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House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, May 10, 2023

The House of Representatives was called to order at 2:12 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	Frieman	McKnight
Adams	Gadberry	McMahan
Amedee	Gaines	Miguez
Bacala	Garofalo	Miller, D.
Bagley	Geymann	Miller, G.
Beaullieu	Glover	Mincey
Bishop	Goudeau	Moore
Bourriaque	Green	Muscarello
Boyd	Harris	Nelson
Brass	Hilferty	Newell
Brown	Hodges	Orgeron
Bryant	Hollis	Owen, C.
Butler	Horton	Owen, R.
Carpenter	Hughes	Phelps
Carrier	Huval	Pierre
Carter, R.	Illg	Pressly
Carter, W.	Ivey	Riser
Cormier	Jefferson	Romero
Coussan	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Cox	Johnson, M.	Schlegel
Crews	Johnson, T.	Seabaugh
Davis	Jordan	Selders
Deshotel	Kerner	St. Blanc
DeVillier	Knox	Stagni
DuBuisson	LaCombe	Stefanski
Echols	LaFleur	Tarver
Edmonds	Landry	Thomas
Edmonston	Larvadain	Thompson
Emerson	Lyons	Turner
Farnum	Mack	Villio
Firment	Magee	Wheat
Fisher	Marcelle	White
Fontenot	Marino	Willard

Freeman	McCormick	Wright
Freiberg	McFarland	Zeringue
Total - 105		

The Speaker announced that there were 105 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Green.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Farnum 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. Bourriaque, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Bourriaque, the Journal of May 9, 2023, was adopted.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. White, the rules were suspended in order to allow the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to meet while the House was in session.

Acting Speaker Zeringue in the Chair

Speaker Schexnayder in the Chair

**Petitions, Memorials, and
Communications**

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

Message from the Senate

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 10, 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 No. 25

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. 25—

BY SENATOR HEWITT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Education to prepare for implementation of an "education savings account" program.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

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

SENATE BILLS

May 10, 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. 70, 74, 81, 82, 200, 202, 210 and 214

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. 70—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.75, relative to cooperative economic development in and around Southern University and Louisiana State University in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for the creation of special taxing districts for such purposes; to provide for the governance and powers and duties of such a district, including the authority to levy taxes and special assessments; to authorize such a district to incur debt and to pledge tax increments to repayment thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

SENATE BILL NO. 74—

BY SENATORS CONNICK, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, DUPLESSIS, FIELDS, FOIL, HEWITT, KLEINPETER, MCMATH, SMITH, STINE AND TALBOT

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 53 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 34:5210 through 5215, relative to the creation of the Southeast Louisiana Port Authority Advisory Commission; to provide for definitions; to establish a board of directors; to specify the purpose, powers, jurisdiction, and duties of the commission; to provide relative to the ethics code and public records; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

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.

Lies over under the rules.

SENATE BILL NO. 82—

BY SENATORS FESI, CLOUD, HENRY, MILLIGAN, MORRIS, POPE, STINE, TALBOT AND WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:378.2(H) and (M)(2), 414(A)(1)(c)(ii) and (D)(1)(b), and 667(B)(1)(b), and to enact R.S. 15:307.1 and R.S. 32:378.2(O), relative to ignition interlock devices; to provide standards for compliance with ignition interlock devices; to make technical changes; to provide relative to restricted driver's licenses; to extend the amount of time that a driver is required to have an ignition interlock device upon notice of noncompliance; to provide an ignition interlock affordability plan; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

SENATE BILL NO. 200—
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:302(7) and (8), and to enact R.S. 23:302(9) and (10) and Part VIII of Chapter 3-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:370, relative to an employee's absence from work to obtain genetic testing or a medically necessary cancer screening; to provide relative to employee obligations; to provide certain employee protections; to provide relative to definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

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.

Lies over under the rules.

SENATE BILL NO. 210—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1042(A), (B)(1), and (D)(1) and 1056(2), relative to the practice of optometry; to provide for membership of the Louisiana State Board of Optometry Examiners; to provide for continuing education; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

SENATE BILL NO. 214—

BY SENATORS MCMATH, CATHEY, CONNICK, CORTEZ, DUPLESSIS,
FESI, HEWITT, MILLIGAN, REESE, SMITH AND TALBOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3451(2) and (3), 3455(A), 3471(1), (3) and (4), and 3475(A), R.S. 36:4(A)(2), the section heading of 4.1, 8.1(C)(3), 101(A), (B), and (C)(1), 103, 104(A)(14), the introductory paragraph of (B)(1)(a), and (B)(1)(b) and (9), the introductory paragraph of 104.1(A) and 104.1(B)(4), 106(A) and (B), 107, 108(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B), 109, 501(C)(1), 502(A) and (B), and 957, and R.S. 51:3136(A)(9), to enact R.S. 34:3455(C) and 3475(C) and R.S. 36:110 and 111, and to repeal R.S. 36:108(B)(4), 508.3, 508.4, and 509(A)(3), relative to the Department of Economic Development; to rename and reorganize the department to the Department of Commerce; to transfer the office of multimodal commerce from the Department of Transportation and Development to the Department of Commerce; to transfer powers, duties, and responsibilities with respect to multimodal commerce and corresponding department employees, equipment, facilities, funding, and statutory entities from the Department of Transportation and Development to the Department of Commerce; to provide for the commissioner of multimodal commerce; to provide for the multimodal commerce commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Stefanski, 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. 138—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI
A RESOLUTION

To commend Acadia Parish Assessor James J. "Jimbo" Petitjean on being named the 2023 Assessor of the Year at the ninetieth annual assessor's conference.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 139—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CHARLES OWEN AND SCHAMERHORN
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Rosepine High School girls' basketball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division III state championship.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 140—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT
A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Sergeant Nicholas Pepper of the Lafourche Parish Sheriff's Office.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 141—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY
A RESOLUTION

To recognize May 2023 as Ehlers-Danlos Syndromes Awareness Month.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 89—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Georgina Dhillon, editor of Kreol Magazine and founder of Zari Gallery, for her numerous professional achievements.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**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. 130—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN
A RESOLUTION

To create a task force to study the public health outcomes related to the criminalization of the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and to report its findings prior to the convening of the 2024 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

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.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to create a task force to study, identify, and make recommendations to address the shortage of specialist physicians in this state.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a task force to study suicide rates among African Americans in Louisiana and report its findings to the legislature no later than February 1, 2024.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES OWEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to provide information pertaining to incarcerated individuals in the department's custody who have been held beyond their scheduled release dates and to report this information to the legislature no later than October 1, 2023.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 88—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER

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.

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

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. 44—

BY SENATOR POPE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:820.5.9(B), 820.5.9(B)(1), (D), and (E) and R.S. 48:345, relative to DOTD; to provide for the designation of high-occupancy vehicle (HOV) lanes on highways in the state highway system; to provide relative to high-occupancy vehicle (HOV) lane violations; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 58—

BY SENATOR CONNICK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 41:1215(B) and to enact R.S. 41:1215(B)(9) and (G), relative to public lands; to provide relative to the creation of a public benefit corporation by a political subdivision; to provide with respect to the length of any lease or sublease executed by a public corporation in Jefferson Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 103—

BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:304(B), 1221(C), 3302(2), 3366(C), and 3712(E) and (H), R.S. 9:1152(B), and 2800.14, R.S. 13:5107(C), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:202(A)(2) and 218(2), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 30:4(D), the introductory paragraph of 4(D)(1), 30:4(D)(1)(d), (2), and (3)(a)(ii), (G), (M)(6)(b), (N)(1) and (5), the introductory paragraph of 4.1(B), 21.2, 23(D)(1), 25(A)(2), (3), and (7), 26(A), 29(A), (B)(1), and (C)(3)(b)(i), 73(1), 81(B), 82(1), (4), and (13), 83(A), (B)(1), (F)(5), and (H), 86(E)(1) and (7), 89.1, 91(B)(2)(c), 95(D), 101.2(A), 101.3(2), (4), and (7), 101.4(A), 101.13(B)(3) and (C)(4), 121(A) and (C), 124(A), 126(B)(3), 132, 135, 136(A)(1)(a), 136.3(D), 142(E)(1)(a), 143(C), (D)(1), (2), (4), and (6), (E), and (F), the introductory paragraph of 144(A), 150(A), (B)(7), (D), (F)(2), and (H), 206, 209(4)(b), 212(A), 215(A), 216(C)(2), 401, 503(1), the introductory paragraph of 546(A), 702(1), 723(G), 731(1), 904(5) and (20), 905(A) and (B)(9), 905.1(A), 953(C), 962(2), 963(A), 1103(7), 1105(B), 1109(F), the introductory paragraph of 1152(A), the introductory paragraph of 1154(A), the introductory paragraph of 1154(A)(9)(a), 1202(8), 1354(6), 1401(B) and (C), 1402(B) and (D), 2004(12)(a), 2011(D)(20), 2015.1(L), 2035(B)(2), 2074(C) and (E), 2248(C)(1), 2397, 2458(A)(4), 2459(A) and (D), 2460(A)(14), 2469(E), 2495, and 2575(D), R.S. 31:149(A), R.S. 32:1511 and 1513.1(A), R.S. 33:1236(56), 1236.25(C), 1236.27, 1419.1(C), the introductory paragraph of 1419.2(1), 1419.2(6), 1419.3, 1419.4(A) and (D)(1), 1419.5(1) and (4), 1419.6(A), (B), (D), and (E), 4064.4(E) and (J), 4065.3(E) and (1), 4522, 4523, 4524, 4526, and 4546.21(B), R.S. 34:3116(B) and 3304(B), R.S. 36:4(A)(7), 8.1(C)(11), 351(A), (B), and (C)(1), 353, 354(A)(13), (B)(1)(b), (4), (6), and (8), 356(A) and (B), 357(A), 358(A), the introductory paragraph of 359(A), the introductory paragraph of 359(B), 359(B)(1) and (2), and (C), 629(J)(2) through (8), and 957(A), R.S. 37:711.4(E), 1377(K)(1), and 3151(1), R.S. 38:25(A), 327(F), 3087.134(E)(5), 3092(7), 3097.3(B), the heading of 3098.2, the introductory paragraph of 3098.6(A), and 3098.6(A)(2), R.S. 39:99.29(A), 253(A)(2), 2007(D)(1), and 2177(D), R.S. 40:1730.22(F), 1730.28.4(B)(1), 1892, 1893, and 1894, R.S.

