and delete "lease, or rental"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 11, after "materials" and before the period "." delete "or trailers"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, delete lines 16 and 17 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(1) "Agricultural fencing materials" means gates, hog wire fencing, barbed wire fencing, lumber or steel used as posts or rails, nails, screws, hinges, and concrete consisting of premixed dry mortar used for the purpose of fencing agricultural livestock."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, delete lines 19 through 22 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 7, after "materials" delete the remainder of the line and insert "purchased"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, line 18, after "materials" delete the remainder of the line and insert "purchased"

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## AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 4, line 1, after "materials" delete the remainder of the line and insert "purchased"

## AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 4, line 9, after ""key words:" and before "purchase" delete "lease, rental, or"

## AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 4, line 10, after "materials" and before "by" delete "or trailers"

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. 411—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:832(C)(7), relative to the insurance premium tax credit; to authorize certain investments by businesses issuing life insurance policies to be eligible for the insurance premium tax credit; to provide for qualifying Louisiana investments; to provide for certain requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 446—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.3.3(B), (D)(1) and (6), and (F)(2) and to enact R.S. 40:1379.3.3(D)(9), relative to firearms; to provide relative to an online education course; to provide relative to course topics; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 464—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.1(B), relative to possession of a firearm or carrying of a concealed weapon by a felon; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 498—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 315.1, relative to bail; to provide for a mandatory minimum bail amount for certain crimes; to provide relative to factors in fixing the amount of

bail; to provide relative to written facts and findings by a judge; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

## **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 498 by Representative Stefanski

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 10, after "set" insert "an initial"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 11, after "unless" delete the remainder of the line and insert "there is"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, after "than" and before "thousand" change "one hundred" to "fifty"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 16, after "than" and before "hundred" change "five" to "one"

### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 17, after "defendant" and before "a firearm" change "possessed" to "used"

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

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 504—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 42:31, relative to unclassified state employment; to repeal certain employment eligibility requirements regarding motor vehicle registration and driver's licenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 505—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWELL

AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the exchange of certain state property in Orleans Parish; to provide for property descriptions; to provide for the reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment to Original House Bill No. 505 by Representative Newell

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, after "administration" and before the comma "," insert "and the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District, or either of them"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "contrary," and before "hereby" change "is" to "are"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 12 through 14 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

#### "DUNCAN PLAZA AND HEAL GARAGE PARCELS

Three certain parcels or portions of ground, together with all buildings and improvements thereupon, situated in the First Municipal District of the City of New Orleans which are more fully described as follows:

Parcel "A"

A certain portion of ground designated as A in Square 340 bounded by LaSalle, Gravier, S. Liberty, and Perdido Streets, commencing at the intersection of S. Liberty and Gravier Streets and thence measuring 436.10' along S. Liberty Street, thence at an interior angle of 81°08'40" a distance and front of 199.89' along the new property line of Perdido Street, thence at an interior angle of 98°50'40" a distance and front of 436.26' along the new property line of LaSalle Street, thence at an interior angle of 81°03'55" a distance and front of 199.85' along Gravier Street, to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B"

A certain portion of street area in S. Liberty Street designated as B bounded by Square 340, Gravier Street, Square 333, and Perdido Street, commencing at the intersection of Gravier and S. Liberty Streets and measuring along the front of Square 340 a distance of 436.10', thence at an interior angle of 98°51'15" a distance of 38.82' along the new property line of Perdido Street projected, thence at an interior angle of 81°08'45" a distance of 436.03' along the front of Square 333, thence at an interior angle of 98°56'40" a distance of 38.83' along the property line of Gravier Street, projected to the point of beginning.

Parcel "C"

A certain portion of ground designated as C in Square 333 bounded by S. Liberty, Gravier, Loyola, and Perdido Streets, commencing at the intersection of S. Liberty and Gravier Streets, and measuring a distance of 436.03' along the front of Square 333, thence at an interior angle of 32°26'46" a distance of 469.54', thence at an interior angle of 66°29'42" a distance of 255.03' along the property line of Gravier Street to the point of beginning.

All in accordance with survey by C.A. Wethern, Jr., Asst. Survey and Research Engineer, and approved by L.M. Buja, Chief Engineer,

Engineering Division, September 10, 1954, bearing Drawing #1/1-E-la-7872."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 16, after "administration" and before the comma "," insert "and the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District, or either of them" and at the end of the line change "is" to "are"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 20 through 22 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

#### "ORLEANS CIVIL DISTRICT COURT PARCEL

A certain tract or parcel of land, together with the improvements thereon, being situated in the city of New Orleans at the northwest corner of the intersection of Poydras Street and Loyola Avenue and currently occupied by the Orleans Civil Courts building, containing approximately 36,100 square feet, but excluding the land and improvements occupied by the New Orleans City Hall and related facilities, being a portion of the property more fully described as:

A portion of ground, together with all buildings and improvements thereupon, situated in the First Municipal District of the City of New Orleans, Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, bounded by Loyola Avenue, Poydras, LaSalle and Perdido Streets and more fully described as follows:

Commencing at the northeast intersection of Poydras Street and Loyola Avenue being the point of beginning, thence proceed along the R/W line of Poydras Street running in the direction of and to LaSalle Street a distance of 763.27' to a point and corner; thence proceed along the R/W line of LaSalle Street in the direction of Perdido Street a distance of 401.14' to a point and corner; thence proceed along the R/W line of Perdido Street and in the direction of Loyola Avenue a distance of 666.45' to a point; thence proceed along the R/W line of Loyola Avenue running in the direction of and to Poydras Street a distance of 398.09' to a point, being the point of beginning.

All measurements are more or less, being composed of portions of Squares 305, 332, and 341 and portions of former S. Liberty Street, and former Loyola Avenue.

The municipal address of the improvements is: Civil District Court, 421 Loyola Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70112.

#### LA SALLE STREET PARCEL

A 60,267.04 square foot parcel of land located in the First Municipal District, City of New Orleans, Orleans Parish, State of Louisiana; beginning at a point at the intersection of the southern right of way of Poydras Street and the western right of way of LaSalle Street. From the point of beginning, thence S77°20'03"E along the southern right of way line of Poydras Street for a distance of 69.21 feet to a point at the intersection of the Eastern right of way line of LaSalle Street, thence S23°21'35"W along the eastern right of way line of LaSalle Street for a distance of 892.69 feet to a point at the intersection of the northern right of way line of Girod Street, thence N66°38'25"W along the northern right of way line of Girod Street for a distance of 68.00 feet to a point at the intersection of the western right of way line of LaSalle Street, thence N23°21'34"E along the western right of way of LaSalle Street for a distance of 879.85 feet to the point of beginning.

#### DAVE DIXON DRIVE PARCELS

Two certain parcels or portions of ground, together with all buildings and improvements thereupon, designated as Parcels 20 AN-1 and 20 AN-2, respectively, and situated in the First Municipal District of the

City of New Orleans, which according to a plan by Adloe Orr, Jr. & Associates, Consulting Engineers and Land Planners, dated March 10, 1971, are more fully described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the eastern right of way line of Magnolia Street and the northern right of way line of Julia Street proceed in an easterly direction along the northern right of way line of Julia Street a distance of 69.28' to a point. Thence in a northerly direction at an angle of 74°07'12" with the last previously described line a distance of 46.81' to a point. Thence in a westerly direction at an angle of 90°00'00" with the last previously described line a distance of 630.62' to a point. Thence in a northerly direction at an angle of 74°04'12" with the last previously described line a distance of 77.53' to the point of beginning. Thence continue in a northerly direction on a projection of the last previously described line a distance of 5.67' to a point. Thence in an easterly direction at an interior angle of 105°55'48" with the last previously described line a distance of 1335.78' to a point. Thence in a northerly direction at an interior angle of 270°00'00" with the last previously described line a distance of 67.05' to a point. Thence in an easterly direction at an interior angle of 79°19'52" with the last previously described line a distance of 69.20' to a point. Thence in a southerly direction at an interior angle of 100°40'06" with the last previously described line a distance of 35.56' to a point. Thence in an easterly direction along the arc of a curve to the left having a radius of 264.87' a distance of 242.99' to a point of reverse curvature. Thence along the arc of a curve to the right having a radius of 354.27' a distance of 71.09' to a point on the northern right of way line of Cypress Street. Thence in an easterly direction along the northern right of way line of Cypress Street a distance of 12.79' to a point. Thence in a northerly direction at an interior angle of 240°20'01" with the last previously described line a distance of 8.11' to a point. Thence in an easterly direction at an interior angle of 109°26'56" with the last previously described line a distance of 6.66' to a point. Thence in a southerly direction at an interior angle of 89°34'30" with the last previously described line a distance of 104.87' to a point. Thence in a southwesterly direction along the arc of a curve to the left having a radius of 259.27' a distance of 35.31' to a point of reverse curvature. Thence along the arc of a curve to the right having a radius of 359.87' a distance of 270.08' to a point of tangency. Thence in a westerly direction a distance of 1143.28' to a point. Thence in a northwesterly direction at an interior angle of 164°07'12" with the last previously described line a distance of 272.46' to the point of beginning.

Said parcel contains 139,512 square feet.

AND

Commencing at the intersection of the eastern right of way line of Magnolia Street and the northern right of way line of Julia Street proceed in an easterly direction along the northern right of way line of Julia Street a distance of 69.28' to a point. Thence in a northerly direction at an angle of 74°07'12" with the last previously described line a distance of 46.81' to a point. Thence in a westerly direction at an angle of 90°00'00" with the last previously described line a distance of 347.28' to the point of beginning. Thence continue in a westerly direction on a projection of the last previously described line a distance of 283.34' to a point. Thence in a northerly direction at an angle of 74°04'12" with the last previously described line a distance of 77.53' to a point. Thence in an easterly direction at an interior angle of 90°03'00" with the last previously described line a distance of 272.46' to the point of beginning.

Said parcel contains 10,562 square feet.

WEST STADIUM DRIVE PARCEL

A certain parcel or portion of ground, together with all buildings and improvements thereupon, designated as Parcel 20 AL and situated in the First Municipal District of the City of New Orleans, which according to a plan by Adloe Orr, Jr. & Associates, Consulting

Engineers and Land Planners, dated March 10, 1971, is more fully described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the southern right of way line of Poydras Street and the eastern right of way line of South Claiborne Avenue proceed in a southerly direction along the eastern right of way line of South Claiborne Avenue a distance of 99.42' to the point of beginning. Thence continue in a southerly direction along the eastern right of way line of South Claiborne Avenue a distance of 476.62' to a point. Thence in a southerly direction at an interior angle of 151°15'180" with the last previously described line a distance of 52.00' to a point. Thence in a southerly direction at an interior angle of 180°38'07" with the last previously described line a distance of 324.25' to a point. Thence in an easterly direction at an interior angle of 119°32'51" with the last previously described line a distance of 95.18' to a point. Thence in a northerly direction at an interior angle of 74°07'12" with the last previously described line a distance of 851.46' to a point. Thence in a northeasterly direction along the arc of a curve to the right having a radius of 119.42' a distance of 3.59' to a point. Thence in a westerly direction a distance of 65.32' to the point of beginning.

