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**THIRTY-FIFTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Fiftieth Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, May 15, 2024

The House of Representatives was called to order at 1:15 P.M., by the Honorable Michael Johnson, Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives.

**Morning Hour**

**ROLL CALL**

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

**PRESENT**

Mr. Speaker	Egan	McMahan
Adams	Emerson	McMakin
Amedee	Farnum	Melerine
Bacala	Firment	Mena
Bagley	Fisher	Miller
Bamburg	Fontenot	Muscarello
Bayham	Freeman	Myers
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Newell
Berault	Gadberry	Orgeron
Billings	Galle	Owen
Bourriaque	Geymann	Phelps
Boyd	Glorioso	Riser
Boyer	Green	Romero
Brass	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Braud	Henry	Schlegel
Brown	Hilferty	Selders
Bryant	Horton	St. Blanc
Butler	Hughes	Stagni
Carlson	Illg	Tarver
Carpenter	Jackson	Taylor
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thompson
Carter, W.	Kerner	Turner
Carver	Knox	Ventrella
Chassion	LaCombe	Villio
Chenevert	LaFleur	Walters
Coates	Landry, J.	Wilder
Cox	Landry, M.	Wiley
Deshotel	Larvadain	Willard
Dewitt	Lyons	Wright
Dickerson	Mack	Wyble
Domangue	Marcelle	Young
Echols	McCormick	Zeringue

Edmonston                      McFarland  
Total - 101

The Speaker Pro Tempore announced that there were 101 members present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Pastor Nick Watts of Next Generation First Baptist Church in Lafayette.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Rep. Carlson 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. Bacala, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Bacala, the Journal of May 14, 2024, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials, and  
Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**SENATE BILLS**

May 15, 2024

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. 113, 416, 444, 499 and 507

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. 113—**  
BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1892(H), 1892.2(F), and 2303(A)(1), relative to Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to provide for liability; to provide for rates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 416—**  
BY SENATOR BOUIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:158(K) and to enact R.S. 17:158(L), relative to school buses; to provide with respect to the operation of school buses that transport public school students; to enhance the safety of students by requiring disciplinarians or other

school personnel to ride on the buses at certain times; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 444—**

BY SENATORS JACKSON-ANDREWS, ABRAHAM, BOUDREAU, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, EDMONDS, FESI, FIELDS, HARRIS, HENRY, KLEINPETER, LAMBERT, MIGUEZ, MORRIS, OWEN, REESE, STINE, TALBOT, WHEAT AND WOMACK

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1865(E) and to enact R.S. 22:1860.3(E), relative to pharmaceutical reimbursements; to provide relative to reimbursement by pharmacy benefit managers; to provide relative to appeals; to provide for information provided to the commissioner of insurance; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 499—**

BY SENATOR REESE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 22:1295 and R.S. 22:1295(1)(a) and (e), (4), and (5) and the introductory paragraph of 1296(B) and to enact R.S. 22:1295(7), relative to uninsured motorist coverage; to provide for uninsured motorist coverage; to provide an exception to uninsured motorist coverage; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 507** (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 419 by

Senator Talbot)—

BY SENATOR TALBOT

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(N) as enacted by Section 1 of Act 1 of the 2024 Second Extraordinary Session and R.S. 40:1379.3(I)(1) and (2) and (L) and 1382(A)(1) and (C) and to enact R.S. 40:1382(D), relative to the illegal carrying of handguns; to provide relative to negligent carrying of a concealed handgun; to increase the penalties for negligent carrying of a concealed handgun in certain areas; to provide for returning a forfeited handgun; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Amedee, 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 BILLS**

May 15, 2024

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. 10  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 21  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 27  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 40  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 42  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 58  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 64  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 77  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 100  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 117  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 124  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 136  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 147  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 161  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 162  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 175  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 204  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 205  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 208  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 227  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 232  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 257  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 278  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 311  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 316  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 399  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 432  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 443  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 470  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 507  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 511  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 520  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 552  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 557  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 592  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 605  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 732  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 754  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 755  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 757  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 789  
Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 864  
Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 905  
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,  
YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the Senate**  
**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN**  
**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 15, 2024

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. 36 and 39

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. 36—**

BY SENATOR STINE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to apply any means necessary to reverse the liquified natural gas (LNG) export pause implemented by the Biden Administration and to allow Louisiana LNG to serve global markets and avoid a disastrous energy shortage worldwide.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—**

BY SENATOR CATHEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Commission on the Equitable Distribution of Certain Ad Valorem Taxes, to study and make recommendations on changes to the state's tax laws in an effort to more equitably distribute assessed value of certain property for purposes of ad valorem taxes.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

May 15, 2024

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. 3—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

A RESOLUTION

To continue and reestablish the Judicial Structure Task Force created by House Resolution No. 30 of the 2022 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 61—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

### A RESOLUTION

To authorize and request the House Committee on Ways and Means, or a subcommittee thereof, to conduct a study of the state's tax structure; to examine and develop recommendations concerning the potential elimination of certain taxes, potential reforms to state tax exemptions and credits, and funding of transportation projects; and to report findings and recommendations from the study to the legislature prior to the convening of the 2025 Regular Session.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 101—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TURNER, AMEDEE, CARVER, FREIBERG, OWEN, TARVER, TAYLOR, AND YOUNG

### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) to study the role of ACT and WorkKeys scores in the school and district accountability system.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 111—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE OWEN

### A RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to reform the Foreign Intelligence & Surveillance Act and the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court and restore the rights of privacy and unreasonable search and seizure that have been taken from the American people by actions of congress.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 119—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON

### A RESOLUTION

To request the chairman of the House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development to appoint a subcommittee, entitled the Louisiana Emergency Beetle Committee, to study and make recommendations on rules and actions to address the devastation of the forest industry due to the recent drought and infestation of beetles and other pests that are killing pine and other trees and to address issues arising from any laws or regulations that restrict or prohibit local and state entities from removing infested trees from private properties.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 133—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE OWEN

### A RESOLUTION

To request the House Select Committee on Homeland Security to review state government actions during the Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic, including the related shutdowns and other postpandemic activities, and to make recommendations to improve the state's response in future health emergencies.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 168—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. BLANC

### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to consider the adoption of a policy allowing online public schools to administer state assessments remotely and in a virtual setting.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 173—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MELERINE, BRYANT, CARVER, CHASSION, EDMONSTON, FREIBERG, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, KNOX, MCMAHEN, MYERS, OWEN, SELDERS, TAYLOR, WALTERS, AND YOUNG

### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Education to study and make recommendations to school districts relative to automated graduation progress monitoring initiatives in the effort to enhance timely high school graduation.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 227—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWELL

### A RESOLUTION

To commend Katherine Grinstead on the occasion of her eightieth birthday.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 228—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN AND BOYD

### A RESOLUTION

To commend Iam Tucker on being named National 2024 Small Business Person of the Year.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 229—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE EGAN

### A RESOLUTION

To designate the month of May as ALS Awareness Month in Louisiana.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 232—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE

### A RESOLUTION

To designate Wednesday, May 15, 2024, as Homeschool Day at the state capitol.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 233—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS

### A RESOLUTION

To commend Dominion and Power Ministries on the occasion of its twenty-fifth anniversary.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 234—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS

### A RESOLUTION

To designate Tuesday, May 14, 2024, as Aviation Day at the state capitol.

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 235—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MENA AND BAYHAM

### A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of L'il Murphy Hines, Jr.

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 15, 2024

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. 44—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MELERINE, BRYANT, CARVER, CHASSION, FREIBERG, KNOX, MYERS, NEWELL, OWEN, PHELPS, SELDERS, TARVER, TAYLOR, WYBLE, AND YOUNG

### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to explore the creation of an appeals process for certain students who do not pass the state-administered, end-of-course assessments required for high school graduation and to submit

a written report to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education, which includes a status update and any recommendations for related legislation, not later than March 1, 2025.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 46—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TARVER AND KNOX

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to prioritize policies pertaining to suicide prevention and mental health education in its rulemaking process as authorized by House Bill No. 320 of this 2024 Regular Session should that bill become law.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES GLORIOSO, BAGLEY, BAMBURG, BRAUD, FIRMENT, FREEMAN, HEBERT, ILLG, JORDAN, JACOB LANDRY, MENA, AND WILDER

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the commissioner of insurance to investigate the potential to create a Coastal Reinsurance Assistance Program designed to provide reinsurance coverage for homeowners' policies at a much lower cost to property insurers and thus, providing significant savings to property owners.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES OWEN, AMEDEE, EDMONSTON, MELERINE, TARVER, AND TAYLOR

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents and each public postsecondary education management board to closely scrutinize the hiring of professors and instructors from foreign adversaries as defined by the Code of Federal Regulations for positions of scholarship and especially leadership at public postsecondary education institutions.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 72—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAFLEUR, BAYHAM, BOYD, BRASS, CARPENTER, CARVER, CHASSION, DICKERSON, FREIBERG, GREEN, JORDAN, KNOX, LYONS, MARCELLE, MENA, SCHLEGEL, SELTERS, TAYLOR, WILLARD, AND YOUNG

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a task force and urge and request the State Department of Education to conduct a comprehensive study on school start times and submit written reports of findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than February 1, 2025.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 121—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TARVER, BOURRIAQUE, CARRIER, WILFORD CARTER, FARNUM, GEYMAN, OWEN, AND ROMERO AND SENATORS ABRAHAM, REESE, AND STINE

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Daryl V. Burckel on the occasion of his retirement as president of McNeese State University.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 124—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT AND SENATOR LUNEAU

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Montgomery High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2024 Division IV Non-Select state championship.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 125—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GADBERRY AND SENATOR BOUIE

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 15, 2024, as LMA Municipal Day at the state capital.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 127—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE OWEN

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the citizens of Louisiana who lost their lives on June 6, 1944, in the D-Day invasion in Normandy, France.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 128—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRASS AND WILEY AND SENATORS LAMBERT AND PRICE

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Lutchter High School baseball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2024 Division II Non-Select state championship.

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.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

May 15, 2024

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 Bills have been properly enrolled:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 10—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ILLG

## AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 11:1671(B), relative to the District Attorneys' Retirement System; to provide for interest on accounts maintained by the board of trustees; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 21—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3425(B) and Code of Civil Procedure Article 5094, relative to absent persons; to provide for service of process by commercial courier; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 26—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAMBURG

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 404(H), relative to jury commissions; to provide for the functions of the jury commission in the parish of Red River; to transfer the functions of the jury commission to the clerk of court of Red River Parish; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 27—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3715.1(B)(1), relative to service of process; to provide for delivery of notice of subpoena for medical records by commercial courier; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 31—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FREIBERG, BACALA, BAYHAM, BOYD, BRASS, CHASSION, COX, FISHER, HUGHES, JACKSON, LARVADAIN, MCMAKIN, MILLER, MYERS, NEWELL, SELTERS, STAGNI, WALTERS, WILLARD, WYBLE, AND YOUNG

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:927(A) and to enact R.S. 11:927(B)(4) and (F), 929(B)(2)(d), and 932, relative to the optional retirement plan of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for election to join the defined benefit

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plan; to provide for membership; to provide relative to administrative fees charged by the system; to provide relative to certain single-sum cash payments from the optional retirement plan; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 45—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3403(A), relative to the certification of Montessori teachers; to provide relative to the entities providing certification and accreditation of training courses; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 58—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, ADAMS, BAYHAM, BOYD, BOYER, BRASS, CARLSON, FISHER, FONTENOT, GLORIOSO, HORTON, JACKSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JORDAN, KNOX, LAFLEUR, MCMAKIN, SELDERS, VILLIO, WALTERS, WILEY, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS CLOUD AND KLEINPETER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:62(A) and to enact R.S. 14:62(C), relative to the offense of simple burglary; to provide for elements of simple burglary; to provide for liability; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 61—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HORTON, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BAYHAM, BILLINGS, BOYD, BRYANT, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CHASSION, CHENEVERT, DAVIS, DICKERSON, ECHOLS, EMERSON, FONTENOT, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, KNOX, MOORE, OWEN, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, SELDERS, TAYLOR, AND WALTERS AND SENATORS COUSSAN AND TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:26.1(B)(9) (introductory paragraph), relative to the Louisiana National Guard; to provide relative to definitions; to provide relative to death and disability benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 77—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:467(B)(3) (introductory paragraph) and (c) and 468(E)(3), relative to sales of certain services and tangible personal property at certain facilities; to provide for the disposition of certain sales and use tax proceeds collected from the Angola State Penitentiary Prison Rodeo; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 100—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARLSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4844 and R.S. 13:1443(B), relative to civil jurisdiction for parish and city courts; to remove the jurisdictional amounts in eviction proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 109—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:964(A) and 966(K)(2) and to enact R.S. 49:964(D), relative to administrative procedure; to provide for processes to review agency rules; to provide relative to the availability of information regarding the ability of the public to request rule changes; to require the Office of the State Register to provide for a portal for such purposes; to require agencies to review rules each year; and to require certain information to be including in an agency's annual report to the appropriate committees of the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 117—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GREEN, BAYHAM, BOYD, BRYANT, CHASSION, FREEMAN, KNOX, MANDIE LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MENA, TAYLOR, VILLIO, WALTERS, AND WILLARD AND SENATORS BARROW, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, DUPLESSIS, FIELDS, HARRIS, AND JACKSON-ANDREWS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.230, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to establish the "Mystic Krewe of Femme Fatale" specialty license plate; to provide for the creation, issuance, design, fees, implementation, distribution, and rule promulgation applicable to such license plate; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 124—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BEAULLIEU AND TAYLOR  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 60 of the 2023 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana and to repeal Section 3 of Act No. 60 of the 2023 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to the Uniform Transfer to Minors Act; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 134—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROMERO, AMEDEE, BOYER, BUTLER, HENRY, JACOB LANDRY, MCCORMICK, MCMAHEN, SCHAMERHORN, THOMPSON, AND WYBLE

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 15-B of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:5091 through 5093, relative to the regulation of fuel used in agricultural machinery and fishery equipment; to provide for a short title; to provide for definitions; to prohibit a parish or municipality from adopting any local law restricting the use or disposition on or imposing a fee or tax on agricultural machinery and fishery equipment; to prohibit local regulations that create differing standards for or distinguish fuel used in agricultural machinery and fishery equipment from other fuels or agricultural machinery and fishery equipment; to exempt the use of agricultural machinery used on property owned by a parish or municipality; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 136—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, ADAMS, BAYHAM, BERAULT, BILLINGS, CARRIER, WILFORD CARTER, CARVER, CHASSION, DEWITT, DOMANGUE, EMERSON, FISHER, GREEN, MIKE JOHNSON, KERNER, MYERS, OWEN, SCHLEGEL, TAYLOR, THOMPSON, WALTERS, WYBLE, AND EGAN AND SENATORS BARROW, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CLOUD, EDMONDS, HARRIS, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, MCMATH, MIGUEZ, MILLER, MIZELL, MORRIS, PRESSLY, SEABAUGH, TALBOT, AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 175 in Mansfield, Louisiana, in DeSoto Parish as the "Jerius Marshall Highway"; to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 133 in Start, Louisiana, in Richland Parish as the "Luke Letlow Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 149—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:494, relative to the regulation of alcoholic beverages in parishes and municipalities; to provide relative to the sale of certain alcoholic beverages in the town of Winnsboro; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 162—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.121(B)(1), relative to the capital outlay savings fund; to provide for the withdrawal of monies from the fund under certain circumstances; to provide for certain limitations and restrictions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 175—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:107.4(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 14:107.4(F), relative to unlawful posting of criminal activity for notoriety and publicity; to provide relative to the elements of the offense; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 187—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2494(C)(6), relative to the city of Kenner; to provide relative to the classified police service; to provide relative to the certification and appointment of eligible persons; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 193—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TURNER AND CHASSION

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:978(I), relative to prescribing controlled substances; to authorize the transfer of a prescription or prescription information for controlled substances between pharmacies; to require conformance with certain federal provisions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 204—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TURNER AND CHASSION

