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Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Saturday, June 21, 1997

The Senate was called to order at 9:00 o'clock A.M., by Hon. Randy Ewing, President of the Senate.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theuissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—38		

ABSENT

Bagneris
Total—1

The President of the Senate announced there were 38 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Smith, following which the Senate joined in pledging allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Senator Smith, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of yesterday was adopted.

Morning Hour

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 33**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 33: Senators Landry, Bean, and Smith.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 215**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 215: Senators Hollis, Landry, and Ewing.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 222**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 222: Senators Landry, Lentini, and Irons.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 428**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 428: Senators Heitmeier, Schedler, and Campbell.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 529**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 529: Senators Greene, Guidry, and Fields.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 660**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 660: Senators Dardenne, Jordan, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 675**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 675: Senators Landry, Bean, and Smith.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 916**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 916: Senators Jordan, Landry, and Lentini.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 947**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 947: Senators Romero, Dardenne, and Siracusa.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1097**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1097: Senators Jordan, Lentini, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1369**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1369: Senators Jordan, Lentini, and Hainkel.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1443**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1443: Senators Bajojie, Theunissen, and Malone.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1469**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1469: Senators Hainkel, Dardenne, and Short.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1529**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1529: Senators Hollis, Hainkel, and Heitmeier.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1536**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1536: Senators Cravins, Short, and Lentini.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1561**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1561: Senators Landry, Bean, and Lentini.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 357**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 357 the following members of the Senate: Senators Greene, Johnson, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1047**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1047 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hines, Schedler, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1166**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1166 the following members of the Senate: Senators Barham, Fields, and Greene.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1480**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1480 the following members of the Senate: Senators Landry, Schedler, and Dyess.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1521**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1521 the following members of the Senate: Senators Robichaux, Ullo, and Romero.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1715**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1715 the following members of the Senate: Senators Cox, Bajojie, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1723**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1723 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hines, Bajojie, and Irons.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2025**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2025 the following members of the Senate: Senators Tarver, Guidry, and Lentini.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2065**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2065 the following members of the Senate: Senators Greene, Dardenne, and Theunissen.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2499**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2499 the following members of the Senate: Senators Ellington, Barham, and Cox.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 660**

The President of the Senate announced the following change in the Conference Committee membership on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 660: Senator Romero, vice Senator Malone.

**Introduction of Resolutions,
Senate and Concurrent**

Senator Bagneris asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of introducing and reading the following

Resolutions, Senate and Concurrent, a first and second time and acting upon them as follows:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 62—

BY SENATOR DEAN

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate The Chevron Companies for receiving the 1997 National Health of the Land Award presented by the Bureau of Land Management for the Eastern United States.

On motion of Senator Dean, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 157—

BY SENATOR EWING

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate James Robert "Bob" Whitaker for his tireless devotion to duty and his faithful service to his community and for his election as recording secretary for the International Association of Firefighters, Baton Rouge, Local 557.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Ewing moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields	Landry
Barham	Greene	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Casanova	Hines	Schedler
Cox	Hollis	Short
Cravins	Irons	Siracusa
Dardenne	Johnson	Smith
Dean	Jones	Tarver
Dyess	Jordan	Theunissen
Ellington	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Campbell
Total—3		

The Chair declared the Senate had adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it sent to the House.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 264—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MONTGOMERY AND ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to meet and function as a joint committee to review requests for the issuance of bonds or the granting of lines of credit in connection with the comprehensive capital budget which the legislature adopts and to make recommendations with respect thereto to the State Bond Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Concurrent Resolutions

Senator Barham asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Concurrent Resolutions just received from the House which were taken up, read a first and second time by their titles and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 264—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MONTGOMERY AND ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to meet and function as a joint committee to review requests for the issuance of bonds or the granting of lines of credit in connection with the comprehensive capital budget which the legislature adopts and to make recommendations with respect thereto to the State Bond Commission.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Barham moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fields	Lentini
Bajoie	Guidry	Malone
Barham	Hainkel	Robichaux
Bean	Heitmeier	Romero
Branch	Hines	Schedler
Cain	Hollis	Short
Casanova	Irons	Siracusa
Cox	Johnson	Smith
Cravins	Jones	Tarver
Dardenne	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Ellington	Landry	
Total—35		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bagneris	Dean
Campbell	Greene
Total—4	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

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House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

The following House Concurrent Resolutions were read and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 261—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JETSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Licensing Board for Contractors to adopt provisions for the hardship licensure of certain persons applying for a residential building contractor's license.

On motion of Senator Hainkel, the resolution was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 262—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Supreme Court of Louisiana to take appropriate action to increase to fourteen hours the credit allowed for service in the Louisiana Legislature by those representatives, senators, and chief clerical officers of the Senate and the House of Representatives who are attorneys for fulfilling the requirement of attendance at continuing legal education activities and to include full-time legislative staff who are attorneys in this fourteen hours of CLE credit per year.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Irons moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing YEAS for House Concurrent Resolution No. 261: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Cain, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Fields, Guidry, Heitmeier, Hines, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo. Total—31

NAYS

Branch, Hainkel, Hollis, Malone. Total—4

ABSENT

Mr. President, Bagneris, Campbell, Greene. Total—4

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 263—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Peace Officer Standards and Training Council to study and advise on the feasibility of offering courses, on an in-service basis, for law enforcement officers with traffic enforcement responsibilities to include training in the detection and apprehension of persons suspected

of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcoholic beverages, a controlled dangerous substance, or any other substance that impairs a person's physical or mental faculties.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing YEAS for House Concurrent Resolution No. 262: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Fields, Guidry, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo. Total—35

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President, Bagneris, Campbell, Greene. Total—4

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the House of Representatives with Amendments, Subject to Call

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions returned from the House of Representative, subject to call, with amendments were taken up and acted upon as follows:

Called from the Calendar

Senator Hainkel asked that Senate Bill No. 969 be called from the Calendar at this time.

SENATE BILL NO. 969—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE, EWING AND BAGNERIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:233.1, relative to certain public assistance benefits; to provide for a one year period of ineligibility for the receipt of certain public assistance or food stamp benefits for individuals convicted of certain drug related crimes; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 969 by Senator Hainkel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 6, after "incarcerated" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 7 and 8 in their entirety

Senator Hainkel moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Greene
Total—3		

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were concurred in. Senator Hainkel moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were concurred in and laid the motion on the table.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Hainkel asked that Senate Bill No. 1164 be called from the Calendar at this time.

SENATE BILL NO. 1164—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE, EWING AND BAGNERIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4291 and to enact R.S. 46:236.10, relative to the enforcement of child support obligations by the Department of Social Services; to provide with respect to judgments created by operation of law; to dispense with the requirement of a summary proceeding in certain cases; to provide for the filing of such judgments which have the effect of a legal mortgage and privilege; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1164 by Senator Hainkel, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 25, after "notice" and before "to" insert "by certified mail"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 26, delete "whenever" and insert in lieu thereof "thirty days prior to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 27, delete "is" and insert in lieu thereof "being"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, at the end of line 23, insert the following: "Notwithstanding any provision of this Subsection, such affidavit shall not operate as a lien, privilege, or legal mortgage on any licensed or titled motor vehicle."

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Murray to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1164 by Senator Hainkel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "and to enact R.S. 46:236.10"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 3 through 7 in their entirety and in lieu thereof insert "the effect of child support payments; to provide with respect to foreign liens; and to provide"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, delete "legal mortgage" and delete line 13 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "judgment by operation of law; foreign liens"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 10 through 27 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B.(1) In enforcing support orders, the Department of Social Services has the authority to impose liens and to recognize and enforce the authority of agencies of other states in imposing liens, all in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph B(2) and without the necessity of obtaining a court order.

(2)(a) Liens arise by operation of law against real and personal property for amounts of overdue support owed by a noncustodial parent who resides or owns property in this state.

(b) Foreign liens, which arise by operation of law for past due child support owed by a noncustodial parent who resides or owns property in this state, shall be accorded full faith and credit when such lien complies with the procedural rules relating to recording or serving liens arising within this state; however, such foreign lien shall not require judicial notice or hearing prior to the enforcement of such lien."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 27 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, delete lines 1 through 6 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 7

Delete all Amendments proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure and adopted by the House on June 05, 1997

AMENDMENT NO. 8

Delete all Amendments proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House on June 05, 1997

Senator Hainkel moved to reject the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Greene
Total—3		

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were rejected. Senator Hainkel moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were rejected and laid the motion on the table.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Schedler asked that Senate Bill No. 1155 be called from the Calendar at this time.

SENATE BILL NO. 1155— BY SENATORS BAGNERIS AND SCHEDLER AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Arts. 394 and 405, Code of Civil Procedure Art. 4549, and to repeal Civil Code Arts. 400 and 401, relative to interdiction and curatorship; to provide for notice and hearing in a suit for the appointment of a provisional curator; to provide criteria for appointment of a provisional curator; to provide for the powers and duration of a provisional curator; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1155 by Senator Bagneris

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 2, after "394" and before "and" insert ", 400,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 1, line 3, delete "and to repeal Civil Code Arts. 400 and 401,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 1, line 9, after "394" and before "and" insert ", 400,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4 On page 1, after line 16, insert the following:

"Art. 400. Effective date of interdiction

The entry of a judgment of interdiction shall render the interdiction ~~takes place~~ effective from the day of presenting the petition for the same. * * *

AMENDMENT NO. 5 On page 2, line 19, delete "Due" and insert in lieu thereof "The person sought to be interdicted is incapable of caring for his person or administering his estate due"

AMENDMENT NO. 6 On page 2, line 20, after "or" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "other infirmity as provided in Civil Code Article 389 or 422. (2) There is imminent danger that the"

AMENDMENT NO. 7 On page 2, at the beginning of line 24, change "(2)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8 On page 2, at the beginning of line 27, change "(3)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9 On page 3, line 6, delete "at least forty-eight" and insert in lieu thereof "within a reasonable period of time" and on line 7, delete "hours prior to the hearing"

AMENDMENT NO. 10 On page 3, at the end of line 9, insert "The defendant has the right to be present at the hearing, to present evidence, to testify, and to cross-examine witnesses."

AMENDMENT NO. 11 On page 3, line 17, change "forty-" to "seventy-two"

AMENDMENT NO. 12 On page 3, line 18, delete "eight" and after "hearing" insert a period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete line 19 in its entirety and on line 20, delete "the right to counsel." and insert in lieu thereof "In all other respects the hearing shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph B of this Article."

AMENDMENT NO. 13 On page 4, at the end of line 3, change "Section." to "Article."

AMENDMENT NO. 14 On page 4, at the end of line 22, delete the period "." and add "and the affidavit of the physician or the psychologist."

AMENDMENT NO. 15 On page 4, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:

"(f) Explain that the defendant has a right to be present at the hearing, to present evidence, to testify, and to cross-examine witnesses."

AMENDMENT NO. 16 On page 5, delete lines 14 through 20 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 3. The provisions of this Act shall apply prospectively only and shall not apply to any interdiction proceeding wherein the original petition for interdiction was filed prior to August 15, 1997, regardless of the disposition of the original petition or any judgment resulting therefrom."