Said parcel contains 107,022 square feet."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 1, after "administration" and before "hereby" delete "is" and insert in lieu thereof "and the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District, or either of them, are"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 6, after "between the" delete "commissioner of administration and the city of New Orleans," and insert "parties"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 519—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 1308(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 18:115(F)(2)(f), 1307(B)(1)(e), and 1308(B)(3), relative to absentee voting by mail; to provide for voting by qualified incarcerated voters; to provide for absentee by mail voting following registration by mail; to provide for the collection of absentee by mail voting applications and ballots by the registrar of voters; 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. 519 by Representative Carpenter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "18:1307(B)(1)(b) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "18:115(F)(2)(f)" delete "and 1307(B)(1)(a)(iv)," and insert a comma "," and insert "1307(B)(1)(e), and 1308(B)(3),"



AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "for the" and before "of absentee" delete "delivery" and insert "collection"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 6, after "by the" and before "and to" delete "sheriff or his representative;" and insert "registrar of voters;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 10 in their entirety and insert

"Section 1. R.S. 18:1308(B)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 18:115(F)(2)(f), 1307(B)(1)(e), and 1308(B)(3) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 7 through 25 in their entirety and insert the following:

"B.(1)

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(e) Prior to the date and time provided for in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, the registrar of voters shall collect completed applications to vote by mail for any registered voter who is under the control and custody of the sheriff's office and who makes application to vote absentee by mail pursuant to R.S. 18:1303(G) directly from each jail or other location within the jurisdiction of the registrar of voters where a person is placed under the control and custody of the sheriff's office."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 3, after "delivery." and before "If" insert the following:

"However, the registrar of voters shall collect the ballot of a registered voter who is under the control and custody of the sheriff's office and who is voting absentee by mail pursuant to R.S. 18:1303(G)."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 9, after "Code," delete the remainder of the line and delete line 10 in its entirety and on line 11, delete "sheriff's office who voting absentee by mail pursuant to R.S. 18:1303(G)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, after line 15, insert the following:

"(3) Prior to the date and time provided for in Subsection C of this Section, the registrar of voters shall collect the ballot of each registered voter who is under the control and custody of the sheriff's office who is voting absentee by mail pursuant to R.S. 18:1303(G) directly from each jail or other location where an absentee by mail ballot was sent in response to an application to vote by mail collected by the registrar pursuant to R.S. 18:1307(B)(1)(e)."

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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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 553—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:23(A)(7), relative to the State Board of Election Supervisors; to provide for the membership of the board; to provide for the list of nominees submitted by the presidents of various colleges and universities; to provide for the nomination of a voter with a disability; to provide for appointment by the governor; 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. 553 by Representative Glover

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 2, delete "To enact R.S. 18:23(A)(9)," and insert "To amend and reenact R.S. 18:23(A)(7),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "to provide for" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 4, delete "the board;" and insert "the list of nominees submitted by the presidents of various colleges and universities; to provide for the nomination of a voter with a disability;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." delete "R.S. 18:23(A)(9) is hereby enacted" and insert "R.S. 18:23(A)(7) is hereby amended and reenacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 20 in their entirety and delete page 2 in its entirety and insert the following:

"(7) One member, who shall be appointed by the governor from a list of nominees submitted by the presidents of Centenary College at Shreveport, Dillard University at New Orleans, Louisiana College at Pineville, Loyola University at New Orleans, Tulane University of Louisiana at New Orleans, and Xavier University at New Orleans, each of whom shall submit one nominee who shall not be an elected or appointed public official and may submit a second nominee who shall be a voter with a disability and shall not be an elected or appointed public official. The term of office of each appointed member shall be concurrent with the term of the governor making the appointment. Each appointment by the governor shall be submitted to the Senate for confirmation. A vacancy in the office of a member appointed by the governor shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment and for the remainder of the unexpired term."

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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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 653** (Substitute for House Bill No. 603 by Representative Deshotel)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(35) and to enact Subpart B of Part VI-C of Chapter 39 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised

Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2370.21 through 2370.33, relative to grants for broadband expansion; to provide for the creation of the GUMBO 2.0 program; to provide for a short title; to provide for definitions; to provide for administration fees and their use; to require the promulgation of rules; to provide for the grant process and its funding; to provide for administrative and judicial review; to require the submission of certain reports; to provide for the disbursement and reimbursement of certain funds; to provide parameters for the failure of performance by grant recipients; to provide an exception to the Public Records Law; to authorize the Louisiana State Law Institute to make certain conforming technical changes; 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 Engrossed House Bill No. 653 by Representative Deshotel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 16, line 25, after "2370.16," and before "2370.27," insert "2370.25,"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 658** (Substitute for House Bill No. 427 by Representative Crews)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS

AN ACT

To enact Subpart E of Part IV of Chapter 5-D of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1176.1, relative to consumer access to healthcare prices; to provide for duties of facilities and health insurance issuers; to provide for corrective action reports; to provide for duties of the Louisiana Department of Health and the Department of Insurance; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**Senate Instruments on Second Reading Returned from the Legislative Bureau**

The following Senate Instruments on second reading, returned from the Legislative Bureau, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**SENATE BILL NO. 21**—  
BY SENATORS PRICE, BOUIE AND TARVER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:149.36, relative to the names of state buildings; to name the Department of Transportation and Development headquarters building in Baton Rouge; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 26**—  
BY SENATOR PRICE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1141.4(A)(2), relative to public notice of hearings of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board; to provide for delivery of notice; 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 Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 26 by Senator Price

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, after "42:1141.5." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 11 through 13 in their entirety and insert the following:

"The Ethics Adjudicatory Board shall mail a copy of the notice to the address where the subject of the hearing was served with the charges pending before the board or an address provided by the respondent or the respondent's attorney of record after service was made."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 30**—  
BY SENATOR FOIL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3088.1, relative to the Achieving a Better Life Experience in Louisiana Fund; to provide for the transfer of monies in a program account of a deceased designated beneficiary; to prohibit certain claims against the program account of a deceased designated beneficiary; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

On motion of Rep. Harris, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

**SENATE BILL NO. 40**—  
BY SENATOR FOIL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1141.7 and 1141.8, relative to motions and exceptions; to provide for a motion for summary judgment for matters pending before the Ethics Adjudicatory Board; 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 Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 40 by Senator Foil

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 7 in its entirety and insert the following:

"C. Only the documents provided for in Code of Civil Procedure Article 966 and 967 and"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, change "case" to "matter"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, at the beginning of line 5, delete "I. Notice" and insert "I. The Ethics Adjudicatory Board shall transmit notice"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 5, after "judgment" delete "shall be" and at the beginning of line 6, delete "transmitted"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

##### **SENATE BILL NO. 45—** BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

##### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3911(C)(5), relative to the data collection system; to provide relative to the process required for the state Department of Education to change certain information assigned to a student; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

On motion of Rep. Harris, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

##### **SENATE BILL NO. 52—** BY SENATORS TARVER AND FRED MILLS

##### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:951(9), 952(A), 954(A), (C), the introductory paragraph of 954(D), and 954(E), 966(K)(2), and 968(E), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to make technical corrections beyond the authority of the Louisiana State Law Institute to certain citations in the Administrative Procedure Act as amended by Act 211 of the 2021 Regular Session and Act 663 of the 2022 Regular Session; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

##### **SENATE BILL NO. 63—**

BY SENATORS MIZELL, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FOIL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, KLEINPETER, LAMBERT, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, PEACOCK, POPE, REESE, STINE, TARVER, WHITE AND WOMACK

##### A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article XII, Section 17 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to religious freedom; to provide that the freedom of worship in churches or other places of worship is a fundamental right that is worthy of the highest order of protection; to provide for the highest level of scrutiny by a court; to provide for intent; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

##### **SENATE BILL NO. 81—** BY SENATOR MCMATH

##### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:7.8, relative to the qualifications of public school teachers; to provide for the associate educator program; to provide for minimum requirements for individuals participating in the program; to provide relative to pay of program participants; to provide relative to rules for the program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

On motion of Rep. Harris, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

##### **SENATE BILL NO. 106—** BY SENATOR SMITH

##### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:41(14) and to enact R.S. 22:1964(14)(p), relative to a property damage insurance claim; to require an insurer provide an insured certain records in connection to a property damage insurance claim upon an insured's request; to provide exceptions; to require an insurer respond within a certain time period; to require an insurer to maintain certain records in connection to a property damage insurance claim; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

#### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 106 by Senator Smith

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## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "insurer" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "to provide an insured with certain"

## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, change "provide exceptions" to "provide for exceptions" and after "insurer" insert "to"

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "claim;" insert "to provide for confidentiality; to provide relative to unfair claims settlement practices;"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 16, delete "first party" and insert in lieu thereof "~~first party~~ first-party"

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 4 and 5 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

~~"are not legally privileged unless the record that the insurance company prepared, had prepared, or used during its adjustment of the policyholder's claim is legally privileged in accordance with R.S."~~

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 17, delete "An insurer failing" and insert in lieu thereof "Failing"

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

### **LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 106 by Senator Smith

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, following line 25, insert "\* \* \*"

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

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

## **SENATE BILL NO. 120—**

BY SENATOR WHITE

### **AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3047.4(C), relative to the M.J. Foster Promise Program; to provide relative to appropriations for the program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

On motion of Rep. Harris, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

## **SENATE BILL NO. 135—**

BY SENATOR BARROW

### **AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 46:451, relative to Medicaid reimbursement for services of licensed midwives and certified nurse midwives; to provide for a minimum rate of reimbursement relative to

physician reimbursement; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility requirements; to provide for approval by CMS; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for prohibited decreases in certain reimbursements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

On motion of Rep. Bagley, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

## **SENATE BILL NO. 147—**

BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS

### **AN ACT**

To enact Subpart P-1 of Part 1 of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:472.1 through 472.20, relative to self-insurance funds; to authorize the creation of the Louisiana Churches and Nonprofit Religious Organizations Self-Insured Fund; to provide for legislative intent and public purpose; to provide for requirements and management of the self-insurance fund; to provide for definitions; to provide for agreements creating a self-insurance fund; to provide for financial documents; to provide for financial requirements; to provide for excess insurance; to provide for investments; to provide for insurance agents; to provide for rate filings and rate determinations; to provide for insolvencies; to provide for examinations; to provide for audits; to provide for reports; to provide for the hiring of certain professional services providers under certain circumstances; to provide for disclosures; to provide for terms of dissolution; to provide the use of certain fund information; to provide for jurisdiction; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 147 by Senator Robert Mills

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "To enact" and insert in lieu thereof "To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact"

## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, after "jurisdiction;" insert "to provide for a public records exception;"

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 4, after "such as" insert "the"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 7, change "resulting" to "results"

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 15, change "cost" to "costs"

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 2, change "under this Part" to "in this Subpart"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 3, change "Department of Insurance" to "department" and after "rules" insert "in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 26, change "member" to "member's"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 21, change "under" to "pursuant to"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 6, line 2, delete "which" and insert in lieu thereof "and such"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 6, line 4, delete "the state of Louisiana" and insert in lieu thereof "this state"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, line 7, change "Department of Insurance" to "department"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 6, line 22, change "reproductions," to "reproductions thereof,"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 7, line 2, after "department" insert a comma ", "

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 7, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "shall, at times that necessitate, require two or more members of the fund to maintain a"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 7, line 10, change "equal" to "equals"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 9, line 5, after "bond," delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "errors and omissions insurance, directors' and officers' liability"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 11, line 5, change "under" to "as required by"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 11, line 6, after "years," delete "it" and insert in lieu thereof "the fund"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 11, line 14, change "under" to "as required by"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 11, line 21, after "reinsurance" insert "as"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 11, line 22, change "under" to "by"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 11, line 25, change "S&P" to "Standards & Poor's"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 12, line 15, change "errors-and-omissions" to "errors and omissions"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 12, line 16, delete "directors-and-officers" and insert in lieu thereof "directors' and officers' liability"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 13, line 1, change "under this Subpart" to "pursuant to this Subpart"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 13, line 6, change "Louisiana" to "this state"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 13, line 20, change "Guarantee" to "Guaranty"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 14, line 15, change "S&P" to "Standards & Poor's"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 14, line 16, delete "the state of Louisiana" and insert in lieu thereof "this state"

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 14, line 17, change "S&P" to "Standards & Poor's"

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 14, line 19, delete "cannot" and insert in lieu thereof "shall not"

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 14, line 22, change "S&P" to "Standards & Poor's"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 14, line 24, delete "cannot" and insert in lieu thereof "shall not"