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(F)(5), (6), and (26) and to enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(A)(101) through (105), (C)(69) through (72), (D)(8) through (10), and (F)(30) and (Schedule IV)(B)(59), relative to naming language and the composition of various schedules of controlled substances; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 208—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLIO, ADAMS, BACALA, BILLINGS, BOYD, BOYER, CARLSON, CHASSION, CHENEVERT, DAVIS, DEWITT, EMERSON, FISHER, HORTON, HUGHES, KNOX, LAFLEUR, MOORE, NEWELL, OWEN, SCHLEGEL, SELTERS, AND TAYLOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:34.9(L) and (N) and 35.3(L) and (N), relative to certain domestic violence offenses; to provide for additional penalties when the offense involves strangulation; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 230—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 582, relative to post conviction relief; to provide with respect to time limitations for commencing a new trial once a mistrial has been declared or a defendant obtains a new trial; to specify that a new trial may be obtained through a motion for new trial, appeal, post conviction relief, or any other mechanism provided in state or federal law; to provide that the time delays apply to all of those circumstances; to provide that if the state seeks review of the granting of the new trial, time limitations do not commence to run until the judgment granting the new trial has become final by the state exhausting all avenues of appeal and review; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 232—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 10:3-416(b) and (c), 3-417(b), (c), and (e), 4-207(c) and (d), and 4-208(b), (c), and (e), relative to warranties for negotiable instruments and bank deposits and collections; to provide for breach of warranty notice requirement procedures; to provide for liability of parties; to provide for attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 237—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.23(B), (D), (E)(4), (F)(1), (2)(b) and (c), and (3), and (I)(1), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Faubourg Marigny Security and Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed within the district; to provide relative to the amount, expiration, and renewal of the fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 240—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4602, 4622(B)(1), (2), and (3), (C), (D), (E), and (G), and 4624 and to enact R.S. 3:4622(F) and (H), relative to weighing and measuring devices; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to subsequent inspections of weighing and measuring devices and fees; to provide for the authority of the commissioner of agriculture and forestry; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 246—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3(B) of Act No. 557 of the 1974 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the city of Zachary; to provide relative to the municipal civil service system; to provide relative to the governing board for the system; to provide relative to the qualifications of board members; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 257—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MANDIE LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1995(A), relative to directives of the commissioner of insurance; to provide relative to consumer complaint directives; to provide timeframes for compliance; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 264—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUGHES, BAYHAM, BOYD, BUTLER, CARLSON, ROBBY CARTER, CARVER, DEWITT, FISHER, GREEN, LAFLEUR, JACOB LANDRY, LARVADAIN, MENA, SELTERS, TAYLOR, THOMPSON, WALTERS, AND WYBLE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:183.3(B)(2)(b), (c), and (f), 5025(2)(b), (3)(c), (5), and (8), and 5026(A)(2)(c), (3)(b), and (5) and to enact R.S. 17:7.2(A)(9), 280.3, 3996(B)(82), 5025(9), 5025.7, and 5026(F), relative to curricula; to revise the courses required in the high school career major program; to add Computer Science as a required high school course; to require teacher education programs include computer science education; to provide for alignment with the core curriculum required for qualification for TOPS awards; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 278—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 1 of Act No. 50 of the 2023 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the designation of Louisiana Highway 383 in Jefferson Davis Parish; to change the mile marker identifiers for the designation of the memorial highway; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 284—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:264(B)(2) and to repeal R.S. 3:264(B)(5), relative to the Louisiana Agricultural Finance Authority; to provide for membership of the authority; to require certain appointments by the governor; to remove a member appointed from a list provided by the Community Bankers of Louisiana; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 319—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES NEWELL AND CHASSION

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:536(A)(introductory paragraph) and (C), relative to notice of change in polling place; to provide for including the reason for the change when giving notice of a

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change in polling place; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 327—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:4278.6, relative to timber harvesting operations; to require a written contract or agreement to conduct certain timber harvesting operations; to require the commissioner of agriculture and forestry to adopt rules and regulations; to authorize the commissioner to impose penalties after an adjudicatory hearing; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 346—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3807(B)(1) and 3808(A)(2) and (O)(2), relative to arborists; to provide for arboricultural examination requirements; to provide for utility arboricultural examination requirements; to provide for license renewal requirements for arborists and utility arborists; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 361—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES STAGNI, BROWN, WILFORD CARTER, FISHER, HUGHES, JACKSON, LACOMBE, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, NEWELL, OWEN, AND TAYLOR  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1029(B), relative to colorectal cancer screening; to provide for insurance coverage of routine colorectal cancer screening; to establish sources of recommended testing and screening; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 367—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN, ECHOLS, BAYHAM, BILLINGS, BOYD, COATES, FISHER, FREIBERG, MANDIE LANDRY, LYONS, MYERS, ORGERON, RISER, TAYLOR, WALTERS, WYBLE, AND HEBERT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:170.23, relative to state symbols; to provide relative to Native Plant Month; to designate the month of April as Native Plant Month; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 409—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:648(2) and 648.1(introductory paragraph), relative to harassment and disturbance of hunters, trappers, and fishermen; to provide definitions; to expand the state lands and waters on which the prohibition against harassment and disturbance applies; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 464—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:255(Z), relative to witness fees; to provide relative to witness fees in the city of Pineville; to provide for the transfer of certain surplus witness fees; to provide for certain limitations and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 480—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MYERS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:164(D)(3), (E), and (F), relative to income tax withholding; to provide requirements for income tax withholdings on certain winnings; to provide for procedures of the Department of Revenue with respect to certain income tax withholdings; to require reporting in connection with such withholdings; to require promulgation of administrative rules; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 520—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1964(14)(q), relative to unfair and deceptive acts and practices in the business of insurance; to provide relative to reports of adjusters; to provide relative to disclosure of certain repair estimates; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 557—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2136.2(A) and (B), relative to the Louisiana Protective Order Registry; to provide for the purpose of the registry; to provide for the contents of the registry; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 600—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CARPENTER, BOYD, WILFORD CARTER, CHASSION, DEWITT, FREIBERG, GREEN, MIKE JOHNSON, KNOX, LAFLEUR, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, MOORE, NEWELL, PHELPS, SELDERS, STAGNI, TAYLOR, AND WALTERS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:500.2(F), 1202(F), and 1206.2(F), relative to sick leave banks for school employees; to authorize employees to donate leave directly to other employees; to require a certain percentage of leave balances to be retained in sick banks; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 601—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CARPENTER, ADAMS, BRYANT, CARRIER, WILFORD CARTER, CHASSION, DOMANGUE, FISHER, FONTENOT, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, KNOX, MARCELLE, NEWELL, PHELPS, SELDERS, TAYLOR, AND WALTERS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:8.1(F), relative to teachers; to authorize the principal of each public school to notify parents upon a child's assignment to the classroom of a temporary, uncertified teacher or a teacher who has a nonstandard teaching certificate or has been granted authorization to teach; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 605—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1968, 1969(A)(introductory paragraph), and 2191(B)(1), relative to insurance matters; to provide relative to hearing notices and violations; to provide for electronic or physical delivery of notices; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 628—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOMANGUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1483(8), 1491.6(F), 1495.4(F), and 1505.2(H)(3)(a), relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to provide for certain elections and the application of the Act thereto; to change the definition of election; to provide for reports for certain elections and the duties of the supervisory committee relative thereto; to provide for contribution limits and reporting periods relative to candidates in such elections; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 658—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HENRY AND ROMERO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:977.3(C), relative to the administrative revocation, suspension, annulment, or withdrawal of a license; to provide for notice through electronic means; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 675—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WYBLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1511.5, 1511.7, 1511.8(C), and 1511.11(A), relative to actions for the enforcement of violations of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to provide for the



filing of administrative proceedings before the Ethics Adjudicatory Board; to provide for removal to district court; to provide for venue; to provide for the determination of secrecy of certain accounts and records; to provide for the precedence of actions in district court; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 701—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARVER  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart M-1 of Part IV of Chapter 4 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1430.1 through 1430.4, relative to the regulation of insurance; to create the Insurance Regulatory Sandbox Act; to provide for a short title; to provide for innovation waivers; to provide for requirements of applicants; to provide relative to the authority of the commissioner of insurance; to provide for consumer protections; to provide for disclosures; to provide for extensions of time; to provide for rulemaking; to require reporting; to provide for reciprocity; to provide for a termination date; to provide for an effective date; to provide for redesignation of laws; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 732—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, BOYD, BRASS, BRYANT, CARPENTER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CHASSION, COX, FISHER, GREEN, HUGHES, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JORDAN, KNOX, LAFLEUR, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, MCFARLAND, MOORE, NEWELL, SELDERS, TAYLOR, THOMPSON, WALTERS, AND YOUNG AND SENATORS BARROW, BOUDREAU, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, DUPLESSIS, EDMONDS, FIELDS, HARRIS, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, MCMATH, AND PRICE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.230, relative to motor vehicle license plates; to establish the "Grambling State University World Famed Tiger Marching Band" specialty license plate; to provide for the creation, issuance, design, implementation, fees, distribution, and rule promulgation applicable to such license plates; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 746—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAHEN, BACALA, BAGLEY, FISHER, HORTON, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, TAYLOR, AND WALTERS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5554.1(B)(introductory paragraph), (C)(2), (D), and (E), relative to the Bossier Parish Retired Employees Insurance Fund; to provide relative to eligible retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs; to increase the total amount of principal and earnings in the Bossier Parish Retired Employees Insurance Fund; to provide relative to limitations on fixed income investments; to provide relative to limitations on withdrawal and appropriation of monies; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 754—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:842.4, relative to the establishment of the Complex Litigation Section Pilot Program in the Nineteenth Judicial District Court; to provide for definitions; to authorize the clerk of court of East Baton Rouge Parish to establish the Complex Litigation Section Pilot Program; to provide for additional filing fees in certain civil suits; to establish the Complex Litigation Section Fund; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 757—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:991(A), relative to court costs; to provide relative to judicial expense funds of district courts; to provide relative to the judicial expense fund for the Nineteenth Judicial District Court; to increase filing fees and court costs in civil suits; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 760—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES STAGNI, BAYHAM, WILFORD CARTER, COX, ILLG, SCHLEGEL, AND VILLIO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:1653(1) and (17), 1655(E)(3), 1661, and 1665(B) and to enact R.S. 48:1655(E)(4), relative to the Regional Transit Authority; to provide for the withdrawal from the authority by a participant; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 789—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:964(H), relative to court reporters for the Fourteenth Judicial District Court; to extend application of fees to all reported and transcribed cases; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 790 (Substitute for House Bill No. 196 by Representative Bamburg)—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAMBURG  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:1429, relative to the insurance fraud investigation unit within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to repeal the effectiveness provision of the insurance fraud investigation unit; and to provide for an effective date.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 814—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES YOUNG, BAYHAM, BILLINGS, BOYD, BRASS, BRYANT, CARPENTER, WILFORD CARTER, CHASSION, DICKERSON, DOMANGUE, EMERSON, GREEN, HORTON, HUGHES, JACKSON, JORDAN, KNOX, LAFLEUR, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MCMAHEN, MENA, MOORE, NEWELL, SELDERS, TAYLOR, TURNER, VENTRELLA, WILLARD, AND WYBLE AND SENATORS BARROW, CARTER, CATHEY, DUPLESSIS, EDMONDS, HARRIS, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, LAMBERT, PRESSLY, PRICE, AND TALBOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:358 and 369(A)(1), relative to barber colleges; to provide for student admission; to provide for student age requirements; to provide for qualifications and reciprocity of out-of-state registered barbers; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 825—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:388(B)(4)(b)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 32:388(B)(1)(b)(v) and (4)(b)(xvi) through (xviii), relative to trucks hauling construction aggregates; to provide that such authorization to exceed the maximum gross vehicle weight limit shall not apply in certain circumstances; to provide for exceptions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 837—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1483(A) and (B)(1), relative to the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide relative to claims approved by the board; to provide for payment of such claims; to raise the limit on the individual value of such claims that may be paid from current tax collections; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 884—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUGHES, ADAMS, FISHER, AND MARCELLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1619(B)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 39:1619(E) and 1621(D), relative to procurement by public postsecondary education management boards; to provide relative to procurement of consulting services and social service contracts; to authorize master service agreements for such services in certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 905—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FREIBERG, BAYHAM, BEAULLIEU, BERAULT, BILLINGS, BOYD, CARVER, CHASSION, COX, DAVIS, DEWITT, DOMANGUE, FISHER, GREEN, HILFERTY, HUGHES, ILLG, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JORDAN, LAFLEUR, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MILLER, MOORE, MYERS, RISER, SELDERS, STAGNI, TAYLOR, WALTERS, WYBLE, AND ZERINGUE

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:3049.2, relative to juror per diem compensation in the Nineteenth Judicial District Court; to establish a two-year pilot program that enables jurors to voluntarily donate their per diem compensation to certain organizations; to provide for the use of donations; to exempt certain information from public records; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 910—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3801(F)(introductory paragraph) and 3802(A), relative to the Horticulture Commission; to transfer the authority to adopt rules and regulations from the commission to the commissioner of agriculture and forestry; to require the commission to enforce the rules and regulations adopted pursuant to law; to require the commissioner to employ personnel for the commission; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 964 (Substitute for House Bill No. 359 by Representative Deshotel)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2586(C)(7) and (8), relative to justice of the peace courts in Avoyelles Parish and Evangeline Parish; to provide relative to jurisdiction and procedures; to provide for jurisdiction over property standards and nuisance violations; to provide relative to summons and subpoenas by constables; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 968 (Substitute for House Bill No. 587 by Representative Bryant)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:3810(A)(9), relative to insurance for arborists; to require an arborist license for obtaining liability insurance; to provide for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHANIE HILFERTY  
Chairwoman

The above House Bills contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Governor for executive approval.

## Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

May 15, 2024

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. 13  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 72  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 107  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 149  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 190  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 205  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 213  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 237  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 262  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 294  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 312  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 336  
Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 357  
Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 384  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 429  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 449  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 466  
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 497  
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

DODIE HORTON  
Chair

## Speaker DeVillier in the Chair

### Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Wiley, 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. 236—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILEY

### A RESOLUTION

To designate Wednesday, June 5, 2024, as Ascension Credit Union Day in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 132—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Capitol Security Council to study the feasibility of updating the screening devices and related procedures at the state capitol and to report its findings to the legislature not later than February 1, 2025.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 133—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of James David Cain.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**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. 130—**  
BY SENATOR BASS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 1732 and 1733(A)(2)(a), relative to civil actions; to provide relative to the jury trial threshold; to provide with respect to limitation upon jury trials; 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. 192—**  
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1057(B)(24) and (30), (D)(4), and (H) and to repeal R.S. 51:1057(B)(12) through (14), (17), (23), (25), and (29), relative to the Empowering Families to Live Well Louisiana Council; to provide for membership of the council; to provide for the duties and functions of the council; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 489—**  
BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1578.6(A) and (C), 1578.7(A), (B), (C), (D), and (E), 1730.22(A), 1730.23(A), 1730.28(A)(1), 1730.39(A)(1) and (C), 1733, 1737(A), 1738(A) and (B), and 1740, and to repeal R.S. 40:1732, and 1734 through 1736, relative to the fire marshal; to provide for powers of the fire marshal; to provide for the Louisiana Uniform Construction Code; to provide for adoption of certain codes; to provide for

accessibility of buildings; 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.

**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. 191—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and provide recommendations relative to the feasibility of statewide bail schedules and to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the legislature no later than thirty days before the convening of the 2025 Regular Session.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 193—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MANDIE LANDRY

A RESOLUTION

To create and provide for a subcommittee of the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to examine matters relative to the procedures of reporting missing persons and unidentified and unclaimed remains.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 207—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS

A RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana Department of Health to study and make recommendations on how to reduce the number of licensing boards of health professions

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 211—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER

A RESOLUTION

To direct the office for citizens with developmental disabilities to extend its Family Flexible Fund waiver provision in cases of emergency via administrative rule.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 85—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MANDIE LANDRY

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to conduct a study of the criminal statutes relating to white-collar crimes, financial crimes, and crimes involving elected officials and provide recommendations to the legislature no later than thirty days before the convening of the 2025 Regular Session.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 97—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

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

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 97 by Representative Echols

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "request" and before "Louisiana" insert "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17, change "citizens" to "residents"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 20, change "citizens" to "residents"

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

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To memorialize the United States Congress and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) to grant Louisiana a waiver to allow the Louisiana Department of Children and Family Services to remove unhealthy foods from the list of approved foods that may be purchased with Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 105 by Representative Romero

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Children and Family Services shall present the rule waiver to the House and Senate committees on health and welfare prior to submitting the rule waiver to the United States Department of Agriculture."

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

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 113—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To create a task force to study the implementation and impact of the Family Connects model of postpartum newborn nurse home visiting in Louisiana and other states, to develop policy and funding recommendations to implement the Family Connects model in this state, to provide for the composition and duties of the task force, and to report findings to the Louisiana Legislature.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 114—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To create a task force to study the potential expansion of behavioral healthcare providers who are eligible for enhanced Medicaid reimbursement.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 115—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To direct the Department of Children and Family Services to seek a rule waiver from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) to remove unhealthy foods from the list of approved foods that may be purchased with Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 115 by Representative Romero

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Children and Family Services shall present the rule waiver to the House and Senate committees on health and welfare prior to submitting the rule waiver to the United States Department of Agriculture."