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1155 by Senator Bagneris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 25, following "a" and before "curator" change "provisions" to "provisional"

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Dimos to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1155 by Senator Bagneris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 25, after "circumstances" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 26 and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 8, after "attorney" change the comma "," to a period "." and delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, delete lines 6 through 8 and insert "The authority of a"

Senator Schedler moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Greene
Total—3		

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were concurred in. Senator Schedler moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were concurred in and laid the motion on the table.

**House Concurrent Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees**

The following House Concurrent Resolutions reported by Committees were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WRIGHT, BARTON, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BRUCE, CRANE, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FONTENOT, FRITH, FRUGE, HEBERT, ILES, JOHNS, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LONG, MICHOT, MORRISH, PERKINS, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, ROMERO, ROUSSELLE, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, STELLY, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TRICHE, AND WALSWORTH AND SENATOR ROMERO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To petition the Congress of the United States to propose an amendment to the Constitution of the United States for ratification, for submission to the states, to provide for election of members of the federal judiciary.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

On motion of Senator Smith, the resolution was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95—

BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners and the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists to review physicians' and psychologists' commitment practices and sanction physicians or psychologists who abuse such authority; to urge the Department of Health and Hospitals and the Mental Health Advocacy Service to cooperate with each board and to file complaints about physicians or psychologists who abuse commitment privileges and recommendations; to require each board to report on its actions related to this Resolution; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hines moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hollis	Short
Casanova	Irons	Siracusa
Cox	Johnson	Smith
Cravins	Jones	Tarver
Dardenne	Jordan	Theunissen
Dean	Lambert	Ullo
Dyess	Landry	
Total—35		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Greene
Bagneris	Hines
Total—4	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 102—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the state registrar of vital records to establish a uniform marriage license and marriage certificate for use on and after January 1, 1998.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 102 by Representative Montgomery

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 7, change "directs" to "urges and requests"

On motion of Senator Hines, the committee amendment was adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Malone moved to concur in the amended House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Guidry	Malone
Bean	Hainkel	Robichaux
Branch	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Ellington	Landry	
Total—35		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Campbell
Bagneris	Greene
Total—4	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the amended House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 108—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To repeal rules eliminating the Medically Needy Program within the Medicaid program; to repeal rules creating a state-funded Medically Needy Program; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hines moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Greene
Total—3		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 119—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE LONG
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of public health, to take steps necessary to provide for the development and implementation of electronic issuance of benefits under the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children to eligible recipients beginning no later than March 1, 1998.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hines moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barham	Fields	Robichaux
Bean	Guidry	Romero
Branch	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Short
Campbell	Irons	Siracusa
Casanova	Jones	Smith
Cox	Jordan	Tarver
Cravins	Lambert	Theunissen
Dean	Landry	Ullo
Dyess	Lentini	
Ellington	Malone	
Total—31		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Dardenne	Hollis
Bagneris	Greene	Johnson

Bajoie
Total—8

Hainkel

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 161—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Social Services, office of family support, support enforcement services, to adopt and implement rules which provide for the possibility of recovering certain costs incurred in providing child support enforcement services pursuant to Title 45 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Section 302.33.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Irons moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie
Barham
Bean
Branch
Cain
Campbell
Cox
Cravins
Dardenne
Dean
Dyess
Ellington
Total—34

Fields
Guidry
Heitmeier
Hines
Hollis
Irons
Johnson
Jones
Jordan
Lambert
Landry
Lentini

Malone
Robichaux
Romero
Schedler
Short
Siracusa
Smith
Tarver
Theunissen
Ullo

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President
Bagneris
Total—5

Casanova
Greene

Hainkel

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 168—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of state parks to study the feasibility of making Fort DeRussy in Avoyelles Parish a state commemorative area and to report its findings to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hines moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie
Barham
Bean
Branch
Cain
Casanova
Cox
Cravins
Dardenne
Dean
Dyess
Total—33

Ellington
Fields
Hainkel
Heitmeier
Hollis
Irons
Johnson
Jones
Jordan
Lambert
Landry

Lentini
Malone
Robichaux
Romero
Schedler
Short
Siracusa
Smith
Tarver
Theunissen
Ullo

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President
Bagneris
Total—6

Campbell
Greene

Guidry
Hines

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 189—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of the Department of Social Services to consider implementing a School Bus Attendant Community Service Program which will allow recipients of public assistance enrolled in the program to be considered as working for work participation purposes.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Guidry moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie
Barham
Bean
Branch
Cain
Casanova
Cox
Cravins
Dardenne
Dean
Dyess
Ellington
Total—35

Fields
Guidry
Hainkel
Heitmeier
Hines
Hollis
Irons
Johnson
Jones
Jordan
Lambert
Landry

Lentini
Malone
Robichaux
Romero
Schedler
Short
Siracusa
Smith
Tarver
Theunissen
Ullo

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President
Bagneris
Total—4

Campbell
Greene

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The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12— BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to erect a protective guardrail at 3083 LA 77 in Livonia, Louisiana, at the residence of the Floyd Chenevert family.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 12 by Representative Marionneaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 2, after "hereby" changes "directs" to "urges and requests"

On motion of Senator Landry, the committee amendment was adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Fields moved to concur in the amended House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Total—33; Fields, Guidry, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry; Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo

NAYS

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Bagneris, Total—6; Campbell, Casanova; Greene, Hollis

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the amended House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13— BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to erect a protective guardrail at 20980 LA 77 in Grosse Tete, Louisiana, at the residence of the Ralph Wille family.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 13 by Representative Marionneaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 2, after "hereby" change "directs" to "urges and requests"

On motion of Senator Landry, the committee amendment was adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Fields moved to concur in the amended House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Total—35; Fields, Guidry, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry; Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns of names: Mr. President, Bagneris, Total—4; Casanova, Greene

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the amended House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47— BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the Coastal Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Plan for Fiscal Year 1997-1998, prepared by the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Authority.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo

Total—36

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Greene
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Total—3

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College to formulate, develop, and implement on the Baton Rouge campus a program to provide quality child care services by the institution at one or more campus facilities for use by students, faculty, and employees on a pay-for-services basis; to provide program guidelines; to provide for program implementation; and to provide for a written report by the board to the House and Senate Committees on Education prior to the beginning of the 1999 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Guidry moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo

Total—36

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Greene
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Total—3

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to submit a study which evaluates the hazardous road conditions on LA Hwy. 150 from the Ruston city limits on the west and the Simsboro city limits on the east and to suggest improvements which might alleviate the existing dangerous conditions.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 99 by Representative Wilkerson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 18, after "hereby" change "direct" to "urge and request"

On motion of Senator Landry, the committee amendment was adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Ewing moved to concur in the amended House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	

Total—35

NAYS

Landry
Total—1

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Greene
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Total—3

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the amended House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the state Department of Education to refrain from scheduling Louisiana Educational Assessment Program tests and

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the Graduation Exit Exam the week immediately following the change to Daylight Saving Time.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Bean moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing YEAS for Bajoi, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Cox, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Total—32, Fields, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullio, Total—32.

NAYS

Casanova
Total—2

Short

ABSENT

Table listing ABSENT: Mr. President, Bagneris, Total—5; Cravins, Greene; Lambert.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 111— BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Department of Transportation and Development to install "Slow-School Zone" signs on Louisiana Highway 73 (Old Jefferson Highway) near Oak Grove Elementary School in Ascension Parish.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 111 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "authorize and direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17, after "hereby" change "authorizes and directs" to "urges and requests"

On motion of Senator Landry, the committee amendment was adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Lambert moved to concur in the amended House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing YEAS: Bajoi, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dyess, Ellington, Total—34, Fields, Guidry, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullio.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table listing ABSENT: Mr. President, Bagneris, Total—5; Dean, Greene; Hainkel.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the amended House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 121— BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development, the Federal Highway Administration, and the St. John the Baptist Parish Council to enter into a joint-use agreement in order to construct a tourist information center at the I-10/I-55/US 61 intersection in LaPlace.

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

The resolution was read by title. Senator Landry moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing YEAS: Bajoi, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Total—35, Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullio.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table listing ABSENT: Mr. President; Hainkel.

Bagneris Lambert
Total—4

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 142—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the Department of Transportation and Development to develop and initiate an internship program for students from all universities in the state and to announce the availability of the program at all universities.

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

The resolution was read by title. Senator Barham moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Greene	Malone
Barham	Guidry	Robichaux
Bean	Heitmeier	Romero
Branch	Hines	Schedler
Cain	Hollis	Short
Campbell	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Ellington	Landry	
Fields	Lentini	
Total—34		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Casanova	Hainkel
Bagneris	Cox	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 172—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a task force to study the potential use of Department of Wildlife and Fisheries public lands by political subdivisions for the purposes of satisfying wetland mitigation requirements.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Ellington moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini

Bean	Greene	Malone
Branch	Guidry	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—35		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Hainkel
Bagneris	Robichaux
Total—4	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 186—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to use the mean or average of the range of spawning potential ratio for flounders.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields	Landry
Barham	Greene	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cravins	Irons	Siracusa
Dardenne	Johnson	Smith
Dean	Jones	Tarver
Dyess	Jordan	Theunissen
Ellington	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Cox
Total—3		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 194—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress and the appropriate federal agencies to approve the Louisiana Coastal Wetlands Conservation Plan.

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Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Ellington	Landry	
Total—37		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris
Total—2	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 207—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAUTREAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to make an annual report to the legislature on red drum and spotted sea trout.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Guidry	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—35		

NAYS

Hainkel	Malone
Total—2	

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris
Total—2	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 209—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the importance of and express legislative intent to provide funds for expanding character education in Louisiana public elementary and secondary schools through the efforts of Louisiana State University Agricultural Center and the Cooperative Extension Service's 4-H Youth Development Program.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Campbell moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Ellington	Landry	
Total—37		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris
Total—2	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 156—

BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE AND WINDHORST

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice to promulgate guidelines similar to the National Asset Forfeiture Ethical Standards; to establish Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training certification status and training for law enforcement officers engaged in interstate highway traffic enforcement and seizures pursuant to state and federal asset forfeiture laws; to gather and report statistics on such highway enforcement activities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Dardenne moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie Fields Lentini
Barham Greene Malone
Bean Guidry Robichaux
Branch Hainkel Romero
Cain Heitmeier Schedler
Campbell Hines Short
Casanova Hollis Siracusa
Cox Irons Smith
Cravins Johnson Tarver
Dardenne Jones Theunissen
Dean Jordan Ullo
Dyess Lambert
Ellington Landry
Total—37

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President Bagneris
Total—2

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 169— BY REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the House and Senate Committees on Health and Welfare, the House Committee on Appropriations, the Senate Committee on Finance, and the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals review Medicaid reimbursement of emergency room care in rural hospitals to determine if consideration of geographic location and the limitation of patient options may be considered in determining reimbursement for certain services.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Bean moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie Fields Lentini
Barham Greene Malone
Bean Guidry Robichaux
Branch Heitmeier Romero
Cain Hines Schedler
Casanova Hollis Short
Cox Irons Smith
Cravins Johnson Tarver
Dardenne Jones Theunissen
Dean Jordan Ullo
Dyess Lambert
Ellington Landry
Total—34

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President Campbell Siracusa
Bagneris Hainkel
Total—5