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 14, line 27, change "S&P" to "Standards & Poor's"

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 15, line 3, change "S&P" to "Standards & Poor's"

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 15, line 5, delete "cannot" and insert in lieu thereof "shall not"

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 15, line 19, change "S&P" to "Standards & Poor's"

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## AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 15, line 29, change "acceptable" to "are acceptable" and change "like" to "such as"

## AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 16, line 27, change "L.L.C." to "LLC."

## AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 18, line 2, change "Department of Insurance" to "department"

## AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 18, line 14, delete "shall have the authority to" and insert in lieu thereof "may"

## AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 18, line 24, change "under" to "pursuant to"

## AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 18, line 29, after "person," delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "in accordance with the authority of the department pursuant to this Subpart,"

## AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 19, line 10, delete "or with" and insert in lieu thereof a comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 19, delete line 11 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "department in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, or any order or directive"

## AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 19, line 25, change "shall not" to "do not"

## AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 20, line 9, change "On-site or off-site" to "Onsite or offsite"

## AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 20, line 22, after "R.S. 22:731" delete the comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 20, line 23, after "R.S. 22:2001" delete the comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 20, line 27, after "casualty" insert "insurance"

## AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 22, line 15, change "like" to "such as"

## AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 23, line 6, after "supervision" delete the comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 23, line 21, after "supervision" delete the comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 23, line 28, after "years" insert a comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 24, line 1, after "it" delete "is"

## AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 24, line 21, delete "items" and insert in lieu thereof "persons"

## AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 26, line 3, after "fund" insert a comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 26, line 6, after "show" insert "cause"

## AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 26, line 7, change "scheduling, and" to "scheduling and," and after "court" delete the comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 61

On page 28, delete lines 22 through 24 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"H.(1) At the conclusion of a hearing initiated pursuant to Subsection G of this Section, the administrative law judge shall enter an order"

## AMENDMENT NO. 62

On page 29, line 3, delete "under" and insert in lieu thereof "prescribed in"

## AMENDMENT NO. 63

On page 29, line 11, after "prevent" delete the comma "`,`" and after "prohibit" delete the comma "`,`"

## AMENDMENT NO. 64

On page 29, line 12, delete "report," and insert in lieu thereof "report, a"

## AMENDMENT NO. 65

On page 29, delete lines 23 through 24 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"other person, in the course of an examination made pursuant to this Subpart, or in accordance with the authority of the commissioner pursuant to this Subpart, shall be given"

## AMENDMENT NO. 66

On page 30, line 5, change "under" to "pursuant to"

## AMENDMENT NO. 67

On page 30, line 10, change "under" to "pursuant to"

## AMENDMENT NO. 68

On page 30, line 19, after "examiner," delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "as part of an examination made pursuant to this Subpart, if that act"

AMENDMENT NO. 69

On page 31, line 5, after "department" delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 70

On page 31, line 26, change "shall not" to "do not"

AMENDMENT NO. 71

On page 31, line 28, delete "the Department of Insurance" and insert in lieu thereof "department"

AMENDMENT NO. 72

On page 31, line 29, after "may" delete "to"

AMENDMENT NO. 73

On page 32, line 11, after "investigation" delete the comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 74

On page 32, line 15, after "unencumbered, or" delete "to"

AMENDMENT NO. 75

On page 32, line 28, after "therewith" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 76

On page 33, line 17, change "days" to "days"

AMENDMENT NO. 77

On page 33, line 22, delete "be on forms" and insert in lieu thereof "be made on a form"

AMENDMENT NO. 78

On page 34, at the end of line 5, delete "for" and at the beginning of line 6, delete "providing all"

AMENDMENT NO. 79

On page 34, line 11, change "employers" to "members"

AMENDMENT NO. 80

On page 34, line 19, after "submitted by" insert "the member"

AMENDMENT NO. 81

On page 35, line 4, after "apply" insert "in any of the following circumstances"

AMENDMENT NO. 82

On page 35, line 6, delete "company" and insert in lieu thereof "fund"

AMENDMENT NO. 83

On page 35, line 9, delete "company or group of affiliated companies," and insert in lieu thereof "member or a group of affiliated members,"

AMENDMENT NO. 84

On page 35, line 11, delete "company" and insert in lieu thereof "member"

AMENDMENT NO. 85

On page 36, line 3, change "under" to "pursuant to"

AMENDMENT NO. 86

On page 36, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§4.1. Exceptions

\* \* \*

B. The legislature further recognizes that there exist exceptions, exemptions, and limitations to the laws pertaining to public records throughout the revised statutes and codes of this state. Therefore, the following exceptions, exemptions, and limitations are hereby continued in effect by incorporation into this Chapter by citation:

\* \* \*

(11) R.S. 22:2, 14, 31, 42.1, 88, 244, 263, 265, 461, 472.8, 472.14, 550.7, 571, 572, 572.1, 574, 601.3, 618, 639, 691.4, 691.5, 691.6, 691.7, 691.8, 691.9, 691.9.1, 691.10, 691.38, 691.56, 732, 752, 753, 771, 834, 972(D), 976, 1008, 1019.2, 1203, 1460, 1464, 1466, 1488, 1546, 1559, 1566(D), 1644, 1656, 1657.1, 1660.7, 1723, 1796, 1801, 1808.3, 1927, 1929, 1983, 1984, 2036, 2045, 2056, 2085, 2091, 2293, 2303, 2508

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AMENDMENT NO. 87

On page 36, line 18, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 147 by Senator Robert Mills

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete House Committee Amendment Nos. 14, 23, 29, 31, 33, 35, 36, and 38 by the House Committee on Insurance (#3042)

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 19, following "to" and before "together" change "ban" to "band"

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 150—**  
BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS  
AN ACT

To enact Part XIII of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:410.11, and R.S. 36:651(F)(8), relative to literacy; to create the Louisiana Literacy Advisory Commission; to provide for membership, quorum, staffing, and powers and duties of the commission; to require certain reports; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

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## HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 150 by Senator Robert Mills

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "the" and before "Department" delete "state"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 18, after "the" and before "Board" insert "State"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

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

"(14) A teacher from Louisiana Key Academy appointed by the academy's chief education officer.

(15) The leader of Decoding Dyslexia or his designee."

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 13, after "The" and before "Department" insert "state"

### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 16, after "the" and before "Department" insert "state"

### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 17, change "Louisiana Legislature" to "legislature"

### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 21, after "the" and before "Department" insert "state"

### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 27, after "Education, the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "state Department of Education, and the legislature in"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 156— BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1274, relative to property insurance; to provide that a property insurance policy not contain a provision that prohibits an insured the right to hire a public adjuster; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

## HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 156 by Senator Duplessis

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "adjuster;" insert "to provide for exemptions;"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, delete "No insurer shall" and insert in lieu thereof "A. An insurer shall not"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, after "pursuant to" insert "the"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 10, insert the following:

"B. Subsection A of this Section does not apply to commercial insurance policies written by any surplus lines insurer as defined in R.S. 22:46."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 171— BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1657.2, relative to pharmacy benefit manager quality incentive programs; to provide for a quality incentive program to be established by licensed pharmacy benefit managers; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for utilization of the expertise of the colleges of pharmacy; to provide for minimum requirements of a program; to provide for reporting to the commissioner of insurance; to provide for voluntary participation by pharmacies; to provide for program parameters; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

## HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 171 by Senator Fred Mills

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after "program" insert a semicolon ";" and "legislative findings; program and reporting requirements; exemptions"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 15, delete "42nd" and insert in lieu thereof "forty-second" and delete "47th" and insert in lieu thereof "forty-seventh"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 16, delete "46th" and insert in lieu thereof "forty-sixth"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 17, delete "49th" and insert in lieu thereof "forty-ninth" and delete "48th" and insert in lieu thereof "forty-eighth"



AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 1, delete "43rd" and insert in lieu thereof "forty-third"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 12, delete "of Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 28, change "and October 1" to "and October first"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 12, change "January 1" to "January first"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 13, change "April 1 of" to "April first of"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 23, delete "shall be" and insert in lieu thereof "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, line 27, delete "shall be" and insert in lieu thereof "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 27, change "than October 1" to "than October first"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 184—**  
BY SENATORS PEACOCK AND ALLAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1505.2(T), relative to campaign contributions; to provide for repayment of personal contributions or loans; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 190—**  
BY SENATOR SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2159.1(7)(a), relative to home improvement contracting; to prohibit contractors from engaging in certain acts related to an insured's property insurance claim; to provide relative to the assignment of any rights, benefits, proceeds, or causes of action of an insured; to provide for terms, requirements, and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 191—**  
BY SENATOR SMITH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3704, relative to public postsecondary education institutions; to prohibit certain partnership agreements with gaming entities; to provide for an exception; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

On motion of Rep. Harris, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

**SENATE BILL NO. 202—**  
BY SENATOR BARROW  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3399.13.1(C), 3399.14(D) and (E), 3399.15(B)(5)(a), and 3399.17 and to enact R.S. 17:3399.14(F), relative to campus accountability and safety; to provide relative to prevention, reporting, and investigation of incidents of power-based violence at public postsecondary institutions; to provide relative to coordination between institutions and certain local agencies; to provide for surveys and reporting of survey results; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

On motion of Rep. Harris, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

**SENATE BILL NO. 206—**  
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1826.2(A)(2) and (3), (B)(1)(a) and (b), and (C)(4)(a), 1826.3(A)(1)(b) and (c), (C), (D)(6), and (E), 1826.4(A), (B)(2), (C), and (D) as enacted by Section 1 of Act 767 of the 2022 Regular Session, relative to the Higher Education Foreign Security Act of 2022; to provide for foreign gift reporting; to provide for definitions; to provide for screening of foreign researchers; to provide for foreign travel; to provide for research institutions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

On motion of Rep. Harris, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

**Special Order of the Day**

The following legislative instruments on Special Order were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SPECIAL ORDER NO. 1

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 2—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

AN ACT

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

Read by title.

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

### HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Bishop to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2 by Representative Bishop

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 16, delete lines 46 through 48 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 1	\$ 2,000,000
Priority 2	\$ 600,000
Total	<u>\$ 2,600,000"</u>

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 18, delete lines 32 through 34 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 5	<u>\$ 6,900,000"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 22, delete lines 30 through 32 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 5	<u>\$ 4,400,000"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 25, delete lines 45 through 51 in their entirety

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 26, delete lines 45 and 46 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 1	\$35,029,300
Priority 5	<u>\$ 5,000,000"</u>

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 28, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"( ) Flood Control Reservoirs in the Amite River Basin Watershed, Planning and Construction (St. Helena) Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 5	<u>\$ 2,000,000</u>
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Pending submittal of the capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 31, delete lines 16 and 17 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund	<u>\$ 1,000,000"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 39, delete lines 39 through 41 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 5 Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues	\$ 2,100,000  <u>\$ 1,500,000"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 39, delete lines 47 through 49 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 5 Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues	\$ 2,700,000  <u>\$ 4,300,000"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 43, delete lines 24 through 26 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 1 Priority 5 Total	\$ 8,000,000 \$14,000,000 <u>\$22,000,000"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 43, delete lines 32 and 33 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 5 Total	\$47,866,573 <u>\$54,951,038"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 43, delete lines 48 and 49 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 5 Total	\$62,500,000 <u>\$75,749,968"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 50, delete lines 47 and 48 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 1 Priority 5	\$28,000,000 <u>\$68,400,000"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 53, delete lines 22 and 23 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund	<u>\$ 250,000"</u>
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 62, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"(233) State Interchange Improvements, Planning and Construction (Lafayette) Payable from General Obligation Bonds  
Priority 5 \$ 6,325,000  
Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 500,000  
Total \$ 6,825,000"

(234) Isaac Verot Coulee - Main Channel Hardening, Planning and Construction (Lafayette) Payable from General Obligation Bonds  
Priority 5 \$11,000,000  
Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 1,000,000  
Total \$12,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 62, between lines 42 and 43, insert the following:

"(502) Milton Volunteer Fire Department, Planning and Construction (Lafayette) Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 63, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"(1055) Interchange Improvements on Louisiana Highways, Planning and Construction (Lafayette) Payable from General Obligation Bonds  
Priority 5 \$12,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 63, delete lines 47 and 48 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Payable from General Obligation Bonds  
Priority 5 \$ 3,750,000  
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues \$ 500,000  
Total \$ 4,250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 66, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"(154) Ventress Road Drainage Outfall Project, Planning and Construction (Pointe Coupee) Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 66, delete lines 24 and 25 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 5 \$ 5,600,000  
Total \$ 8,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 66, line 30, delete "Priority 5" and insert "Priority 1"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 72, delete lines 24 through 26 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 1 \$ 2,000,000  
Priority 5 \$30,000,000  
Total \$32,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 73, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"(1850) Hollywood/Valhi Roundabout, Planning and Construction (Terrebonne) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues \$ 1,900,000"

Pending approval of the capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 79, delete lines 47 through 51 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 86, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"(466) Water Distribution System Improvements, Planning and Construction (Claiborne) Payable from General Obligation Bonds  
Priority 5 \$ 855,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 92, delete lines 30 and 31 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 1,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 93, delete lines 10 and 11 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues \$ 435,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 101, after line 44, insert the following:

"(1832) Sewer Plant Upgrade, Planning and Construction (St. Landry) Payable from State General Fund

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(Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues \$ 1,400,000

Pending approval of the capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112."