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

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 119—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE EGAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana Department of Health to evaluate the current standards for psychiatric hospitals and residential substance abuse facilities and make recommendations to the legislature for new or revised standards to improve health outcomes and increase accountability.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 119 by Representative Egan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 18, after "hospitals" and before "that" delete "and residential substance abuse facilities"

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

On motion of Rep. Miller, the resolution, as amended, 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. 453—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 571 and 571.1, relative to limitations upon the institution of prosecution; to provide that there is no time limitation upon the institution of prosecution for the crime of molestation of a juvenile or a person with a physical or mental disability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

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

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 10—**  
BY SENATOR PRESSLY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:1705, relative to commercial regulations; to provide relative to separate juridical personalities of a business organization; to provide for definitions; to provide for an exception; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 31—**  
BY SENATOR WHEAT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1665(C)(1) and 1665.2(C)(1), relative to survivor benefits; to provide for survivor benefits for dependent children of firemen and law enforcement officers; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 64—**  
BY SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.52(A) and 100.56(D)(1) and (G), to enact R.S. 39:100.52(E), 100.56(K)(2)(c), and 100.56(O), and to repeal R.S. 39:100.56(N), relative to the Water Sector Program; to provide relative to the Water Sector Fund; to remove an outdated reference to a previous transfer of funds; to provide relative to Water Sector Program guidance requirements; to require rate studies for grant recipients; to provide relative to adjustments of grant awards; 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 Senate Bill No. 64 by Senator Reese

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## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 39:100.52(A)" insert "and (C)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "39:100.52(E)" delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert "and (F) and 100.56(K)(2)(c) and (O),"

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "funds;" insert the following:

"to create a Phase II Subfund and provide for the deposit, distribution, and administration of new grants within the program; to create the Emergency Subfund and provide for the deposit, distribution, and administration of emergency grants;"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 6, after "requirements;" insert "to provide relative to the authority of the Water Sector Commission and the division of administration;"

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 10, after "R.S. 39:100.52(A)" insert "and (C)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 11, delete "39:100.52(E), 100.56(K)(2)(c), and 100.56(O)" and insert "39:100.52(E) and (F) and 100.56(K)(2)(c) and (O)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 2 through 5 and insert the following:

"C. Monies in the fund shall be used to provide grant funding for repairs, improvements, and consolidation of water systems and sewer systems pursuant to the Water Sector Program as provided in R.S. 39:100.56 or any other purpose as provided for in this Section. Except as provided in Subsections D and F of this Section and R.S. 100.56(K)(2), expenditure of monies in the fund shall require prior approval of the Water Sector Commission and the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget.

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E. The Phase II Subfund is hereby created in the state treasury as a subfund in the Water Sector Fund. Monies appropriated or transferred to the Phase II Subfund shall be deposited by the state treasurer after compliance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana. Monies in the Phase II Subfund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the Water Sector Fund, and any interest earned on the investment of Phase II Subfund monies shall be credited to the Phase II Subfund. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the Phase II Subfund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the Phase II Subfund. Any monies deposited into the Phase II Subfund shall be used only to provide grant funding for repairs, improvements, consolidation, and related expenses of community water and sewer systems as provided in R.S. 39:100.56(O).

F. The Emergency Subfund is hereby created in the state treasury as a subfund in the Water Sector Fund. Monies appropriated or transferred to the Emergency Subfund shall be deposited by the state treasurer after compliance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana. Monies in the Emergency Subfund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the Water Sector Fund, and any interest earned on the investment

of Emergency Subfund monies shall be credited to the Emergency Subfund. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the Emergency Subfund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the Emergency Subfund. Monies in the Emergency Subfund shall be used only to provide emergency grant funding to address or mitigate an emergency related to a community water system or community sewer system as provided in R.S. 39:100.56(O). No monies shall be expended from the Emergency Subfund without prior approval of the Water Sector Commission, Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget approval is required for approval of emergency grant funding requests in excess of two hundred thousand dollars."

## AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 12, after "requirements," insert "rate study requirements," and after "requests" delete the comma ","

## AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, delete line 3, and insert the following:

"O.(1)(a) Any monies deposited into the Phase II Subfund on or after July 1, 2024 shall"

## AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 5, after "systems" and before "pursuant" insert "awarded"

## AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"(b)(i) Any monies deposited into the Emergency Subfund shall be used only to provide emergency grant funding to address or mitigate an emergency related to a community water system as defined in R.S. 40:5.8 or community sewer system as defined in the state Sanitary Code, if such system is under a court appointed receivership in accordance with R.S. 30:2075.3, R.S. 33:42, or R.S. 40:5.9, or under the appointment of a fiscal administrator in accordance with R.S. 39:1351 et seq.

(ii) Notwithstanding any provision of this Section to the contrary, any award of emergency grant funding shall be made in accordance with the procedures and requirements for requests and approvals of funding for emergencies and receivership expenses as provided in the guidance promulgated pursuant to this Subsection."

## AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, at the end of line 8, insert "emergency grants and"

## AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, at the end of line 11, insert "award and"

## AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 12, after "administration of" insert "emergency grants and"

## AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, line 14, after "ratings," delete "and"

## AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, line 15, after "infrastructure" and before "The" delete "needs." and insert "needs, and procedures for requests and approvals of funding for emergencies and receivership expenses."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 3, line 21, after "costs for" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"program awards made pursuant to the provisions of this Subsection. The proposal shall be submitted"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 3, line 22, after "approval" delete the remainder of the line and insert "at the same time the guidance is submitted to the commission."

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 3, line 25, after "costs" delete "subject to appropriation." and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 3, line 27, after "costs for" delete the remainder of the line and insert "program awards made pursuant to the provisions of this Subsection."

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, delete lines 7 and 8 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(5)(a) Each grant recipient shall be required to provide matching funds, as provided for in the guidance, unless the commission recommends reducing or waiving the match requirement.

(b) A rate study shall be completed on each grant recipient as provided for in the guidance."

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 4, line 11, delete "promulgation" and insert "approval by the commission"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 4, line 15, delete "Proposals" and insert "The applicant's proposal for use of grant monies"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 4, line 17, delete "Assurance the entity" and insert "An assurance the applicant"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 4, line 23, after "commission." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 24 through 27

AMENDMENT NO. 26

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

"(a) The amount of proposed matching funds for each project or a recommendation for a waiver or a decreased match for any project based on the commission's"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 5, line 6, after "provide the" and before "match" insert "full, required"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 5, line 11, change "fund" to "Phase II Subfund"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 5, line 16, change "Section" to "Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 5, delete line 18

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 5, line 19, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 64 by Senator Reese

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 9 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 64 by Senator Reese, on page 2, line 29, following "2024" insert "₂"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In House Committee Amendment No. 24 proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 64 by Senator Reese, on page 4, line 2, following "An assurance" and before "the applicant" insert "that"

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 75—**

BY SENATOR MORRIS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 253 and 2853, Code of Criminal Procedure Article 14.1, and R.S. 44:116(D) and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 44:116(E)(1) and R.S. 44:116(E)(2), to enact Section 4 of Chapter 3 of Title I of Book VI of the Code of Civil Procedure, to be comprised of Code of Civil Procedure Article 2911, Code of Criminal Procedure Article 14.2, R.S. 9:2761 and 2762, and R.S. 44:117, and to redesignate Code of Civil Procedure Article 258 and R.S. 44:117, relative to electronic filing and record retention; to provide for the filing of pleadings, documents, and exhibits in civil proceedings; to provide for the filing, retention, and recordation of testaments; to provide for electronic and facsimile filings in criminal proceedings; to provide for the effectiveness of electronic records; to provide for the reproduction, maintenance, and destruction or return of original records; to provide for the preservation of filings in the conveyance records; to provide for redesignations; 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 Senate Bill No. 75 by Senator Morris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 4, after "document" and before "shall" insert "or exhibit"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 5, after "document" and before "shall" insert "or exhibit"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 8, line 12, after "of" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 8, line 16, after "and" and before "return" delete "may thereafter" and insert "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 8, delete line 17 in its entirety and insert "indicated person and to the address shown on the first page of the record, or if no such person and address is indicated, to any vendee or other transferee whose name and address are stated in the instrument. The clerk shall verify that the copy of the record is complete and legible prior to the return or disposal of the original record."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 8, line 23, after "records" and before the comma " ," insert "on or prior to December 31, 2004"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 8, line 25, after "who" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 26 through 27 in their entirety and on line 28, delete "in this Section." and insert the following:

" is indicated and to the address shown on the first page of the record, or if no such person and address is indicated, to the person who presented the record after the clerk of court has done all of the following:

- (a) Received certification from the state archivist that the records are not subject to R.S. 44:406 or 411.
- (b) Preserved the record as provided in this Section.
- (c) Verified that the copy of the record is complete and legible."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 9, line 5, after "original" and before "of" insert "or, when permitted by R.S. 44:116, a complete and legible copy"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 9, line 6, after the period "." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 7 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 9, after line 13, add the following:

"Section 6. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to create a cause of action against a clerk of court for destruction or disposition

of records prior to the effective date of this Act in accordance with the law in effect at the time of the destruction or disposition."

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 75 by Senator Morris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No.5 proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 75 by Senator Morris, on page 1, line 13, following "The clerk" and before "shall" insert "of court"

On motion of Rep. Muscarello, Jr., the amendments were adopted.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 110—**  
BY SENATOR PRESSLY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 10:1-201(b)(10), (15), (21)(C), (24), (27), (36), and (37), 1-204(introductory paragraph), 1-301(g)(8), 3-104 (a)(introductory paragraph) and (3), 3-105(a), 3-401, 3-604(a), 4A-103(a)(1)(introductory paragraph), 4A-201, 4A-202(b) and (c), 4A-203(a)(1), 4A-207(b)(2) and (c)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 4A-208(b)(2), 4A-210(a), 4A-211(a) and (d), 4A-305(b) through (d), 5-104, 5-116(a) and (b), 7-102(a)(11), 7-106(b)(introductory paragraph) and (4), 8-102(a)(6)(i) and (b), 8-106(d)(3), 8-303(b), 9-102(a)(2),(3), (4)(A), (7), (11), (31), (42), (47), (61), (66), (75), and (79) and (b), 9-104(a)(2) and (3), 9-105, 9-107.1, 9-107.2, 9-203(b)(3)(A), (C), and (D), 9-204(b)(introductory paragraph), 9-207(c)(introductory paragraph), 9-208(b)(introductory paragraph), (1), and (3) through (7), 9-209(b), 9-210(a)(2) through (4), (b), (c), (d)(introductory paragraph), and (e)(introductory paragraph), 9-301(introductory paragraph) and (3)(introductory paragraph), 9-304(a), 9-305(a)(introductory paragraph), 9-310(b)(8), 9-312(a) and (e), 9-313(a), (c), and (d), 9-314(a) through (c), 9-316(a)(introductory paragraph) and (f)(introductory paragraph), 9-317(b) and (d), 9-323(d)(introductory paragraph) and (f)(introductory paragraph), 9-324(b)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (d)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 9-330(a), (b), and (f), 9-331(a) and (b), 9-332, 9-334(f)(1), 9-341(introductory paragraph), 9-404(a)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 9-406(a), (b)(introductory paragraph), (c), (d)(introductory paragraph), and (g), 9-408(g), 9-412(a), 9-509(a)(1) and (b)(introductory paragraph), 9-513(b)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (c)(introductory paragraph), 9-601(b), 9-605, 9-608(a)(1)(C), 9-611(a)(1), (b), (c)(introductory paragraph) and (3)(A), and (e)(introductory paragraph) and (2)(B), 9-613, 9-614, 9-615(a)(3)(A) and (4), 9-616(a)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (B) and (2)(A), (b)(1)(A), and (c)(introductory paragraph), 9-619(a)(introductory paragraph), 9-620(a)(2)(introductory paragraph), (b)(1), (c)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph) and (C), and (f)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 9-621(a)(1), 9-624, 9-628(a)(introductory paragraph) and (b)(introductory paragraph), and 9-629(a)(1) and (2), and to enact R.S. 10:1-201(b)(16.1), 1-301(g)(9), 5-116(c), (d), (e), (f), and (g), 7-106(c) through (i), 8-103(h), 8-106(h) and (i), 8-110(g), 9-102(a)(7.1), (7.2), (27.1), (27.2), and (54.1), 9-104(a)(4), 9-107.3, 9-107.4, 9-203(b)(3)(E), 9-204(b.1), 9-208(b)(8), 9-305(a)(5), 9-306.1, 9-306.2, 9-310(b)(8.1), 9-314.1, 9-317(f) through (i), 9-326.1, 9-406(l), 9-408(h), 9-628(f), Chapter 12 of



Title 10 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 10:12-101 through 12-107, and Chapter 13 of Title 10 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 10:13-101 through 13-306, relative to transactions involving existing and new classes of assets; to provide for new types of digital assets; to provide for security interests in digital assets; to provide for tethered digital assets; to provide take-free rules for digital assets; to provide relative to governing law for digital assets; to provide relative to chattel paper; to provide relative to hybrid transactions; to provide for the negotiability of certain instruments; to provide for updates in terminology; to provide for transition rules; to provide for technical corrections; 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 Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 110 by Senator Pressly

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, line 20, after "12" and before the comma " 1 " insert "of this Title"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 11, line 21, delete "Subsection" and insert "Paragraph"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 11, line 22, change "(b)(1) of this Section" to "(b)(1) of this Subsection"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 15, line 23, change "readily to" to "to readily"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 15, line 25, change "readily to" to "to readily"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 16, line 6, change "Subsection" to "Subparagraphs"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 16, line 14, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 16, line 21, change "Subsection" to "Subparagraphs"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 16, line 24, delete the comma " 1 "

##### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 17, line 4, after "Chapter 9" and before "otherwise" insert "of this Title"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 18, line 12, delete the comma " 1 "

##### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 18, line 23, after "Chapter 9" and before "otherwise" insert "of this Title"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 27, line 21, change "Subsection" to "Subparagraphs"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 27, line 29, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 28, line 9, change "Subsection" to "Subparagraphs"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 28, line 13, delete the comma " 1 "

##### AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 28, line 28, delete the comma " 1 "

##### AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 37, line 17, delete "this Part, this"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 37, line 18, delete "Chapter, or"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 37, line 22, delete "this Part, this Chapter, or"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 46, at the end of line 28, add "of this Title"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 46, line 29, after "12" and before "not" insert "of this Title"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 47, line 6, after "12" and before the period " 1 " insert "of this Title"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 47, line 7, after "12" and before the period "." insert "of this Title"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 47, line 9, after "12" and before the period "." insert "of this Title"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 49, line 11, after "in" and before "(e)" delete "Subsection" and insert "Subsections"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 52, line 14, change "Subsection" to "Subparagraph"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 28

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On page 53, line 22, after "with" and before "(c)" delete "Subsection" and insert "Subparagraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 53, line 23, after "by" and before "(c)" delete "Subsection" and insert "Subparagraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 56, line 4, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 56, line 6, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 59, line 19, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 59, line 21, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 62, line 7, after "with" and before "(a)" delete "Subsection" and insert "Subparagraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 64, line 28, change "Subsection" to "Subparagraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 66, line 13, after "Chapter 9." and before "of" delete "The definitions in Chapter 9" and insert in lieu thereof "As provided in Chapter 9 of this Title, the definitions"

## AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 66, line 16, change "Chapter 1 contains" to "Chapter 1 of this Title contains"

## AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 66, line 34, after "Chapter 9" and before the comma "," insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 68, line 22, after "Chapter 9" and before "is" insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 69, line 13, change "Subsection" to "Items"

## AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 69, line 21, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 70, line 3, change "Subsections" to "Items"

## AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 70, line 19, after "Chapter 9" and before "otherwise" insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 72, line 12, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 72, line 20, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 72, line 28, change "Subsections (d)(1) and" to "Paragraph (d)(1) and Subsection"

## AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 72, line 29, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 74, line 10, change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

## AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 75, line 14, change "Chapter 1 contains" to "Chapter 1 of this Title contains"

## AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 75, line 23, after "Part 3" and before the comma "," insert "of this Chapter"

## AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 76, delete line 2 in its entirety, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"this Part, Chapter 9 of this Title as amended by this Act and Chapter 12 of this Title apply to a"

## AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 76, line 10, after "Chapter 9" and before "as" insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 76, line 11, after "Chapter 12" and before "if" insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 78, line 18, after "Chapter 9" and before "as" insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 78, line 21, after "Chapter 9" and before "as" insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 78, line 27, after "Chapter 12" and before "determines" insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 78, line 28, after "Chapter 9" and before "as" insert "of this Title"

## AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 79, line 2, after "Chapter 9" and before "as" insert "of this Title"

AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 79, line 4, after "Chapter 12" and before "determines" insert "of this Title"

AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 79, line 6, after "Chapter 9" and before "as" insert "of this Title"

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 164—**  
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:851(V), relative to the Office of Group Benefits; to provide relative to eligibility; to provide relative to health coverage programs for certain employees; to provide relative to employer premium contributions; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 246—**

BY SENATORS LUNEAU, BARROW, BASS, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CONNICK, DUPLESSIS, EDMONDS, FIELDS, HARRIS, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, KLEINPETER, MIZELL, MORRIS, OWEN, PRICE, SEABAUGH, STINE AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 386 of the 2022 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to prescription; to provide relative to the prescriptive period for certain civil actions against a person for certain acts committed against a minor; to provide relative to implementation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 278—**

BY SENATOR JACKSON-ANDREWS AND REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:972.1, relative to the Louisiana Pregnancy and Baby Care Initiative; to provide for the Louisiana Pregnancy and Baby Care Initiative within the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide for administrative structure of the initiative through a general contractor and subcontractors; to provide for a service program managed by the general contractor; to provide for program services; to provide for program eligibility; to provide for reporting; to provide for an implementation date; to provide for a prohibition on expenditure

of funds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 301—**

BY SENATOR MIGUEZ

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 67 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 to be comprised of R.S. 51:3300 through R.S. 51:3303, relative to firearms and ammunition retailers; to provide relative to payment card transactions involving firearms and ammunition retailers; to provide for definitions; to provide for violations; to provide for remedies; to provide relative to terms, conditions, and procedures; 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 Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 301 by Senator Miguez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "1950" and before "to" insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, delete "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 3, change "financial institution's" to "covered entity's"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 4, delete "firearms" and insert in lieu thereof "merchant category"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 6, change "financial institution" to "covered entity"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

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

"(3) "Covered entity" means an entity, or agent of an entity, that establishes a relationship with a retailer for the purpose of processing credit, debit, or prepaid transactions."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 9, change "(3)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 11 through 14 in their entirety

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## AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 18, after "state" and before "and" delete the comma " , "

## AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, delete lines 20 through 22 in their entirety

## AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 23, change "(8)" to "(7)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:

"(8) "Merchant category code" means the code, approved by the international organization for standardization or an equivalent successor organization specifically for firearm retailers, that is assigned to a retailer based on the types of goods and services offered to a retailer's customers."

## AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, delete line 26 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"other card that is issued to a customer and allows the customer to"

## AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 2, line 28, after "entity" insert a comma " , " and "or agent of an entity."

## AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, line 1, after "settlements" and before "and" delete the comma " , "

## AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, line 2, delete "in order"

## AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 3, delete lines 4 and 5 in their entirety

## AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 3, line 11, after "official" and before "and" delete the comma " , "

## AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 3, delete lines 14 through 29 in their entirety, and on page 4, delete lines 1 through 10 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B. A payment card network shall not require or incentivize the use of a merchant category code in a manner that distinguishes a firearm retailer from other retailers."

"C. A covered entity shall not assign a firearm retailer a merchant category code that distinguishes the firearm retailer from other retailers."

## AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 4, line 12, delete "or a district attorney"

## AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, line 17, delete "or district attorney"

## AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 4, line 20, delete "or a"

## AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 4, delete line 21 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "in accordance with this Section, the attorney general"

## AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 4, line 29, delete "or a district attorney"

## AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 5, line 3, after "factors" and before the comma " , " insert "resulting from the violation"

## AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 5, delete line 6 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "of the Constitution of Louisiana."

## AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 5, line 9, delete "and district attorneys have" and insert in lieu thereof "has"

## AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 5, delete line 13 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"that a merchant category code was required to be permitted or assigned by law."

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

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

## **SENATE BILL NO. 318—** BY SENATOR WOMACK

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:72.1(A)(1) and R.S. 39:112(E)(4) as enacted by Section 1 of Act 82 of the 2023 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to capital outlay; to provide with respect to the capital outlay process; to require a nonstate entity to maintain an escrow account for certain projects; to provide for escrow account balance requirements; to provide relative to compliance with audit requirements; to require the commissioner of administration to promulgate rules; to provide for exemptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

Reported without amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 353—**  
BY SENATOR MIZELL

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3552, 3555(A)(14)(a), 3556(A)(1), (2), (B)(3), (C) and (D), 3559(A), 3561(A)(2)(b) and (E), and 3564(A) and (C) and to repeal R.S. 37:3556.1, relative to massage therapists and massage establishments; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to licensure, qualifications, and regulations; to provide for methods of instruction; to provide for course of study; to provide relative to license renewal requirements; to provide relative to advertising; to provide with respect to regulations of advertisements by a massage therapist or a massage establishment; to provide for an effective date; 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 Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 353 by Senator Mizell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, delete lines 19 through 21 in their entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

~~"record check. Be entitled to the criminal history record and identification files of the bureau of any person who is licensed or is applying to be licensed with the board in order to determine an applicant's suitability for licensure."~~

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, line 24, change "that" to "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 26, change "arrests" to "arrest" and change "convictions" to "conviction"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, line 10, change "July 1, 2024." to "January 1, 2025."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 6, delete line 11 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"(ii) Effective July 1, 2024, a minimum ~~five~~ six hundred ~~twenty-five~~ hour ~~synchronous~~ instructor."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, line 19, after "synchronous" insert "or asynchronous"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, delete lines 25 through 29, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(iii) Schools approved prior to July 1, 2024, have until December 31, 2026, to comply with the requirements outlined in Item (a)(ii) of this Paragraph.

(iv) An individual satisfies the requirement of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph if the individual has done all of the following:

(aa) Enrolled and is participating in a massage training program at an approved school prior to December 31, 2026.

(bb) Successfully graduates from the approved program on or before, December 31, 2026.

(cc) Applies for a Louisiana massage therapy license upon completion or graduation from the program."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 7, delete lines 1 through 12 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

~~"(i) The five hundred hour course of studies requirement shall consist of in-person, in-class, instructor-supervised hours dedicated to the study of massage therapy techniques and clinical practicum-related modalities."~~

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 7, line 27, delete "under" and insert "pursuant to"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 8, line 5, delete "possesses" and insert "possess"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 8, line 24, change "The LMT-ID Card" to "The Licensed Massage Therapist Identification, or LMT-ID, Card"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 9, line 9, delete "must" and insert "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 9, line 29, change "website" to "a website"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 10, line 1, change "establishments" to "establishment"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 10, after line 11, add the following:

"Section 3. 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."

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 353 by Senator Mizell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, change "Internet" to "internet"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, line 26, change "37:3552(5) and R.S. 37:3552(13)," to "37:3552(9) and (18)."

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

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

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration**

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 192—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BERAULT

A RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study adoption proceedings relative to surrendering a child and to report its findings to the legislature no later than January 6, 2025.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express support for the strengthening of the state's partnership with the Republic of China (Taiwan) and the expansion of Taiwan's role on the global stage.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Wright gave notice of his intention to call House Concurrent Resolution No. 95 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to seek a waiver for a gateway sign permit for a "Crawfish Expressway" sign in Breaux Bridge.

Read by title.

Rep. Boyer moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 84 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Chaisson requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of House Concurrent Resolution No. 101 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 102—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to protect consumers from government interference by opposing congressional efforts to prevent surcharges or an extra fee when a customer chooses to pay with a credit card.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Wright gave notice of his intention to call House Concurrent Resolution No. 102 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 112—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PHELPS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to form a highly collaborative approach with political subdivisions regarding the status of projects in local areas including communication with state and city officials regarding entities reporting issues to promote the beautification of Louisiana.

Read by title.

Rep. Marcelle moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 80 yeas and 0 nays, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions returned from the Senate with amendments to be concurred in by the House were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Carpenter gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 770 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

**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. 738—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 49:191(12)(f), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Horton on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 738 by Representative Bourriaque

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, change "R.S. 40:191" to "R.S. 49:191"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	McMakin
Adams	Egan	Melerine
Amedee	Farnum	Mena
Bacala	Firment	Miller
Bamburg	Fontenot	Muscarello
Bayham	Freeman	Myers
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Newell
Berault	Gadberry	Orgeron
Billings	Galle	Owen
Bourriaque	Geymann	Phelps
Boyd	Glorioso	Riser
Boyer	Green	Romero
Brass	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Braud	Henry	Schlegel
Brown	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Butler	Horton	Stagni
Carlson	Illg	Tarver
Carpenter	Jackson	Taylor
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thompson
Carter, W.	Kerner	Turner
Carver	Knox	Ventrella
Chassion	LaCombe	Villio
Chenevert	LaFleur	Walters
Coates	Landry, J.	Wilder
Cox	Landry, M.	Wiley
Deshotel	Lyons	Wright
Dewitt	Marcelle	Wyble
Domangue	McCormick	Young
Echols	McMahan	Zeringue

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bagley	Emerson	Mack
Bryant	Fisher	McFarland
Crews	Hughes	Moore
Davis	Johnson, T.	Selders
Dickerson	Larvadain	Willard

Total - 15

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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 827—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.73 and to enact R.S. 47:303.1(B)(5), relative to sales and use tax rebates; to provide relative to a state and local sales and use tax rebate on the sale of certain communications service equipment and data center equipment; to provide for definitions; to provide for issuance of direct payment numbers to certain taxpayers; to provide for other limitations and conditions; to provide 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	Edmonston	McMahan
Adams	Egan	McMakin
Bacala	Emerson	Melerine
Bamburg	Firment	Mena
Bayham	Fisher	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Fontenot	Myers
Berault	Freeman	Newell
Billings	Freiberg	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Gadberry	Phelps
Boyd	Glorioso	Riser
Boyer	Green	Romero
Brass	Hebert	Schlegel
Braud	Henry	St. Blanc
Brown	Hilferty	Stagni
Butler	Horton	Taylor
Carpenter	Illg	Thomas
Carrier	Jackson	Thompson
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Turner
Carter, W.	Jordan	Ventrella
Carver	Kerner	Villio
Chassion	Knox	Walters
Chenevert	LaCombe	Wilder
Coates	LaFleur	Wiley
Cox	Landry, J.	Wright
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wyble
Dewitt	Larvadain	Young
Domangue	Lyons	Zeringue
Echols	Marcelle	

Total - 83

**NAYS**

Amedee	McCormick
Galle	Schamerhorn

Total - 4

**ABSENT**

Bagley	Farnum	Miller
Bryant	Geymann	Moore
Carlson	Hughes	Owen
Crews	Johnson, T.	Selders
Davis	Mack	Tarver
Dickerson	McFarland	Willard

Total - 18

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. Galle requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 827 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 982** (Substitute for House Bill No. 820 by Representative Walters)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1202(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 15:1202(A)(33), relative to the membership of the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice; to add members to the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Walters gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 982 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Knox gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 518 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Crews gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 572 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Wyble gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 664 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Newell gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 978 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 344**—  
BY SENATOR BARROW

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 22:1339, relative to homeowner's insurance policies; to require applicants or an existing insured to disclose to their insurer the property is to be used as a group home; to provide cause for cancellation or nonrenewal of the insured's homeowner insurance policy; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Brown moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adams	Domangue	Marcelle
Amedee	Echols	McCormick
Bacala	Egan	McMahan
Bagley	Emerson	McMakin
Bamburg	Farnum	Melerine
Bayham	Firment	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Fisher	Myers
Berault	Fontenot	Newell
Billings	Freeman	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Freiberg	Phelps
Boyd	Gadberry	Riser
Boyer	Galle	Romero
Brass	Glorioso	Schamerhorn
Braud	Green	St. Blanc
Brown	Hebert	Stagni
Butler	Henry	Taylor
Carlson	Hilferty	Thomas
Carpenter	Horton	Thompson
Carrier	Illg	Turner
Carter, R.	Jackson	Ventrella
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Villio
Carver	Jordan	Walters
Chassion	Kerner	Wilder
Chenevert	Knox	Wiley
Coates	LaFleur	Wright
Cox	Landry, J.	Wyble
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Young
Dewitt	Lyons	Zeringue

Total - 84

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Hughes	Miller
Bryant	Johnson, M.	Moore
Crews	LaCombe	Owen
Davis	Larvadain	Schlegel
Dickerson	Mack	Selders
Edmonston	McFarland	Tarver
Geymann	Mena	Willard

Total - 21

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 345**—  
BY SENATOR BARROW

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 22:1335(C) through (H), relative to cancellation of homeowner's policies; to provide a surviving spouse a grace period to pay the premiums for a homeowner's policy; to provide for grace period requirements; to provide for rules; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Jordan moved the final passage of the bill.



**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adams	Egan	McCormick
Amedee	Emerson	McMahan
Bacala	Farnum	McMakin
Bamburg	Firment	Melerine
Beaullieu	Fisher	Miller
Berault	Fontenot	Muscarello
Billings	Freeman	Myers
Bourriaque	Freiberg	Newell
Boyd	Gadberry	Orgeron
Boyer	Galle	Riser
Brass	Glorioso	Romero
Braud	Green	Schamerhorn
Brown	Hebert	Schlegel
Butler	Henry	St. Blanc
Carlson	Hilferty	Stagni
Carpenter	Horton	Taylor
Carrier	Illg	Thomas
Carter, R.	Jackson	Thompson
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Carver	Johnson, T.	Ventrella
Chassion	Jordan	Villio
Chenevert	Kerner	Walters
Coates	Knox	Wilder
Cox	LaCombe	Wiley
Deshotel	LaFleur	Wright
Dewitt	Landry, J.	Young
Domangue	Landry, M.	Zeringue
Echols	Lyons	
Edmonston	Marcelle	
Total - 85		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Owen
Bagley	Hughes	Phelps
Bayham	Larvadain	Selders
Bryant	Mack	Tarver
Crews	McFarland	Willard
Davis	Mena	Wyble
Dickerson	Moore	
Total - 20		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 367—**  
BY SENATORS BASS AND MILLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:98(F)(4)(c), the heading of Part IV of Chapter 11 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and R.S. 22:2161 and 2242(A) and (B), R.S. 36:694.1(C), and R.S. 40:1428(A)(4)(a) and (C) and to repeal Part II of Chapter 11 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 comprised of R.S. 22:2131 through 2135, and Part V of Chapter 11 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:2171, and R.S. 36:686(C)(1), (3), and (4), and R.S. 40:1421(12), relative to the boards and commissions; to authorize the commissioner to create boards and commissions; to provide for duties; to provide for membership; to provide for reporting; to repeal certain boards and commissions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Firment moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adams	Emerson	McMakin
Amedee	Farnum	Melerine
Bacala	Firment	Mena
Bamburg	Fisher	Muscarello
Bayham	Fontenot	Myers
Beaullieu	Freeman	Newell
Berault	Freiberg	Orgeron
Billings	Gadberry	Owen
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Phelps
Boyd	Green	Riser
Boyer	Hebert	Romero
Brass	Henry	Schamerhorn
Braud	Hilferty	Schlegel
Brown	Horton	St. Blanc
Butler	Illg	Stagni
Carlson	Jackson	Taylor
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Thompson
Carter, W.	Jordan	Turner
Carver	Kerner	Ventrella
Chassion	Knox	Villio
Chenevert	LaCombe	Walters
Coates	LaFleur	Wilder
Cox	Landry, J.	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wright
Dewitt	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Young
Echols	Marcelle	Zeringue
Edmonston	McCormick	
Egan	McMahan	
Total - 88		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Dickerson	Miller
Bagley	Galle	Moore
Bryant	Geymann	Selders
Carter, R.	Hughes	Tarver
Crews	Larvadain	Willard
Davis	McFarland	
Total - 17		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 387—**  
BY SENATOR KLEINPETER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:57.1, relative to criminal damage to property; to create the crime of vandalizing, tampering with, or destroying a crime camera system; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Bacala to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 387 by Senator Kleinpeter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, after "intentionally" and before "a" change "damage" to "vandalize, tamper with, or destroy"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 7, after "Whoever" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 8, delete "destroying a crime camera system" and insert "violates the provisions of Subsection A of this Section"

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

Rep. Bacala 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.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of representatives who were absent in three columns.