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 170— BY REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to enact legislation which would provide for consideration of geographical location and the availability of patient options in the reimbursement of claims for emergencies treated in rural hospital emergency rooms which are not life-threatening and to enact legislation which would correct the current inequity in reimbursing rural hospitals for costs of stabilizing patients who are to be referred to larger, more suitably equipped facilities.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Bean moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie Ellington Lambert
Barham Fields Landry
Bean Greene Lentini
Branch Guidry Malone
Cain Hainkel Robichaux
Campbell Heitmeier Romero
Cox Hines Schedler
Cravins Hollis Short
Dardenne Irons Smith
Dean Johnson Tarver
Dyess Jones Theunissen
Jordan Ullo
Total—36

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President Bagneris Siracusa
Total—3

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 175— BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations to the legislature for a less onerous method of garnishment under a writ of fieri facias with respect to the third party garnishee.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Landry moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields	Landry
Barham	Greene	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Cox	Hollis	Short
Cravins	Irons	Smith
Dardenne	Johnson	Tarver
Dean	Jones	Theunissen
Dyess	Jordan	Ullo
Ellington	Lambert	
Total—35		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Casanova
Bagneris	Siracusa
Total—4	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 180—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, HUNTER, MORRELL, MURRAY, QUEZAIRE, JETSON, LANDRIEU, MONTGOMERY, RIDDLE, CLARKSON, GLOVER, WESTON, PRATT, AND GUILLORY AND SENATORS BAJOIE, IRONS, AND SHORT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize the Department of Social Services to proceed with the implementation of the Electronic Benefit Transfer Program for the issuance of benefits in the Food Stamp Program and the Family Independence Temporary Assistance Program statewide.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hainkel moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Greene	Malone
Barham	Hainkel	Robichaux
Branch	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hines	Schedler
Campbell	Hollis	Short
Casanova	Irons	Siracusa
Cox	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Ellington	Landry	
Fields	Lentini	
Total—34		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bean	Guidry
Bagneris	Cravins	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 200—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations to the legislature on the feasibility of adopting in this state the Uniform Law on Nonprobate Transfer on Death, particularly the Uniform Transfer on Death Security Registration Act.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Campbell moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Greene	Malone
Branch	Guidry	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Hainkel
Total—3		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 196—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Revenue and Taxation to suspend the application and enforcement of the provisions of R.S. 47:300.1 through 300.3 as enacted by Act No. 41 of the 1996 Regular Session of the legislature, applicable to taxable periods after December 31, 1996, and to continue enforcement of the provisions of Parts I and II of Chapter 1 of Title 47 as existed prior to enactment of Act No. 41 of the 1996 Regular Session of the legislature.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Ullo moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Total—36; Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert; Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Total—3; Bagneris, Hainkel.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 222— BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Revenue and Taxation to grant to the Kiefer UNO Lakefront Arena an exemption from state sales and use taxes on admission tickets pursuant to R.S. 39:468.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Barham moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Total—36; Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan; Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Total—3; Bagneris, Robichaux.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

House Concurrent Resolutions to be Adopted, Subject to Call

The following House Concurrent Resolutions to be adopted, subject to call, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

Called from the Calendar

Senator Ullo asked that House Concurrent Resolution No. 184 be called from the Calendar at this time.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 184— BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, BOWLER, AND SCALISE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to provide for two-way traffic on the Huey P. Long Bridge in Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, during general roadway surface repair work on the bridge.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Ullo sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ullo to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 184 by Representative Alario

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "Louisiana," and to provide for adequate lighting and alternative construction scheduling"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 11 after "bridge" delete the period "." and insert ", and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

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

"WHEREAS, during the past few years the Department of Transportation and Development has removed lighting from the bridge which has resulted in restricted lighting on the bridge roadway; and

WHEREAS, the Huey P. Long Bridge as a major thoroughfare should be adequately lighted and during the current scheduled roadway construction permanent lighting should be installed; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation and Development is urged to explore all alternative ideas in construction scheduling to aid the motoring public in the utilization of the bridge."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lined 15 and 16, insert the following:

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation and Development install permanent lighting so as to provide a properly lighted roadway surface for the traffic on the Huey P. Long Bridge and to explore all alternative construction scheduling plans to relieve traffic congestion during the contemplated general roadway repair work."

On motion of Senator Ullo, the amendments were adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Ullo moved to concur in the amended House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Lambert
Barham	Fields	Landry
Bean	Greene	Lentini
Branch	Guidry	Malone
Cain	Hainkel	Robichaux
Campbell	Heitmeier	Romero
Casanova	Hines	Schedler
Cox	Hollis	Short
Cravins	Irons	Siracusa
Dardenne	Johnson	Smith
Dean	Jones	Tarver
Dyess	Jordan	Ullo

Total—36

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Theunissen
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Total—3

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the amended House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Ellington asked that House Concurrent Resolution No. 74 be called from the Calendar at this time.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT AND HEATON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice and the Senate Committee on Judiciary C to meet and to function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations with respect to the problems of funding and work overloads of Louisiana's probation and parole officers and to consider the possible transfer of probation supervision to local judicial districts.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Ellington moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Ellington	Landry	

Total—37

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris
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Total—2

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Bajoie asked that House Concurrent Resolution No. 63 be called from the Calendar at this time.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PRATT, ALARIO, BAUDOIN, BRUCE, BRUN, CLARKSON, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DIMOS, DOERGE, DONELON, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRUGE, GAUTREAU, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HUDSON, ILES, JENKINS, JOHNS, LANDRIEU, LONG, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MORRELL, MURRAY, ODINET, PIERRE, POWELL, RIDDLE, ROUSSELLE, SALTER, THOMAS, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRICHE, VITTER, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WRIGHT, AND WILLARD-LEWIS AND SENATORS BARHAM, BEAN, COX, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DYESS, ELLINGTON, EWING, GREENE, HAINKEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, IRONS, JORDAN, LAMBERT, LANDRY, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, AND THEUNISSEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express legislative recognition and support of "The Bill of Rights and Responsibilities for Learning: Standards of Conduct, Standards of Achievement".

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Short sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Short to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 63 by Representative Pratt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 25, after "drug-free" insert "and the responsibility to conduct themselves in a orderly and respectful manner and to remain drug-free"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 28, after "misbehavior" insert "and the responsibility to adhere to the codes and standards"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 3, after "students" insert "and the responsibility to make the system work"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 5, after "respect" insert "and the responsibility to treat others with courtesy and respect"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 8, after "standards" insert "and the responsibility to work diligently to achieve such standards"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 11, after "program" insert "and the responsibility to exercise due care to maintain the schools' equipment and instructional material entrusted to them"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 13, after "teach it" insert "and the teachers have the responsibility to be prepared to carry out their teaching duties"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 16, after "earned" insert "and the responsibility to achieve and maintain high grades"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 19, after "essential for" insert "competitiveness in" and after "college" insert ", further education, military service,"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 22, after "achievement" insert "and the responsibility to uphold the high students of conduct and achievement"

On motion of Senator Short, the amendments were adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Bajoie moved to concur in the amended House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Siracusa, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Bagneris, Hainkel, Total—3

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the amended House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Landry asked that House Concurrent Resolution No. 5 be called from the Calendar at this time.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Public Service Commission to petition the Federal Communications Commission for authority to regulate the rates charged by commercial mobile service, commercial mobile radio service as defined by the Federal Communications Commission, or private mobile service providers.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Landry moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo.

Total—33

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Bagneris, Total—6, Cox, Hollis, Lambert, Siracusa

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Landry asked that House Concurrent Resolution No. 79 be called from the Calendar at this time.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to erect large signs to warn motorists approaching a location recognized for very strict enforcement of speed limits on highways and the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism to include a listing of those locations recognized for very strict enforcement of speed limits in its literature available to tourists.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Landry moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Bean, Cain, Casanova, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Smith, Tarver, Ullo.

Total—30

NAYS

Table with 3 columns: Barham, Total—2, Hainkel, ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Bagneris, Branch, Total—7, Campbell, Cox, Siracusa, Theunissen

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The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Branch asked that House Concurrent Resolution No. 26 be called from the Calendar at this time.

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

To urge and direct the Board of Regents and the presidents of the colleges and universities of this state to study the issue of solicitation for credit cards on college and university campuses.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Branch moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cravins, Dardenne, Ellington, Fields, Total—33; Greene, Guidry, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert; Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Smith, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Bagneris, Total—6; Cox, Dean; Dyess, Siracusa.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94— BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, division of charitable gaming control rule (LAC 42:I.1703(A)(21)), which provides for the length of charitable gaming sessions, to allow for two-hour sessions and to direct the Louisiana Register to print the amendment in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

On motion of Senator Hainkel, the resolution was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 131— BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND LEBLANC A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To adopt the remaining four years of the five-year capital outlay program.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Johnson moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Total—34; Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan; Lambert, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Short, Smith, Tarver, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Bagneris, Total—5; Landry, Siracusa; Theunissen.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 187— BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend Louisiana Administrative Code Title 76, Part VII, Chapter 3, Section 351, prohibiting certain commercial possession and sale of southern flounder, insofar as such rules prohibit possession and sale of flounder taken as a by-catch from commercial shrimp trawls.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dyess, Total—28; Ellington, Fields, Greene, Guidry, Heitmeier, Hines, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan; Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Robichaux, Short, Tarver, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Branch	Malone	Smith
Hainkel	Romero	
Hollis	Schedler	
Total—7		

ABSENT

Mr. President	Dean
Bagneris	Siracusa
Total—4	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 199—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ AND WIGGINS
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature any reduction in wages for the Department of Transportation and Development construction and maintenance personnel which was a result of the requirements contained in the Engineering Directives and Standards Manual IV.1.1.10 of the Department of Transportation and Development and to direct the Department of Transportation and Development to provide formal training courses and certified instructors for the mandatory structured training programs throughout the Department of Transportation and Development.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Landry moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields	Landry
Barham	Greene	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Campbell	Heitmeier	Romero
Casanova	Hines	Schedler
Cox	Hollis	Short
Cravins	Irons	Siracusa
Dardenne	Johnson	Smith
Dean	Jones	Tarver
Dyess	Jordan	Theunissen
Ellington	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Cain
Total—3		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature the provisions of R.S. 46:706(A)(1) and (2) which provide for retention and expenditure of certain funds by the Louisiana Health Care Authority.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hines moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields	Lentini
Bean	Greene	Malone
Branch	Guidry	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Short
Cox	Irons	Siracusa
Cravins	Johnson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Tarver
Dean	Jordan	Theunissen
Dyess	Lambert	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Bagneris	Hainkel
Total—3		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 245—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUN
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for legislative approval of the formula developed by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and adopted by the board on June 13, 1997, to determine the cost of a minimum foundation program of education in all public elementary and secondary schools as well as to equitably allocate the funds to parish and city school systems.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Greene moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—38		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

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Bagneris
Total—1

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage, Subject to Call

The following House Concurrent Resolutions on third reading and final passage, subject to call, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

Called from the Calendar

Senator Heitmeier asked that House Concurrent Resolution No. 94 be called from the Calendar at this time.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, division of charitable gaming control rule (LAC 42:I.1703(A)(21)), which provides for the length of charitable gaming sessions, to allow for two-hour sessions and to direct the Louisiana Register to print the amendment in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Heitmeier moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Dyess	Landry
Barham	Ellington	Malone
Bean	Fields	Romero
Branch	Guidry	Schedler
Cain	Heitmeier	Short
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Tarver
Cravins	Jones	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jordan	Ullo
Dean	Lambert	
Total—32		

NAYS

Greene	Hainkel	Lentini
Total—3		

ABSENT

Mr. President	Irons
Bagneris	Robichaux
Total—4	

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 1460

The President of the Senate announced the following change in the Conference Committee membership on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 1460: Senator Hainkel, vice Senator Romero.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 253

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 253: Senators Hines, Landry, and Bean.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 263

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 263: Senators Hollis, Lambert, and Guidry.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 273

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 273: Senators Romero, Smith, and Ellington.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 796

The President of the Senate announced the following change in the Conference Committee membership on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 796: Senator Bean, vice Senator Lentini.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 1387

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1387: Senators Hainkel, Schedler, and Hollis.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 1440

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1440: Senators Cravins, Jones, and Landry.