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 113, delete lines 34 through 38 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 119, delete lines 22 and 23 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 810,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 124, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"50/NUT CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF ACADIANA

(1678) Disaster Response Center of Acadiana, Planning and Construction (Lafayette) Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 917,000

(1679) St. Joseph Diner and FoodNet Program for Acadiana, Planning and Construction (Lafayette) Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 2 \$ 2,510,000 Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 1,000,000 Total \$ 3,510,000

Pending approval of the capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112.

(1680) Emergency Housing of Acadiana for Disaster Volunteers, Planning and Construction (Lafayette) Payable from the Capital Outlay Savings Fund \$ 365,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 124, delete lines 45 and 46 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 5 Total \$ 1,000,000 \$ 8,834,500"

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 127, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

"50/NZW YWCA OF GREATER BATON ROUGE

(543) Early Childhood Education Project, Planning and Construction (East Baton Rouge) Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 5 \$ 5,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 128, line 31, delete "45,278,000" and insert "130,000,000"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Fontenot to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2 by Representative Bishop

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 127, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

"50/N LAFORCHE PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE

( ) Correctional Complex Safety Upgrade, Planning and Construction (Lafourche) Payable from General Obligation Bonds Priority 5 \$ 4,500,000"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns listing names of representatives: Mr. Speaker, Adams, Amedee, Bacala, Bagley, Beaulieu, Bishop, Bourriaque, Boyd, Brass, Brown, Bryant, Butler, Carpenter, Carrier, Carter, W., Coussan, Cox, Crews, Davis, Deshotel, DeVillier, DuBuisson, Echols, Edmonds, Edmonston, Emerson, Firment, Fisher, Fontenot, Freiberg, Frieman, Gaines, Garofalo, Geymann, Glover, Goudeau, Green, Harris, Hilferty, Hodges, Horton, Hughes, Huval, Illg, Ivey, Jefferson, Jenkins, Johnson, M., Jordan, Kerner, Knox, LaCombe, LaFleur, Landry, Larvadain, Lyons, Mack, Magee, Marcelle, Marino, McCormick, McFarland, McMahan, Miguez, Miller, D., Miller, G., Mincey, Moore, Muscarello, Nelson, Newell, Orgeron, Owen, C., Owen, R., Phelps, Pierre, Pressly, Riser, Romero, Schamerhorn, Schlegel, Seabaugh, Selders, St. Blanc, Stagni, Stefanski, Tarver, Thomas, Thompson, Turner, Villio, Wheat, White, Willard, Wright, Zeringue

Total - 97

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter, R.	Freeman	Johnson, T.
Cormier	Gadberry	McKnight
Farnum	Hollis	

Total - 8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Bishop 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 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. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ

##### A RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to enact a trade policy that supports United States businesses and workers while penalizing global polluters.

Read by title.

Rep. Miguez moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 96 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

##### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the Department of Transportation and Development study road conditions on Louisiana Highway 19 between north Zachary in East Baton Rouge Parish to the Mississippi state line and make recommendations on the feasibility of adding a shoulder.

Read by title.

Rep. Adams moved the adoption of the resolution.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER

##### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to reevaluate the location of a crosswalk in the 4600 block of North Market Street, United States Highway 71, in Shreveport, Louisiana, and to construct an appropriate installation in this area to ensure the safety of pedestrians, prevent property damage, and avert future deadly automobile accidents.

Read by title.

Rep. Glover moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 95 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE

##### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Congress to not support legislation, or other efforts, relating to the adoption of a central bank digital currency in the United States.

Read by title.

Rep. Amedee moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 93 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 72—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER

##### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Army Corps of Engineers to reconsider the mitigation and stewardship plan for the Mid-Barataria Sediment Diversion to include tidal levee protection for Lafitte, Barataria, and Crown Point.

Read by title.

Rep. Kerner moved the adoption of the resolution.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

### Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Geymann requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Concurrent Resolution No. 72 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

### Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Orgeron requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Concurrent Resolution No. 72 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHLEGEL

##### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the registrar of voters of each parish to submit to the Department of State, and for the Department of State to subsequently submit to the Louisiana House of Representatives, an annual report on the results of the annual canvass of registered voters and the removal of deceased voters from the voter registration rolls in each parish.

Read by title.

Rep. Schlegel moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 98 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 17—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT

##### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Education to study and make recommendations relative to school lunches.

Read by title.

Rep. Firment moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 99 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 101—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Board of Regents to conduct a study relative to the state's articulation and transfer process with respect to career and technical education courses and industry-based credentials and to submit a report of findings and conclusions, including any recommendations for related legislation, to the House Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the 2024 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

Rep. Echols moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 95 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Department of Veterans Affairs, in conjunction with the office of state buildings and in consultation with the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism's state historic preservation officer, to plan and implement, subject to the approval of the governor, the president of the Senate, and the speaker of the House of Representatives, a Purple Heart Trail in the Louisiana Veterans Memorial Park, located on the grounds surrounding the state capitol.

Read by title.

Rep. Mincey moved the adoption of the resolution.

**Speaker Pro Tempore Magee in the Chair**

By a vote of 94 yeas and 1 nay, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To continue and provide with respect to the Teacher Recruitment, Recovery, and Retention Task Force that was created pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 39 of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Read by title.

Rep. Mincey moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 93 yeas and 1 nay, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the state Department of Education to update its early childhood care and education data management systems.

Read by title.

Rep. Brass moved the adoption of the resolution.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**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. 606—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 9:3261.3 and R.S. 51:2615, relative to rental properties; to provide for safety standards for rental properties; to provide for disclosure of criminal incidents; to provide for leasing agreements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Jordan gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 606 from the calendar on Monday, May 22, 2023.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 635—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:831(B) and R.S. 47:841(F), relative to excise tax; to increase the rate of the excise tax levied on vapor products and electronic cigarettes; to dedicate a portion of the avails of such tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 641—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BISHOP, BRYANT, DEVILLIER, FARNUM, MCMAHEN, ORGERON, AND WHITE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:84 and 147, R.S. 4:168 and 227, R.S. 22:2065, R.S. 33:4169(D), R.S. 47:182, 223, 301(1), (16)(b), 302.1(A), 337.6, 337.9(A), (B), (C), and (D), 337.10(A)(introductory paragraph), (E), (G), (I)(1), (M), (N), and (P), 337.11(introductory paragraph), (1), (2), and (12), 337.15(B)(2), 6001(A), 6033(G), and 9052(E), to enact R.S. 39:467(I) and 468(I), R.S. 47:305.25(D), 305.37(C), 305.54(H), 305.58(G), 305.62(G), 3204(M), and 4302(E), and R.S. 51:2399.3(C), and to repeal R.S. 6:662, R.S. 12:302(K) and (L), R.S. 17:3095(A)(1)(b) and (c), 3098(E), 3100.5(A)(1), and 3389, R.S. 25:1226 through 1226.6, R.S. 26:421, R.S. 47:8, 11, 12, 33(A)(7), 34, 35, 37, 44, 49 through 51, 53 through 71, 79, 111(A)(11), 121, 158, 183, 224(C), 226(C), 242, 246, 265, 287.71(B)(2) and (8), 287.73(C), 287.82, 287.86, 287.501(B)(2), 287.521, 287.526, 287.664, 287.738(F) and (G), 287.743, 287.745, 287.748, 287.749, 287.750, 287.752, 287.753, 287.755, 287.756, 287.758, 287.759, 293(2)(a), (3), (5), (7), (9)(a)(vi), (x), (xvii), and (xx), and (11), 297(A) through (D) and (H) through (P), 297.1 through 297.4, 297.6 through 297.13, 297.15, 297.16, 297.18 through 297.22, 300.6(B)(2)(b) and (d), 300.7 (C)(2), 301(3)(a) through (c), (e),(g) through (k), (4)(k), (6)(b) and (c), (7)(b) through (h) and (j) through (m), (8)(b) and (d) through (f), (10)(a), (b), (c)(i)(aa)(II) and (bb) and (ii), (d), (e), (h) through (s), (v), and (w) through (hh), (13)(a) through (c) and (e) through (m), (14)(b)(i)(bb), (ii) through (iv), (g)(iii) and (iv), (h), (j) and (k),(16)(c),(e) through (p), (18)(a), (c), (d)(ii) and (e) through (p), and (28), 301.1(B)(2) and (D), 302(D), 305(A)(1) through (C), (D)(1)(a) through (i), (k) through (m), (s), and (t), and (2) through (6), and (F) through (I), 305.1 through 305.9, 305.13 through 305.24, 305.26, 305.28, 305.33, 305.36, 305.38, 305.40, 305.45, 305.47, 305.49 through 305.53, 305.57, 305.59 through 305.61, 305.63, 305.65 through 305.71, 305.74, 337.9(C)(19)

and (20) and (D)(28), 337.10.2, 602(C) through (H), 633(7)(b) through (d), (9)(b), (c), (d)(v), and (e), 633.4, 633.5, 648.21, 713, 716.1, 818.14(A)(3), 855, 6003, 6005 through 6006.1, 6008 through 6018, 6021 through 6023, 6025 through 6032, 6035, 6036, 6037, 6040 through 6042, 6104 through 6107, and 6301 and R.S. 51:1801 through 1808, 2351 through 2356, and 3081 through 3094, relative to taxation; to terminate certain individual, corporation, and fiduciary income tax exemptions, exclusions, reductions, deductions, and credits; to terminate certain corporation franchise tax exemptions, deductions, and credits; to terminate the tobacco tax exemption for sales to state institutions; to terminate the tax exemption for alcohol used for antiseptic, scientific, religious, and chemical uses; to terminate certain severance tax suspensions, special rates, and deductions; to terminate certain state sales and use tax exclusions and exemptions; to terminate certain petroleum product tax exemptions; to provide for definitions; to provide for definitions applicable to certain local sales and use taxes; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain sales of tangible personal property; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on motor vehicles; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on manufacturing an machinery equipment; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain residential and business utilities; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain educational materials; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain oilfield property; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain transactions involving airplanes or airplane equipment; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain natural gas and diesel purchases; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on purchases by certain nonprofit entities; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on sales of marijuana recommended for therapeutic use; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on agricultural equipment, goods, and commodities; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on pollution control devices; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on purchases by volunteer and public fire departments; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on property sold to food banks; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on sales of food items by certain youth organizations; to provide with respect to certain sales and use taxes on certain telecommunications; to provide with respect to certain sales and use taxes on toys to be donated; to provide with respect to certain sales and use taxes on storm shutter devices; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes at certain Louisiana heritage and culture events; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on items sold to nonprofit carnival organizations; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on admissions to certain events; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain membership dues; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on admission to certain places of amusement; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain repairs; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain metals and coins; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on work product of certain professionals; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain pharmaceuticals; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on computer software; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on materials used in the medical industry; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on purchases by motor vehicle manufacturers; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on sales of newspapers; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on sales of advertising services; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes at certain state-owned facilities; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on boats, vessels, and other water craft used as demonstrators; to provide with respect to certain livestock and racehorses; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on feed and feed additives; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on materials use for production or harvesting of certain seafood; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain medical devices; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on fertilizers and containers; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on sales of trucks,