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 476—

BY SENATOR OWEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:102.5(B) and (C) and to enact R.S. 14:102.5(A)(7)(b)(iv) and (D)(5), relative to the crime of dogfighting and training dogs for dogfighting; to provide that the possession or use of a bait dog is admissible as evidence of dogfighting; to provide an increase in the minimum fine for dogfighting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. McMahan moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of representatives who voted 'YEAS' in three columns.

Total - 92

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of representatives who were absent in three columns.

Total - 13

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 28—**  
BY SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To repeal Section 3 of Act No. 331 of the 2023 Regular Session of the Legislature, 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; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Deshotel moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Edmonston	McMahan
Amedee	Egan	McMakin
Bacala	Emerson	Melerine
Bagley	Firment	Mena
Bamburg	Fisher	Muscarello
Bayham	Fontenot	Myers
Beaullieu	Freeman	Newell
Berault	Freiberg	Orgeron
Billings	Gadberry	Owen
Bourriaque	Galle	Phelps
Boyd	Glorioso	Riser
Boyer	Green	Schamerhorn
Brass	Hebert	Schlegel
Braud	Henry	St. Blanc
Brown	Hilferty	Stagni
Butler	Horton	Taylor
Carlson	Hughes	Thomas
Carpenter	Illg	Thompson
Carrier	Jackson	Turner
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Ventrella
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Villio
Carver	Jordan	Walters
Chassion	Kerner	Wilder
Chenevert	Knox	Wiley
Coates	LaCombe	Willard
Cox	LaFleur	Wright
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Wyble
Dewitt	Landry, M.	Young
Dickerson	Lyons	Zeringue
Domangue	McCormick	
Echols	McFarland	
Total - 91		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Moore
Bryant	Larvadain	Romero
Crews	Mack	Selders
Davis	Marcelle	Tarver
Farnum	Miller	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 44—**

BY SENATORS MCMATH AND OWEN  
AN ACT

To provide relative to state highways; to designate a portion of U.S. Route 11 Maestri Bridge in St. Tammany Parish as the "Jimmy Buffett 'Changes in Latitude' Memorial Crossing"; to provide for location and placement of signage; to provide for restrictions on costs of materials to the department; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Glorioso moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Egan	McFarland
Amedee	Emerson	McMahan
Bacala	Farnum	McMakin
Bagley	Firment	Melerine
Bamburg	Fisher	Mena
Bayham	Fontenot	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Freeman	Myers
Berault	Freiberg	Newell
Billings	Gadberry	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Galle	Owen
Boyd	Glorioso	Phelps
Boyer	Green	Riser
Brass	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Braud	Henry	Schlegel
Brown	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Butler	Hughes	Stagni
Carlson	Illg	Taylor
Carpenter	Jackson	Thomas
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Thompson
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carver	Jordan	Ventrella
Chassion	Kerner	Villio
Chenevert	Knox	Walters
Coates	LaCombe	Wilder
Cox	LaFleur	Wiley
Crews	Landry, J.	Willard
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wright
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wyble
Dickerson	Lyons	Young
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Echols	Marcelle	
Edmonston	McCormick	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Romero
Bryant	Horton	Selders
Carrier	Miller	Tarver
Davis	Moore	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 60—  
BY SENATOR PRESSLY

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 1-E of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:51 through 59, relative to universal occupational license recognition; to provide for definitions; to provide for conditions for application; to provide for occupational licensing requirements; to require proof of residency; to provide for jurisprudential examination; to provide for board decisions on applications; to provide for appeals of a board decision on applications; to provide for state law and jurisdiction; to provide for exemptions; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Michael Johnson moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Egan	McCormick
Amedee	Emerson	McFarland
Bacala	Farnum	McMahan
Bagley	Firment	McMakin
Bamburg	Fisher	Melerine
Bayham	Fontenot	Mena
Beaulieu	Freeman	Muscarello
Berault	Freiberg	Myers
Billings	Gadberry	Newell
Bourriaque	Galle	Orgeron
Boyd	Glorioso	Phelps
Boyer	Green	Riser
Brass	Hebert	Romero
Braud	Henry	Schamerhorn
Brown	Hilferty	Schlegel
Butler	Horton	St. Blanc
Carlson	Hughes	Stagni
Carpenter	Illg	Taylor
Carrier	Jackson	Thomas
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Thompson
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carver	Jordan	Ventrella
Chassion	Kerner	Villio
Chenevert	Knox	Walters
Coates	LaCombe	Wilder
Cox	LaFleur	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Willard
Dewitt	Landry, M.	Wright
Dickerson	Larvadain	Young
Domangue	Lyons	Zeringue
Echols	Mack	
Edmonston	Marcelle	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Selders
Bryant	Miller	Tarver
Crews	Moore	Wyble
Davis	Owen	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 63—  
BY SENATOR COUSSAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:969.6(14)(b), (21)(b), (22), and (23)(a), 969.18(A)(6), 969.20(C)(1)(c), and 1083(6)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 9:374(B) and (C), Part IV of Chapter 1 of Code Title 1 of Code Book II of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:1149.1 through 1149.7, R.S. 9:3259.1(A), (B), (E), and (F), 3259.3, and 5363.1, R.S. 10:9-102(a)(53), R.S. 22:1485, R.S. 32:1(introductory paragraph) and (44), 412.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (25), 702(16), and 707(A), R.S. 33:3081(A)(2), 4562.1(A), and 9053.1(C), and R.S. 40:1502.1(A)(2), 1502.2(A), 1502.3(A), 1502.4(A), 1502.5(A), 1502.6(A), 1502.7(A), 1502.8(A), 1502.9(A), 1502.10(A), 1502.11(A), 1502.12(A)(2), 1502.13(A)(2), 1502.15(A), and 1502.16(A), relative to factory-built homes; to provide for the Factory-Built Home Property Act; to provide definitions; to provide for the classification of factory-built homes; to provide for the transfer of factory-built homes; to provide for security interests; to provide for immobilization; to provide for deimmobilization; to provide technical corrections for the use of the term "factory-built home"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hebert moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Egan	McMahan
Amedee	Emerson	McMakin
Bacala	Firment	Melerine
Bagley	Fisher	Mena
Bamburg	Fontenot	Miller
Bayham	Freeman	Muscarello
Beaulieu	Freiberg	Myers
Berault	Gadberry	Newell
Billings	Glorioso	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Green	Owen
Boyd	Hebert	Phelps
Boyer	Henry	Riser
Brass	Hilferty	Romero
Braud	Horton	Schamerhorn
Brown	Hughes	Schlegel
Butler	Illg	St. Blanc
Carlson	Jackson	Stagni
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thompson
Carter, W.	Kerner	Turner
Carver	Knox	Ventrella
Chassion	LaCombe	Villio
Chenevert	LaFleur	Walters
Coates	Landry, J.	Wilder
Cox	Landry, M.	Willard
Deshotel	Larvadain	Wright
Dewitt	Lyons	Wyble
Dickerson	Mack	Young
Domangue	Marcelle	Zeringue
Echols	McCormick	
Edmonston	McFarland	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Farnum	Selders
Bryant	Galle	Tarver
Crews	Geymann	Wiley
Davis	Moore	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 232—**  
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To enact Part XIV of Chapter 3 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 6:341, relative to legal tender in the state of Louisiana; to provide for gold and silver coins or specie; to provide relative to terms, conditions, materials, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Jacob Landry to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 232 by Senator Abraham

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 15 and 16 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B. No person shall be required to offer or accept any recognized legal tender as described in Subsection A of this Section for the payment of debts, deposit, or any other purpose, nor shall any person incur any liability for refusing to offer or accept such legal tender, except as specifically provided for by contract."

On motion of Rep. Jacob Landry, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Jacob Landry moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Egan	McFarland
Amedee	Emerson	McMahen
Bacala	Firment	McMakin
Bagley	Fisher	Melerine
Bamburg	Fontenot	Mena
Bayham	Freeman	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Myers
Berault	Gadberry	Newell
Billings	Galle	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Owen
Boyd	Green	Phelps
Boyer	Henry	Riser
Brass	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Braud	Horton	Schlegel
Brown	Huges	St. Blanc

Butler	Illg	Stagni
Carlson	Jackson	Tarver
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Thompson
Carter, W.	Jordan	Turner
Carver	Kerner	Ventrella
Chassion	Knox	Villio
Chenevert	LaCombe	Walters
Coates	LaFleur	Wilder
Cox	Landry, J.	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Willard
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Young
Echols	Marcelle	Zeringue
Edmonston	McCormick	
Total - 92		

NAYS

Thomas  
Total - 1

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Davis	Miller
Bryant	Farnum	Moore
Carrier	Geymann	Romero
Crews	Hebert	Selders
Total - 12		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 240—**  
BY SENATOR COUSSAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:911.24(J)(2) and to enact R.S. 51:911.24(J)(3) and 912.27(A)(4), relative to manufactured housing; to provide relative to licensure requirements, qualifications, and applications; to provide relative to retailers, developers, transporters, and installers; to provide with respect to requiring a surety bond; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Deshotel to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 240 by Senator Coussan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 1 by the House Committee on Commerce (#3850), on page 1, delete line 4 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"dollar surety bond, annually until the required net worth is achieved, with"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS		
Adams	Farnum	McMahan
Amedee	Firment	McMakin
Bacala	Fisher	Melerine
Bagley	Fontenot	Mena
Bamburg	Freeman	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Myers
Berault	Gadberry	Newell
Billings	Galle	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Geymann	Owen
Boyd	Glorioso	Phelps
Boyer	Green	Riser
Brass	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Braud	Henry	Schlegel
Brown	Hilferty	Selders
Bryant	Horton	St. Blanc
Butler	Hughes	Stagni
Carlson	Illg	Tarver
Carpenter	Jackson	Taylor
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Thompson
Carver	Jordan	Turner
Chassion	Kerner	Ventrella
Chenevert	Knox	Villio
Coates	LaCombe	Walters
Cox	LaFleur	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Wiley
Dewitt	Landry, M.	Willard
Dickerson	Larvadain	Wright
Domangue	Lyons	Wyble
Echols	Mack	Young
Edmonston	Marcelle	Zeringue
Egan	McCormick	
Emerson	McFarland	
Total - 97		
NAYS		
Total - 0		
ABSENT		
Mr. Speaker	Crews	Moore
Bayham	Davis	Romero
Carter, R.	Miller	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 287—**  
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact 3:296(D)(1),(2), and (3), relative to the Healthy Food Retail Act; to provide relative to a financing program; to provide relative to contracts with qualified nonprofit organizations or community development financial institutions; to provide relative to funding for eligible projects; to provide for funding on a competitive basis; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hughes moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Fisher	Melerine
Bacala	Freeman	Mena
Bagley	Freiberg	Miller
Bamburg	Gadberry	Muscarello
Bayham	Geymann	Myers
Beaullieu	Glorioso	Newell
Berault	Green	Orgeron
Billings	Hebert	Owen
Bourriaque	Henry	Phelps
Boyd	Hilferty	Riser
Boyer	Horton	Romero
Brass	Hughes	Schlegel
Braud	Illg	Selders
Brown	Jackson	St. Blanc
Bryant	Johnson, M.	Stagni
Butler	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carpenter	Jordan	Thomas
Carter, R.	Kerner	Thompson
Carter, W.	Knox	Turner
Carver	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chassion	LaFleur	Villio
Chenevert	Landry, J.	Walters
Coates	Landry, M.	Wilder
Cox	Larvadain	Wiley
Dewitt	Lyons	Willard
Domangue	Mack	Wright
Echols	Marcelle	Wyble
Edmonston	McFarland	Young
Farnum	McMahan	Zeringue
Firment	McMakin	
Total - 89		
NAYS		
Amedee	McCormick	Tarver
Galle	Schamerhorn	
Total - 5		
ABSENT		
Mr. Speaker	Davis	Emerson
Carlson	Deshotel	Fontenot
Carrier	Dickerson	Moore
Crews	Egan	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Hughes 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. Galle requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of Senate Bill No. 287 as nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**SENATE BILL NO. 326—**  
BY SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:4276(17), relative to the state forester; to provide for the powers and duties of the state forester; to provide for training and education related to certain circumstances; to provide relative to post-traumatic stress and emotional support; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Carrier moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	McFarland
Adams	Egan	McMahen
Amedee	Emerson	McMakin
Bacala	Farnum	Melerine
Bagley	Firment	Mena
Bamburg	Fisher	Muscarello
Bayham	Fontenot	Myers
Beaullieu	Freeman	Newell
Berault	Freiberg	Orgeron
Billings	Geymann	Owen
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Phelps
Boyd	Green	Riser
Boyer	Hebert	Romero
Brass	Henry	Schamerhorn
Braud	Hilferty	Schlegel
Brown	Horton	Selders
Bryant	Hughes	St. Blanc
Butler	Illg	Stagni
Carlson	Jackson	Tarver
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thompson
Carter, W.	Kerner	Turner
Carver	Knox	Ventrella
Chassion	LaCombe	Villio
Chenevert	LaFleur	Walters
Coates	Landry, J.	Wilder
Cox	Landry, M.	Wiley
Deshotel	Larvadain	Willard
Dewitt	Lyons	Wright
Dickerson	Mack	Wyble
Domangue	Marcelle	Young
Echols	McCormick	Zeringue
Total - 99		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Crews	Gadberry	Miller
Davis	Galle	Moore
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 355—**  
BY SENATOR STINE

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 2-C of Title 12 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3580.1 through R.S. 9:3580.7, relative to litigation disclosure; to provide relative to financial disclosure; to provide relative to the creation of the "Transparency and Limitations on Foreign Third-Party Litigation Funding"; to provide for definitions, terms, and conditions; to provide for contract disclosures; to provide for violations and contracts; to provide for time limitations; to provide for certification formation; to provide relative to prohibitions for third-party funding; to provide for enforcement of foreign litigation; to provide relative to legislative reports; to provide relative to prospective application; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Firment to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 355 by Senator Stine

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after the comma "," and before "relative" insert "and to enact Chapter 2-D of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3580.10 through 3580.14,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, after "reports;" and before "to provide relative" insert "to provide relative to the creation of the Litigation Financing Disclosure Act; to provide for discovery; to provide with respect to class action lawsuits;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, after "R.S. 9:3580.7," and before "hereby" delete "is" and insert "and Chapter 2-D of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3580.10 through 3580.14, are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 7, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

"CHAPTER 2-D. LITIGATION FINANCING DISCLOSURE

§3580.10. Short title

This Chapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Litigation Financing Disclosure Act".

§3580.11. Definitions

For the purpose of this Chapter, the following terms have the meanings ascribed to them in this Section:

(1) "Attorney" means an attorney, group of attorneys, or law firm who may be entitled to represent a person or persons in a civil action in this state.

(2) "Litigation financier" means a person, group of persons, or legal entity, engaged in the business of litigation financing or any other economic activity intended to facilitate litigation financing. Litigation financier does not include nonprofit legal organizations.

(3)(a) "Litigation financing" means the financing, funding, advancing, or lending of money to pay for fees, costs, expenses, or an agreement to pay expenses directly related to pursuing the legal claim, administrative proceeding, claim, or cause of action if the financing, funding, advancing, or lending of money is provided by any person other than a person who is any of the following:

(i) A party to the civil action, administrative proceeding, claim, or cause of action.

(ii) An attorney engaged directly or indirectly through another legal representative to represent a party in the civil action, administrative proceeding, claim, or cause of action.

(iii) An entity or insurer with a preexisting contractual obligation to indemnify or defend a party to the civil action, administrative proceeding, claim, or cause of action or a health insurer which has paid, or is obligated to pay, any sums for health care for an injured person under the terms of any health insurance plan or agreement.

(b) Funds provided directly to a party solely for personal needs shall not be considered litigation financing if such funds are provided exclusively for personal and family use and not for legal filings, legal document preparation and drafting, appeals, creation of a litigation strategy, drafting testimony, and related litigation expenses.

(4) "Litigation financing contract or agreement" means a transaction in which litigation financing is provided to a party or a party's attorney in return for assigning to the litigation financier a right to receive an amount including payment of interest, fees, or any other consideration contingent in any respect on the outcome of the underlying claim or action. The term "litigation financing contract or agreement" does not include:

(a) Legal services provided to a party by an attorney on a contingency fee basis or legal costs advanced by an attorney when such services or costs are provided to or on behalf of a party by an attorney in the dispute and in accordance with the Louisiana Rules of Professional Conduct.

(b) The bills, receivables, or liens held by a healthcare provider or their assignee.

(c) Secured or unsecured loans made directly to a party or a party's attorney when repayment of the loan is not contingent upon the judgment, award, settlement, or verdict in a claim or action.

(d) Funding provided by a nonprofit organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code by grant or otherwise.