Appointment of Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1104

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1104 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hollis, Bean, and Short.

Appointment of Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1853

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1853 the following members of the Senate: Senators Tarver, Hainkel, and Lentini.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 62 by Representative Fauchaux, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 68 by Representative Riddle, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 68 by Riddle:

Representatives Riddle, Leblanc, Triche.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 189 by Representative Fauchaux, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement; and to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of

Representatives has appointed the following members as conferees on the part of the House:

Representatives Fauchaux, Toomy, and Copelin.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 756 by Representative Perkins, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 756 by Perkins:

Representatives Perkins, McMains, and Green.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1480 by Triche:

Representatives Triche, Diez, and Thornhill.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 1661 by Representative Hammett, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1661 by Hammett:

Representatives Hammett, Weston, and McCallum.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2025 by Donelon:

Representatives Donelon, Ansardi, and Morrish.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like

committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2038 by Dewitt:

Representatives Dewitt, R. Alexander, and Roussell.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2065 by Downer:

Representatives McDonald, Brun, and Dewitt.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 2484 by Representative McDonald, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 2494 by Representative Donelon, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 2513 by Representative Donelon, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

CONCURRING IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 143— BY SENATOR BAGNERIS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state superintendent of education, the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Orleans Parish School Board, and the Orleans Parish superintendent of education to explore the use of the Minimum Foundation Program and other funding sources to eliminate the tuition charged to students residing outside Orleans Parish who attend the New Orleans Center for the Creative Arts and to equalize any tuition charged to students regardless of residence.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 157— BY SENATOR EWING A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate James Robert "Bob" Whitaker for his tireless devotion to duty and his faithful service to his community and for his election as recording secretary for the International Association of Firefighters, Baton Rouge, Local 557.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 156— BY SENATOR IRONS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the participating members of the Louisiana Restaurant Association and the New Orleans Chapter of the Louisiana Restaurant Association for their first annual "Fight Crime with a Fork".

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 138— BY SENATOR SHORT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents to study the need for and feasibility of establishing a two-year community college in Bogalusa to be named the Sullivan Community College, as an institution of higher education under the management of the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 155— BY SENATOR CASANOVA A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Louisiana Legislature upon the death of John Henry "Jack" Hobgood, Jr.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4— BY SENATOR HAINKEL A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the courts of the state to utilize a consistent formula in computing the division of retirement and defined benefit pension plan funds.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Rules Suspended

Senator Hainkel asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

Introduction of Resolutions, Senate and Concurrent

Senator Bagneris asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Resolutions, Senate and Concurrent, a first and second time and acting upon them as follows:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 63— BY SENATOR GUIDRY A RESOLUTION

To commend Mrs. M.G. Raby for her thirty-five years of service in the field of education, particularly her years as the human relations coordinator of the Metropolitan School District of Wayne Township, Indiana.

On motion of Senator Guidry, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 158— BY SENATOR ULLO A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to approve the settlement agreement reached with the tobacco industry by the attorney general s of the various states and authorizes the United States Food and Drug Administration to adopt regulations to protect our children from tobacco marketing and access.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Ullo moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Bajoie	Fields	Malone
Barham	Greene	Robichaux
Bean	Guidry	Romero
Branch	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Short
Campbell	Hollis	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Tarver
Cravins	Jones	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jordan	Ullo
Dean	Lambert	
Dyess	Landry	
Total—37		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bagneris	Hainkel
Total—2	

The Chair declared the Senate had adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it sent to the House.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 159—
BY SENATOR GREENE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the heartfelt condolences and sorrow of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mr. Myron Falk.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Greene moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—38		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bagneris	
Total—1	

The Chair declared the Senate had adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it sent to the House.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 160—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To rescind Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 32 of the 1996 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana which clarified that the legislature intended that R.S. 47:1580(B)(2) and (3) and R.S. 47:1623(E)(1) and (2) suspend the prescription of the income tax solely to the extent of federal audit adjustments made by the U.S. Internal Revenue Service and only to the extent such federal audit adjustments affect the computation of income tax computed pursuant to Louisiana law, for the same taxable year.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 2131 by Representative Shaw, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement; and to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members as conferees on the part of the House:

Representatives Shaw, Stelly, and Walsworth.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 216—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the superintendent of state buildings to investigate and locate a possible site for and to cooperate in the implementation and maintenance of a memorial to public service employees killed while serving the public.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Concurrent Resolutions

Senator Hainkel asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Concurrent Resolutions just received from the House which were taken up, read a first and second time by their titles and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 216—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the superintendent of state buildings to investigate and locate a possible site for and to cooperate in the implementation and maintenance of a memorial to public service employees killed while serving the public.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Guidry moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS		
Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Ellington	Landry	
Total—37		
NAYS		
Total—0		
ABSENT		
Mr. President	Bagneris	
Total—2		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Motion To Consider

Senator Jordan moved the adoption of motion to consider House Bill No. 2468 on third reading and final passage, subject to call, after the 55th legislative day.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS		
Mr. President	Dyess	Landry
Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields	Malone
Bean	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hines	Short
Campbell	Hollis	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Tarver
Cravins	Jones	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jordan	Ullo

Dean	Lambert	
Total—35		
	NAYS	
Guidry		
Total—1		
	ABSENT	
Bagneris	Hainkel	Schedler
Total—3		

The Chair declared the that the motion to consider House Bill No. 2468 after the 55th legislative day was adopted and asked the House concur in the same.

Rules Suspended

Senator Hainkel asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
Returned from the House
of Representatives with Amendments,
Subject to Call**

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions returned from the House of Representatives with amendments were taken up and acted upon as follows:

Called from the Calendar

Senator Hainkel asked that Senate Bill No. 1336 be called from the Calendar at this time.

SENATE BILL NO. 1336—
BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE, EWING AND LAMBERT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2050.21, relative to judicial review of matters before the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for appeals, preparation of the record, hearings, modification of decisions, procedures, and a standard of review; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Environment to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1336 by Senator Hainkel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 20 through 27 in their entirety and on page 3, delete lines 1 and 2

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 3, change "(F)" to "(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, at the beginning of line 4, change "F." to "E."

Senator Hainkel moved to reject the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

June 21, 1997

Bajoie	Fields	Landry
Barham	Greene	Lentini
Bean	Guidry	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Short
Cox	Hollis	Siracusa
Cravins	Irons	Smith
Dardenne	Johnson	Tarver
Dean	Jones	Theunissen
Dyess	Jordan	Ullo
Ellington	Lambert	
Total—35		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Casanova
Bagneris	Schedler
Total—4	

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were rejected. Senator Hainkel moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were rejected and laid the motion on the table.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Greene asked that Senate Bill No. 1513 be called from the Calendar at this time.

SENATE BILL NO. 1513— BY SENATOR GREENE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2 (B) and (D), and to enact R.S. 17:2.1, relative to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to create eight single-member districts for the purposes of elections; to provide for the effectiveness of the Act; to provide for certain vacancies; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1513 by Senator Greene

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 23 through 27 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 21 and insert the following:

"District 1 is composed of Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 157A, 157B, 158, 170, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 189, 190, 191, 194A, 195, 196, 197, 212, 214, 215, 216, 217, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 1-H, 2-H, 3-H, 4-H, 5-H, 6-H, 7-H, 8-H, 9-H, 1-K, 2-K, 3-K, 4-K, 5-K, 6-K, 7-K, 8-K, 9-K, 10-K, 11-K, 12-K, 13-KA, 13-KB, 14-K, 15-K, 16-K, 17-K, 18-K, 19-K, 20-K, 21-K, 22-K, 23-K, 24-K,

25-K, 26-K, 27-K, 28-K, 29-K, 30-K, 31-K, 32-K, 33-K, 34-K, and 35-K of Jefferson Parish; Precincts 3-20, 4-8, 4-9, 4-10, 4-10A, 4-11, 4-14, 4-14A, 4-15, 4-16, 4-16A, 4-17, 4-17A, 4-18, 4-18A, 4-19, 4-20, 4-20A, 4-21, 4-21A, 4-22, 4-23, 5-13, 5-14, 5-15, 5-16, 5-17, 5-18, 17-17, 17-18, 17-18A, 17-18B, 17-19, 17-19A, 17-20, and 17-21 of Orleans Parish; and St. Tammany Parish.