automobiles, and aircraft used as demonstrators; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on purchases of certain admission tickets to dances, dramas, theater or other performance; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on purchases and sales of Ducks Unlimited and Bass Life; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain railroad equipment and track; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain trucks and trailers; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on purchases of certain water conservation equipment; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on certain capital equipment of qualifying radiation therapy treatment centers; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on purchases to parish councils on aging; to provide with respect to sales and use taxes on purchases of certain construction materials used by certain nonprofit and charitable organizations; to provide with respect to qualified new recycling manufacturing or process equipment and service tax exemption contracts; to provide with respect to tax credits for local inventory taxes paid; to provide with respect or to tax credits for taxes paid related to vessels in Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act waters; to provide with respect to tax credits for donations made to assist playgrounds in economically depressed areas; to provide with respect to tax credits for donations made to public schools; to provide with respect to tax credits for property taxes paid by certain telephone companies; to provide with respect to tax credits for research and development businesses in Louisiana; to provide with respect to tax credits for businesses established in disadvantaged areas of Louisiana; to provide with respect to tax credits for certain expenses paid by economic development corporations; to provide with respect to tax credits for purchases from prison industry enhancement contractors; to provide with respect to tax credits for the rehabilitation of historic structures; to provide with respect to tax credits for angel investors; to provide with respect to tax credits for businesses producing digital and interactive media products; to provide with respect to tax credits for businesses in the music and sound recording industry; to provide with respect to tax credits for Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation assessment; to provide for tax credits for certain investors in the Cane River Heritage Area; to provide with respect to tax credits for donations to certain certified community development corporations; to provide with respect to tax credits for certain milk producers; to provide with respect to tax credits for musical and theatrical productions; to provide with respect to tax incentives for urban revitalization; to provide with respect to tax credits for technology commercialization and jobs; to provide with respect to tax credits for certain individuals or businesses that invest in Louisiana Community Development Financial Institutions; to provide relative to tax credits for donations to certain school tuition organizations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

### Motion

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

### Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Bishop gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 641 from the calendar on Tuesday, May 23, 2023.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 91— BY REPRESENTATIVE GOUDEAU AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 883.2(E) and R.S. 14:32.1(E), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to the crime of vehicular homicide; to provide relative to penalties of the crime of vehicular homicide; to

require certain restitution payments to the minor child of the victim; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 121—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, BRASS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FREIBERG, GEYMANN, JEFFERSON, MCCORMICK, CHARLES OWEN, AND TARVER

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:17.7, relative to required recess for students; to require certain public schools to provide daily recess; to provide for a minimum duration of such recess; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 169—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBERT OWEN, AMEDEE, BRASS, EMERSON, FREIBERG, JEFFERSON, CHARLES OWEN, ST. BLANC, AND TARVER

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:81(CC), relative to the powers and duties of public school governing authorities; to require public schools and school districts to establish carpool and bus line safety policies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Robert Owen to Engrossed House Bill No. 169 by Representative Robert Owen

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, at the end of line 13, insert "Students shall remain a safe distance, as deemed appropriate for the particular school building, from the separate pick up area and wait for vehicles to come to a complete stop."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 14, after "(2)" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 15 and insert "A student being dropped off shall remain in the appropriate passenger restraint until the vehicle in which he is a passenger comes to a complete stop."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 18, after "student" and before "shall" delete "under the age of ten years old" and insert "in grades kindergarten through five"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

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

"(5) School administrators shall post signage regarding the carpool and bus line policy."

On motion of Rep. Robert Owen, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Robert Owen 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
Bagley	Geymann	Moore
Beaulieu	Glover	Muscarello
Bishop	Goudeau	Nelson
Bourriaque	Green	Newell
Boyd	Harris	Orgeron
Brass	Hilferty	Owen, C.
Brown	Hodges	Owen, R.
Bryant	Horton	Phelps
Butler	Hughes	Pierre
Carpenter	Huval	Pressly
Carrier	Illg	Riser
Carter, R.	Ivey	Romero
Carter, W.	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Jenkins	Schlegel
Coussan	Johnson, M.	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson, T.	Selders
Crews	Jordan	St. Blanc
Davis	Kerner	Stagni
Deshotel	Knox	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaFleur	Tarver
DuBuisson	Landry	Thomas
Echols	Larvadain	Thompson
Edmonds	Lyons	Turner
Edmonston	Mack	Villio
Emerson	Marcelle	Wheat
Farnum	Marino	White
Firment	McCormick	Willard
Fisher	McFarland	Wright
Fontenot	McMahan	Zeringue
Total - 99		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Freeman	Hollis	Magee
Frieman	LaCombe	McKnight
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Robert Owen 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. 288—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 24:522.1, relative to performance audits; to require auditees to report progress on recommendations following a performance audit; to provide for the duties of auditees and of the legislative auditor relative thereto; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.



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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Freiberg to Engrossed House Bill No. 288 by Representative Freiberg

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 10, change "March" to "February"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gadberry	Miguez
Adams	Gaines	Miller, D.
Amedee	Garofalo	Miller, G.
Bacala	Geymann	Mincey
Bagley	Glover	Moore
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Muscarello
Bishop	Green	Nelson
Bourriaque	Harris	Newell
Boyd	Hilferty	Orgeron
Brass	Hodges	Owen, C.
Brown	Horton	Owen, R.
Bryant	Hughes	Phelps
Butler	Huval	Pierre
Carpenter	Illg	Pressly
Carrier	Ivey	Riser
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Romero
Carter, W.	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Schlegel
Coussan	Johnson, T.	Seabaugh
Cox	Jordan	Selders
Crews	Kerner	St. Blanc
Davis	Knox	Stagni
Deshotel	LaCombe	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaFleur	Tarver
DuBuisson	Landry	Thomas
Echols	Larvadain	Thompson
Edmonds	Lyons	Turner
Edmonston	Mack	Villio
Emerson	Magee	Wheat
Farnum	Marcelle	White
Firment	Marino	Willard
Fisher	McCormick	Wright
Fontenot	McFarland	Zeringue
Freiberg	McMahen	
Total - 101		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Freeman	Hollis
Frieman	McKnight
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Freiberg 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.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. DuBuisson requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 288 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 315—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES OWEN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:264(A)(1), 266, 274.1(A), 281(G), 351.1(B)(3)(d)(i), and 381 and to enact R.S. 17:264(C), relative to the administration of public schools; to provide relative to required instruction in public schools; to provide relative to donations to schools; to provide relative to the diploma endorsement program for the performance of community service by high school students; to provide relative to textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Charles Owen to Engrossed House Bill No. 315 by Representative Charles Owen

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 17:264(A)(1)," and before "351.1(B)(3)(d)(i)," delete "266, 274.1(A), 281(G),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 3, after "schools;" delete "to" and on line 4, delete "provide relative to required instruction in public schools;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "materials;" and before "and to" delete "to provide for effectiveness;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 10 and 11

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 12, change "Section 2. R.S. 17:264(A)(1), 266, 274.1(A), 281(G)," to "Section 1. R.S. 17:264(A)(1),"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 7 through 25

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, delete lines 18 through 29 and delete page 4

On motion of Rep. Charles Owen, the amendments were adopted.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Bacala to Engrossed House Bill No. 315 by Representative Charles Owen

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "R.S. 17:264(C)" and before "relative" delete the comma "," and insert "and 1942.1,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "schools;" and before "to provide" insert "to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to submit an annual report to the legislature relative to local compliance with special education requirements and to post the report on its website;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 13, after "R.S. 17:264(C)" and before "hereby" change "is" to "and 1942.1 are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, after line 17, insert the following:

"\* \* \*

§1942.1. Compliance; report by state board

A. Not later than July first annually, the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education shall submit a written report to House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education relative to school district compliance with special education requirements, which shall include, at minimum, the following:

(1) A description of the state board's audit process on compliance.

(2) School district compliance.

(3) School district noncompliance.

(4) How long the noncompliance issues have existed.

(5) School-level remediation action plans on noncompliance.

(6) Authority of the state board to remediate unresolved noncompliance.

(7) Actual actions taken by the state board to remediate unresolved noncompliance.

B. The state board shall also post the report on its website in an easily accessible location."

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

Rep. Charles Owen moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Adams Amedee, Frieman Gadberry Gaines, McMahan Miguez Miller, D.

Bagley, Beauillieu, Bishop, Bourriaque, Boyd, Brass, Brown, Bryant, Butler, Carpenter, Carrier, Carter, R., Carter, W., Cormier, Coussan, Cox, Crews, Davis, Deshotel, DeVillier, DuBuisson, Echols, Edmonds, Edmonston, Emerson, Farnum, Firment, Fisher, Fontenot, Freiberg, Total - 98, Garofalo, Geymann, Glover, Goudeau, Green, Harris, Hilferty, Hodges, Horton, Hughes, Huval, Illg, Ivey, Jefferson, Jenkins, Johnson, M., Jordan, Kerner, Knox, LaCombe, LaFleur, Landry, Larvadain, Lyons, Mack, Magee, Marcelle, Marino, McCormick, McFarland, Miller, G., Mincey, Moore, Muscarello, Nelson, Newell, Orgeron, Owen, C., Owen, R., Pierre, Pressly, Riser, Romero, Schamerhorn, Schlegel, Seabaugh, Selders, St. Blanc, Stagni, Stefanski, Tarver, Thomas, Thompson, Turner, Villio, Wheat, White, Wright, Zeringue, Total - 98

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bacala, Freeman, Hollis, Johnson, T., McKnight, Phelps, Willard, Total - 7

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Charles Owen 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. 331— BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1751, 1752, 1755, and 1781(3) and (5) and to repeal R.S. 40:1753 and 1754, relative to automatic weapons; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties and exceptions relative to the manufacture, transfer, or possession of automatic weapons; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Speaker Schexnayder in the Chair

Rep. Carrier moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Adams, Frieman Gadberry, Miller, D. Miller, G.