41:642(A)(2)(b) and (B), 1602(B)(1), 1701.1(C) and (D), 1702(D)(1) and (2)(a)(i), the introductory paragraph of (ii), (H), and (I), 1703(B), 1712(D), 1731, 1732(A), 1733(B) and (C), and the introductory paragraph of 1734(A), R.S. 42:1113(D)(1)(a)(ii)(hh) and (6)(f), 1124(A)(2)(f), and 1266(C)(1)(f), R.S. 44:4(10), R.S. 47:301(10)(gg) and (18)(p), 633(7)(c)(iii)(bb), (iv)(aa), (bb), and (cc), and (d), (9)(d)(i) and (iii), the introductory paragraph of 633.4(B)(1), 633.5(A), the introductory paragraph of 648.2(1), 648.3, 1508(B)(9), 1515.2, 1989(C)(2)(a)(vi)(cc), and 6035(D), R.S. 48:224(C), R.S. 49:74(A)(5)(b)(i)(aa)(VI), 191(12)(c), 214.5.1(B)(2), 214.6.2(C)(1) and (D)(8), 214.8.6(B)(4), 214.23(12), 214.24(D), 214.25(C), 214.26(A)(1), 214.31(B), 214.33(B)(6), 214.36(J)(1)(a), 259(A) and (D), 330(A)(4), 966(B)(11), and 1053(C)(11), R.S. 51:1601(H), 1602(3), (5), (8), (13), and (15), the introductory paragraph of 1603, 1603(7)(c), and 1605(B)(12) through (15), R.S. 56:4, 301.10(E)(2) and (3), 421(B)(3) and (E)(4), 432.1(C)(2), 494(E)(2) and (3), 700.11(4) and (7), 700.13(A), 796(B)(1)(p), 1431(E), 1808(A), 1932(A)(6), 1933(A)(1)(g), and 2011(E), and the introductory paragraph of Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1552 and 1563(A)(2) and (B), relative to the renaming of the Department of Natural Resources; 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 Natural Resources and Environment.

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.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 108—
BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6020(G) and (H), relative to the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program; to provide for meeting the requirements for an enhanced credit under the program; to provide for exceptions to meeting general program requirements; to extend the program sunset date; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 123—
BY SENATOR HENRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:3(A), 1300.2(A)(2), (C)(1) and (2), and (D), 1300.3(A) and (B), and 1300.5 and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(10), relative to recall elections; to provide relative to recall petitions; to provide relative to public records; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 127—
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(O) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem tax exemptions; to provide for an ad valorem tax exemption for certain first responders; to require the parish governing authority to approve the ad valorem tax exemption; to provide for exemption amounts; to require the tax assessor to establish a procedure to apply for the exemption; to provide for eligibility; to require taxing authorities to absorb the loss of revenue as a result of the exemptions; to provide relative to reappraisals; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 131—
BY SENATOR PRICE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:2473(B)(3) and (F)(1) and (2), relative to the commission for the Port of South Louisiana; provides for expenditure authority for contracts and purchases to be established by commission bylaws; 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. 136—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.67(C)(1), (2), and (7) and to enact R.S. 33:2740.67(D)(1)(h), relative to the Baton Rouge North Economic Development District; to provide relative to the governance of the district; to provide relative to rules, regulations, and procedures of the board; to provide with respect to board membership and term of members; to provide for duties of the board of commissioners; to provide for subdistricts; 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 Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 140—
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 2293(B)(1), 2334, 2721, and 2724(A) and R.S. 13:3852, 4341, 4360, and 5530(A)(7)(a), and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2344 and R.S. 13:4358 and 4369, relative to judicial sales; to provide for procedures and requirements for online auctions; to provide for notice of seizure and sale; to provide with respect to online auction companies; to provide for submission of payment and readvertisement; to provide with respect to actions to set aside or annul online judicial sales; to provide with respect to the price of adjudication; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 185—
BY SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1382, 1384, 1385, 1386, 1387, 1388, 1390, 1392, 1393, and 1394, to enact R.S. 6:1385.1, 1385.2, 1386.1, 1386.2, 1388.1, 1391(D), (E), (F), and (G), 1391.1, 1391.2, and 1393.1, and to repeal R.S. 6:1383(C)(5)(c) and (7) and (D), and 1389, relative to the regulation and licensure of virtual currency businesses; to provide relative to the authority, functions, and duties of the office of financial institutions; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide for licensure requirements; to authorize reciprocity of licensure; to provide for qualifications of licensure; to provide for the issuance, denial, and renewal of licenses; to provide enforcement; to establish penalties for violations; to provide for administrative rules; to provide for 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 Commerce.

SENATE BILL NO. 197—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(A), (B)(1)(a), (C)(introductory paragraph), (D)(2), and (E) and R.S. 17:7(6), 7.1, and 15(B), (C), and (E)(1), to enact R.S. 17:8.1 through 8.9, and to repeal R.S. 17:7(6)(e) and (10), relative to the certification of educators and school personnel; to provide for conditional admission into an approved teacher education program; to provide for alternative certification for certain persons; to provide relative to teachers certified in other states; to remove requirements for certain teaching authorizations and certifications; to provide relative to the qualifications and certifications of principals, superintendents, and school psychologists; to provide relative to criminal background checks for certification and authorization to teach; to provide consistency in terminology; to recodify and redesignate certain current provisions of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 into a new format and number scheme, to be comprised of R.S. 17:8.1 through 8.9 without changing the text of the provisions except as provided in this instrument; to make technical and conforming changes to reflect the format and number scheme provided in this instrument; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to change references to segments of law in existing statutes and codes as necessary to reflect the redesignation of those segments as provided in this instrument; 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. 228—
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(13)(n) and 14(l), 302(BB)(119) and (120), 321(P)(120) and (121), 321.1(I)(120) and (121), and 331(V)(120) and (121), relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for state and local sales and use tax exemptions for photography and videography services; to exempt from state and local sales and use taxes certain tangible personal property relating to photography and videography services; to provide for applicability; to provide for definitions; to provide for administrative rulemaking authority; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 229—
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.862(A) and to enact R.S. 33:130.865.1, relative to the boundaries of the New Orleans Exhibition Hall Authority Economic Growth and Development District; to provide for a payment in lieu of taxes provision; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**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. 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.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Resolution No. 39 by Representative Miguez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 13, after "America" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"is fourteen and four-tenths percent, compared with eleven and nine-tenths"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 5, change "highpolluting" to "high polluting"

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

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

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.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

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

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.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

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

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.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

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

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.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

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

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 9—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:236(A) and to enact Chapter 43-C of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4037.1 through 4037.7, relative to elementary and secondary education; to create and provide for the administration of a program to provide state funding for the education of certain students with exceptionalities who are not enrolled in public school; to provide relative to the eligibility of students, schools, and service providers participating in the program; to provide relative to program funds; to provide relative to the testing of students participating in the program; to require the state Department of Education to submit annual

reports to the legislature relative to the program; to provide relative to rules; to provide relative to definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed House Bill No. 9 by Representative Butler

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

"(f) Any other expenses incurred in the education of the student."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 18, after "of the" and before "school" delete "2023-2024" and insert "2024-2025"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 22, after "per-pupil" and before "as provided" delete "allocation" and insert "amount"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 23, after "plus" delete the remainder of the line and insert "the special education weight as provided in the minimum foundation program times the state's base per pupil amount. The"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 4, after "account" delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 5, delete "funds deposited into the account for the current school year,"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 5, at the beginning of line 7, after "(2)" and before "The account" insert "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 5, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"(b) Notwithstanding any provision of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph, if a participating student's account has been inactive for two consecutive years and the legislature has failed to appropriate funds for the program for those two years, the account of such participating student shall not be closed because of inactivity."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, delete line 13 and insert "in-person education, virtual education, or a hybrid approach that combines both methods."