District 2 is composed of Precincts 156, 171, 172, 173, 174A, 174B, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179A, 179B, 180, 181, 187, 188, 210, 211, 213A, 213B, 213C, 1-G, 2-G, 3-G, 4-G, 5-G, 6-G, 7-G, 8-G, 9-G, 10-G, 11-G, 1-W, 2-W, 3-W, 4-W, 5-W, 6-W, 7-W, 8-W, and 9-W of Jefferson Parish; and Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-5, 1-6, 1-7, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-6, 2-6A, 2-7, 3-1, 3-3, 3-5, 3-8, 3-9, 3-10, 3-12, 3-14, 3-15, 3-16, 3-18, 3-19, 4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5, 4-6, 4-7, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4, 5-5, 5-6, 5-7, 5-8, 5-9, 5-10, 5-11, 5-12, 6-1, 6-2, 6-4, 6-5, 6-6, 6-7, 6-8, 6-9, 7-1, 7-2, 7-4, 7-4A, 7-5, 7-6, 7-7, 7-8, 7-9, 7-9A, 7-10, 7-11, 7-12, 7-13, 7-14, 7-15, 7-16, 7-17, 7-18, 7-19, 7-20, 7-20A, 7-21, 7-22, 7-23, 7-24, 7-25, 7-25A, 7-26, 7-26A, 7-27, 7-27A, 7-27B, 7-28, 7-28A, 7-29, 7-30, 7-31, 7-32, 7-33, 7-33A, 7-34, 7-35, 7-36, 7-36A, 7-37, 7-37A, 7-38A, 7-39, 7-40, 7-41, 7-42, 8-1, 8-2, 8-4, 8-6, 8-7, 8-8, 8-9, 8-10, 8-11, 8-12, 8-13, 8-14, 8-15, 8-16, 8-17, 8-18, 8-19, 8-20, 8-21, 8-22, 8-23, 8-24, 8-25, 8-25A, 8-26, 8-26A, 8-27, 8-27A, 8-28, 8-29, 8-30, 9-1, 9-2, 9-3, 9-3A, 9-3B, 9-4, 9-5, 9-5A, 9-6B, 9-6C, 9-6D, 9-6E, 9-6F, 9-7, 9-8, 9-8A, 9-8B, 9-9, 9-10, 9-11, 9-12, 9-13, 9-14, 9-15, 9-16, 9-17, 9-18, 9-19, 9-21, 9-22, 9-23, 9-24, 9-25, 9-25A, 9-26, 9-26A, 9-27, 9-28, 9-28A, 9-28B, 9-28C, 9-28D, 9-28E, 9-28F, 9-29, 9-29A, 9-30, 9-30A, 9-31, 9-31A, 9-31B, 9-31C, 9-31D, 9-31E, 9-32, 9-33, 9-33A, 9-34, 9-34A, 9-35, 9-35A, 9-36, 9-36A, 9-36B, 9-36C, 9-37, 9-37A, 9-38, 9-38A, 9-38B, 9-39, 9-39A, 9-39B, 9-40, 9-40A, 9-40B, 9-40C, 9-41, 9-41A, 9-41B, 9-41C, 9-41D, 9-42, 9-42A, 9-42B, 9-42C, 9-42D, 9-42E, 9-43A, 9-43B, 9-43C, 9-43D, 9-43E, 9-43F, 9-43G, 9-43H, 9-43I, 9-43J, 9-43K, 9-43L, 9-43M, 9-43N, 9-44, 9-44A, 9-44B, 9-44D, 9-44E, 9-44F, 9-44G, 9-44I, 9-44J, 9-44L, 9-44M, 9-44N, 9-44O, 9-44P, 9-44Q, 9-45, 9-45A, 10-3, 10-5, 10-6, 10-7, 10-8, 10-9, 10-11, 10-12, 10-13, 10-14, 11-2, 11-3, 11-4, 11-5, 11-8, 11-9, 11-10, 11-11, 11-12, 11-13, 11-14, 11-15, 11-16, 11-17, 11-18, 11-19, 12-1, 12-2, 12-3, 12-4, 12-5, 12-6, 12-7, 12-8, 12-9, 12-10, 12-11, 12-12, 12-13, 12-14, 12-15, 12-16, 12-17, 12-18, 12-19, 12-20, 13-1, 13-2, 13-3, 13-4, 13-5, 13-6, 13-7, 13-8, 13-9, 13-10, 13-11, 13-12, 13-13, 13-14, 13-14A, 13-15, 13-16, 14-1, 14-2, 14-3, 14-4, 14-5, 14-6, 14-7, 14-8, 14-9, 14-10, 14-11, 14-12, 14-13, 14-13A, 14-14, 14-15, 14-16, 14-17, 14-18A, 14-19, 14-20, 14-21, 14-22, 14-23, 14-24A, 14-25, 14-26, 15-1, 15-2, 15-3, 15-5, 15-6, 15-8, 15-9, 15-10, 15-11, 15-12, 15-12A, 15-13, 15-13A, 15-13B, 15-14, 15-14A, 15-14B, 15-14C, 15-14D, 15-14E, 15-14F, 15-14G, 15-15, 15-15A, 15-15B, 15-16, 15-17, 15-17A, 15-17B, 15-18, 15-18A, 15-18B, 15-18C, 15-18D, 15-18E, 15-18F, 15-19, 15-19A, 15-19B, 15-19C, 16-1, 16-1A, 16-2, 16-3, 16-4, 16-5, 16-6, 16-7, 16-8, 16-9, 17-1, 17-2, 17-3, 17-4, 17-5, 17-6, 17-7, 17-8, 17-9, 17-10, 17-11, 17-12, 17-13, 17-13A, 17-14, 17-15, and 17-16 of Orleans Parish.

District 3 is composed of Assumption Parish; Iberia Parish; Precincts 192, 193, 194B, 198, 199, 246A, 246B, 247, 248, 249, 250, 1-GI, 2-L, 1-LA, and 1-LB of Jefferson Parish; Lafourche Parish; Plaquemines Parish; St. Bernard Parish; St. Charles Parish; Precincts Parish; 1-2 and 1-5 of St. Martin Parish; St. Mary Parish; Terrebonne Parish; and Vermilion Parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, delete lines 3 through 17 and insert the following:

"District 6 is composed of Precincts 1, 2A & B, 3, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6, 7A, 8A & 8B, 9, 10A & 10B, 11A & 11B, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16A & 16B, 21A & 21B, 22A, 22B, 23, 27A, 27B, 28, and 29 of Ascension Parish; Precincts 1-7, 1-8, 1-9, 1-12, 1-33, 1-34, 1-35, 1-40, 1-41, 1-42, 1-43, 1-44, 1-46, 1-47, 1-48, 1-49, 1-52, 1-53, 1-54, 1-55, 1-56, 1-57, 1-60, 1-66, 1-69, 1-70, 1-71, 1-72, 1-74, 1-75, 1-76, 1-78, 1-79, 1-80, 1-81, 1-82, 1-83, 1-87, 1-88, 1-89, 1-90, 1-96, 1-97, 1-98, 1-99, 1-102, 1-103, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-6, 2-7, 2-8, 2-9, 2-10, 2-11, 2-12, 2-13, 2-14, 2-15, 2-17, 2-18, 2-21, 2-25, 2-26, 2-26A*, 2-26B*, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-5, 3-6, 3-7, 3-8, 3-9, 3-10, 3-11, 3-12, 3-13, 3-14, 3-15, 3-16, 3-17, 3-18, 3-19, 3-20, 3-21, 3-22, 3-23, 3-24, 3-25, 3-26, 3-27, 3-28, 3-29, 3-30, 3-31, 3-32, 3-33, 3-34, 3-35, 3-36, 3-37, and 3-38 of East Baton Rouge Parish; Livingston Parish; Tangipahoa Parish; and Washington Parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, delete lines 26 and 27 and on page 5, delete lines 1 through 12, and insert the following:

"District 8 is composed of Precincts 31, 32, 33, 34, 35A, 35B, 36, 37, 40, 41, and 42 of Ascension Parish; Avoyelles Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-4, 1-5, 1-6, 1-10, 1-11, 1-13, 1-14, 1-15, 1-16, 1-17, 1-18, 1-19, 1-21, 1-22, 1-23, 1-24, 1-25, 1-26, 1-27, 1-28, 1-29, 1-30, 1-31, 1-32, 1-36, 1-37, 1-38, 1-39, 1-45, 1-50, 1-51, 1-58, 1-59, 1-61, 1-62, 1-63, 1-64, 1-65, 1-67, 1-68, 1-73, 1-77, 1-84, 1-85, 1-86, 1-91, 1-92, 1-93, 1-94, 1-95, 1-100, 1-101, 2-1, 2-5, 2-16, 2-22, 2-23, 2-24, INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX, INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX A, and INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX B of East Baton Rouge Parish; East Feliciana Parish; Iberville Parish; Precincts 2, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 14A, 14B, 15A, 15B, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 61, 62, 64, and 68 of Lafayette Parish; Pointe Coupee Parish; St. Helena Parish; St. James Parish; St. John the Baptist Parish; St. Landry Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-3, 1-4, 1-6, 1-7, 2-1 & 2-3, 2-2, 2-4, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-5, 3-6, 3-7, 3-8, 3-9, 4-1, 4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5, 4-6, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3 & 5-4, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4, 7-1, 7-2, 7-3, 7-4, 8-1, 8-2, 8-3, 8-4, 9-1, 9-2, 9-3, 9-4, and 9-5 of St. Martin Parish; West Baton Rouge Parish; and West Feliciana Parish."

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Frith to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1513 by Senator Greene

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 1997, on page 2, delete lines 35 and 36 and insert the following:

"Charles Parish; St. Martin Parish; St. Mary Parish; and Terrebonne Parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 19, delete "Evangeline" and at the beginning of line 20, delete "Parish;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, delete line 25, and insert "Parish; Vermilion Parish; and Vernon Parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In House Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 1997, on page 3, line 19, after "Parish;" and before "Iberville" insert "Evangeline Parish;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

In House Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 1997, on page 3, line 23, after "St. Landry Parish;" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 24 through 27 and insert "West Baton Rouge Parish; and"

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Bruneau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1513 by Senator Greene

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 1997, on page 2, line 35, after "Precincts" delete "Parish;"

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Jenkins to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1513 by Senator Greene

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 1997, on page 2, line 44, after "1-35," and before "1-40," insert "1-36,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In House Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 17, 1997, on page 3, line 13, after "1-32," and before "1-37," delete "1-36,"

Senator Greene moved to reject the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Table with columns for YEAS, NAYS, and ABSENT, listing names of representatives and their counts.

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The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were rejected. Senator Greene moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were rejected and laid the motion on the table.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Cravins asked that Senate Bill No. 1530 be called from the Calendar at this time.

SENATE BILL NO. 1530—

BY SENATORS CRAVINS AND ROMERO AND REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217(11) and to enact Part III-B of Chapter 5 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1823, Part III-C of Chapter 5 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1824, Part III-D of Chapter 5 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1825, Part III-E of Chapter 5 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1826, and R.S. 17:3217(12), (13), (14) and (15), relative to institutions of higher education; to establish the Gulf Coast Community and Technical College; to establish the River Parishes Community College; to establish the West Bank Community College; to establish the Louisiana Delta Community College; to provide for the campuses of such institutions; to provide for the governance of such institutions; to provide for an arts and sciences division at each campus of such institutions; to provide relative to the management, operation, and programming of such institutions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Conforming Amendments proposed by Representative Hudson to Re-engrossed Senate Bill No. 1530 by Senator Cravins (Duplicate of H.B. No. 2517)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete "amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217(11) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, change "17:1823," to "17:1825," and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 5 through 8 in their entirety, and on line 9, delete "and R.S. 17:3217(12), (13), (14) and (15),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 9 and the beginning of line 10, delete "institutions of higher education;" and insert "public community colleges;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 10, after "to" insert "create and"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 11, after "College;" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 12 through 16 in their entirety, and on page 2, line 1, delete "programming of such institutions;" and insert the following:

"to provide for administration, management, and supervision of the institution; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities; to provide for the operation of the institution in accordance with certain guidelines and

procedures; to provide for implementation; to provide for effectiveness;"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 3, delete "R.S. 17:3217(11) is hereby amended and reenacted and"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 5, change "17:1823," to "17:1825," and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 6 through 9 in their entirety and on line 10, delete "17:3217(12), (13), (14) and (15) are" and insert "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 14 through 27 and delete pages 3 through 7 in their entirety and insert the following:

"§1825. Gulf Coast Community and Technical College: creation, management, and operation

A. Pursuant to the duty and responsibility placed with the legislature by Article VIII, Section 1 of the Constitution of Louisiana to establish and maintain a public educational system and the authority granted the legislature by Article VIII, Section 5(D)(3) to create a new institution by law enacted by two-thirds of the elected members of each house, the Gulf Coast Community and Technical College is hereby created and established effective July 1, 1997, as a public two-year institution of higher education. The institution and its programs shall be administered, managed, and supervised jointly by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities as provided in this Part.