Amedee	Gaines	Mincey
Bacala	Garofalo	Moore
Bagley	Glover	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Nelson
Bishop	Green	Newell
Bourriaque	Harris	Orgeron
Boyd	Hilferty	Owen, C.
Brass	Hodges	Owen, R.
Brown	Horton	Phelps
Bryant	Hughes	Pierre
Butler	Huval	Pressly
Carpenter	Illg	Riser
Carrier	Ivey	Romero
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Carter, W.	Jenkins	Schlegel
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Seabaugh
Coussan	Johnson, T.	Selders
Cox	Jordan	St. Blanc
Crews	Kerner	Stagni
Davis	Knox	Stefanski
Deshotel	LaCombe	Tarver
DeVillier	LaFleur	Thomas
DuBuisson	Landry	Thompson
Echols	Larvadain	Turner
Edmonds	Lyons	Villio
Edmonston	Mack	White
Emerson	Magee	Willard
Farnum	Marcelle	Wright
Firment	Marino	Zeringue
Fisher	McFarland	
Fontenot	McMahan	
Freiberg	Miguez	
Total - 100		

NAYS

McCormick  
Total - 1

ABSENT

Freeman	Hollis
Geymann	McKnight
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Carrier 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. 383—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:572.2, relative to insurance; to require certain insurers to provide for a data transfer plan; to provide for the minimum content of the plan; to require the filing of the plan with the commissioner of insurance under certain circumstances; to provide for the powers and duties of the commissioner relative thereto; to provide relative to the nature of data transfer plans; to exempt data transfer plans and information produced pursuant to a data transfer plan from the Public Records Law; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Amedee moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	McFarland
Adams	Frieman	McMahan
Amedee	Gadberry	Miguez
Bacala	Gaines	Miller, D.
Bagley	Garofalo	Miller, G.
Beaullieu	Geymann	Mincey
Bishop	Glover	Moore
Bourriaque	Goudeau	Muscarello
Boyd	Harris	Nelson
Brass	Hilferty	Orgeron
Brown	Hodges	Owen, C.
Bryant	Horton	Owen, R.
Butler	Hughes	Pierre
Carpenter	Huval	Pressly
Carrier	Illg	Riser
Carter, R.	Ivey	Romero
Carter, W.	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Jenkins	Schlegel
Coussan	Johnson, M.	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson, T.	Selders
Crews	Jordan	St. Blanc
Davis	Kerner	Stagni
Deshotel	Knox	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaCombe	Thomas
DuBuisson	LaFleur	Thompson
Echols	Landry	Turner
Edmonds	Larvadain	Villio
Edmonston	Lyons	White
Emerson	Mack	Willard
Farnum	Magee	Wright
Firment	Marcelle	Zeringue
Fisher	Marino	
Fontenot	McCormick	
Total - 98		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Freeman	McKnight	Tarver
Green	Newell	
Hollis	Phelps	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Amedee 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. 396—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES JENKINS AND WILFORD CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:177(A), relative to the reinstatement of voter registration; to provide for reinstatement for a person who is no longer under an order of imprisonment or has not been incarcerated pursuant to the order for five years; to provide for a reinstatement application; to provide for the duties of the secretary of state; to provide for notification to the registrar of voters; to provide for the duties of the registrar; 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. 396 by Representative Jenkins

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, change "(a)" to "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, change "(b)" to "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

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

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Jenkins to Engrossed House Bill No. 396 by Representative Jenkins

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after "A." insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, after "upon" and before "of a" delete "submission" and insert the following:

"both of the following:

(a) Receipt"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, after "general" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period "." and insert "The application shall be filed by the person seeking reinstatement with the registrar of voters in the parish where the applicant is qualified to vote. Filing shall be made in person, by mail, or by electronic submission if a method of electronic submission is approved by the secretary of state."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 15, delete "(a)" and insert the following:

"(b) Any of the following:

(i)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the beginning of line 1, change "(b)" to "(ii)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, change "(c)" to "(iii)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, after line 12, insert the following:

"(2) If the applicant for reinstatement has used the wrong form or has not provided the required documentation, the registrar of voters shall notify the applicant in writing, provide the correct form if the wrong form was used, and inform the applicant that he has ten days from the date on which the notice was mailed to submit the correct form and provide the required documentation. If the applicant complies and the registrar determines that he is eligible for reinstatement, the applicant shall be added to the official list of voters and the registrar shall send notice of reinstatement to the applicant. If the applicant does not respond to the registrar's request within ten days, the reinstatement shall be rejected and the registrar shall so advise the applicant in writing. If the registrar's request is returned by the United States Postal Service, the reinstatement application shall be rejected and the registrar shall attempt to notify the applicant of such action."

Acting Speaker Coussan in the Chair

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' in three columns: Adams, Bagley, Beaulieu, Bishop, Bourriaque, Boyd, Brass, Brown, Bryant, Carpenter, Carrier, Carter, R., Carter, W., Cormier, Cox, Deshotel, DuBuisson, Fisher, Freiberg, Gaines, Glover, Goudeau, Green, Harris, Hilferty, Hughes, Huval, Ivey, Jefferson, Jenkins, Johnson, T., Jordan, Knox, LaCombe, LaFleur, Landry, Larvadain, Lyons, Magee, Marcelle, Marino, McCormick, McFarland, McMahan, Miller, D., Miller, G., Moore, Muscarello, Nelson, Newell, Phelps, Pierre, Romero, Selders, St. Blanc, Stagni, Stefanski, Thomas, Thompson, Turner, White, Willard, Zeringue.

Total - 63

NAYS

Table listing names of members who voted 'NAYS' in three columns: Amedee, Bacala, Butler, Crews, Davis, DeVillier, Echols, Edmonds, Edmonston, Emerson, Farnum, Firmont, Fontenot, Frieman, Garofalo, Hodges, Horton, Illg, Johnson, M., Kerner, Mack, Miguez, Mincey, Orgeron, Owen, C., Owen, R., Pressly, Riser, Schamerhorn, Schlegel, Seabaugh, Tarver, Villio, Wheat.

Total - 34

ABSENT

Table listing names of members who were absent in three columns: Mr. Speaker, Coussan, Freeman, Gadberry, Geymann, Hollis, McKnight, Wright.

Total - 8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Jenkins 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. 472—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY

AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:581 and 582, relative to teacher certification; to provide for the state's entry into the Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact; to require licensure of certain teachers moving from other states that are members of the compact; to provide for governance of the compact by a commission and executive committee; to provide for funding of the commission including provisions for an assessment levied on member states; to provide relative to rules of the commission; to provide for the exchange of information regarding investigations and discipline of teachers; to provide relative to legal actions and liabilities; 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. 472 by Representative Mincey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, line 24, after "III" change "above," to "of this compact,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6, line 23, after "teacher is" delete "only"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, line 24, between "compact" and "if" insert "only"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 9, line 10, after "real," delete "personal" and insert "personal, movable, immovable,"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 9, line 13, between "personal," and "or" insert "movable, immovable"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 11, line 23, change "Others" to "Other"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Amedee to Engrossed House Bill No. 472 by Representative Mincey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, change "R.S. 17:581 and 582," to "R.S. 17:581,

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 4, and insert "licensing of teachers licensed in other states; to provide for licensure of"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "states" insert a semicolon ";," and delete "that are members of the compact;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 6 through 10, and insert "provide for the authority of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for conditions and requirements for licensure; to provide for appeals; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 13, delete "and 582," and insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, delete lines 14 through 18 and delete pages 2 through 20, and insert the following:

"§581. Licensure for individuals who are licensed or who have work experience in other states

A. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the professional teaching licensing board shall issue a license, certification, permit pending normal license, or registration to an applicant who satisfies all of the following conditions:

(1) The applicant holds a current and valid teaching license in another state with a similar scope of practice, as determined by the teaching licensing board.

(2) The applicant has held the teaching license in the other state for at least one year.

(3) The applicant has passed any examinations, or met any education, training, or experience standards as required by the board in the other state.

(4) The applicant is held in good standing by the board in the other state.

(5) The applicant does not have a disqualifying criminal record as determined by the teaching licensing board under the laws of this state.

(6) The applicant has not had a teaching license revoked by a board in another state because of negligence or intentional misconduct related to the applicant's work in the occupation.

(7) The applicant did not surrender a teaching license because of negligence or intentional misconduct related to the person's work in the occupation in another state.

(8) The applicant does not have a complaint, allegation, or investigation pending before a board in another state which relates to unprofessional conduct or an alleged crime. If the applicant has a complaint, allegation, or investigation pending, the teaching licensing board shall not issue or deny a teaching license to the applicant until the complaint, allegation, or investigation is resolved, or the applicant otherwise satisfies the criteria for licensure in this state to the satisfaction of the teaching licensing board.

(9) The applicant pays all applicable fees in this state.

(10) The applicant simultaneously applies for a permanent license; if the applicant fails to qualify for a permanent license as determined by the teaching licensing board once the permanent application is vetted, the permit automatically terminates.

B. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a teaching licensing board shall issue a teaching license, permit pending normal license, or government certification to an applicant based on work experience in another state, if all of the following apply:

(1) The applicant worked in a state that does not use a teaching license or government certification to regulate teaching with a similar scope of practice, as determined by the teaching licensing board.

(2) The applicant worked for at least three years teaching.

(3) The applicant satisfies applicable requirements of Subsection A of this Section.

C. The teaching licensing board may require a person to pass a jurisprudential examination specific to relevant state laws that regulate the occupation if a teaching license or government certification in this state requires a person to pass a jurisprudential examination specific to relevant state statutes and administrative rules that regulate the occupation.

D. The teaching licensing board shall provide the applicant with a written decision regarding the application for a teaching license within thirty calendar days after receiving an application.

E.(1) The applicant may appeal any of the following decisions made by the teaching licensing board in a court of appropriate jurisdiction:

(a) Denial of a teaching license.

(b) Determination of teaching.

(c) Determination of the similarity of the scope of practice of the teaching license issued.

(d) Any other determinations made pursuant to this Section.

(2) The court shall determine all questions of law, including the interpretation of a constitutional or statutory provision or a rule adopted by a teaching licensing board, without regard to any previous determination that may have been made on the question in any action before the teaching licensing board.

F. A person who obtains a permit pending normal teaching license, or government certification pursuant to this Section is subject to all of the following:

(1) The laws regulating teaching in this state.

(2) The jurisdiction of the teaching licensing board.

G. The teaching licensing board shall adopt rules in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act necessary to implement the provisions of this Section.

H. Nothing in this Section shall be construed to prohibit an applicant from proceeding under the existing licensure requirements established by law and the teaching licensing board.

I. For the purposes of this Section, "teaching licensing board" means the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education."

**Speaker Schexnayder in the Chair**

**Point of Order**

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

**Ruling of the Chair**

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were not germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Gaines	Moore
Adams	Glover	Muscarello
Bacala	Goudeau	Nelson
Beaullieu	Green	Newell
Bishop	Harris	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Hodges	Owen, C.
Boyd	Horton	Owen, R.
Brass	Hughes	Phelps
Brown	Huval	Pierre
Bryant	Illg	Pressly
Carpenter	Ivey	Riser
Carrier	Jefferson	Romero
Carter, R.	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Carter, W.	Johnson, M.	Schlegel
Cormier	Johnson, T.	Seabaugh
Coussan	Jordan	Selders
Cox	Kerner	St. Blanc
Crews	Knox	Stagni
Davis	LaFleur	Stefanski
Deshotel	Landry	Thomas
DeVillier	Larvadain	Thompson
DuBuisson	Lyons	Turner
Echols	Mack	Villio
Emerson	Magee	Wheat
Farnum	Marcelle	White
Firment	McMahen	Willard
Fisher	Miguez	Wright
Fontenot	Miller, D.	Zeringue
Freiberg	Miller, G.	
Gadberry	Mincey	
Total - 88		