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

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 117—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2122 and 3996(B)(75), relative to students; to require public school governing authorities to provide free menstrual products for students; to provide relative to implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 186—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DAVIS, BOYD, BROWN, GLOVER, LANDRY, AND WILLARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1036.1, relative to health insurance issuers; to require health coverage plans to cover services and benefits relative to standard fertility preservation services; to require patients to meet certain conditions; to provide for exemptions; to provide for definitions; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed House Bill No. 186 by Representative Davis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the beginning of line 13, delete "Section 3.(A)" and insert "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, delete lines 14 through 16 in their entirety

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

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

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.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 211 by Representative Jordan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "servitude;" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 4, delete "involuntary servitude as punishment for crime;" and insert "to provide for an exception;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, after "are" and before "prohibited" insert "forever"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 17, insert the following:

"The prohibition of involuntary servitude shall not prohibit an inmate from being required to work when the inmate has been duly convicted of a crime."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

Delete Amendment No. 1 by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure (#805)

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 5 and 6 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Do you support an amendment to prohibit involuntary servitude while not prohibiting an inmate from being required to work when the inmate has been duly convicted of a crime? (Amends Article 1, Section 3)"

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 259—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 16(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to appropriations; to provide for a period of longer than one year for certain appropriations; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Under the rules, the above bill was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 311—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article XI, Section 6 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to generally prohibit the use of funds and resources from a foreign government or a nongovernmental source for the conduct of elections and for the functions and duties established in the election code except under specified circumstances; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Engrossed House Bill No. 311 by Representative Miguez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 6, after "source" delete the remainder of the line and insert "to conduct"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 7, delete "by law" and at the beginning of line 8, delete "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 8, after "state" and before "policies" delete "in accordance with" and insert "through"

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 361—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DESHOTEL AND CHARLES OWEN AND
SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 25-A of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 42:1471 through 1473, relative to public officers and employees; to provide for policies prohibiting the use of certain applications on computers, devices, and networks owned or leased by the state; to provide for definitions; to provide for duties of the office of technology services; to provide for approval by the Joint Legislative Committee on Technology and Cybersecurity; to provide for duties of certain agency heads; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed House Bill No. 361 by Representative Deshotel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 16, delete "require the removal of and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the end of line 4, insert "and approved"

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 415—

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S.10:9-102(a)(29) and to enact R.S. 10:9-102(a)(82), relative to central bank digital currency; to provide an exception to a deposit account; to define a central bank currency; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 415 by Representative Amedee

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 10:9-102(a)(29)" and before the comma ",", insert "and to enact R.S. 10:9-102(a)(82)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "for the definition of a deposit account" and insert in lieu thereof "an exception to a deposit account; to define a central bank currency"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "reenacted" and before "to read" insert "and R.S. 10:9-102(a)(82) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 12, insert the following:

"(82) "Central bank digital currency" means a digital currency, a digital medium of exchange, or a digital monetary unit of account issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, a federal agency, that is processed, validated, or made directly available to a consumer by such entities.

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 469—

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1367(A)(2), 1368(A)(1)(b) and (2), 1375, and 1377(C) and to enact R.S. 37:1367(A)(3), relative to licensure for plumbers; to provide for on-the-job supervision requirements; to provide for apprentices engaging in work other than plumbing; to provide for journeyman plumber licensing qualifications; to provide relative to the applicability of the Chapter; to provide for certain definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To amend and reenact" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"R.S. 37:1367(A)(2), 1368(A)(1)(b) and (2), 1375, and 1377(C) and to enact R.S. 37:1367(A)(3),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "and 1377(L),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "apprentices" and before "engaging" delete "and helpers"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 5, after "qualifications;" and before "to provide for" insert "to provide relative to the applicability of the Chapter;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 6, delete "the definition of "plumber helper"" and insert in lieu thereof "certain definitions"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, delete lines 8 and 9 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. R.S. 37:1367(A)(2), 1368(A)(1)(b) and (2), 1375, and 1377(C) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 37:1367(A)(3) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(3) ~~Apprentices~~ Apprentice plumbers may engage in the art of plumbing only"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 6 through 14 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"journeyman plumber will supervise apprentices apprentice plumbers as governed by the Louisiana Workforce Commission. A licensed journeyman plumber may supervise up to two apprentice plumbers who are engaged in plumbing at a time. An apprentice plumber doing work other than plumbing shall not be considered an apprentice plumber for purposes of supervision."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

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

"A.(1) The board shall issue a tradesman plumber limited license to any person who meets the following qualifications:

* * *

(b) Has worked at least four thousand hours as an unindentured apprentice or at least three thousand hours as an indentured apprentice at the manual labor of plumbing under the direct, constant,

on-the-job supervision of a journeyman or master plumber licensed by the board."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"§1375. Applicability of Chapter

A. This Chapter shall apply to:

~~A. (1) All cities, towns, villages, communities and public sewerage, or water districts in the State of Louisiana state.~~

~~B. (2) All areas within one mile of the boundary of any city or sewer or water districts, referred to above; and all areas within one mile of the community, sewerage or water facilities of the areas referred to above.~~

~~C. B. Nothing herein contained in this Chapter shall be construed to apply to any employee of any municipal department or gas, sewer, or water district system.~~

C. Notwithstanding any laws to the contrary, regulations issued pursuant to this Chapter shall incorporate existing procedures, remedies, and enforcement processes in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act, 40 U.S.C. 3141 et seq.

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AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, delete lines 7 through 9 in their entirety and insert the following:

"C.(1) Apprentice plumber. An "apprentice plumber" is a natural person engaged in learning the plumbing trade by working under the direct, on-the-job supervision of a journeyman plumber and in the employ of an employing entity. Apprentice plumbers shall be indentured in an apprenticeship program approved by the Louisiana Workforce Commission or unindentured and in the employ of an employing entity.

(2) Apprentice gas fitter. An "apprentice gas fitter" is a natural person engaged in learning the gas fitting trade by working under the direct, on-the-job supervision of a gas fitter and in the employ of an employing entity. Apprentice gas fitters shall be indentured in an apprenticeship program approved by the Louisiana Workforce Commission, or may be unindentured and in employ of an employing entity.

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 530— BY REPRESENTATIVE MCKNIGHT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:316.1(A)(3), 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 third-party solutions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Appropriations.

The substitute was read by title as follows:

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.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 654 by Rep. McKnight, on behalf of the Committee on Appropriations, as a substitute for House Bill No. 530 by Rep. McKnight.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 531—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ
AN ACT

To enact Part VI of Chapter 3 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:971 through 978, relative to the Louisiana Industrial Product Certification Act; to provide for a purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for a certification program regarding industrial products; to provide for certification eligibility and criteria; to provide for a certification application and evaluation process; to provide for certification compliance monitoring and certification renewal; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 542—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HUGHES, EDMONDS, AND SCHEXNAYDER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:827.3(C) and (D) and R.S. 17:1877 and to repeal R.S. 15:827.3(A)(2)(c), relative to criminal justice reinvestment; to provide relative to criminal justice reinvestment savings; to provide for changes to the allocation of the savings; to create a fund to provide post-secondary education and vocational training to incarcerated persons; to provide for the transfer of monies into the fund; to provide for the administration of the fund; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 542 by Representative Hughes

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert a comma "," and insert "relative"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 15 and 16 in their entirety and insert "C. Beginning in Fiscal Year 2024-2025, at the beginning of each fiscal

year, the Department of Public Safety and Corrections shall transfer five million dollars of the reoccurring savings recognized pursuant to this Section and allocated to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections for targeted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 20, after "services" delete the remainder of the line and on page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert "to the Board of Supervisors of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System for deposit into the Reinvestment in Offender Education Fund provided for in R.S. 17:1877."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 26 through 28 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, change "(4)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 27, after "R.S. 15:827.3(A)(2)(c)" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 28 in its entirety and insert "is hereby repealed in its entirety."

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 585—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:109(B)(4) and Chapter 39-D of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2400.1 through 2400.10, relative to creating a council focused on economic development goals; to provide for purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for the creation of the Council of Economic Prosperity; to provide for composition of the council; to provide for council officers; to provide for the creation of the State Plan for Economic Development; to provide for an annual action plan; to provide for council powers; to provide for the implementation of a master plan and action plans; to provide for the creation of the Advisory Commission on Economic Development; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 585 by Representative Echols

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "enact" and before "Chapter" insert "R.S. 36:109(B)(4) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 36:109(B)(4) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

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* * *

B. The following agencies are placed within the Department of Economic Development and shall perform and exercise their powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities as provided by law:

* * *

(4) The Council for Economic Prosperity (R.S. 51:2400.1 et seq.).

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AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, change "Section 1." to "Section 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 14, change "governor" to "chairman"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 16, change "governor" to "chairman"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, line 14, delete "cabinet advisory group" and insert in lieu thereof "Advisory Commission on Economic Development"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 8, line 2, after "year." delete the rest of the line and delete lines 3 and 4 and insert in lieu thereof:

"(4) An analysis of the strengths and weaknesses of all initiatives, operational strategies, and action plans implemented in the prior year."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 8, line 5, change "(4)" to "(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 8, line 7, change "(5)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 8, delete line 29 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"(h) Regional Economic Development, which shall include members that represent all of the following regions:

(i) Acadiana.

(ii) Bayou.

(iii) Capital.

(iv) Central.

(v) Northeast.