B. The institution shall begin providing instructional services to students no later than the Fall semester of the 1998-1999 academic year. The institution shall offer occupational, vocational, and other workforce development programs as well as developmental education programs. The institution also shall offer academic associate degree programs which shall meet criteria for accreditation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

C. The Lafayette Regional Technical Institute shall serve as the central campus of Gulf Coast Community and Technical College and the director of the institute shall serve as the president of the college. The Evangeline Technical Institute in St. Martinville, the Gulf Area Technical Institute in Abbeville, the Tech Area Technical Institute in New Iberia, and the T. H. Harris Technical Institute in Opelousas shall also be campus locations of the college. An additional campus shall be located in St. Mary Parish at a site to be determined by the administering boards. Each campus location shall have the name "Gulf Coast Community and Technical College at (the name of the municipality in which the campus is located)".

D. Each campus of Gulf Coast Community and Technical College shall include a division of occupational studies and a division of arts and sciences. The division of occupational studies shall include the employees and programs of the technical institute and such employees and programs shall be administered, managed, and supervised by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. The division of arts and sciences shall be comprised of all other employees and programs of Gulf Coast Community and Technical College and such employees and programs shall be administered, managed, and supervised by the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities.

E. Gulf Coast Community and Technical College shall enter into cooperative agreements with the University of Southwestern Louisiana and with other public colleges and universities in the state to facilitate the delivery of coordinated and articulated educational services, minimize cost, and foster cooperation.

F. The State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities jointly may establish an advisory board to Gulf Coast Community and Technical College. The membership of any such advisory board shall include but need not be limited to the state superintendent of education, the president of the University of Louisiana system, and two members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and two members of the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities who shall be appointed by and shall serve at the pleasure of the respective board making the appointments.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided in 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."

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representatives LeBlanc, Durand, and Hudson to Re-reengrossed Senate Bill No. 1530 by Senator Cravins and Representative Hudson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 8 proposed by Representative Hudson and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 30, 1997.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 through 16 in their entirety and on page 2, at the beginning of line 1, delete "programming of such institutions;" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217 and to enact R.S. 17:3233, relative to public community colleges; to create and establish the South Louisiana Community College; to provide for development, control, management, and supervision of the institution and its programs; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the Board of Regents and the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities; to provide for implementation, including the adoption of rules and regulations in accordance with specified guidelines, procedures, and requirements; to provide relative to the University of Louisiana system; to provide for an effective date;

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 3, after "R.S." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 4 through 9 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 10 delete "17:3217(12), (13), (14) and (15) are" and insert in lieu thereof "17:3217 is hereby amended and reenacted and 17:3233 is"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2 delete lines 11 through 27 in their entirety and delete pages 3 through 7 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"§3217. University of Louisiana system

The University of Louisiana system is composed of the institutions under the supervision and management of the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities as follows:

- (1) Delgado Community College at New Orleans.
- (2) Grambling State University at Grambling.
- (3) Louisiana Tech University at Ruston.
- (4) McNeese State University at Lake Charles.
- (5) Nicholls State University at Thibodaux.
- (6) Northeast Louisiana University at Monroe.
- (7) Northwestern State University of Louisiana at Natchitoches.
- (8) Southeastern Louisiana University at Hammond.
- (9) University of Southwestern Louisiana at Lafayette.
- (10) Elaine P. Nunez Community College.
- (11) South Louisiana Community College.

(12) Any other college, university, school, institution or program now or hereafter under the supervision and management of the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities.

* * *

§3233. South Louisiana Community College: creation, management, and operation

A. Pursuant to the duty and responsibility placed with the legislature by Article VIII, Section 1 of the Constitution of Louisiana to establish and maintain a public educational system and the authority granted the legislature by Article VIII, Section 5(D)(3) to create a new institution by law enacted by two-thirds of the elected members of each house, the South Louisiana Community College in Lafayette Parish is hereby created and established as a comprehensive, multi-campus, public two-year institution of higher education. The institution and its programs shall be managed and supervised by the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities, subject to the appropriate approval of and oversight by the Board of Regents.

B. The Board of Regents and the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities shall adopt necessary rules and regulations to implement the provisions of this Section. Such rules and regulations shall include but not be limited to the following guidelines, procedures, and requirements:

(1) The institution and its programs shall be developed to be operational and ready to begin providing instructional services to students no later than the start of the 1999-2000 academic year.

(2) The primary service delivery area of the community college shall be comprised of the parishes of Acadia, Evangeline, Iberia, Lafayette, St. Landry, St. Martin, St. Mary, and Vermilion. Campus or sites may be established in each of these parishes using public technical

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college facilities whenever possible. The institution shall be domiciled in Lafayette Parish. T. H. Harris Technical College in Opelousas shall serve as the site for the college campus in St. Landry Parish. If space is available, the technical college in each parish shall be the primary site for the vocational component of the community college. If space is available, the academic component may be offered at the technical college site in each parish. Where the primary service delivery area overlaps with the service area developed by the Board of Regents for Louisiana State University at Eunice, the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities shall work in close cooperation with the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, officials at Louisiana State University at Eunice, and the Board of Regents to avoid unnecessary duplication of programs and services.

(3) The institution and its programs shall be developed to assure the delivery of coordinated and articulated educational services in each parish comprising the primary service delivery area.

(4) The institution and its programs shall be developed in a manner that maximizes the use of existing state and local resources and facilities in each parish comprising the college's primary service delivery area. This may include entering into cooperative service agreements, or contracts, or both, with other public education institutions and facilities in each parish comprising the institution's primary service delivery area, including public secondary schools, technical colleges, and higher education institutions, to provide for credentialed faculty and instructional services from qualified persons, the use of classroom and laboratory facilities, and library resources. The institution shall be established with adequate facilities, resources, services, and programs to meet accreditation requirements. Additionally, it is the intention of the legislature that programs and services of the community college involving occupational, career, and vocational-technical education be provided through cooperative agreements with existing public vocational-technical education facilities within the primary service delivery area to the extent that such existing facilities can efficiently and effectively meet the needs of the community college.

(5) Tuition and fees applicable to students enrolled at the institution shall not exceed the median amounts of such tuition and fees applicable to students at other public two-year institutions of higher education in the state.

C. The Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities may appoint an advisory board made up of two members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education who reside in the South Louisiana Community College primary service delivery area, two members of the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities, and local community representatives from business and labor. The University of Louisiana system president, the state superintendent of education, the commissioner of higher education, and the president of South Louisiana Community College shall serve as ex officio members.

D. The Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities and the Board of Regents shall work closely with the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools for accreditation. The institution shall be structured so as to fully satisfy all requirements of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to assure accreditation.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 1997; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 1997, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later."

Senator Cravins moved to reject the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS		
Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Ellington	Landry	
Total—37		
NAYS		
Total—0		
ABSENT		
Mr. President	Bagneris	
Total—2		

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were rejected. Senator Cravins moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were rejected and laid the motion on the table.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 150

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 150: Senators Landry, Jordan, and Irons.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 176

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 176: Senators Dardenne, Guidry, and Landry.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 196

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 196: Senators Heitmeier, Siracusa, and Branch.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 200

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 200: Senators Heitmeier, Siracusa, and Branch.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 201**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 201: Senators Landry, Siracusa, and Heitmeier.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 366**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 366 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hainkel, Ewing, and Dardenne.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 394**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 394: Senators Branch, Heitmeier, and Siracusa.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 425**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 425: Senators Heitmeier, Siracusa, and Branch.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 489**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 489: Senators Branch, Heitmeier, and Siracusa.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 491**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 491: Senators Heitmeier, Siracusa, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 712**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 712: Senators Guidry, Irons, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 976**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 976: Senators Branch, Landry, and Heitmeier.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 992**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 992: Senators Cox, Bean, Ellington.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1076**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1076: Senators Jordan, Johnson, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1202**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1202: Senators Tarver, Cravins, and Hainkel.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1215**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1215: Senators Ewing, Barham, and Hainkel.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1295**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1295: Senators Cravins, Dardenne, and Cain.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1296**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1296: Senators Heitmeier, Barham, and Dardenne.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1371**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1371: Senators Barham, Johnson, and Heitmeier.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1503**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1503: Senators Tarver, Hainkel, and Cravins.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1504**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1504: Senators Bajoie, Cravins, and Irons.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1508**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1508: Senators Ullo, Lentini, and Schedler.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1554**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1554: Senators Landry, Ewing, and Hollis.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1023**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1023 the following members of the Senate: Senators Barham, Lentini, and Romero.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1059**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1059 the following members of the Senate: Senators Tarver, Landry, and Bean.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1675**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1675 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hollis, Ellington, and Romero.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1762**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1762 the following members of the Senate: Senators Lambert, Malone, and Bean.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2395**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2395 the following members of the Senate: Senators Landry, Schedler, and Hainkel.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 366 by Representative Travis, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement; and to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members as conferees on the part of the House:

Representatives Travis, Leblanc, and Alario.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 646 by Representative Fontenot, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement; and to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members as conferees on the part of the House:

Representatives Fontenot, Lancaster, and Copelin.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 448 by Jordan:

Representatives McCain, Windhorst, Martiny.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

Motion To Consider

Senator Jordan moved the adoption of motion to consider House Bill No. 631 on third reading and final passage, subject to call, after the 55th legislative day.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fields	Malone
Bajoie	Greene	Robichaux
Barham	Hainkel	Romero
Bean	Heitmeier	Schedler
Branch	Hines	Short
Cain	Hollis	Siracusa
Casanova	Johnson	Smith
Cox	Jones	Tarver
Dardenne	Jordan	Theunissen
Dean	Lambert	Ullo
Dyess	Landry	
Ellington	Lentini	
Total—34		

NAYS

Guidry
Total—1

ABSENT

Bagneris	Cravins
Campbell	Irons
Total—4	

The Chair declared that the motion to consider House Bill No. 631 after the 55th legislative day was adopted and asked the House concur in the same.

Recess

On motion of Senator Smith, the Senate took a recess until 1:00 o'clock P.M.

After Recess

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock P.M. by the President of the Senate.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Bajoie	Fields	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Guidry	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Short
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Tarver
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Dean	Jordan	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—38		

ABSENT

Bagneris
Total—1

The President of the Senate announced there were 38 Senators present and a quorum.