**NAYS**

Amedee	Garofalo	Tarver
Edmonston	Geymann	
Frieman	McCormick	
Total - 7		

**ABSENT**

Bagley	Hilferty	McFarland
Butler	Hollis	McKnight
Edmonds	LaCombe	
Freeman	Marino	
Total - 10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Mincey 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. 497—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2805(C) and to enact R.S. 37:2802(A)(4), relative to the Louisiana Board of Chiropractic Examiners; to provide for the term of a member; to provide a time period for notice of acceptance or rejection of an application for licensure; to provide for acceptable methods of notice; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Stagni moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Frieman	Miller, D.
Adams	Gaines	Miller, G.
Amedee	Garofalo	Mincey
Bacala	Geymann	Moore
Bagley	Glover	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Nelson
Bishop	Green	Newell
Bourriaque	Harris	Orgeron
Boyd	Hodges	Owen, C.
Brass	Horton	Owen, R.
Brown	Hughes	Phelps
Bryant	Huval	Pierre
Carpenter	Illg	Pressly
Carrier	Ivey	Riser
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Romero
Carter, W.	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Schlegel
Coussan	Johnson, T.	Seabaugh
Cox	Jordan	Selders
Crews	Kerner	St. Blanc
Davis	Knox	Stagni
Deshotel	LaCombe	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaFleur	Thomas
DuBuisson	Landry	Thompson
Echols	Larvadain	Turner
Edmonds	Lyons	Villio
Edmonston	Mack	White
Emerson	Magee	Willard
Farnum	Marcelle	Wright
Firment	Marino	Zeringue
Fisher	McCormick	
Fontenot	McMahen	
Freiberg	Miguez	
Total - 97		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Butler	Hilferty	McKnight
Freeman	Hollis	Tarver
Gadberry	McFarland	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Stagni 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. 506—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, FISHER, GREEN, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, KNOX, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, NEWELL, PIERRE, SELTERS, THOMPSON, AND WILLARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:4(B)(37) and Chapter 3-H of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:600.151, relative to homelessness; to create the Louisiana Interagency Council on Homelessness within the office of the governor; to provide relative to the membership, governance, and powers and duties of the council; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Adams to Engrossed House Bill No. 506 by Representative Adams

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 13, insert "R.S. 40:600.151."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 3, after "(d) The" and before "or his" delete "secretary of the Department of Education" and insert "state superintendent of education"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Frieman	Miller, D.
Adams	Gaines	Miller, G.
Amedee	Garofalo	Mincey
Bacala	Geymann	Moore
Bagley	Glover	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Nelson
Bishop	Green	Newell
Bourriaque	Harris	Orgeron
Boyd	Hodges	Owen, C.
Brass	Horton	Owen, R.
Brown	Hughes	Phelps
Bryant	Huval	Pierre
Butler	Illg	Pressly
Carpenter	Ivey	Riser
Carrier	Jefferson	Romero
Carter, R.	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Carter, W.	Johnson, M.	Schlegel
Cormier	Johnson, T.	Seabaugh
Coussan	Jordan	Selders
Cox	Kerner	St. Blanc
Crews	Knox	Stagni
Davis	LaCombe	Stefanski
Deshotel	LaFleur	Thomas
DeVillier	Landry	Thompson
DuBuisson	Larvadain	Turner

Echols	Lyons	Villio
Edmonds	Mack	Wheat
Edmonston	Magee	White
Emerson	Marcelle	Willard
Firment	Marino	Wright
Fisher	McFarland	Zeringue
Fontenot	McMahan	
Freiberg	Miguez	
Total - 97		

NAYS

McCormick  
Total - 1

ABSENT

Farnum	Hilferty	Tarver
Freeman	Hollis	
Gadberry	McKnight	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Adams 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. 569—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1265(D) and 1333(C) and to repeal R.S. 22:1265(F) and (H) and 1333(D) and (F), relative to homeowners' insurance policies; to provide with respect to property, casualty, and liability insurers' rights for cancellation and nonrenewal of policies; to repeal relative to certain filings of insurers to the commissioner of insurance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Thompson gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 569 from the calendar on Wednesday, May 24, 2023.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 601—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL AND SENATOR TALBOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1892(A)(1) through (4) and (B)(1) and (4), and 1973(B)(5) and (6), to enact R.S. 22:46(29) through (32) and 1892.2, and to repeal R.S. 22:1892(A)(5) and (6), (B)(6), and (E) through (G), relative to bad faith insurance claims, to provide for remedies for policyholders against bad faith insurers; to provide for definitions; to provide for the payment and adjustment of certain insurance claims; to provide for the payment of any undisputed amount due on a claim; to provide for the initiation of loss adjustment; to provide for authorization to request specific documents; to provide for written notice; to provide for appraisal procedures; 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. 601 by Representative Huval

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, line 11, following "United States" and before "mail" insert "Postal Service"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 9, line 23, following "Subsection" and before "of" change "(C)" to "C"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 13, delete lines 15 through 18

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Firment to Engrossed House Bill No. 601 by Representative Huval

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "(B)(1) and (4)," and insert in lieu thereof "(B)(4)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "(32)" delete the remainder of the line and insert a comma ",", and insert "1892(B)(1)(c), and 1892.2, and to repeal R.S."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"(29) "Amount of any claim due" means the undisputed amount of a covered loss over which reasonable minds could not differ."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 18, change "(29)" to "(30)" and delete "reasonable" and insert in lieu thereof "probable"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 1, change "(30)" to "(31)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 4, change "(31)" to "(32)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 7 and 8 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 16, delete "undisputed"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, delete lines 9 and 10 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:



"days. Thereafter, only one additional thirty-day extension of the period of time for initiating a loss adjustment may be allowed, or a longer period of time if necessitated by civil authority orders that have prohibited access to the property subsequent to the notification of loss, and must be only if first approved by the Senate"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, delete lines 18 through 29 their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, delete lines 1 through 21 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B.(1)

\* \* \*

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 5, delete "without ~~probable~~" and insert in lieu thereof "without probable"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 6, delete "reasonable"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 16, delete "undisputed"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, line 18, after "interest." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 19 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 5, line 20, change "(2)" to "(2)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"(b) An insurer shall not require from the insured in a signed statement in proof of loss any more than the following information:

- (i) Time and origin of the loss.
- (ii) Occupancy of the structure.
- (iii) Title and interest in the property.
- (iv) Existence or non-existence of other insurance.
- (v) Amount of loss under each coverage.
- (vi) Signature of insured and date."

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 8, line 5, delete "undisputed"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 8, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"(j) Neither the identification of covered losses nor amounts of loss listed in a proof of loss created by an insurer or its agent relieves the insurer from its obligation to its insured to refrain from arbitrary, capricious, or without probable cause handling of its insured's claim."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 9, line 1, delete "reasonable" and insert in lieu thereof "probable"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 9, line 11, delete "reasonable" and insert in lieu thereof "probable"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 12, line 23, delete "clause."" and insert in lieu thereof "clause. The court of record in which the property is located may enforce the deadlines of this clause, set a reasonable deadline for timely demanding appraisal after all parties have filed pleadings in a lawsuit, and require compliance with discovery and disclosure obligations relative to aspects of the lawsuit unrelated to the appraisal.""

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 12, line 25, after "covered damage" insert a period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete line 26 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 13, line 3, after "applicable." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 4 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 13, line 26, delete "undisputed"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 13, line 28, delete "without ~~probable~~" and insert in lieu thereof "without probable"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 13, line 29, delete "reasonable"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 14, line 2, delete "~~probable~~ reasonable" and insert in lieu thereof "probable"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 14, delete lines 6 through 9 in their entirety

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

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Huval, the bill, as amended, was returned to the calendar.

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Huval gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 601 from the calendar on Wednesday, May 24, 2023.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 654** (Substitute for House Bill No. 530 by Representative McKnight)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCKNIGHT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:316.2, relative to state agencies; to provide relative to electronic payments; to provide relative to fees associated

with electronic signatures; to provide for the authorization of the collection of fees by the state; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Deshotel moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Fontenot	McMahan
Adams	Freiberg	Miller, G.
Bacala	Frieman	Mincey
Bagley	Gadberry	Moore
Beaullieu	Gaines	Nelson
Bishop	Garofalo	Newell
Bourriaque	Geymann	Orgeron
Boyd	Glover	Owen, C.
Brass	Green	Owen, R.
Brown	Harris	Pierre
Bryant	Hilferty	Pressly
Butler	Hughes	Riser
Carpenter	Huval	Romero
Carrier	Illg	Schamerhorn
Carter, R.	Ivey	Schlegel
Cormier	Jefferson	Selders
Coussan	Jenkins	St. Blanc
Cox	Johnson, M.	Stagni
Crews	Johnson, T.	Stefanski
Davis	Jordan	Tarver
Deshotel	Kerner	Turner
DeVillier	Knox	Villio
DuBuisson	LaCombe	Wheat
Echols	Larvadain	White
Edmonds	Lyons	Willard
Emerson	Magee	Wright
Farnum	Marcelle	Zeringue
Firment	Marino	
Fisher	McFarland	
Total - 85		

**NAYS**

Amedee	LaFleur	Muscarello
Carter, W.	Landry	Phelps
Edmonston	Mack	Thomas
Goudeau	McCormick	Thompson
Hodges	Miguez	
Horton	Miller, D.	
Total - 16		

**ABSENT**

Freeman	McKnight
Hollis	Seabaugh
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. 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.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Edmonston requested the House consent to correct her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 654 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Goudeau requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 654 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Hodges requested the House consent to correct her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 654 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Horton requested the House consent to correct her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 654 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Miguez requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 654 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 91—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GOUDEAU  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 883.2(E) and R.S. 14:32.1(E), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to the crime of vehicular homicide; to provide relative to penalties of the crime of vehicular homicide; to require certain restitution payments to the minor child of the victim; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Muscarello, Jr. sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Muscarello to Engrossed House Bill No. 91 by Representative Goudeau

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, deletes line 18 through 20 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 15 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(2) The court shall calculate the restitution payments using the guidelines set forth under R.S. 9:315."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 16, change "(b)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 18, after "order" and before "offset" change "may" to "shall"

On motion of Rep. Muscarello, Jr., the amendments were adopted.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Goudeau, the bill, as amended, was returned to the calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 605—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, ADAMS, COX, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, SELDEERS, AND STAGNI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1481(13) and (14), 1482(B)(1), 1483(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), (B)(introductory paragraph), (2), and (4) through (7), (C)(introductory paragraph), (D), (E)(introductory paragraph), (F)(introductory paragraph), (G)(introductory paragraph), (1), and (2), and (H) through (L), and 1484(A)(1), (B)(1)(a), (3), and (4), and (C) through (H), to enact R.S. 3:1481(15), 1483(F)(4) and (M) through (Q), and 1484(I), and to repeal R.S. 3:1482(E), relative to consumable hemp products; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to the authority and responsibilities of the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide relative to fees collected by the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for product requirements; to provide for limits on servings and packages; to provide relative to the authority and responsibilities of the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide relative to fees collected by the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide for the revocation of registration of certain products; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for fines; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Zeringue gave notice of Speaker Schexnayder's intention to call House Bill No. 605 from the calendar on Monday, May 29, 2023.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 211—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

To amend Article I, Section 3 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the prohibition of slavery and involuntary servitude; to provide for an exception; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Jordan gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 211 from the calendar on Monday, May 22, 2023.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 544—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4163(B), (C)(1)(c), (D)(2), (E)(1)(a) and (b), (G), and (H)(2) and to enact R.S. 13:4163(C)(3) and (4), relative to civil procedure; to provide for continuances or extensions of certain deadlines; to provide relative to legislators or employees; to provide for judicial notice; to provide for sanctions; to provide relative to grounds for continuance or extension; to provide for deadlines; to provide relative to

appeals and supervisory writs; to provide relative to costs; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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. 544 by Representative Jordan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, following "13:4163(B)," and before "," change "(C)(1)(c)" to "(C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, following "13:4163(B)," and before "," change "(C)(1)(c)" to "(C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 10, following "for" and before "continuance" insert "legislative"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Jordan to Engrossed House Bill No. 544 by Representative Jordan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 4, after "863." and before "opposes" delete "The attorney who" and insert "If an attorney"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 5, after "and" and before "opposition" delete "the" and insert "such"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 6, after "863" and before "may" insert a comma "," and "the attorney"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 22, after "upon the" and before "the convening" delete "knowledge of" and insert "transmission of the tabulation of the declarations returned by members and"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 22, after "session" and before the comma "," insert "by the presiding officers of each house pursuant to R.S. 24:10"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the beginning of line 25, delete "knowledge of the convening of the veto session" and insert "transmission by the presiding officers of each house pursuant to R.S. 24:10"

On motion of Rep. Jordan, the amendments were adopted.  
Rep. Jordan moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adams	Glover	Marino
Boyd	Green	McFarland
Brass	Hughes	Miller, D.
Bryant	Huval	Moore
Carpenter	Jefferson	Muscarello
Carrier	Jenkins	Nelson
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Newell
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Phelps
Cormier	Jordan	Pierre
Cox	Knox	Pressly
DuBuisson	LaCombe	Riser
Farnum	LaFleur	Selders
Fisher	Landry	Tarver
Fontenot	Larvadain	Willard
Frieman	Lyons	
Gaines	Marcelle	
Total - 46		

**NAYS**

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	Schamerhorn
Amedee	Garofalo	Schlegel
Bacala	Goudeau	Seabaugh
Bagley	Hodges	St. Blanc
Beaulieu	Horton	Stagni
Bishop	Illg	Stefanski
Bourriaque	Kerner	Thomas
Coussan	Mack	Thompson
Crews	McCormick	Turner
Deshotel	McMahen	Villio
DeVillier	Miguez	Wheat
Echols	Miller, G.	White
Edmonds	Mincey	Wright
Edmonston	Orgeron	Zeringue
Emerson	Owen, C.	
Firment	Romero	
Total - 46		

**ABSENT**

Brown	Geymann	Magee
Butler	Harris	McKnight
Davis	Hilferty	Owen, R.
Freeman	Hollis	
Gadberry	Ivey	
Total - 13		

The Chair declared the above bill failed to pass.