(vi) Northwest.

(vii) Southeast.

(viii) Southwest.

(i) Any other committees deemed appropriate."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 10, line 10, change "informational" to "information"

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

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

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.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 606 by Representative Jordan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 8 through 20 in their entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"A.(1) A lessee shall have the right to terminate a lease pertaining to any rental property where a lessee has residency if there have been two or more violent crimes or drug offenses with official police reports located on an adjacent property of a single-family residence or on the property of a multi-family residence.

(2) If a lessee terminates a lease in accordance with this Subsection, the lessee is liable for rent owed for the remaining term of the lease, but the lessor shall not report the termination of a lease to any credit bureau.

B. In order for a lessee to terminate a lease without having a negative impact on the lessee's credit report as provided in this Section, the lessee shall do all of the following:

(1) Assert in writing to the lessor that there have been two or more violent crimes or drug offenses with official police reports located on an adjacent property of a single-family residence or on the property of a multi-family residence.

(2) Provide the lessor reasonable documentation that there have been two or more violent crimes or drug offenses with official police reports located on an adjacent property of a single-family residence or on the property of a multi-family residence, if the incidents occurred after the execution of the leasing agreement."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, change "lease" to "lease." and delete line 2 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 3 through 27 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"C. A lessor may pursue legal actions to be paid the amount owed for the remaining term of the lease."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 6, change "areas" to "areas,"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 10, change "must" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 17, change "areas" to "areas,"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 21, change "who" to "that"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 2, after "online" and insert a comma " , "

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

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

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.

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. 635 by Representative Hollis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 2, delete "change" and at the beginning of line 3, delete "the rate of such tax levy for" and insert "increase the rate of the excise tax levied on"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 8, delete "(2) One half" and insert "(2) The first twenty-two million dollars"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 12 through 15 in their entirety and insert the following:

"F. Vapor products and electronic cigarettes. Upon vapor products and electronic cigarettes, a tax of ~~five~~ thirty cents per milliliter of consumable nicotine liquid solution or other material containing nicotine that is depleted as a vapor product is used."

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. 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 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 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.

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. 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.

Under the rules, the above bill was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

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. 185—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.4(B) and (E)(1) and (3)(c) and to repeal R.S. 33:9091.4(E)(3)(b), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Lake Terrace Crime Prevention District; to provide relative to the boundaries and funding of the district; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed and collected in the district; to provide relative to the renewal of such fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Hilferty gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 185 from the calendar on Monday, May 15, 2023.

HOUSE BILL NO. 189—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:351(1)(a) and (3)(a), relative to alcoholic beverages; to provide relative to the sale and shipment of certain alcoholic beverages; to provide for container size limitations of beverages of high alcoholic content; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Gaines to Engrossed House Bill No. 189 by Representative Gaines

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, after "containers:" delete the remainder of the line and insert "One and eighty hundredths liters. ~~One one and seventy-five hundredths liters, one liter, seven~~"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

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

"1.80 liters 6"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Gaines to Engrossed House Bill No. 189 by Representative Gaines

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

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

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gadberry	McMahan
Adams	Gaines	Miguez
Amedee	Geymann	Miller, D.
Bagley	Glover	Miller, G.
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Mincey
Bishop	Green	Moore
Bourriaque	Harris	Muscarello
Boyd	Hilferty	Newell
Brass	Hodges	Orgeron
Brown	Horton	Owen, C.
Bryant	Hughes	Owen, R.
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
Emerson	Lyons	Turner
Farnum	Mack	Villio
Firment	Magee	Wheat
Fisher	Marcelle	White
Fontenot	Marino	Willard
Freeman	McCormick	Zeringue
Freiberg	McFarland	
Frieman	McKnight	
Total - 97		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bacala	Garofalo	Phelps
Edmonds	Hollis	Wright
Edmonston	Nelson	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Gaines 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. Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 189 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 193—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES OWEN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:978(H)(1)(a), relative to transcription fees for the Thirtieth Judicial District; to authorize an increase in transcription fees in civil and criminal cases; to provide for the cost per page for an original transcript and copies in appellate cases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Charles Owen to Engrossed House Bill No. 193 by Representative Charles Owen

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 10, insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, after "judges" and before "which" insert a comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 13, change "or" to "nor"

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bacala	Garofalo	Wright
Bryant	Nelson	
Edmonston	Phelps	

Total - 7

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. 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.

Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 193 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 195—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1878(B) and to enact R.S. 13:1878(C), (D), and (E), relative to the determination of a chief judge for city courts; to provide for qualifications for chief judges; to provide relative to interruptions of continuous service for the determination of chief judge; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Acting Speaker Stefanski in the Chair

Rep. Pierre moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 102

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Frieman
Total - 3

Nelson

Phelps

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pierre 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. Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 195 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 202—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1910.2, relative to fees imposed by the City Court of Hammond; to authorize a fee to be collected by the City Court of Hammond; to provide for the exclusive dedication of all monies collected; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Muscarello, Jr. moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Fontenot
Freeman
Freiberg
Total - 102

Marino
McCormick
McFarland

Willard
Wright
Zeringue

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

DuBuisson
Total - 3

Frieman

Nelson

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. Muscarello, Jr. 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. Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 202 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 209—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIUAQUE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:3887.9 and to repeal R.S. 33:4067, relative to Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater Board for District No. 1; to provide relative to the creation of Cameron Parish Wastewater District No. 1; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to a board of directors for the district; to provide relative to the terms of board members; to provide relative to the boundaries of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Bourriaque moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gadberry	McKnight
Adams	Gaines	McMahan
Amedee	Garofalo	Miguez
Bacala	Geymann	Miller, D.
Bagley	Glover	Miller, G.
Beaulieu	Goudeau	Mincey
Bishop	Green	Moore
Bourriaque	Harris	Muscarello
Boyd	Hodges	Newell
Brass	Hollis	Orgeron
Brown	Horton	Owen, C.
Bryant	Hughes	Owen, R.
Butler	Huval	Phelps
Carpenter	Illg	Pierre
Carrier	Ivey	Pressly
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Riser
Carter, W.	Jenkins	Romero
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Schamerhorn
Coussan	Johnson, T.	Schlegel
Cox	Jordan	Seabaugh
Crews	Kerner	Selders
Deshotel	Knox	St. Blanc
DeVillier	LaCombe	Stagni

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DuBuisson	LaFleur	Stefanski
Edmonds	Landry	Tarver
Edmonston	Larvadain	Thomas
Emerson	Lyons	Thompson
Farnum	Mack	Turner
Firment	Magee	Villio
Fisher	Marcelle	Wheat
Fontenot	Marino	White
Freeman	McCormick	Willard
Freiberg	McFarland	Zeringue
Total - 99		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Davis	Frieman	Nelson
Echols	Hilferty	Wright
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Bourriaque 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. Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 209 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 210—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4548.5(A)(6), (12), and (20) and to enact R.S. 33:4548.5(C), relative to the Louisiana Local Government Environmental Facilities and Community Development Authority; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the authority; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Butler moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Miller, D.
Adams	Glover	Miller, G.
Bacala	Goudeau	Mincey
Bagley	Green	Moore
Beaulieu	Harris	Muscarello
Bishop	Hilferty	Newell
Bourriaque	Hollis	Orgeron
Boyd	Hughes	Owen, R.
Brass	Huval	Phelps
Brown	Illg	Pierre
Bryant	Ivey	Pressly
Butler	Jefferson	Riser
Carpenter	Jenkins	Romero
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Schamerhorn
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Schlegel
Coussan	Jordan	Selders
Cox	Kerner	St. Blanc
Davis	Knox	Stagni

Deshotel	LaCombe	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaFleur	Tarver
DuBuisson	Landry	Thomas
Echols	Larvadain	Thompson
Edmonds	Lyons	Turner
Farnum	Magee	Villio
Fisher	Marcelle	Wheat
Freeman	Marino	White
Freiberg	McFarland	Willard
Gadberry	McKnight	Zeringue
Gaines	McMahan	
Total - 86		

NAYS

Amedee	Emerson	Mack
Carter, R.	Fontenot	McCormick
Cormier	Frieman	Miguez
Crews	Garofalo	Owen, C.
Edmonston	Hodges	Seabaugh
Total - 15		

ABSENT

Firment	Nelson
Horton	Wright
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Butler 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. Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 210 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 226—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1879 and 2583.1(C), relative to certain marshals and constables of city courts; to provide relative to elections and designations of marshals and constables; to provide for the designation of the marshal of the city of Sulphur; to provide relative to qualifications of deputy constables; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Farnum moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	McKnight
Adams	Gadberry	McMahan
Amedee	Gaines	Miguez
Bacala	Garofalo	Miller, D.
Bagley	Geymann	Miller, G.
Beaulieu	Glover	Mincey
Bishop	Goudeau	Moore
Bourriaque	Green	Muscarello
Boyd	Harris	Newell
Brass	Hilferty	Orgeron
Brown	Hodges	Owen, C.
Bryant	Hollis	Phelps

Butler	Horton	Pierre
Carpenter	Hughes	Pressly
Carrier	Huval	Riser
Carter, R.	Illg	Romero
Carter, W.	Ivey	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Jefferson	Schlegel
Coussan	Jenkins	Selders
Cox	Johnson, M.	St. Blanc
Crews	Johnson, T.	Stagni
Davis	Jordan	Stefanski
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DeVillier	Knox	Thomas
DuBuisson	LaCombe	Thompson
Echols	LaFleur	Turner
Edmonds	Landry	Villio
Edmonston	Larvadain	Wheat
Emerson	Lyons	White
Farnum	Mack	Willard
Firment	Magee	Wright
Fisher	Marino	Zeringue
Fontenot	McCormick	
Freeman	McFarland	

Total - 100

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Frieman	Nelson	Seabaugh
Marcelle	Owen, R.	