(5) "Party" means any person or entity or any attorney retained to represent such person or entity in an underlying civil action.

(6) "Proprietary information" shall mean information developed, created, or discovered by a party which became known by or was conveyed to the party which has commercial value in the party's business. "Proprietary information" shall include but not be limited to domain names, trade secrets, copyrights, ideas, techniques, inventions, whether patentable or not, and any other information of any type relating to designs, configurations, documentation, recorded data, schematics, circuits, mask works, layouts, source code, object code, master works, master databases, algorithms, flow charts, formulae, works of authorship, mechanisms, research, manufacture, improvements, assembly, installation, intellectual property including patents and patent applications, and the information concerning the entity's actual or anticipated business, research or development, or which is received in confidence by or for the entity from any other source."

§3580.12. Disclosure of financing agreements; discovery

A.(1) Except as otherwise stipulated by the parties or ordered by the court, a party or a party's attorney shall without awaiting a discovery request and upon the later of sixty days after the commencement of a civil action or sixty days after execution of the litigation financing agreement, provide to all parties to the litigation, including their insurer if prior to litigation, any litigation financing contract or agreement under which anyone, other than an attorney permitted to charge a contingent fee representing a party, has received or has a right to receive the following:

(a) Compensation or proceeds that are contingent on and sourced from any proceeds of the civil action, by settlement, judgment, or otherwise.

(b) Proprietary information obtained as a result of the civil action.

(2) The party or the party's attorney may redact the total dollar amount of litigation financing contractually agreed to between the

party and the litigation financier prior to the production of the litigation financing contract to all other parties to the litigation.

B. A litigation financier shall not decide, influence, or direct the party or the party's attorney with respect to the conduct of the underlying civil proceeding or any settlement or resolution of the civil proceeding, or make any decision with respect to the conduct of the underlying civil proceeding or any settlement or resolution of the civil proceeding. The right to make these decisions remains solely with the party and the party's attorney in the civil proceeding.

C. The existence of litigation financing, litigation financing contracts or agreements, and all participants in such financing arrangements are permissible subjects of discovery in all civil actions including personal injury litigation or claims arising out of personal injuries.

D. This Chapter shall not apply to nonprofit legal organizations funded by private donors that represent clients on a pro bono basis. Awards of costs or attorney fees to nonprofit legal organizations shall not be affected by this Chapter. This Chapter shall not be interpreted to require a nonprofit legal organization to disclose its donors or sources of funding.

§3580.13. Class action lawsuits

This Chapter shall apply to any action filed or certified as a class action. In addition to the disclosure requirements set forth in R.S. 9:3580.3, the attorney of the putative class shall disclose to all parties, putative class members, and the court any legal, financial, or other relationship between the attorney and the litigation financier.

§3580.14. Violation; absolute nullity of contract

Any litigation financing contract in violation of this Chapter shall be an absolute nullity."

Rep. Firmont moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Muscarello, Jr. objected.

By a vote of 64 yeas and 30 nays, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Domangue	Mack
Adams	Echols	McCormick
Bacala	Edmonston	McFarland
Bagley	Egan	McMahan
Bamburg	Emerson	McMakin
Bayham	Farnum	Melerine
Beaullieu	Firment	Muscarello
Berault	Fisher	Myers
Billings	Fontenot	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Freeman	Owen
Boyd	Freiberg	Riser
Boyer	Gadberry	Romero
Brass	Galle	Schamerhorn
Braud	Geymann	Schlegel
Brown	Glorioso	Selders
Butler	Hebert	St. Blanc
Carlson	Henry	Tarver
Carrier	Hilferty	Thomas
Carter, R.	Horton	Thompson



Carver	Illg	Turner
Chenevert	Jackson	Ventrella
Coates	Johnson, M.	Villio
Cox	Kerner	Wilder
Crews	LaCombe	Wiley
Deshotel	LaFleur	Wright
Dewitt	Landry, J.	Wyble
Dickerson	Lyons	Zeringue
Total - 81		

NAYS

Amedee	Jordan	Phelps
Bryant	Knox	Stagni
Carpenter	Landry, M.	Taylor
Carter, W.	Larvadain	Walters
Green	Marcelle	Willard
Hughes	Mena	Young
Johnson, T.	Newell	
Total - 20		

ABSENT

Chassion	Miller
Davis	Moore
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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. Mandie Landry requested the House consent to correct her vote on final passage of Senate Bill No. 355 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**SENATE BILL NO. 372—**  
BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:3163 (B) and (C), relative to motor vehicle service contracts; to provide for requirements for doing business; to provide for removal of fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Hughes moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Egan	McFarland
Amedee	Emerson	McMahan
Bacala	Firment	McMakin
Bagley	Fisher	Mena
Bamburg	Fontenot	Muscarello
Bayham	Freeman	Myers
Beaulieu	Freiberg	Newell
Berault	Gadberry	Orgeron
Billings	Galle	Owen
Bourriaque	Geymann	Phelps
Boyd	Glorioso	Riser
Boyer	Green	Schamerhorn
Brass	Hebert	Schlegel
Braud	Henry	Selders
Brown	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Bryant	Horton	Stagni
Butler	Hughes	Taylor

Carlson	Illg	Thomas
Carpenter	Jackson	Thompson
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carter, R.	Jordan	Ventrella
Carter, W.	Kerner	Villio
Carver	Knox	Walters
Chassion	LaCombe	Wilder
Coates	LaFleur	Wiley
Cox	Landry, J.	Willard
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wright
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wyble
Dickerson	Lyons	Young
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Echols	Marcelle	
Edmonston	McCormick	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Farnum	Moore
Chenevert	Johnson, M.	Romero
Crews	Melerine	Tarver
Davis	Miller	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 392—**  
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150.1(4)(a)(ii), (8), and (15), the introductory paragraph of 2159(A), and 2161(A) and to enact R.S. 37:2157(A)(18) and (19), relative to contractors; to provide for types of contracting services; to provide for costs thresholds for licensure associated with new residential structures and improvements and repairs of residential structures; to provide relative to terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Romero moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Edmonston	McFarland
Bacala	Emerson	McMahan
Bagley	Farnum	McMakin
Bamburg	Firment	Mena
Bayham	Fisher	Miller
Beaulieu	Fontenot	Myers
Berault	Freeman	Newell
Billings	Freiberg	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Gadberry	Phelps
Boyd	Geymann	Riser
Boyer	Glorioso	Romero
Brass	Green	Schlegel
Braud	Hebert	Selders
Brown	Henry	St. Blanc
Bryant	Horton	Stagni
Butler	Hughes	Tarver
Carlson	Illg	Taylor

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Carpenter	Jackson	Thomas
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Thompson
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carter, W.	Jordan	Ventrella
Carver	Kerner	Villio
Chassion	Knox	Walters
Chenevert	LaCombe	Wilder
Coates	LaFleur	Wiley
Cox	Landry, J.	Wyble
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Young
Dewitt	Larvadain	Zeringue
Domangue	Lyons	
Echols	Marcelle	
Total - 88		

NAYS

Amedee	Galle	Owen
Dickerson	Mack	Schamerhorn
Egan	McCormick	
Total - 8		

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Hilferty	Muscarello
Crews	Melerine	Willard
Davis	Moore	Wright
Total - 9		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Hughes requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of Senate Bill No. 392 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**SENATE BILL NO. 395—**  
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3301(A), relative to the Amite River Basin Drainage and Water Conservation District; to provide for the geographical boundaries of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Wiley moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	Marcelle
Adams	Egan	McCormick
Amedee	Emerson	McFarland
Bacala	Farnum	McMahen
Bagley	Firment	McMakin
Bamburg	Fisher	Melerine
Bayham	Fontenot	Mena
Beaullieu	Freeman	Muscarello
Berault	Freiberg	Myers
Billings	Gadberry	Newell
Bourriaque	Galle	Orgeron
Boyd	Geymann	Owen
Boyer	Glorioso	Phelps
Brass	Green	Riser
Braud	Hebert	Romero

Brown	Henry	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Carlson	Illg	Selders
Carpenter	Jackson	St. Blanc
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Stagni
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Tarver
Carter, W.	Jordan	Taylor
Carver	Kerner	Thomas
Chassion	Knox	Thompson
Chenevert	LaCombe	Turner
Cox	LaFleur	Ventrella
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Villio
Dewitt	Landry, M.	Wiley
Dickerson	Larvadain	Wright
Domangue	Lyons	Wyble
Echols	Mack	Zeringue
Total - 93		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Butler	Hilferty	Walters
Coates	Hughes	Wilder
Crews	Miller	Willard
Davis	Moore	Young
Total - 12		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 410—**  
BY SENATOR COUSSAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4545.4(E), relative to the board of directors of the Louisiana Energy and Power Authority; to provide relative to the increase of the membership of the board of directors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Myers moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Egan	McFarland
Amedee	Emerson	McMahen
Bacala	Farnum	McMakin
Bagley	Firment	Melerine
Bamburg	Fisher	Mena
Bayham	Fontenot	Miller
Beaullieu	Freeman	Muscarello
Berault	Freiberg	Myers
Billings	Gadberry	Newell
Bourriaque	Galle	Orgeron
Boyd	Geymann	Owen
Boyer	Glorioso	Phelps
Brass	Green	Riser
Braud	Hebert	Romero
Brown	Henry	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Carlson	Illg	Selders
Carpenter	Jackson	St. Blanc
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Stagni

Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Tarver
Carter, W.	Jordan	Taylor
Carver	Kerner	Thomas
Chassion	Knox	Thompson
Chenevert	LaCombe	Turner
Coates	LaFleur	Ventrella
Cox	Landry, J.	Villio
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wilder
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wiley
Dickerson	Lyons	Wright
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Echols	Marcelle	
Edmonston	McCormick	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Hilferty	Willard
Butler	Hughes	Wyble
Crews	Moore	Young
Davis	Walters	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 438—**  
BY SENATOR MILLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:304(A), relative to levee commissioners; to provide for requirements for levee commissioners; to provide relative to education requirements for levee commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Bourriaque to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 438 by Senator Miller

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after "(1)" change "Resides" to "Reside"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, after "(2)" change "Resides" to "Reside"

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

Rep. Bacala sent up floor amendments on behalf of Rep. Fontenot which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Fontenot to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 438 by Senator Miller

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 1 by the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works (#3877) on page 1, line

3, after "appointments." insert "Further, such requirement shall not apply to reappointments of existing members."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Edmonston	Mack
Amedee	Egan	Marcelle
Bacala	Emerson	McCormick
Bagley	Farnum	McFarland
Bamburg	Firment	McMahan
Bayham	Fisher	McMakin
Beaullieu	Fontenot	Mena
Berault	Freeman	Muscarello
Billings	Freiberg	Myers
Bourriaque	Gadberry	Newell
Boyd	Galle	Owen
Boyer	Geymann	Phelps
Brass	Glorioso	Riser
Braud	Green	Romero
Brown	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Butler	Henry	Schlegel
Carlson	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Horton	Stagni
Carrier	Illg	Tarver
Carter, R.	Jackson	Taylor
Carter, W.	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Carver	Johnson, T.	Thompson
Chassion	Jordan	Turner
Chenevert	Kerner	Ventrella
Coates	Knox	Villio
Cox	LaCombe	Walters
Deshotel	LaFleur	Wilder
Dewitt	Landry, J.	Wiley
Dickerson	Landry, M.	Wright
Domangue	Larvadain	Wyble
Echols	Lyons	Zeringue
Total - 93		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Hughes	Orgeron
Bryant	Melerine	Selders
Crews	Miller	Willard
Davis	Moore	Young
Total - 12		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 445—**  
BY SENATOR JACKSON-ANDREWS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 4843(E), relative to thresholds for certain actions; to provide for the amount in dispute when the civil jurisdiction is concurrent with the district court; 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**

Adams	Egan	McFarland
Amedee	Emerson	McMahan
Bacala	Farnum	McMakin
Bamburg	Firment	Mena
Bayham	Fisher	Miller
Beaullieu	Fontenot	Muscarello
Berault	Freeman	Myers
Billings	Freiberg	Newell
Bourriaque	Gadberry	Orgeron
Boyd	Galle	Owen
Boyer	Glorioso	Phelps
Brass	Green	Riser
Braud	Hebert	Romero
Brown	Henry	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Hilferty	Schlegel
Butler	Horton	Selders
Carlson	Illg	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Jackson	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thomas
Carver	Kerner	Thompson
Chassion	Knox	Turner
Chenevert	LaCombe	Ventrella
Coates	LaFleur	Villio
Cox	Landry, J.	Walters
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wilder
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wiley
Dickerson	Lyons	Wright
Domangue	Mack	Wyble
Echols	Marcelle	Zeringue
Edmonston	McCormick	
Total - 95		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Willard
Bagley	Hughes	Young
Crews	Melerine	
Davis	Moore	
Total - 10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

**SENATE BILL NO. 446—**  
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 48:250.4.2, relative to the Department of Transportation and Development and the I-10 Calcasieu River Bridge public private partnership; to provide for the department's use of toll revenue and credits generated in connection with the I-10 Calcasieu River Bridge project; 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**

Adams	Egan	McMahan
Amedee	Emerson	McMakin
Bacala	Farnum	Melerine
Bagley	Firment	Mena
Bamburg	Fisher	Miller
Bayham	Fontenot	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Freeman	Myers
Berault	Freiberg	Newell
Billings	Gadberry	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Galle	Owen
Boyd	Geymann	Phelps
Boyer	Glorioso	Riser
Brass	Green	Romero
Braud	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Brown	Henry	Schlegel
Bryant	Hilferty	Selders
Butler	Horton	St. Blanc
Carlson	Illg	Stagni
Carpenter	Jackson	Tarver
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thompson
Carver	Kerner	Turner
Chassion	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Walters
Cox	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Larvadain	Wiley
Dewitt	Lyons	Wright
Dickerson	Mack	Wyble
Domangue	Marcelle	Young
Echols	McCormick	Zeringue
Edmonston	McFarland	
Total - 98		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Hughes	Willard
Crews	Knox	
Davis	Moore	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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.

**SENATE BILL NO. 492—**  
BY SENATOR FESI

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:820.5.4(B)(6) through (9) and to enact R.S. 47:820.5.4(B)(10) and 820.5.4.1, relative to the Tomey J. Doucet Bridge, also known as the Leeville Bridge toll fee; to provide for vehicle requirements relative to motor vehicles and trailers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Orgeron to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 492 by Senator Fesi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 8, after "cents." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 9 in its entirety

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Edmonston	McCormick
Amedee	Egan	McFarland
Bacala	Emerson	McMahan
Bagley	Firment	McMakin
Bamburg	Fisher	Melerine
Bayham	Fontenot	Mena
Beaullieu	Freeman	Muscarello
Berault	Freiberg	Myers
Billings	Gadberry	Newell
Bourriaque	Galle	Orgeron
Boyd	Geymann	Owen
Boyer	Glorioso	Phelps
Brass	Green	Riser
Braud	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Brown	Henry	Schlegel
Bryant	Hilferty	Selders
Butler	Horton	St. Blanc
Carlson	Illg	Stagni
Carpenter	Jackson	Tarver
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thompson
Carver	Kerner	Turner
Chassion	Knox	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaCombe	Villio
Coates	LaFleur	Walters
Cox	Landry, J.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Young
Echols	Marcelle	Zeringue

Total - 96

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Farnum	Moore
Crews	Hughes	Romero
Davis	Miller	Willard

Total - 9

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 496—**  
BY SENATOR EDMONDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1425 and to enact R.S. 46:1425.1 and R.S. 51:1402(10)(c), relative to children; to provide relative to adoption facilitators; to provide for terms and conditions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 498—**  
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 2-B of Code Title II of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:2348 through 2350.2, and R.S. 9:2792.1.1, relative to special charitable trusts; to provide for the creation and purpose of special charitable trusts; to provide with respect to terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide for duties, functions, limitations, and restrictions; to provide with respect to trustees and officers of the special charitable trusts; to provide for indemnification and insurance; to provide for limitation of liability; to provide for an effective date; 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

Adams	Echols	McCormick
Amedee	Edmonston	McFarland
Bacala	Egan	McMahan
Bagley	Emerson	McMakin
Bamburg	Firment	Melerine
Bayham	Fisher	Mena
Beaullieu	Fontenot	Miller
Berault	Freeman	Muscarello
Billings	Freiberg	Myers
Bourriaque	Gadberry	Newell
Boyd	Galle	Orgeron
Boyer	Glorioso	Owen
Brass	Green	Phelps
Braud	Hebert	Riser
Brown	Henry	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Hilferty	Schlegel
Butler	Horton	Selders
Carlson	Illg	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Jackson	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carver	Jordan	Thompson
Chassion	Kerner	Turner
Chenevert	Knox	Ventrella
Coates	LaCombe	Walters
Cox	LaFleur	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Wiley
Dewitt	Landry, M.	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue

Total - 90

NAYS

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Total - 0		
ABSENT		
Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Romero
Carter, R.	Hughes	Tarver
Crews	Larvadain	Villio
Davis	Marcelle	Willard
Farnum	Moore	Young
Total - 15		
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.		
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.		
<b>SENATE BILL NO. 17—</b>		
BY SENATOR MIZELL		
AN ACT		
To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(G), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to add Tianeptine to Schedule I of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; and to provide for related matters.		
Read by title.		
Rep. Egan moved the final passage of the bill.		
<b>ROLL CALL</b>		
The roll was called with the following result:		
YEAS		
Adams	Edmonston	McFarland
Amedee	Egan	McMahan
Bacala	Emerson	McMakin
Bagley	Farnum	Melerine
Bamburg	Fisher	Mena
Bayham	Fontenot	Miller
Beaullieu	Freeman	Muscarello
Berault	Freiberg	Myers
Billings	Gadberry	Newell
Bourriaque	Geymann	Orgeron
Boyd	Glorioso	Owen
Boyer	Green	Phelps
Brass	Hebert	Riser
Braud	Henry	Romero
Brown	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Butler	Horton	Schlegel
Carlson	Illg	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Jackson	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thomas
Carver	Kerner	Thompson
Chassion	Knox	Turner
Chenevert	LaCombe	Ventrella
Coates	LaFleur	Villio
Cox	Landry, J.	Walters
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wilder
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Echols	McCormick	
Total - 92		
NAYS		
Total - 0		
ABSENT		
Mr. Speaker	Galle	Wiley

Bryant	Hughes	Willard
Crews	Marcelle	Young
Davis	Moore	
Firment	Selders	
Total - 13		
The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.		
Rep. Egan 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.		
<b>SENATE BILL NO. 55—</b>		
BY SENATORS CARTER, BOUDREAU, HODGES, JACKSON-ANDREWS AND LUNEAU		
AN ACT		
To enact Part XII-A of Chapter 5-B of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1124.1, relative to post-birth information; to require certain information to be provided upon discharge; to provide for the requirements of the Louisiana Department of Health; and to provide for related matters.		
Read by title.		
Rep. Chaisson moved the final passage of the bill.		
<b>ROLL CALL</b>		
The roll was called with the following result:		
YEAS		
Adams	Echols	McCormick
Amedee	Edmonston	McFarland
Bacala	Egan	McMahan
Bagley	Emerson	McMakin
Bamburg	Farnum	Mena
Bayham	Firment	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Fisher	Myers
Berault	Fontenot	Newell
Billings	Freeman	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Freiberg	Owen
Boyd	Gadberry	Phelps
Boyer	Galle	Riser
Brass	Glorioso	Romero
Braud	Green	Schamerhorn
Brown	Hebert	Schlegel
Butler	Henry	St. Blanc
Carlson	Hilferty	Stagni
Carpenter	Horton	Taylor
Carrier	Illg	Thomas
Carter, R.	Jackson	Thompson
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carver	Jordan	Ventrella
Chassion	Kerner	Villio
Chenevert	Knox	Walters
Coates	LaCombe	Wilder
Cox	LaFleur	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Wright
Dewitt	Landry, M.	Wyble
Dickerson	Lyons	Zeringue
Domangue	Mack	
Total - 89		
NAYS		
Total - 0		
ABSENT		
Mr. Speaker	Johnson, M.	Selders
Bryant	Larvadain	Tarver
Crews	Marcelle	Willard
Davis	Melerine	Young

Geymann Miller  
Hughes Moore  
Total - 16

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 57—**  
BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2356.4, relative to licensed psychological associates; to create a licensed psychological associate license; to provide for qualifications and requirements for licensure; to provide for limitations of licensure; to provide for powers and duties of the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Stagni sent up floor amendments on behalf of Rep. Miller which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Miller to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 57 by Senator Lambert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete House Committee Amendment No. 6 by the House Committee on Health and Welfare (#3931)

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 5, change "approved." to "initiated."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Domangue	Mack
Bacala	Echols	McFarland
Bagley	Edmonston	McMahen
Bamburg	Farnum	McMakin
Bayham	Firment	Melerine
Beaullieu	Fisher	Mena
Berault	Fontenot	Muscarello
Billings	Freeman	Myers
Bourriaque	Freiberg	Newell
Boyd	Gadberry	Owen
Boyer	Geymann	Phelps
Brass	Glorioso	Riser
Braud	Green	Romero
Brown	Hebert	Schlegel
Bryant	Henry	Selders
Butler	Horton	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Illg	Stagni
Carrier	Jackson	Taylor
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thompson
Carver	Kerner	Turner
Chassion	Knox	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaCombe	Walters

Coates LaFleur Wright  
Cox Landry, J. Zeringue  
Deshotel Landry, M.  
Dewitt Lyons  
Total - 79

NAYS

Amedee Emerson Tarver  
Carlson Galle Villio  
Dickerson McCormick Wilder  
Egan Schamerhorn  
Total - 11

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker Johnson, M. Orgeron  
Crews Larvadain Wiley  
Davis Marcelle Willard  
Hilferty Miller Wyble  
Hughes Moore Young  
Total - 15

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 101—**  
BY SENATOR MIGUEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:2(6.1) and 405, relative to elections; to define ranked-choice voting and instant runoff voting; to prohibit for certain elections; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Beaullieu to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 101 by Senator Miguez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 13, change "(i)" to "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 14, change "(ii)" to "(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 16, change "(iii)" to "(c)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the beginning of line 2, change "(iv)" to "(d)"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Domangue McMahan

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Adams	Echols	McMakin
Amedee	Edmonston	Melerine
Bacala	Egan	Muscarello
Bagley	Emerson	Myers
Bamburg	Farnum	Owen
Bayham	Firment	Riser
Beaulieu	Fontenot	Romero
Berault	Freiberg	Schamerhorn
Billings	Gadberry	Schlegel
Bourriaque	Galle	St. Blanc
Boyer	Geymann	Stagni
Braud	Glorioso	Tarver
Bryant	Hebert	Thomas
Butler	Henry	Thompson
Carlson	Hilferty	Turner
Carrier	Horton	Ventrella
Carter, R.	Illg	Villio
Carver	Jackson	Wilder
Chenevert	Johnson, M.	Wiley
Coates	Kerner	Wright
Cox	Landry, J.	Wyble
Deshotel	Mack	Zeringue
Dewitt	McCormick	
Dickerson	McFarland	
Total - 73		

## NAYS

Boyd	Johnson, T.	Newell
Brass	Jordan	Phelps
Carpenter	Knox	Selders
Carter, W.	LaFleur	Taylor
Fisher	Landry, M.	Walters
Freeman	Lyons	Willard
Green	Mena	Young
Hughes	Miller	
Total - 23		

## ABSENT

Brown	Davis	Marcelle
Chassion	LaCombe	Moore
Crews	Larvadain	Orgeron
Total - 9		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Beaulieu 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. Fisher requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of Senate Bill No. 101 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

### SENATE BILL NO. 133—

BY SENATORS PRESSLY AND HODGES AND REPRESENTATIVE EDMONSTON

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:24, relative to certain international organizations; to disallow the exercise of jurisdiction by certain international organizations; to prevent the use of communications from certain international organizations as a basis for action in the state of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Schlegel moved the final passage of the bill.

## ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

## YEAS

Adams	Domangue	McMakin
Amedee	Echols	Melerine
Bacala	Edmonston	Muscarello
Bagley	Egan	Myers
Bamburg	Emerson	Orgeron
Bayham	Farnum	Owen
Beaulieu	Fontenot	Riser
Berault	Freiberg	Romero
Billings	Gadberry	Schamerhorn
Bourriaque	Galle	Schlegel
Boyer	Geymann	Selders
Braud	Glorioso	St. Blanc
Butler	Hebert	Tarver
Carlson	Henry	Thomas
Carrier	Hilferty	Thompson
Carter, R.	Illg	Turner
Carver	Johnson, M.	Ventrella
Chenevert	Kerner	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Wilder
Cox	Mack	Wiley
Deshotel	McCormick	Wright
Dewitt	McFarland	Wyble
Dickerson	McMahen	Zeringue
Total - 69		

## NAYS

Boyd	Hughes	Newell
Brass	Johnson, T.	Phelps
Bryant	Jordan	Taylor
Carpenter	Knox	Walters
Carter, W.	LaFleur	Willard
Fisher	Landry, M.	Young
Freeman	Lyons	
Green	Mena	
Total - 22		

## ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Firment	Marcelle
Brown	Horton	Miller
Chassion	Jackson	Moore
Crews	LaCombe	Stagni
Davis	Larvadain	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Schlegel 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. Fisher requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of Senate Bill No. 133 from yea to nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

## Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Mack requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of Senate Bill No. 133 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

### SENATE BILL NO. 148—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1053(C)(6), relative to postpartum depression; to provide for the application of step therapy and fail first protocols to drugs prescribed for postpartum depression; to provide for the override of restrictions in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.



Read by title.

Rep. Firment moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adams	Egan	McMahan
Amedee	Emerson	McMakin
Bacala	Farnum	Melerine
Bagley	Firment	Mena
Bamburg	Fisher	Miller
Bayham	Fontenot	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Freeman	Myers
Berault	Freiberg	Newell
Billings	Gadberry	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Galle	Owen
Boyd	Geymann	Phelps
Boyer	Glorioso	Riser
Brass	Green	Romero
Braud	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Brown	Henry	Schlegel
Bryant	Hilferty	Selders
Butler	Horton	St. Blanc
Carlson	Hughes	Stagni
Carpenter	Jackson	Taylor
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Thompson
Carter, W.	Jordan	Turner
Carver	Kerner	Ventrella
Chassion	Knox	Villio
Chenevert	LaCombe	Walters
Coates	LaFleur	Wilder
Cox	Landry, J.	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Willard
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Young
Echols	McCormick	Zeringue
Edmonston	McFarland	
Total - 98		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Illg	Tarver
Crews	Marcelle	
Davis	Moore	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 163—**  
BY SENATOR EDMONDS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:219.5(E), relative to the Advisory Council on Heroin and Opioid Prevention and Education; to provide relative to reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Bacala moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adams	Emerson	McMakin
Amedee	Farnum	Melerine
Bacala	Firment	Mena
Bamburg	Fisher	Miller
Bayham	Fontenot	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Freeman	Myers
Berault	Freiberg	Newell
Billings	Gadberry	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Galle	Owen
Boyd	Geymann	Riser
Boyer	Glorioso	Romero
Brass	Green	Schamerhorn
Braud	Hebert	Schlegel
Brown	Henry	Selders
Bryant	Horton	St. Blanc
Butler	Hughes	Stagni
Carlson	Illg	Taylor
Carpenter	Jackson	Thomas
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Thompson
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carver	Jordan	Ventrella
Chassion	Kerner	Villio
Chenevert	Knox	Walters
Coates	LaCombe	Wilder
Cox	LaFleur	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Willard
Dewitt	Landry, M.	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Young
Echols	McCormick	Zeringue
Edmonston	McFarland	
Egan	McMahan	
Total - 94		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Davis	Moore
Bagley	Hilferty	Phelps
Carrier	Larvadain	Tarver
Crews	Marcelle	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 200—**  
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1019.2(A), relative to health insurance; to provide in-network healthcare coverage for certain covered persons that temporarily relocate after the governor declares a state of emergency for a named storm; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Mena moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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YEAS

Adams	Edmonston	McFarland
Amedee	Egan	McMahen
Bacala	Emerson	McMakin
Bagley	Farnum	Melerine
Bamburg	Firment	Mena
Bayham	Fisher	Miller
Beaullieu	Fontenot	Muscarello
Berault	Freeman	Myers
Billings	Freiberg	Newell
Bourriaque	Gadberry	Orgeron
Boyd	Galle	Owen
Boyer	Glorioso	Phelps
Brass	Green	Riser
Braud	Hebert	Romero
Brown	Henry	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Hilferty	Schlegel
Butler	Horton	Selders
Carlson	Hughes	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Illg	Stagni
Carrier	Jackson	Taylor
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thompson
Carver	Kerner	Ventrella
Chassion	Knox	Villio
Chenevert	LaCombe	Walters
Coates	LaFleur	Wilder
Cox	Landry, J.	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Willard
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Young
Echols	McCormick	Zeringue

Total - 96

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Moore
Crews	Johnson, T.	Tarver
Davis	Marcelle	Turner

Total - 9

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 226—**

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1313.1(G)(3) and (H)(2) and 1315(C) and to enact R.S. 18:1315(D) and (E), relative to elections; to provide relative to absentee by mail ballots; to provide for the challenge of certain ballots; to provide for processes and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Beaullieu moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Echols	McMahen
Adams	Edmonston	McMakin

Amedee	Egan	Melerine
Bacala	Emerson	Muscarello
Bagley	Farnum	Myers
Bamburg	Firment	Orgeron
Bayham	Fontenot	Owen
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Riser
Berault	Gadberry	Romero
Billings	Galle	Schamerhorn
Bourriaque	Geymann	Schlegel
Boyer	Glorioso	St. Blanc
Braud	Hebert	Stagni
Butler	Henry	Tarver
Carlson	Hilferty	Thomas
Carrier	Horton	Thompson
Carver	Illg	Turner
Chenevert	Johnson, M.	Ventrella
Coates	Kerner	Villio
Cox	LaCombe	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Wiley
Dewitt	Mack	Wright
Dickerson	McCormick	Wyble
Domangue	McFarland	Zeringue

Total - 72

NAYS

Boyd	Hughes	Mena
Brass	Jackson	Miller
Brown	Johnson, T.	Newell
Bryant	Jordan	Phelps
Carpenter	Knox	Selders
Carter, R.	LaFleur	Taylor
Carter, W.	Landry, M.	Walters
Fisher	Larvadain	Willard
Freeman	Lyons	Young
Green	Marcelle	

Total - 29

ABSENT

Chassion	Davis
Crews	Moore

Total - 4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 123—**

BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 19-A of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3011 through 3014, relative to school chaplains; to provide for the employment or acceptance as a volunteer of a chaplain by public school boards; to provide for support, services, and programs for students; to provide for responsibility and hiring requirements; to provide for prohibiting certain hires as chaplains; to provide for limitation of liability; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Amedee to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 123 by Senator Abraham

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "a" and before "chaplain" insert "certified"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, after "a" and before "chaplain" insert "certified"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 15, after "students" and before "as" insert a comma "," and insert "staff, and parents"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the end of line 7, delete the period "." and insert "for any school."

On motion of Rep. Amedee, the amendments were adopted.  
Rep. Amedee moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	McMakin
Amedee	Egan	Melerine
Bacala	Emerson	Muscarello
Bagley	Farnum	Myers
Bamburg	Firment	Orgeron
Bayham	Fontenot	Owen
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Riser
Berault	Gadberry	Romero
Billings	Galle	Schamerhorn
Bourriaque	Geymann	Schlegel
Boyer	Glorioso	St. Blanc
Braud	Hebert	Stagni
Brown	Henry	Tarver
Butler	Hilferty	Taylor
Carlson	Horton	Thomas
Carrier	Hughes	Thompson
Carver	Illg	Turner
Chenevert	Johnson, M.	Villio
Coates	Kerner	Wilder
Cox	LaCombe	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, J.	Wright
Dewitt	Mack	Wyble
Dickerson	McCormick	Zeringue
Domangue	McFarland	
Echols	McMahen	
Total - 73		

NAYS

Adams	Green	Mena
Boyd	Jackson	Miller
Brass	Johnson, T.	Newell
Bryant	Jordan	Phelps
Carpenter	LaFleur	Selders
Carter, R.	Landry, M.	Walters
Carter, W.	Larvadain	Willard
Fisher	Lyons	Young
Freeman	Marcelle	
Total - 26		

ABSENT

Chassion	Davis	Moore
Crews	Knox	Ventrella
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

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

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Hughes requested the House consent to correct his vote on final passage of Senate Bill No. 123 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Taylor requested the House consent to correct her vote on final passage of Senate Bill No. 123 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**SENATE BILL NO. 220—**  
BY SENATOR KLEINPETER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:65(F), relative to traffic regulations; to provide relative to the gathering of evidence by law enforcement for the crime of drag racing; to provide for impounding vehicles used in drag racing; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Bacala to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 220 by Senator Kleinpeter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, change "thirty" to "fourteen"

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

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Chassion to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 220 by Senator Kleinpeter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete the set of amendments by the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works (#3505).