Motion to reconsider pending.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 121—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, BRASS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FREIBERG, GEYMAN, JEFFERSON, MCCORMICK, CHARLES OWEN, AND TARVER

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:17.7, relative to required recess for students; to require certain public schools to provide daily recess; to provide for a minimum duration of such recess; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representatives Willard and Marcelle to Engrossed House Bill No. 121 by Representative Amedee

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 17:17.7" insert "and 3996(B)(75)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, delete "R.S. 17:17.7 is" and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 17:17.7 and 3996(B)(75) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, after line 10, insert the following:

"\* \* \*

§3996. Charter schools; exemptions; requirements

\* \* \*

B. Notwithstanding any state law, rule, or regulation to the contrary and except as may be otherwise specifically provided for in an approved charter, a charter school established and operated in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter and its approved charter and the school's officers and employees shall be exempt from all statutory mandates or other statutory requirements that are applicable to public schools and to public school officers and employees except for the following laws otherwise applicable to public schools with the same grades:

\* \* \*

(75) Recess, R.S. 17:17.7.

\* \* \*\*

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Willard to Engrossed House Bill No. 121 by Representative Amedee

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 17:17.7" insert "and 3996(B)(75)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, delete "R.S. 17:17.7 is" and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 17:17.7 and 3996(B)(75) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, after line 10, insert the following:

"\* \* \*

§3996. Charter schools; exemptions; requirements

\* \* \*

B. Notwithstanding any state law, rule, or regulation to the contrary and except as may be otherwise specifically provided for in an approved charter, a charter school established and operated in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter and its approved charter and the school's officers and employees shall be exempt from all statutory mandates or other statutory requirements that are applicable to public schools and to public school officers and employees except for the following laws otherwise applicable to public schools with the same grades:

\* \* \*

(75) Recess in a municipality with a population greater than three hundred and eighty-three thousand according to the latest decennial census, R.S. 17:17.7.

\* \* \*

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

Rep. Amedee moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adams	Emerson	Marcelle
Amedee	Farnum	McCormick
Bacala	Firment	McFarland
Bagley	Freiberg	Miguez
Beaullieu	Frieman	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Garofalo	Nelson
Boyd	Geymann	Owen, C.
Brass	Glover	Phelps
Bryant	Goudeau	Pressly
Butler	Green	Riser
Carter, R.	Hodges	Romero
Carter, W.	Horton	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Hughes	Schlegel
Coussan	Ivey	Seabaugh
Cox	Jefferson	Selders
Crews	Johnson, M.	St. Blanc
Davis	Jordan	Stagni
DeVillier	Knox	Thomas
DuBuisson	LaFleur	Thompson
Echols	Landry	Turner
Edmonds	Lyons	Villio
Edmonston	Mack	White
Total - 66		

**NAYS**

Mr. Speaker	Jenkins	Newell
Bishop	Kerner	Orgeron
Brown	LaCombe	Pierre
Carpenter	Larvadain	Stefanski
Carrier	Marino	Wheat
Fisher	McMahen	Willard
Fontenot	Miller, D.	Wright
Gaines	Miller, G.	Zeringue
Huval	Mincey	
Illg	Moore	
Total - 28		

**ABSENT**

Deshotel	Hilferty	McKnight
Freeman	Hollis	Owen, R.
Gadberry	Johnson, T.	Tarver
Harris	Magee	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Amedee 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.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Green requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 121 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Knox requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 121 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Lyons requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 121 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Marcelle requested the House consent to correct her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 121 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 91—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GOUDEAU  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 883.2(E) and R.S. 14:32.1(E), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to the crime of vehicular homicide; to provide relative to penalties of the crime of vehicular homicide; to require certain restitution payments to the minor child of the victim; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Mack to Engrossed House Bill No. 91 by Representative Goudeau

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete House Floor Amendment No. 3 by Representative Muscarello (#3219)

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 18, after "order" delete the remainder of the line and insert "shall adopt the civil judgment."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Farnum	Orgeron
Adams	Firment	Owen, C.
Amedee	Fontenot	Pressly
Bacala	Frieman	Riser
Bagley	Garofalo	Romero
Beaulieu	Geymann	Schamerhorn
Bishop	Goudeau	Schlegel
Bourriaque	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Bryant	Hodges	Stefanski
Butler	Horton	Tarver
Carrier	Huval	Thomas
Carter, R.	Illg	Thompson
Cormier	Ivey	Turner
Davis	Kerner	Villio
DeVillier	Mack	Wheat
DuBuisson	McCormick	White
Echols	McFarland	Wright
Edmonds	McMahen	Zeringue
Edmonston	Miguez	
Emerson	Mincey	
Total - 58		

NAYS

Boyd	Hughes	Miller, D.
Brass	Jefferson	Miller, G.
Brown	Jenkins	Moore
Carpenter	Jordan	Muscarello
Carter, W.	Knox	Nelson
Cox	LaCombe	Newell
Crews	LaFleur	Phelps
Fisher	Landry	Pierre
Freiberg	Larvadain	Seabaugh
Gaines	Lyons	Selders
Glover	Marcelle	Stagni
Green	Marino	Willard
Total - 36		

ABSENT

Coussan	Harris	Magee
Deshotel	Hollis	McKnight
Freeman	Johnson, M.	Owen, R.
Gadberry	Johnson, T.	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Goudeau 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.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Amedee gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 152 from the calendar on Monday, May 22, 2023.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, 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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 18, 2023

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has concurred in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 107  
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,  
YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 18, 2023

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. 48 and 50

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. 48—  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Junior League of Shreveport-Bossier, Inc. on celebrating their ninetieth anniversary.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—  
BY SENATOR HENSGENS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate May 20 through 26, 2023, as Safe Boating Week in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, 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. 174—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

A RESOLUTION

To create a task force to study both the academic and vocational educational programs within prisons and jails in Louisiana.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 175—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

A RESOLUTION

To commend Jacob Sam Eaves on his acceptance to the United States Naval Academy.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 176—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON

A RESOLUTION

To commend and extend appreciation to Ms. Jessica Mallindine with the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management for her coastal restoration work.

Read by title.

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

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on  
Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development

May 18, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 81, by Echols  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 31, by Womack  
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 22, by Womack  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 28, by Cathey  
Reported favorably. (12-0)

Senate Bill No. 67, by Mills, Robert  
Reported favorably. (12-0)

JACK G. MCFARLAND  
Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on  
Labor and Industrial Relations

May 18, 2023

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 Bill No. 351, by Landry  
Reported with amendments. (6-5)

Senate Bill No. 200, by Duplessis  
Reported with amendments. (9-0)

BARBARA W. CARPENTER  
Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on  
Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

May 18, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 91, by Boyd  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 37, by Allain  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 57, by Foil  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 58, by Connick  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 70, by Fields  
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 76, by Mills, Fred  
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 87, by Mills, Robert  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 92, by Fesi  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 222, by Allain  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 225, by Pope  
Reported with amendments. (11-1)

Senate Bill No. 229, by Duplessis  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 231, by Barrow  
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 232, by Barrow  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

RICK EDMONDS  
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments,  
except Senate Bill No. 225, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on  
Retirement

May 18, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 110, by Miguez  
Reported favorably. (8-0)

Senate Bill No. 18, by Price  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

PHILLIP R. DEVILLIER  
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments,  
except Senate Bill No. 18, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. DeVillier, the rules were suspended in order  
to take up Senate Bill No. 18 contained in the committee report at  
this time.

**Senate Bills on Second Reading  
Reported by Committee**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 18—**  
BY SENATORS PRICE, BARROW, BOUDREAUX, CORTEZ, TARVER  
AND WOMACK

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(1), (2)(a), and (3)(e) and to  
enact R.S. 11:102(C)(6)(e), (D)(6)(e), (E)(5), and (F)(4),  
542(G), 547, 883.1(G), 883.5, 1145.1(F), 1145.6, 1332(G), and  
1332.1, relative to the funding mechanism for and payment of  
benefit increases to persons receiving benefits from the state  
retirement systems; to provide for the determination of required  
employer contributions; to provide relative to eligibility to  
receive an increase; to provide for an effective date; and to  
provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. DeVillier, the above bill was ordered  
recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, 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**

**SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 18, 2023

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President  
of the Senate has signed the following Senate Concurrent  
Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 47

and ask the Speaker of the House of Representatives to affix his  
signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were  
signed by the Speaker of the House.

**Message from the Senate**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 18, 2023

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has  
concurred in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 3  
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 7  
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the Senate**

**HOUSE BILLS**

May 18, 2023

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 House Bills:

House Bill No. 7  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 27  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 110  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 112  
Returned without amendments



House Bill No. 133  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 142  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 171  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 194  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 232  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 256  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 273  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 314  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 336  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 337  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 370  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 378  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 447  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 474  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 479  
Returned with amendments

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

### Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

May 18, 2023

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. 14  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 31  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 49  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 73  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 103  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 161  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 210  
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

DODIE HORTON  
Chair

### Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

May 18, 2023

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. 163—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Bryson "Cupid" Bernard, creator of the "Cupid Shuffle".

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 164—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN  
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Isidore Newman School speech and debate team on being named the Louisiana High School Speech League 2023 state champions.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 166—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRASS, FISHER, JEFFERSON, TRAVIS  
JOHNSON, AND PIERRE  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated, upon the celebration of its upcoming one hundred seventeenth anniversary as an organization and to recognize Thursday, May 18, 2023, as Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Day at the state capitol.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 170—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Reverend Ronnie Evans for his civic and community service.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 171—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Breka Peoples for her community service.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHANIE HILFERTY  
Chairwoman

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.

### Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

May 18, 2023

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 Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAFLEUR AND BOYD

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To designate Thursday, May 18, 2023, as AKA Day at the state capitol and to commend the members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHANIE HILFERTY  
Chairwoman

The above House Concurrent Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk of the House and were signed by the President of the Senate 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. Zeringue, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Appropriations to meet on Monday, May 22, 2023, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

Senate Bill No. 18

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Wright, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to meet on Monday, May 22, 2023, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Resolution Nos. 161 and 169

House Concurrent Resolution No. 108

Senate Bill Nos. 43 and 223

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 6, 17 and 22

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Bishop, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Ways and Means to meet on Monday, May 22, 2023, and consider the following legislative instruments and discussion items that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

Senate Bill Nos. 1 and 6

**Leave of Absence**

Rep. Freeman - 2 days

Rep. McKnight - 1/2 day

**Adjournment**

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 5:01 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Monday, May 22, 2023, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Monday, May 22, 2023.

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT  
Clerk of the House

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