Senate Business Resumed

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 523

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 523: Senators Hollis, Robichaux, and Fields.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 587

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 587: Senators Ullo, Hainkel, and Bajoie.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 628

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 628: Senators Lambert, Hainkel, and Bean.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 746

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 746: Senators Cravins, Hainkel, and Bajoie.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 818

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 818: Senators Hainkel, Dardenne, and Ellington.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 867

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 867: Senators Lambert, Cain, and Smith.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 956

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 956: Senators Barham, Hainkel, and Casanova.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 1037

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of

considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1037: Senators Jordan, Hainkel, and Jones.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1164**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1164: Senators Ullo, Hainkel, and Bajoie.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1170**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1170: Senators Ullo, Hainkel, and Bajoie.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1252**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1252: Senators Cravins, Bagneris, and Cox.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1281**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1281: Senators Dardenne, Hainkel, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1336**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1336: Senators Hainkel, Fields, and Romero.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1513**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1513: Senators Greene, Dardenne, and Guidry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1530**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1530: Senators Greene, Craivins, and Romero.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 1487**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House for the purpose of considering the disagreement on Senate Bill No. 1487: Senators Landry, Bagneris, and Lentini.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 68**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 68 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hainkel, Hines, and Greene.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 189**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 189 the following members of the Senate: Senators Jordan, Landry, and Lentini.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 437**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 437 the following members of the Senate: Senators Branch, Heitmeier, and Siracusa.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 561**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 561 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hollis, Romero, and Tarver.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 627**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 627 the following members of the Senate: Senators Landry, Lambert, and Dyess.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 756**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 756 the following members of the Senate: Senators Ullo, Greene, and Irons.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 901**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 901 the following members of the Senate: Senators Ullo, Cox, and Bean.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1066**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1066 the following members of the Senate: Senators Landry, Hollis, and Smith.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1091**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1091 the following members of the Senate: Senators Heitmeier, Branch, and Barham.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1101**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1101 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hollis, Smith, and Short.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1152**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1152 the following members of the Senate: Senators Landry, Greene, and Tarver.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 1685**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1685 the following members of the Senate: Senators Landry, Lentini, and Ullo.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2078**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2078 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hollis, Smith, Short.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2131**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2131 the following members of the Senate: Senators Heitmeier, Ewing, and Landry.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2208**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2208 the following members of the Senate: Senators Hollis, Campbell, and Smith.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2472**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2472 the following members of the Senate: Senators Jordan, Hainkel, and Dardenne.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2484**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2484 the following members of the Senate: Senators Heitmeier, Branch, and Lambert.

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on House Bill No. 2513**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 2513 the following members of the Senate: Senators Tarver, Hainkel, and Cravins.

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 150—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish a special committee to study and review federal, state, and local laws, rules, regulations, and policies to assess and report as to the impact of electric retail competition and the economic impact of electric deregulation on the revenues of the state.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 246—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to construct an overpass over U.S. Highway 90 at its intersection with Darnall Road in Iberia Parish, Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 248—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State University College of Agriculture and Departments of Agri-business and Agri-economics to study the impact of Louisiana's equine industry, including horses, mules, and jacks and related services, support industries, and allied fields, on the economy of the state.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 249—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Horse Alliance for its contributions to the Louisiana equine industry and to recognize its representation of various aspects of the industry.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 250—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER AND SENATOR LENTINI

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the baseball and football teams of John Curtis Christian School, their coaches, and supporters for their outstanding seasons and for the exceptional accomplishment of winning the state championships in both sports.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 251—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY AND ANSARDI AND SENATOR LENTINI

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Chad Sommers of Kenner for his outstanding eighteenth place finish in the 1997 National Spelling Bee competition in Washington, D.C.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 252—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, FORSTER, HEATON, LANCASTER, AND MURRAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and express the appreciation of the Legislature of Louisiana to the Honorable Frank J. Shea for his over thirty years of distinguished service and significant contributions to the Criminal District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 253—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to enact legislation to return the control of the Mississippi River to state and local governing authorities.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 256—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH AND SENATOR CAIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents, in cooperation with the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities, to study the need for and feasibility of designating the Leesville, Louisiana, campus of Northwestern State University of Louisiana as a public two-year community college in the University of Louisiana system and to provide for study findings to be included in recommendations made by the Board of Regents to the legislature pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 110 of the 1997 Regular Session.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

Message from the House
SIGNED HOUSE BILLS AND
JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 21, 1997

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HOUSE BILL NO. 578—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:57(G), relative to penalties when traffic citations are issued by police employed by the Greater New Orleans Expressway Commission; to provide for an additional cost to be added to the penalty in such cases; to create a Greater New Orleans Expressway Commission Additional Cost Fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 607—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1258(B) and (C), relative to the office of tourism; to provide for appointment of the assistant secretary by the lieutenant governor and for his confirmation; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 623—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX AND DOWNER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:76(A)(7), 80(G), 276(A)(7), and 280(G), relative to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law; to provide for the qualification of a spouse separate in property under certain circumstances; to permit such a spouse to continue to operate under a permit for one year under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 648—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 34:851.20(M), relative to registration of motorboats and sailboats; to require inspection of homemade boats; to provide for the fee for such registration; to provide for the expenditure of funds generated; to provide relative to notification of receipt of certain aluminum boats upon sale for salvage or scrap; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 700 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 1428)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROUSSELLE AND SENATOR DEAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:574(A)(2) and (C) and to repeal R.S. 16:571 through 574 as amended by Acts 1986, No. 198, relative to the district attorney's office in the Twenty-fifth Judicial District; to provide relative to increases in the salaries of assistant district attorneys; to delete certain expenditures from the portion of the annual budget of the district attorney which the governing authority cannot reduce without the district attorney's consent; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 793—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHOT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:3503(8)(b)(x), relative to certified public accountants; to exempt certified public accountants from the definition of "private investigator" or "private detective"; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 809—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:783 and R.S. 36:208(E) and to enact Chapter 21-A of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:911 through 913, relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to establish the division of historic preservation within the office of cultural development of the department; to provide with respect to such division including matters of authority, duties, responsibilities, organization, governance, and placement within the executive branch of state government; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 956—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1563.4 and to repeal R.S. 40:1637(B), relative to the state fire marshal; to provide for the imposition of civil penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:103(B)(1) and (3)(a) and (C)(1), relative to all statewide public retirement systems; to provide with respect to deletion of certain criteria from the elements of cost contained in the gross required employer contribution; to further provide regarding the inclusion of certain members on the active member payroll; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1039 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 605)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO AND SENATOR HAINKEL AND
COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATORS
DARDENNE, EWING, AND BARHAM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1519, relative to payment of taxes; to provide for the use of credit or debit cards; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1040 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 925)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO AND SENATOR HAINKEL AND
COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATORS
DARDENNE, EWING, AND BARHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1562, 1563, and 1564, to change the procedure for determining tax liability and the time period allowed for taxpayer response to proposed assessments for certain taxpayers; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1046—

BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, DEWITT, AND DURAND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:426 and to enact R.S. 40:2009.6(B)(5), relative to licenses issued by the Department of Health and Hospitals; to authorize the department to revoke the license of a provider of mental retardation and developmental disabilities services, residential living options, or both, who fails to timely report or pay any fee or who becomes delinquent in the payment of any fee owed to the department; to authorize revocation or denial of renewal of a nursing home license for the failure to timely report or pay any fee or delinquency in payment of any fee owed to the department; to specify that such fees include provider fees imposed by law; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1094—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST, DEWITT, AND SCHNEIDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(C)(7) and to enact R.S. 15:574.2(C)(11), relative to the Board of Parole; to provide for rulemaking authority for the Board of Parole; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1149—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ODINET

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:700.1(1), relative to the Fisherman's Gear Compensation Fund; to provide definitions; to define "earnings" to exclude income of a spouse; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1150—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:8(76.1), relative to fishing; to define "private pond" for the purposes of the production and harvesting of crawfish and catfish; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1181—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 2:605.1, relative to airport operators; to provide airport operators the option of collecting rentals, fees, and other charges from customers of tenant auto rental companies; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1393 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 363)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER AND SENATOR GREENE AND
COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX, HEATON,
KENNARD, MCCAIN, MORRISH, PERKINS, ROMERO, AND TRICHE AND
SENATOR SHORT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:103.1, relative to offenses affecting the general peace and order; to prohibit the emanation of excessive sound or noise by use of a sound amplification system; to provide exceptions thereto; to provide penalties for violations thereof; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1433—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STELLY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(25) and (26), 762(C), 779(A)(2), (B)(1), and (C), 780(B), 873(2), 879, and 896, to enact R.S. 11:883.2, and to repeal R.S. 11:890 and 891, relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide with respect to definitions, survivor benefits, benefits for certain beneficiaries of disability retirees, earnings statements of certain disability retirees, annuity savings fund, pension reserve fund, correcting membership errors, and benefit adjustments; to repeal certain employee contribution limits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1492—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT, DEWITT, AND BAUDOIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:4(A)(8) and 5.8, relative to the State Sanitary Code; to require the state health officer to provide for a strategy for public water systems to comply with federal and state drinking water regulations; to define types of public water systems; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1531—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON, POWELL, KENNARD, AND TRAVIS

AN ACT

To rename a portion of Wardline Road and a portion of Columbus Drive as University Avenue in the city of Hammond, and to designate the service road which runs south of and parallel to the Interstate 10 Bridge located in Calcasieu Parish from Interstate 10 to Perkins Street on the west side of the Calcasieu River as "Isle of Capri Boulevard"; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1835—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS AND SENATORS HOLLIS AND SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2317 and to enact R.S. 51:1753(B)(8)(c), relative to bond programs administered by the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation and the division of economically disadvantaged business development; to provide for fees to be charged with regard to certain programs; to require the transfer of certain monies in the Louisiana Economic Development Fund to the state general fund; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1855—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

AN ACT

To authorize and empower the Department of Transportation and Development to lease certain described property, together with all buildings and improvements thereon, located within the parish of Franklin, to the village of Baskin; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1918—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:212(3) and to enact Part II of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:21, relative to insignia and trademarks of public bodies; to provide that a mark by which the goods or services of any applicant for registration may be distinguished from the goods or services of others shall not be registered if it consists of or comprises the flag or coat of arms or other insignia, symbol, seal, emblem, or logo of the United States, or of this state, or of any local governmental subdivision of this state, or of any state or governmental subdivision thereof, or educational institution, or of any foreign nation, or any simulation thereof; to authorize local governmental subdivisions to adopt an official seal, insignia, symbol, emblem, coat of arms, or logo; to provide that the use of such official seal, insignia, symbol, emblem, coat of arms, or logo is reserved to the local