Total - 5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 226 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 233—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 311 of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to certain costs and fees for the City Court of Ruston; to provide relative to the implementation of certain costs and fees for the marshal of the City Court of Ruston; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Turner moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	McKnight
Adams	Gadberry	McMahen
Amedee	Gaines	Miguez
Bacala	Garofalo	Miller, D.
Bagley	Geymann	Miller, G.
Beaulieu	Glover	Mincey

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

Total - 102

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Frieman	Hughes	Nelson
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Total - 3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Turner 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. Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 233 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 270—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:5062.2, relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the growth and accumulation of grass, weeds, and other deleterious matter; to provide relative to the powers granted to the parish governing authority with respect to the removal of any such deleterious matter; to provide relative to costs incurred by the parish governing authority relative to removal; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Willard gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 270 from the calendar on Thursday, May 11, 2023.

HOUSE BILL NO. 296—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HILFERTY AND LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.14(F)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph), (3)(c), and (4) and to repeal R.S. 33:9091.14(F)(3)(b), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Mid-City Security District; to provide relative to district funding; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed and collected in the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Davis gave notice of Rep. Hilferty's intention to call House Bill No. 296 from the calendar on Monday, May 15, 2023.

HOUSE BILL NO. 340—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1595 and to enact R.S. 23:1606, relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for the duration of benefits; to provide definitions; to provide for extended benefits; to provide for the termination of extended benefits; to provide for the promulgation of rules; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Romero to Engrossed House Bill No. 340 by Representative Romero

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, delete line 10 in its entirety and insert the following:

original monetary determination in his benefit year. He may subsequently be determined to be entitled to added regular benefits.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, at the end of line 23, delete "If the reference in this"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, delete lines 24 through 28 in their entirety and insert the following:

"An unemployment compensation law submitted to the secretary of the United States Virgin Islands for approval, shall be effective on the day after the day on which the United States secretary of labor approves such law pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, 26 U.S.C. §3304(a)."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, at the end of line 23, change "when" to "which"

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

Speaker Schexnayder in the Chair

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	Miller, G.
Amedee	Frieman	Mincey
Bacala	Gadberry	Muscarello
Bagley	Garofalo	Orgeron
Beaullieu	Geymann	Owen, C.
Bishop	Goudeau	Owen, R.
Bourriaque	Harris	Pressly
Butler	Hilferty	Riser
Carrier	Hodges	Romero
Coussan	Hollis	Schamerhorn
Crews	Horton	Schlegel
Davis	Huval	Seabaugh
Deshotel	Illg	St. Blanc
DeVillier	Johnson, M.	Stefanski
DuBuisson	Kerner	Tarver
Echols	Mack	Thomas
Edmonds	Magee	Thompson
Edmonston	McCormick	Turner
Emerson	McFarland	Villio
Farnum	McKnight	Wheat
Firment	McMahan	White
Fontenot	Miguez	Zeringue
Total - 66		

NAYS

Adams	Glover	Lyons
Boyd	Green	Marcelle
Brass	Hughes	Marino
Brown	Ivey	Miller, D.
Bryant	Jefferson	Moore
Carpenter	Jenkins	Newell
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Phelps
Carter, W.	Jordan	Pierre
Cormier	Knox	Selders
Cox	LaCombe	Stagni
Fisher	LaFleur	Willard
Freeman	Landry	
Gaines	Larvadain	
Total - 37		

ABSENT

Nelson	Wright
Total - 2	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Romero 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. 347—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1875(12)(c) and 1899(B), relative to the City Court of Alexandria; to provide relative to the use of civil filing fees and court costs in criminal matters; to provide relative to the general fund of the city of Alexandria; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Harris moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 102

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bryant Nelson Orgeron

Total - 3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 356—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FISHER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:1053(C)(2)(j), relative to the Ouachita Parish hospital service district; to provide relative to compensation for commission members; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Larvadain moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 101

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Geymann Orgeron

Nelson Wright

Total - 4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Larvadain 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. 409—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4161.1, relative to stormwater management; to authorize parishes and municipalities to create stormwater management utility districts; to provide relative to the purpose, boundaries, governance, and powers and duties of the districts; to provide for the funding of any such district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Edmonds to Engrossed House Bill No. 409 by Representative Edmonds

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 22, after "expire at" and before "end" insert "the"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of representatives who voted 'YEAS' in three columns: Mr. Speaker, Adams, Amedee, Bacala, Bagley, Beaulieu, Bishop, Bourriaque, Boyd, Brass, Brown, Bryant, Butler, Carpenter, Carrier, Carter, W., Cormier, Coussan, Cox, Crews, Davis, Deshotel, DeVillier, DuBuisson, Echols, Edmonds, Emerson, Firmont, Fisher, Fontenot, Freeman, Freiberg, Frieman, Gadberry, Gaines, Garofalo, Geymann, Glover, Goudeau, Green, Harris, Hilferty, Hodges, Hollis, Horton, Hughes, Huval, Illg, Ivey, Jefferson, Jenkins, Johnson, M., Johnson, T., Jordan, Kerner, Knox, LaCombe, LaFleur, Landry, Larvadain, Lyons, Mack, Marcelle, Marino, McCormick, McFarland, McMahan, Miguez, Miller, D., Miller, G., Mincey, Moore, Muscarello, Newell, Orgeron, Owen, C., Owen, R., Phelps, Pierre, Pressly, Riser, Romero, Schamerhorn, Seabaugh, Selders, St. Blanc, Stagni, Stefanski, Tarver, Thomas, Thompson, Turner, Villio, Wheat, White, Willard, Wright, Zeringue.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of representatives who were 'ABSENT': Carter, R., Edmonston, Farnum, Magee, McKnight, Nelson, Schlegel.

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 181—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:53(B)(1), (G)(2) and (4), and (J)(3), relative to coroner authority for telemedicine examinations; to clarify those persons who may execute an emergency certificate via actual examination or telemedicine examination; to include assistant coroners in existing emergency certificate provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. DeVillier gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 181 from the calendar on Monday, May 15, 2023.

HOUSE BILL NO. 514—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3309, relative to taxes levied on the Comite River Diversion Canal Impact Area; to provide for alternative uses of drainage taxes collected; to require a proposition for authorization of alternative uses; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Mincey gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 514 from the calendar on Tuesday, May 16, 2023.

HOUSE BILL NO. 14—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FIRMENT, EDMONSTON, AND GAROFALO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(G) and to repeal R.S. 40:989.3 and Act No. 231 of the 2019 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to add certain substances to Schedule I of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to repeal the crime of unlawful distribution of products containing Mitragyna speciosa to a minor; to repeal Act No. 231 of the 2019 Regular Session of the Legislature which listed Mitragyna as a controlled dangerous substance if and when the Drug Enforcement Administration of the United States classified the substance as a controlled dangerous substance; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRIEMAN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:529.3, relative to parole; to provide for certain disqualifying criteria for parole eligibility; to provide for denial of parole for certain offenders; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Stefanski to Engrossed House Bill No. 188 by Representative Frieman

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 4 and 5 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 6 change "(5)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the beginning of line 7 change "(6)" to "(5)"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freiberg	Mincey
Amedee	Frieman	Muscarello
Bacala	Gadberry	Orgeron
Bagley	Garofalo	Owen, C.
Beaullieu	Goudeau	Pressly
Bishop	Hilferty	Riser
Bourriaque	Hodges	Romero
Butler	Hollis	Schamerhorn
Carrier	Horton	Schlegel
Coussan	Huval	Seabaugh
Crews	Illg	St. Blanc
Davis	Ivey	Stagni
Deshotel	Johnson, M.	Stefanski
DeVillier	Kerner	Tarver
DuBuisson	LaCombe	Thomas
Echols	Mack	Thompson
Edmonds	Magee	Turner
Edmonston	McFarland	Villio
Emerson	McKnight	Wheat
Farnum	McMahen	White
Firment	Miguez	Zeringue
Fontenot	Miller, G.	
Total - 65		

NAYS

Adams	Gaines	Lyons
Boyd	Glover	Marcelle
Brass	Green	Marino
Brown	Hughes	McCormick
Bryant	Jefferson	Miller, D.

Carpenter	Jenkins	Moore
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Newell
Carter, W.	Jordan	Phelps
Cormier	Knox	Pierre
Cox	LaFleur	Selders
Fisher	Landry	Willard
Freeman	Larvadain	
Total - 35		

ABSENT

Geymann	Nelson	Wright
Harris	Owen, R.	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Frieman 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. 132—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:204(B)(11), relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to authorize the secretary to enter sponsorship agreements and to authorize placement of advertising and sponsorship signs on department property; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Thompson to Engrossed House Bill No. 132 by Representative Thompson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, between "property; and "and to" insert "to require adoption of administrative rules; to require annual reports;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 12, change "(11)" to "(11)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, between "and" and "assets" insert "other"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 15 and 16 and insert the following:

"department.