AMENDMENT NO. 2

Delete the set of House Floor Amendments by Representative Marcelle (#4549).

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 12, after "offense." insert the following:

"If the owner of the vehicle has not violated this Section, that owner may claim the vehicle from the impound facility once notified by law enforcement. In addition, if the vehicle driven in a manner that violates this Section has been rented from a car rental agency, only the driver of the vehicle shall be subject to higher fines and the total cost of impound fees. The car rental agency, or person who owns the

vehicle, may claim the vehicle from the impound facility once notified by law enforcement."

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

Rep. Bacala 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: Adams, Amedee, Bacala, Bagley, Bamberg, Bayham, Beaulieu, Berault, Billings, Bourriague, Boyd, Boyer, Brass, Braud, Brown, Butler, Carlson, Carpenter, Carrier, Carter, R., Carver, Chassion, Chenevert, Coates, Cox, Deshotel, Dewitt, Dickerson, Domangue, Echols, Edmonston, Egan, Farnum, Firmont, Fisher, Fontenot, Freeman, Freiberg, Gadberry, Galle, Glorioso, Green, Hebert, Henry, Hilferty, Horton, Hughes, Illg, Jackson, Johnson, M., Johnson, T., Jordan, Kerner, Knox, LaCombe, LaFleur, Landry, J., Larvadain, Lyons, Mack, Marcelle, McCormick, McFarland, McMakin, Melerine, Mena, Miller, Myers, Newell, Orgeron, Owen, Phelps, Riser, Romero, Schamerhorn, Schlegel, St. Blanc, Stagni, Tarver, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Turner, Ventrella, Villio, Walters, Wilder, Wiley, Willard, Wright, Wyble, Young, Zeringue.

NAYS

Table listing names of representatives who voted 'NAYS': Bryant, Carter, W., Muscarello, Selders.

ABSENT

Table listing names of representatives who were 'ABSENT': Mr. Speaker, Crews, Davis, Emerson, Geymann, Landry, M., Moore.

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

SENATE BILL NO. 496— BY SENATOR EDMONDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1425 and to enact R.S. 46:1425.1 and R.S. 51:1402(10)(c), relative to children; to provide relative to adoption facilitators; to provide for terms and conditions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Ventrella moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of representatives who voted 'YEAS' in three columns: Adams, Amedee, Bacala, Bagley, Bamberg, Bayham, Beaulieu, Berault, Billings, Bourriague, Boyd, Boyer, Brass, Braud, Brown, Bryant, Butler, Carlson, Carpenter, Carrier, Carter, R., Carter, W., Carver, Chassion, Coates, Cox, Deshotel, Dewitt, Dickerson, Domangue, Echols, Edmonston, Egan, Emerson, Farnum, Firmont, Fisher, Fontenot, Freeman, Freiberg, Gadberry, Galle, Glorioso, Green, Hebert, Henry, Hilferty, Horton, Hughes, Illg, Jackson, Johnson, M., Johnson, T., Jordan, Kerner, Knox, LaCombe, LaFleur, Landry, J., Landry, M., Larvadain, Lyons, Mack, Marcelle, McCormick, McFarland, McMahan, McMakin, Melerine, Mena, Miller, Muscarello, Myers, Newell, Orgeron, Owen, Riser, Romero, Schamerhorn, Schlegel, Selders, St. Blanc, Stagni, Tarver, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Turner, Ventrella, Villio, Walters, Wilder, Wiley, Willard, Wright, Young, Zeringue.

Total - 97

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of representatives who were 'ABSENT': Mr. Speaker, Crews, Davis, Geymann, Moore, Phelps, Wyble.

Total - 8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Ventrella 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.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Jacob Landry gave notice of his intention to call Senate Bill No. 102 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

Suspension of the Rules

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

House and House Concurrent Resolutions on

### Third Reading for Final Consideration

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 192—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BERAULT

##### A RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study adoption proceedings relative to surrendering a child and to report its findings to the legislature no later than January 6, 2025.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Berault moved the adoption of the resolution.

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

### House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions returned from the Senate with amendments to be concurred in by the House were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Beaulieu gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 418 from the calendar on Monday, May 20, 2024.

#### Speaker Pro Tempore Mike Johnson in the Chair

#### Suspension of the Rules

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

#### Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 237—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO

##### A RESOLUTION

To commend the city of Hammond on the occasion of the fortieth anniversary of its Main Street program.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 238—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

##### A RESOLUTION

To commend the University High baseball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2024 Division III Select state championship.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 239—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WYBLE

##### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Education to create a task force to research and make recommendations relative to parent and family engagement in education and to submit a written report to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the House Committee on Education by December 31, 2025.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 134—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS

##### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct utility providers to help facilitate the reporting requirements of the HUD Green mortgage insurance premiums program.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Deshotel, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Commerce, 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 15, 2024

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. 130, by Bayham  
Reported with amendments. (8-0)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 32, by Foil  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

Senate Bill No. 79, by Morris, Jay (Joint Resolution)  
Reported favorably. (8-2)

Senate Bill No. 371, by Barrow  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 401, by Reese  
Reported with amendments. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 413, by Miller, G.  
Reported with amendments. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 421, by Luneau  
Reported with amendments. (8-0)

Senate Bill No. 431, by Cloud  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

Senate Bill No. 467, by Reese  
Reported with amendments. (9-0)

DEBBIE VILLIO

Chair

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments, except Senate Bill Nos. 79 and 431, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Health and Welfare

May 15, 2024

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Resolution No. 189, by Lyons  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 88, by Moore  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 103, by Moore  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 104, by Freeman  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Bill No. 867, by Henry, Chance  
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 138, by Owen, Robert  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 143, by Barrow  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 224, by Owen, Robert  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 455, by Barrow  
Reported with amendments. (12-0)

DUSTIN MILLER  
Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

May 15, 2024

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

Senate Bill No. 68, by Pressly  
Reported with amendments. (8-2)

Senate Bill No. 129, by Owen, Robert  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 145, by Barrow  
Reported favorably. (14-0)

Senate Bill No. 488, by Cathey  
Reported with amendments. (14-0)

GERALD "BEAU" BEAULLIEU, IV

Chairman

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

Report of the Committee on Insurance

May 15, 2024

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 96, by Brown, Chad  
Reported with amendments. (15-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 120, by Jordan  
Reported favorably. (15-0)

House Bill No. 957, by Jordan  
Reported with amendments. (17-0)

Senate Bill No. 300, by Duplessis  
Reported with amendments. (14-0)

MICHAEL "GABE" FIRMENT  
Chairman

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Muscarello, Jr., the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to submit their weekly schedule on a day other than required by House Rule 14.23,

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. McFarland, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Appropriations to meet on Monday, May 20, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. instead of 10:00 a.m., 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. 878

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Deshotel, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Commerce to meet on Monday, May 20, 2024, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 134

Senate Bill No. 489

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 3:30 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Monday, May 20, 2024, at 12:00 P.M.

The Speaker Pro Tempore of the House declared the House adjourned until 12:00 P.M., Monday, May 20, 2024.

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: 10:00 a.m.

Date: Thursday, May 16, 2024

Location: Committee Room 1

Remarks:

MEETING IS CANCELLED

ROBBY CARTER  
Chairman

Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.

Date: Thursday, May 16, 2024

Location: Committee Room 6

Remarks:

- HB 907** **BAGLEY MUSEUMS** Provides for the governance of state museums and the transfer of museums from the Department of State to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism
- SB 94** **COUSSAN PARISHES** Provides for the administrative procedures for approving or certifying certain plats in Lafayette Parish. (gov sig)
- SB 136** **TALBOT LOCAL AGENCIES** Provides for residency requirements relative to the Ernest N. Morial-New Orleans Exhibition Authority. (gov sig)
- SB 201** **COUSSAN SPECIAL DISTRICTS** Provides for the creation of the Cajundome Commission. (8/1/24)
- SB 245** **STINE PARKS** Provides for the location of the Louisiana Vietnam Veterans Memorial. (gov sig)
- SB 305** **HARRIS, JIMMY WATER/SEWER OPERATORS** Provides for a special master for New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board. (gov sig)
- SB 364** **HARRIS, JIMMY SPECIAL DISTRICTS** Provides for the Downtown Development District of the city of New Orleans. (gov sig)
- SB 365** **HARRIS, JIMMY SPECIAL DISTRICTS** Provides for the French Quarter Management District. (gov sig)
- SB 408** **FIELDS SPECIAL DISTRICTS** Provides for economic development districts. (8/1/24)
- SB 480** **BOUDREAUX SPECIAL DISTRICTS** Provides for the powers and functions of the Lafayette Economic Development Authority. (gov sig)
- SB 481** **BOUDREAUX SPECIAL DISTRICTS** Provides for the University of Louisiana at Lafayette Economic Development District. (8/1/24)

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs via e-mail at h-mpc@legis.la.gov.

FOY BRYAN GADBERRY  
Chairman

Committee on Appropriations

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m. (TBA - Time Change)

Date: Monday, May 20, 2024

Location: Committee Room 5

Remarks:

- HB 30** **BAGLEY RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS** Provides relative to retirement eligibility in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System
- HB 878** **RISER (TBA) PUBLIC CONTRACTS** Provides relative to fire departments and public safety departments or agencies entering into an agreement with group purchasing organizations (**Subject to Rule Suspension**)
- HB 939** **FISHER HEALTH/SICKLE CELL ANEM** Provides relative to healthcare services provided to patients with sickle cell disease
- SB 187** **BOUDREAUX MEDICAID** Creates a pilot program for Medicaid recipients to utilize portable oxygen concentrators. (8/1/24)
- SB 234** **MIGUEZ CONTRACTS** Provides relative to prohibition on certain governmental entity contracts with companies that discriminate against firearm and ammunition industries. (8/1/24)
- SB 235** **HENSGENS GAMING** Provides relative to the regulation of sports wagering. (8/1/24)
- SB 239** **MCMATH DISEASE CONTROL** Provides relative to amyotrophic lateral sclerosis. (gov sig)
- SB 341** **HARRIS, JIMMY ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT** Provides relative for the Major Events Incentive Fund and Program and the Events Incentive Fund and Program. (gov sig)
- SB 440** **PRESSLY FUNDS/FUNDING** Creates a Dyslexia Fund for the purpose of funding the testing of students for dyslexia. (gov sig)

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Appropriations via e-mail at h-app@legis.la.gov.

JACK G. MCFARLAND  
Chairman

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure

Will meet at: 10:00 a.m.

Date: Monday, May 20, 2024

Location: Committee Room 4

Remarks:

**SB 78 MORRIS, JAY COURTS** Constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature, by law, to establish additional courts enacted by a two-thirds vote

**SB 84 SEABAUGH CIVIL PROCEDURE** Provides for motion for judgment on offer of judgment

**SB 130 BASS CIVIL PROCEDURE** Provides for limitation upon jury trials

**SB 177 MORRIS, JAY COURTS** Constitutional amendment to increase the non-lawyer membership of and provide for the selection judiciary commission members and to require investigations be conducted by directive of the supreme court

**SB 185 SEABAUGH CIVIL PROCEDURE** Provides for legislative continuances or extensions

**SB 483 MORRIS, JAY ATTORNEYS** Provides relative to attorney service contracts

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure via e-mail at [h-clp@legis.la.gov](mailto:h-clp@legis.la.gov).

NICHOLAS MUSCARELLO, JR.  
Chairman

Committee on Commerce

Will meet at: 10:00 a.m.

Date: Monday, May 20, 2024

Location: Committee Room 1

Remarks:

**HCR 134 CREWS (TBA) UTILITIES** Directs utility companies to help facilitate the reporting requirements of the HUD Green mortgage insurance premiums program. **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**

**SB 332 SEABAUGH OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY** Repeals the Occupational Licensing Review Commission. (1/1/25)

**SB 489 CATHEY (TBA) STATE OFFICIALS** Provides for duties of the State Fire Marshal. (1/1/26) **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**

**SB 490 CATHEY UTILITIES** Provides relative to underground utilities and facilities. (8/1/24)

**SB 494 MIZELL ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT** Provides for the Department of Economic Development. (gov sig)

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DARYL ANDREW DESHOTEL  
Chairman

Committee on Ways and Means

Will meet at: 9:30 a.m.

Date: Monday, May 20, 2024

Location: Committee Room 6

Remarks:

**SB 119 MILLER, G. TAX/AD VALOREM** Constitutional amendment that provides relative to tax sales. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

**SB 505 MILLER, G. TAX/AD VALOREM** Provides relative to the assessment, payment, and allocation of ad valorem taxes. (See Act)

**SB 500 REESE TAX/TAXATION** Provides relative to the levy of local fees and taxes on certain non-gaming incentives or inducements granted by certain licensees. (gov sig)

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Ways and Means via e-mail at [hwmc@legis.la.gov](mailto:hwmc@legis.la.gov)

JULIE EMERSON  
Chairman

### Weekly Committee Schedules

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:

Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED

LEGISLATIVE INSTRUMENTS MAY BE DELETED (DOES NOT REQUIRE HOUSE RULES SUSPENSION) OR ADDED (REQUIRES HOUSE RULES SUSPENSION) PRIOR TO THE MEETING DATE. (HOUSE RULES 14.23 AND 14.24) SEE THE DAILY NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS POSTED PRIOR TO MEETING DATE.



TROY D. ROMERO  
Chairman

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure

Monday, May 20, 2024

Committee Room 4

10:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- SB 78 MORRIS, JAY COURTS** Constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature, by law, to establish additional courts enacted by a two-thirds vote
- SB 84 SEABAUGH CIVIL PROCEDURE** Provides for motion for judgment on offer of judgment
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NICHOLAS MUSCARELLO, JR.  
Chairman

Committee on Education

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

Committee Room 1

9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- SB 253 FOIL SCHOOLS** Provides relative to parental consent for changes to an individualized education program. (gov sig)
- SB 475 OWEN, ROBERT SCHOOLS** Allows the Health Education course to be offered virtually under certain circumstances. (gov sig)

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Education via e-mail at [h-educ@legis.la.gov](mailto:h-educ@legis.la.gov).

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LAURIE SCHLEGEL  
Chairman

Committee on Health and Welfare

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

Committee Room 5

9:30 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HR 214 OWEN, CHARLES VACCINES/VACCINATION** Requests the attorney general to investigate whether certain corporations violated any laws in the production, distribution, or sale of COVID-19 vaccinations
- HR 222 EDMONSTON CHILDREN/ABUSE** Requests the Louisiana Department of Health to evaluate factors affecting children who are diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder in this state and their families
- SB 192 BARROW CHILDREN/FAMILY SERVICES DEPT** Provides relative to the Empowering Families to Live Well Louisiana Council. (gov sig)

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Health and Welfare via e-mail at [h-hw@legis.la.gov](mailto:h-hw@legis.la.gov).

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DUSTIN MILLER  
Chairman

Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

Committee Room 2

9:30 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

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**HCR 81 ECHOLS ECONOMIC DEVEL/COMMUNITY** Establishes a task force to study ways to increase the number of retirement communities in Louisiana

**SB 462 HODGES APPOINTED OFFICIALS** Provides for gubernatorial appointments. (gov sig)

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GERALD "BEAU" BEAULLIEU, IV  
Chairman

Committee on Insurance

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

Committee Room 3

9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

**SB 281 EDMONDS PHARMACISTS** Provides for pharmacy record audits. (8/1/24)

**SB 484 DUPLESSIS PROPERTY INSURANCE** Provides for changes to the Louisiana Fortify Homes Program. (gov sig)

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Insurance via email at h-ins@legis.la.gov.

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MICHAEL "GABE" FIRMENT  
Chairman

Committee on Judiciary

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

Committee Room 1

10:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

**SB 186 SEABAUGH JUDGES** Provides relative to continuous service for the purpose of determination of chief judge

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Judiciary via e-mail at h-jud@legis.la.gov.

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ROBBY CARTER  
Chairman

Committee on Natural Resources and Environment

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

Committee Room 4

9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

**HR 230 FIRMENT WILDLIFE & FISHERIES** Urges and requests the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to study ways to develop and enhance recreational opportunities for certain portions of Little River

**HR 231 MACK BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS** Urges and requests the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to modify administrative rules regarding the use of airboats in the Maurepas Swamp Wildlife Management Area

**SB 62 FESI PUBLIC HEALTH** Provides relative to seafood safety. (gov sig)

Pursuant to House Rule 14.33, 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.

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BRETT F. GEYMANN  
Chairman