(b) No advertising or sponsorship signs may be placed pursuant to this Paragraph until the secretary promulgates rules and regulations, in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, that include, at a minimum, all of the following:

(i) Specifications regarding types of businesses with which sponsorship agreements are authorized and with which sponsorship agreements are prohibited.

(ii) Specifications regarding the size, types, and placement of advertisements and sponsorship signs that will be allowed on or within agency property.

(c) The Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism shall submit a report by February first each year to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs, the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs, and the legislature in accordance with R.S. 24:772 summarizing each sponsorship agreement that is in effect at the time of the report.

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 98

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Geymann	Miller, D.	Stagni
Harris	Nelson	
Marcelle	Owen, R.	

Total - 7

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Thompson 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. 468—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PRESSLY AND CHARLES OWEN AND SENATORS ROBERT MILLS AND MORRIS
AN ACT

To enact Subpart P of Part III of Chapter 4 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1260.41 through 1260.47, relative to health insurance; to provide with respect to health insurance issuers and healthcare providers; to provide for definitions; to provide for a documented prior authorization program; to provide for utilization review; to provide for certifications, determinations, and timeframes for notifications; to prohibit a claim denial or recoupment in certain circumstances; to provide for appeals; to provide for effectiveness; 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. 468 by Representative Pressly

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 10, following "the Joint Commission," and before "the Accreditation" change "and" to "or"

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Pressly to Engrossed House Bill No. 468 by Representative Pressly

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 1, after "means" insert "an ambulance service as defined in R.S. 40:1131."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 2, after "healthcare facility" insert comma " , "

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 17, after "hours," delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "Not later than the next business day after"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 20, delete "a utilization review determination," and insert in lieu thereof "its utilization review determination for the specific item or service for which the provider requested authorization. A health insurance issuer's referring of the provider to the specific criteria by electronic means is sufficient to meet the requirements of this Subsection."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 27, change "representative" to "authorized representative"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 5 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B.(1) For prior authorization determinations, a health insurance issuer or utilization review entity shall offer an expedited review by electronic means to the provider requesting prior authorization. When such a request is made by the provider, the health insurance issuer shall electronically communicate its decision to the provider as soon as possible, but not more than forty-eight hours from receipt of the request. If additional information is needed and requested for the health insurance issuer or utilization review entity to make its determination, the issuer or entity shall electronically communicate its decision to the provider as soon as possible, but not more than forty-eight hours from receipt of the required additional information.

(2) For any requests from a provider for prior authorization for which the health insurance issuer does not receive a request for expedited review, the health insurance issuer shall communicate its decision on the prior authorization request no more than five business days from the receipt of the request. If additional information is needed and requested for the health insurance issuer to make its determination, the health insurance issuer shall communicate its decision to the provider no more than five business days from receipt of the additional information."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, line 6, change "(2)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, line 8, after "determination" insert a period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 9 through 22 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 7, line 16, after "written" insert "or electronic"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 7, line 19, after "determination." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 20 through 22 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 8, line 5, delete "this Section" and insert in lieu thereof "Subsection B of this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 8, line 24, after "shall provide" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "the information required in R.S. 22:1260.44(E)." and delete lines 25 through 27 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 9, line 4, delete "an appeal by" and insert in lieu thereof "a"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 9, delete lines 5 through 13 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"deny, the health insurance issuer shall appoint a licensed healthcare practitioner similar in education and background or a same-or-similar specialist to conduct the peer review with the requesting provider. To be considered a same-or-similar specialist, the reviewing specialist's training and experience shall meet the following criteria:

(a) Treating the condition.

(b) Treating complications that may result from the service or procedure.

(2) The criteria set forth in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection are sufficient for the specialist to determine if the service or procedure is medically necessary or clinically appropriate. For the purpose of this Subsection, "training and experience" refers to the practitioner's clinical training and experience.

(3) When the peer review is requested by a physician, the health insurance issuer shall appoint a physician to conduct the review. The health insurance issuer shall notify the physician of its peer review determination within two days of the date of the peer review."

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 9, line 25, after "provider" insert a period "." and delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 10, line 21, after "effective" insert "on January 1, 2024." and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 22 through 25 in their entirety

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

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Frieman to Engrossed House Bill No. 468 by Representative Pressly

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 10 in their entirety and insert the following:

"B.(1) For prior authorization determinations, a health insurance issuer or utilization review entity shall offer an expedited review to the provider requesting prior authorization electronically. When such a request is made by the provider, the health insurance issuer shall electronically communicate its decision to the provider as soon as possible, but not more than sixty hours from receipt of the request. If additional information is needed and requested for the issuer or entity to make its determination, the issuer or entity shall electronically communicate its decision to the provider as soon as possible, but not more than sixty hours from receipt of the required additional information.

(2) For any requests for prior authorization for which the health insurance issuer does not receive a request for expedited review from the provider, the issuer shall communicate its decision on the prior authorization request no more than eight calendar days from the receipt of the request. If additional information is needed and requested for the issuer to make its determination, the issuer shall communicate its decision to the provider no more than eight business days from the receipt of the additional information."

Rep. Frieman moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Pressly objected.

By a vote of 21 yeas and 76 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

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Amendments proposed by Representative Jordan to Engrossed House Bill No. 468 by Representative Pressly

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 7, after "22:1019.1" and before the period "." insert "and the Office of Group Benefits"

Rep. Jordan moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Pressly objected.

By a vote of 40 yeas and 57 nays, the amendments were rejected.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Echols to Engrossed House Bill No. 468 by Representative Pressly

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 7, insert "It shall also mean the administration of any self insured or self funded health plan."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 17, after "Within" and before "hours" change "twenty-four" to "seventy-two"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 9, at the beginning of line 19, change "(1)(a)" to "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 9, delete lines 24 and 25 in their entirety

Rep. Echols moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Pressly objected.

By a vote of 74 yeas and 20 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Freeman	McCormick
Adams	Freiberg	McFarland
Amedee	Frieman	McKnight
Bacala	Gadberry	McMahon
Bagley	Gaines	Miguez
Beaulieu	Garofalo	Miller, G.
Bishop	Glover	Mincey
Bourriaque	Goudeau	Moore
Boyd	Green	Muscarello
Brass	Harris	Newell
Brown	Hilferty	Orgeron
Bryant	Hodges	Owen, C.
Butler	Hollis	Phelps
Carpenter	Horton	Pierre
Carrier	Hughes	Pressly
Carter, R.	Huval	Riser

Carter, W.	Illg	Romero
Cormier	Ivey	Schamerhorn
Coussan	Jefferson	Schlegel
Cox	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Crews	Johnson, M.	Selders
Davis	Johnson, T.	St. Blanc
Deshotel	Jordan	Stagni
DeVillier	Kerner	Stefanski
DuBuisson	Knox	Tarver
Echols	LaCombe	Thomas
Edmonds	LaFleur	Thompson
Edmonston	Landry	Turner
Emerson	Larvadain	Villio
Farnum	Lyons	Wheat
Firment	Mack	White
Fisher	Magee	Willard
Fontenot	Marino	Zeringue
Total - 99		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Geymann	Miller, D.	Owen, R.
Marcelle	Nelson	Wright
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Wheat gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 179 from the calendar on Wednesday, May 17, 2023.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Romero gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 199 from the calendar on Thursday, May 11, 2023.

Suspension of the Rules

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

Petitions, Memorials, and Communications

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

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 10, 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. 22
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 86
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,
YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

HOUSE BILLS

May 10, 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. 113
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 123
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 200
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 230
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 294
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 319
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,
YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 10, 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. 41, 42 and 44

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. 41—
BY SENATOR SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Hahnville High School teacher Brittany Bonnaffons upon being named the 2023 Louisiana Teacher of the Year.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—
BY SENATOR SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize, commend, and congratulate Harry Hurst Middle School principal David Schexnaydre as the 2023 Louisiana Principal of the Year.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 44—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Senator Gerald Boudreaux for being selected as the recipient of the 2023 Boys & Girls Clubs of America State Alliance Champion of the Year Award.

Read by title.

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

Suspension of the Rules

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

**Petitions, Memorials, and
Communications**

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

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

May 10, 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. 12, 16, 39, 135 and 191

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. 12—
BY SENATOR FIELDS AND REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1137.3(E) and (F) and to enact R.S. 40:1137.3(G), relative to automated external defibrillators (AED); to require an AED on the premises of each postsecondary institution and each elementary, middle, and high school; to require an AED at certain athletic events; to require an individual trained in the use of the AED and first-aid CPR at the events; to provide for a cardiac emergency response plan; to provide for rules and regulations; to create a special fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

SENATE BILL NO. 16—
BY SENATOR BERNARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:423(J), relative to parish boards of election supervisors; to provide for member compensation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

SENATE BILL NO. 39—
BY SENATORS BOUDREAUX, BARROW, HARRIS AND HENRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Subpart O of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and to enact R.S. 39:100.62, relative to special funds; to create the Community Options Waiver Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for dedication of certain revenues and for the deposit and use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

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.

Lies over under the rules.

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.

Lies over under the rules.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Schamerhorn, 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. 142—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHAMERHORN AND CHARLES OWEN
A RESOLUTION

To commend Billy Lewis on the occasion of his retirement.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 143—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE
A RESOLUTION

To authorize and request the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice, or a subcommittee thereof, to study and make recommendations concerning the policies and procedures of high-speed pursuits by law enforcement officers and to report its findings prior to the convening of the 2024 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 144—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the citizens of Louisiana to practice proper Louisiana state flag etiquette and to fold the Louisiana state flag with reverence and respect.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on
Administration of Criminal Justice

May 10, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 91, by Goudeau
Reported with amendments. (9-0-1)

House Bill No. 331, by Carrier
Reported favorably. (9-0-1)

House Bill No. 598, by Newell
Reported without action, with recommendation that it be
recommitted to the Committee on Health and Welfare. (14-0-1)

JOSEPH A. MARINO, III
Chairman

Report of the Committee on
Education

May 10, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Resolution No. 17, by Firment
Reported favorably. (7-0)

House Resolution No. 101, by Echols
Reported favorably. (8-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 43, by Brass
Reported favorably. (8-0)

House Bill No. 121, by Amedee
Reported with amendments. (9-0)

House Bill No. 169, by Owen, Robert
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Bill No. 315, by Owen, Charles
Reported with amendments. (8-0)

House Bill No. 400, by Glover (Joint Resolution)
Reported favorably. (8-0)

LANCE HARRIS
Chairman

Report of the Committee on
Health and Welfare

May 10, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 497, by Stefanski
Reported favorably. (14-0)

House Bill No. 572, by Goudeau
Reported by substitute. (12-4)

Senate Bill No. 20, by McMath
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 24, by Pope
Reported favorably. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 29, by Boudreaux
Reported with amendments. (13-0)

Senate Bill No. 64, by Fesi
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 66, by Mills, Fred
Reported with amendments. (13-0)

Senate Bill No. 186, by Peacock
Reported favorably. (11-0)

LAWRENCE A. "LARRY" BAGLEY
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments,
except Senate Bill No. 186, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on
House and Governmental Affairs

May 10, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Resolution No. 1, by Schlegel
Reported favorably. (12-0-1)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 9, by Mincey
Reported favorably. (9-0-1)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 17, by Mincey
Reported favorably. (9-0-1)

House Bill No. 288, by Freiberg
Reported favorably. (9-0-1)

House Bill No. 383, by Amedee
Reported with amendments. (8-0-1)

House Bill No. 396, by Jenkins
Reported with amendments. (10-0-1)

House Bill No. 449, by Willard
Reported with amendments. (9-0-1)

House Bill No. 472, by Mincey
Reported favorably. (10-0-1)

House Bill No. 487, by Ivey (Joint Resolution)
Reported with amendments. (6-5)

House Bill No. 506, by Adams
Reported with amendments. (11-0-1)

House Bill No. 597, by Ivey
Reported with amendments. (9-2-1)

JOHN M. STEFANSKI
Chairman

Report of the Committee on
Insurance

May 10, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 569, by Thompson
Reported with amendments. (6-4)

House Bill No. 601, by Huval

Reported with amendments. (9-0)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19, by Talbot
Reported with amendments. (8-0)

Senate Bill No. 110, by Talbot
Reported with amendments. (8-0)

Senate Bill No. 113, by Hewitt
Reported with amendments. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 143, by Henry, Cameron
Reported with amendments. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 188, by Stine
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

MIKE HUVAL
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments,
except Senate Bill No. 110, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on
Natural Resources and Environment

May 10, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 312, by Carter, Robby
Reported with amendments, with recommendation that it be
recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.
(13-0)

Senate Bill No. 59, by Bernard
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 68, by Connick
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 100, by Lambert
Reported favorably. (10-0)

JEAN-PAUL P. COUSSAN
Chairman

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

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

May 10, 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. 15
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 42
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 53
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 55

Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 102
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

DODIE HORTON
Chair

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

May 10, 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. 31—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY AND SCHAMERHORN
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Many High School football team on winning the
Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2022 Division III
state championship.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 132—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE
A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 10, 2023, as the thirty-ninth annual
Red and White Day at the Louisiana state capitol.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 133—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Court Appointed Special Advocate
programs and volunteers.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 134—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER AND MINCEY
A RESOLUTION

To commend Deputy Brett Savant of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's
Office on being named 2023 Deputy of the Year by the
Louisiana Sheriffs' Association.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 135—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER AND LACOMBE
A RESOLUTION

To commend Deputy Christopher Hogan of the West Baton Rouge
Parish Sheriff's Office on receipt of the Louisiana Sheriffs'
Association's 2023 Deputy Valor Award.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 136—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUSTIN MILLER
A RESOLUTION

To commend Lavaille Lavette on her many accomplishments.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 137—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER
A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives on the
death of Janice Rae Anderson Williams.

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 10, 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. 74—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY AND SEABAUGH AND SENATORS MILLIGAN AND PEACOCK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Calvary Baptist Academy softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Select Division III state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY AND SEABAUGH AND SENATORS MILLIGAN AND PEACOCK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the North DeSoto High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division II state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY, SCHAMERHORN, AND SEABAUGH AND SENATOR BERNARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Converse High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division V state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, BACALA, BRASS, AND EDMONSTON AND SENATORS LAMBERT AND PRICE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the St. Amant High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division I state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER AND MINCEY AND SENATOR LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the French Settlement High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division IV state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, GAINES, AND GREGORY MILLER AND SENATORS PRICE AND SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Riverside Academy High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Select Division IV state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Tulane University for its history of academic excellence.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EMERSON, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIAQUE, COUSSAN, DEVILLIER, GOUDEAU, HUGHES, HUVAL, MIGUEZ, PIERRE, STEFANSKI, AND ZERINGUE AND SENATORS ABRAHAM, BARROW, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, DUPLESSIS, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HENRY, HEWITT, JACKSON, LAMBERT, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, POPE, PRICE, SMITH, STINE, TALBOT, AND TARVER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Donald Gifford "Don" Briggs and to recognize his outstanding achievements.

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. Gaines, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Judiciary to meet on Thursday, May 11, 2023, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill No. 439

Senate Bill No. 169

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Bishop, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Ways and Means to meet on Tuesday, May 16, 2023 upon adjournment of the House, a day not permitted by the previously adopted schedule.

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 5:44 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Thursday, May 11, 2023, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Thursday, May 11, 2023.

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT
Clerk of the House

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

Committee Meeting Notices

The following committees posted notices as follows:

Committee on Judiciary

Will meet at: 9:30 a.m.

Date: Thursday, May 11, 2023

Location: Committee Room 1

Remarks:

- HCR 6 OWEN, CHARLES CRIMINAL/TRIALS** Authorizes and directs the adjutant general of the Louisiana National Guard to determine if application of the current procedures of the Uniform Code of Military Justice may result in a nonunanimous verdict and to take the necessary actions to prevent such verdicts
- HB 217 LAFLEUR COURTS** Provides relative to commissioners of the Nineteenth Judicial District Court
- HB 218 MARCELLE COURTS** Provides with respect to the selection of the chief judge for the City Court of Baton Rouge
- HB 229 MAGEE COURTS** Provides relative to electronic filings
- HB 305 BROWN, CHAD COURTS** Provides relative to electronic signatures by judges
- HB 365 CARRIER COURTS/COURT COSTS** Provides relative to fees dedicated to the operational costs of the office of coroner in Concordia Parish
- HB 397 MINCEY EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS** Provides relative to parish homeland security and emergency preparedness agency requests during an emergency
- HB 439 BRYANT (TBA) FUNDS/FUNDING** Creates the Victims of Vehicular Homicide Fund (**Subject to Rule Suspension**)
- HB 588 GAINES CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Provides relative to convictions rendered by a verdict from a non-unanimous jury
- SCR 8 KLEINPETER LAW ENFORCEMENT** Creates the Task Force on Safety for Law Enforcement Officers Involved in High Speed Vehicle Pursuits to study and review police officer training and protocols necessary to increase the safety of law enforcement officers and innocent bystanders.
- SB 36 PRICE SHERIFFS** Provides for funding of certain insurance costs for retirees of the Ascension Parish Sheriff's Office. (8/1/23)
- SB 115 BOUDREAUX VETERANS** Provides relative to educational benefits for children, spouses, and surviving spouses of certain veterans. (gov sig)
- SB 169 MIZELL (TBA) EVIDENCE** Provides for tracking rape kits from collection through conviction. (8/1/23) (**Subject to Rule Suspension**)

Any person who does not feel comfortable giving testimony in person may submit a prepared statement in accordance with House Rule 14:33 in lieu of appearing before the committee:

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

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

the data or statistical information contained in the prepared statement was obtained by the person or persons who prepared the statement.

NOTE: Statements emailed to h-jud@legis.la.gov and received prior to noon on Wednesday, May 10, 2023, will be distributed to the committee members prior to the meeting.

RANDAL L. GAINES
Chairman

Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

Date: Thursday, May 11, 2023

Remarks:

MEETING IS CANCELLED.

BARBARA W. CARPENTER
Chairman

Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

Will meet at: 9:30 a.m.

Date: Thursday, May 11, 2023

Location: Committee Room 6

Remarks:

HCR 42 CORMIER PARKS Memorializes congress to establish Fort Jackson in Plaquemines Parish as a national park

HCR 50 MAGEE HISTORIC COMMEMORATION Provides relative to an America 250 state commission

HCR 51 DEVILLIER HISTORIC COMMEMORATION Recognizes Liberty Theater in Eunice as the Center for Louisiana Culture and Folklife

HCR 56 FREEMAN MUNICIPALITIES/NO Forms a special committee to study and make recommendations concerning taxation of short-term rentals and other types of commercial housing enterprises operating in New Orleans

HB 25 HOLLIS LIBRARIES Provides relative to parish and municipal libraries

HB 128 LACOMBE PROPERTY/SUBSTANDARD Provides relative to nuisance ordinances regarding grass cutting in West Baton Rouge Parish

HB 129 C A R T E R , W I L F O R D DISTRICTS/REDEVELOPMENT Repeals the provisions of the Lake Charles North Redevelopment Authority

HB 134 MARCELLE CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL Provides relative to the qualifications of members of the municipal fire and police civil service board in the city of Baton Rouge

HB 201 MCCORMICK PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS Provides relative to the boundaries of the Caddo-Bossier Port

HB 269 LANDRY DISTRICTS/CRIME PREVENT Provides relative to the Delachaise Security and Improvement District in Orleans Parish

- HB 275** **JOHNSON, TRAVIS DISTRICTS/HOSPITAL SERVC** Provides relative to Concordia Parish Hospital Service District No. 1
- HB 276** **LANDRY MUNICIPALITIES/NO** Provides relative to fines for building code violations in New Orleans
- HB 335** **CARTER, WILFORD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** Creates the North Lake Charles Economic Development District
- HB 354** **BROWN, CHAD TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY** Authorizes the city of Plaquemine to levy a hotel occupancy tax
- HB 358** **LACOMBE DISTRICTS/WATERWORKS** Provides relative to the membership of the governing board of Waterworks District No. 1 of Pointe Coupee Parish
- HB 373** **DEVILLIER WATER/DRINKING WATER** Provides relative to drinking water providers
- HB 410** **GLOVER MUSEUMS** Establishes the Shreveport Water Works Museum as a facility within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism
- HB 608** **MCCORMICK PARISHES** Provides relative to zoning regulations and restrictions in Caddo Parish
- HB 624** **BUTLER DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL** Creates the Evangeline Economic Development Authority in Evangeline Parish

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RICK EDMONDS
Chairman

Weekly Committee Schedules

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:

Committee on Appropriations
Monday, May 15, 2023
Committee Room 5
9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 125** **ECHOLS AGRICULTURE** Provides relative to agriculture land protection against foreign adversaries
- HB 149** **MARINO LEGISLATORS** Provides for the compensation of members of the legislature
- HB 205** **BRYANT SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES** Requires additional compensation for teachers and other school employees under certain circumstances
- HB 258** **WRIGHT HIGHER EDUCATION** Establishes a state maritime academy within the University of Louisiana System
- HB 272** **WILLARD INSURANCE/HEALTH** Provides relative to maternity support services of doulas
- HB 412** **WHITE, M EARLY CHILDHOOD** Establishes a program to be administered by the La. Educational Television Authority for the purpose of encouraging reading for young children and creates a fund within the state treasury for the purpose of funding the program
- HB 419** **JOHNSON, TRAVIS MEDICAID** Provides relative to Medicaid coverage for the Psychiatric Collaborative Care Model
- HB 580** **HUVAL MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS** Provides relative to the operation of a motor vehicle while using a wireless telecommunication device

SB 65 **MILLS, FRED PHARMACEUTICALS** Provides relative to state procurement of pharmacy benefit manager services by use of reverse auction technology. (8/1/23)

SB 101 **CORTEZ FUNDS/FUNDING** Provides for the distribution of funds from the Lafayette Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund. (7/1/23)

SB 116 **HENRY, CAMERON BUDGET PROCEDURE** Provides for an increase in the allocation of funds to parish councils on aging for senior centers. (gov sig)

SB 146 **CORTEZ FUNDS/FUNDING** Provides for Megaprojects Leverage Fund investments. (gov sig)

The chairman gives notice that in the event the legislative instruments listed below are referred to the House Committee of Appropriations, the chairman intends to seek a suspension of the rules to add these legislative instruments to the agenda:

HB 2 **BISHOP CAPITAL OUTLAY** Provides for the comprehensive Capital Outlay budget

HB 597 **IVEY LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR** Provides for a portal to provide comprehensive financial and other information to the public

V. ADJOURNMENT

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JEROME "ZEE" ZERINGUE
Chairman

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure
Monday, May 15, 2023
Committee Room 4
10:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 176 JEFFERSON PROPERTY** Provides relative to transfer of ownership of movable property
- HB 244 BISHOP FUNDS/FUNDING** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to the Revenue Stabilization Trust Fund
- HB 259 MARCELLE APPROPRIATIONS** (Constitutional Amendment) Creates an exception to maximum one-year period for appropriations for nongovernmental entities
- HB 537 HODGES CONTRACTS** Provides for a prohibition against foreign adversary purchasing, leasing, or acquiring land
- SB 63 MIZELL RELIGIOUS FREEDOMS/LIBERTIES** Constitutional Amendment to provide that the right of freedom of worship in churches or other places of worship is a fundamental right that is worthy of the highest order of protection.

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GREGORY A. MILLER
Chairman

Committee on Commerce
Monday, May 15, 2023
Committee Room 1
9:30 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 615 HODGES COMMERCE** Assesses fees on remittances of money to foreign countries and dedicates fee proceeds to salary increases for teachers and to costs of English as a second language programs in public schools
- SB 51 MILLIGAN UTILITIES** Provides relative to the Louisiana Electric Utility Energy Transition Securitization Act. (gov sig)
- SB 160 CORTEZ HORSE RACING** Provides relative to the powers and duties of the Louisiana Racing Commission. (7/1/23)
- SB 182 CONNICK COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS** Increases penalties for violations relative to the purchase of junk, used or secondhand property or scrap metal. (8/1/23)
- SB 190 SMITH, G. CONTRACTORS** Provides relative to certain payments for home improvement contracting services. (8/1/23)
- SB 218 WOMACK WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT** Provides for powers, duties, and functions of the State Plumbing Board. (8/1/23)
- SCR 30 PEACOCK ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** Commends and expresses support for economic trade and friendship between the state of Louisiana and the Republic of China (Taiwan).

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PAULA P. DAVIS
Chairman

Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works

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NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED

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MARK WRIGHT
Chairman

Committee on Ways and Means
Monday, May 15, 2023
Committee Room 6
10:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 386 BEAULLIEU TAX CREDITS** Establishes a tax credit for infant adoptions and the Strong Louisiana Families Tax Credit for donations to certain social service organizations
- HB 443 EDMONDS TAX CREDITS** Establishes a refundable individual income tax credit for certain adoptions
- HB 452 BOURRIAQUE TAX CREDITS** Establishes a tax credit for the development of certain affordable housing projects
- HB 483 MAGEE TAX CREDITS** Provides relative to the rehabilitation of historic structures tax credit
- HB 513 MAGEE TAX CREDITS** Establishes an insurance premium tax credit for retaliatory taxes paid by certain domestic insurers
- HB 622 BEAULLIEU TAX/CORP INCOME** Increases the net operating loss deduction allowed for tax year 2023 and thereafter

OTHER BUSINESS:

- To review and approve the third party convenience fee schedule for certain online transactions pursuant to R.S. 49:316.1 for the Office of Motor Vehicles
- To review and approve the third party convenience fee schedule for certain online transactions pursuant to R.S. 49:316.1 for the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy
- To review and approve the third party convenience fee schedule for certain online transactions pursuant to R.S. 49:316.1 for the Department of Public Safety

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Tuesday, May 16, 2023
Committee Room 6
Upon Adjournment of the House

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 32 SCHLEGEL TAX/INCOME TAX** Increases the amount of the individual income tax deductions for elementary and secondary school tuition, educational expenses for home-schooled children, and educational expenses for a quality public education
- HB 127 HUGHES TAX/STATE** Exempts from state excise and sales and use taxes items given free of charge as samples at conventions, trade shows, and similar events
- HB 145 WRIGHT TAX/INCOME TAX** Provides for a flat rate for purposes of calculating the income tax for individuals, estates, and trusts
- HB 146 WRIGHT TAX/CORP INCOME** Provides for a flat rate for purposes of calculating the corporate income tax
- HB 247 LANDRY TAX/INCOME-INDIV/CREDIT** Establishes a tax credit for purchases of firearm safety devices
- HB 255 LANDRY TAX CREDITS** Establishes a tax credit for restaurants that recycle oyster shells
- HB 330 JOHNSON, MIKE TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT** Exempts from state and local sales and use tax agricultural fencing materials and trailers acquired by commercial farmers
- HB 411 GLOVER TAX CREDITS** Expands the types of investments eligible for the insurance premium tax credit

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