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governmental subdivision; to prohibit its unauthorized use; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1956 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 795)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AND SENATOR BAGNERIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:863.1(C)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 32:863.1(F), relative to motor vehicle security; to allow a law enforcement officer to issue a traffic citation to an owner of a motor vehicle registered in another state for lack of liability security in certain circumstances; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1958—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:381(A) and (B), 386(D), 404(A)(1), and 426 and to enact R.S. 33:406(A)(3), relative to Lawrason Act municipalities; to provide relative to the authority of the mayor and the board of aldermen on matters including revenues and debt, the adoption of resolutions, and oversight of the street commissioner; to provide relative to terms of certain municipal officials; to provide relative to other positions which mayors and aldermen may hold; to provide relative to limits on the authority of the mayor; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2050—
BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLER AND DEWITT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:29, relative to laboratories operated by the office of public health of the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for a schedule of fees to be charged by such laboratories; to provide for the collection of such fees; to provide exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2151—
BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, DEWITT, AND DURAND
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(10)(g) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(8)(k), relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Health and Hospitals and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2185—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1200.1 and to enact R.S. 23:1196.1, relative to group self-insurance funds; to provide with respect to investments by group self-insurance funds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2203—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FLAVIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1431(4), (5), (7)(introductory paragraph), and (20), 1436(A), (B), and (D), 1437(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1), (B)(1), (C)(1) and (2) and (6)(a), 1437.2(A) through (E), 1437.3(C) and (E), 1439(B) and (C), 1443(1)(a) and (b), 1449(C) and (D), 1456(A)(1), (2), and (4), 1457, 1462(A), 1463(A)(1) and (E), and 1466(H) and to enact R.S. 37:1431(7)(h) and (32), 1439(F), 1441(C), 1446(F) and (G), 1449(E), and 1456(A)(5) and (6), relative to licensure of real estate sales persons; to provide definitions; to provide relative to application for a license; to provide relative to the licensing of corporations and partnerships; to provide for fees; to provide for commissions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2283—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STELLY AND SENATOR CRAVINS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2080.1, relative to particular city courts; to provide for an increase in court costs in certain city courts; to provide relative to the disposition of court costs in certain city courts; to authorize the collection of a fee for appearance bonds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, MURRAY, AND SCHNEIDER
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 890.2, relative to criminal sentencing; to provide that costs of incarceration may be assessed to be paid by a defendant as an element of a sentence; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, CLARKSON, POWELL, SCHNEIDER, WINDHORST, A. ALEXANDER, BOUDOIN, BRUCE, BRUN, CRANE, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DOERGE, DONELON, DUPRE, DURAND, FONTENOT, FORSTER, FRITH, FRUGE, GAUTREAUX, HILL, ILES, JENKINS, KENNARD, LANCASTER, LEBLANC, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, ODINET, PERKINS, PINAC, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SHAW, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, THOMAS, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRAVIS, TRICHE, VITTER, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILLARD-LEWIS, WINDHORST, WINSTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS BEAN, BRANCH, CASANOVA, DEAN, GREENE, HAINKEL, HOLLIS, JORDAN, LANDRY, LENTINI, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, AND SHORT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:20(3) and (4), relative to justifiable homicide; to provide that a homicide is justifiable when committed against a person who is attempting to make an unlawful entry into a motor vehicle or who is believed to be using unlawful force against a person present in a motor vehicle; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 238—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9102(B) and to enact Part V of Chapter 31 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9131.5, relative to the Allen Parish Communications District and the Beauregard Parish Communications District; to provide relative to the purposes of the districts; to provide relative to enhancement of emergency telecommunications service; to provide relative to service charges collected by the districts including provisions relative to use of the proceeds from such charges, the rate of such charges, and the collection and enforcement of such charges; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 300—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9102(B) and to enact Part V of Chapter 31 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9131.5, relative to communications districts in certain parishes; to provide relative to the purposes of the districts; to provide relative to enhancement of emergency telecommunications service; to provide relative to the service charges collected by the districts including provisions relative to use of the proceeds from such charges, the rate of such charges, and the collection and enforcement of such charges; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 351—
BY REPRESENTATIVES CRANE AND FAUCHEUX
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:398.1(C), R.S. 49:121(I), and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 215.1(D), relative to identifying insignia on public vehicles; to require that police vehicles engaged in certain traffic operations bear identifying insignia; to provide exceptions

for hazardous situations; to provide procedures for the issuance of citations and detention of persons violating provisions of motor vehicle laws; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 356—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9102(B) and to enact Part V of Chapter 31 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9131.5, relative to the Calcasieu Parish Communications District; to provide relative to enhancement of emergency telecommunications services; to provide relative to service charges collected by the district including provisions relative to use of the proceeds from such charges, the telecommunications service users liable for such charges, the rate of such charges, and the collection and enforcement of such charges; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 378—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(R)(2) and 304(B) and to enact R.S. 38:304.2, relative to the West Jefferson Levee District; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners of the district; to provide for the appointment of a member by the president of Jefferson Parish with approval of the council; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 389—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:93 through 117, relative to certified public accountants; to provide for the establishment and functions of public accountant review panels; to provide for the review and evaluation of professional negligence claims against certified public accountants; to provide for the selection and duties of the members of the review panel; to provide for compensation; to provide for the payment of costs; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 418—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, BARTON, DURAND, FLAVIN, FRITH, GAUTREAUX, HILL, MICHOT, MURRAY, PINAC, POWELL, SCHNEIDER, AND WESTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1256(B)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 51:1256(B)(2)(f) and (i), relative to the Louisiana Tourism Development Commission; to provide for an increase in membership; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 439—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ AND SENATOR LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:382(B)(2)(c), relative to length limits on trucks; to exempt certain vehicles from the requirements of length limits for projecting loads; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 538—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCAIN, BRUCE, PINAC, DOERGE, AND JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.46, relative to motor vehicle registration; to provide for special prestige license plates for members of Lions International; to provide for fees; to provide for the disbursement of those fees; to provide for the procedure for issuing the plates; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 553—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2156.1(D)(3), relative to the licensure of contractors; to provide for ineligibility of service as a qualifying

party for any person found cheating on a board examination; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 554—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150.1(7), relative to contractors; to provide for definition of "person"; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 556—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2152(A)(2)(a)(i), (3)(a), and (4)(a), relative to State Licensing Board for Contractors; to provide for appointments from the field of mechanical construction; to provide for appointments from the field of electrical construction; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 559—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2162(A) and (I), relative to violations of the provisions regulating contractors; to provide for payment of litigation expenses; to provide for assessment of penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 560—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2158(A)(introductory paragraph) and R.S. 37:2158 (B)(1) and (2) and to enact R.S. 37:2158(A)(8), (9), and (10), relative to contractors; to provide relative to revocation, suspension, and renewal of license; to provide for issuance of cease and desist orders; to provide relative to debarment; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 383—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOLDEN AND BAUDOIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2183.2, relative to hazardous waste incinerator permits; to provide for prohibitions; to provide for ozone nonattainment; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 487—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2531(D)(5), relative to penalties to be imposed for littering; to authorize increased penalties for littering on a Louisiana state highway; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 542—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(D)(2) and 304(B) and to enact R.S. 38:291(D)(3) and 304.2, relative to the East Jefferson Levee District; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners of the district; to provide for the appointment of an additional member; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 601—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:2471(A), 2472, and 2473(C)(3), (4), and (5), relative to port commissions; to provide with respect to the appointment and confirmation of the members of the South Louisiana Port Commission; to require Senate confirmation; to provide for domicile of such commission; to provide for the acquisition and operation of airports by the commission; and to provide for related matters.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 619—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:649.1, relative to lifetime hunting licenses; to include the wild turkey stamp in the lifetime hunting license; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 839—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:532.1(C), relative to the convenience fee collected by public license tag agents; to authorize the seller, in a motor vehicle transaction, to charge the convenience fee for a public license tag agent; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 969—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON AND SCHNEIDER AND SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To designate Louisiana Highway 3228, which connects Louisiana Highway 22 and North Causeway Boulevard Service Road located in St. Tammany Parish, as "Asbury Drive".

HOUSE BILL NO. 1020 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 955)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO AND SENATOR HAINKEL AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, AND BARHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1580(B)(4), relative to assessment and collection procedures; to suspend the running of prescription for taxes in bankruptcy cases; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048—

BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, DEWITT, DURAND, GAUTREAU, JOHNS, RIDDLE, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, AND VITTER AND SENATORS ROBICHAUX, DYESS, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:254(D)(2) and (3), relative to the powers and duties of the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for powers and duties of the secretary relative to the Medical Assistance Program; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049—

BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, DEWITT, GAUTREAU, JOHNS, RIDDLE, THORNHILL, VITTER, AND WALSWORTH AND SENATORS DYESS AND ROBICHAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116(D), 2116.32(F)(2), and 2116.35(A) and to enact R.S. 28:567(E) and R.S. 40:2103(C), relative to licensure of health care facilities; to provide for a moratorium on the licensure of mental health clinics and mental health centers; to extend the moratorium on certified beds for nursing facilities and new nursing facilities; to extend the moratorium on licensure of home health agencies; to require new locations of existing registered home health agencies to be licensed; to provide for a moratorium on the licensure of long-term care hospital facilities and beds in such facilities; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1127 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 574)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT AND SENATOR HAINKEL AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, R. ALEXANDER, BRUN, CARTER, CLARKSON, CRANE, DANIEL, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FORSTER, FRITH, FRUGE, HAMMETT, HEATON, HOPKINS, JENKINS, JOHNS, KENNARD, LANCASTER, LONG, MARIONNEAU, MARTINY, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, McMAINS, MICHOT, MORRISH, MURRAY, PIERRE, POWELL, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, JACK SMITH, STRAIN, THOMAS, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, WALSWORTH, WELCH, WIGGINS, WINSTON, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.46 and R.S. 56:10(B)(8), relative to motor vehicle registration; to provide for special prestige license plates for Ducks Unlimited; to provide for fees; to provide for the disposition of those fees; to provide for the establishment of an

account in the Conservation Fund; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1147—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY AND SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:956(F)(2), relative to retail installment contracts; to provide relative to the premium rates charged for credit life insurance; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1156—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, FRITH, AND MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:213(B)(1) and 254(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 6:234, relative to authority of state banks; to provide relative to approval of and notice to commissioner of issuance of rights and options; to provide for amendment provisions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1182—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MONTGOMERY AND WILKERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.23(B) and 463.30, relative to prestige license plates for professional firefighters; to provide for an initial fee; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1237—

BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMAS, DEWITT, AND DURAND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:17 and to enact R.S. 40:31.22(E), relative to tuberculosis; to authorize the detention of an individual with active and communicable tuberculosis by execution of an emergency certificate; to provide for the maximum period of detention; to provide for the transfer of a patient to a tuberculosis unit or clinic; to provide for penalties for violation of an emergency certificate and release of the patient upon expiration of the emergency certificate; to establish a procedure for the preparation and issuance of an emergency certificate including procedures for the examination of the patient, factors to be used by a physician when determining if an emergency certificate should be executed, and follow-up examination procedures; to require the inpatient treatment facility to determine if a patient in a facility for tuberculosis is in need of medical stabilization for other conditions and to provide for the temporary transfer of such patient for medical stabilization treatment when necessary; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1275—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

AN ACT

To enact Part XIV-B of Chapter 2 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:912.21 through 912.28, relative to manufactured housing; to provide minimum standards for installation; to provide for definitions; to provide standards for foundations and piers; to provide installation standards for anchors and tie-downs; to provide installation standards for used manufactured homes and mobile homes in hurricane zones; to provide for licensure of installers, the adoption of rules, and compliance with installation instructions; to provide for violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1277—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND AND SENATOR DYESS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.8, relative to motor vehicles and motorcycles; to provide for license plates for antique motor vehicles and motorcycles; to provide for collector plates for special interest motor vehicles; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1490—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DEVILLE, DEWITT, AND DURAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1232(A)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 40:1232(A)(5) and to enact R.S. 36:259(M), relative to emergency medical services; to provide that the Department of Health and Hospitals shall promulgate rules and regulations to establish a list of medical and safety equipment required to be carried by all ambulances; to establish and provide relative to an advisory committee to be known as the Ambulance Standards Committee; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1491—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT AND DEWITT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:5.9(C), relative to civil actions to enforce drinking water regulations; to authorize the court to appoint a receiver to a defendant public water system; to provide for the powers of the state health officer relative to establishment of the receivership; to provide for powers and duties of an appointed receiver; to provide for dissolution of the receivership; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1690—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:401(C)(1), 405(A)(1)(b), and 408(D)(introductory paragraph), relative to the office of state fire marshal; to change the name to the office of state fire marshal, code enforcement and building safety; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1790—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, FLAVIN, AND ROMERO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:74(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 30:74(A)(4), relative to abandoned oilfield waste sites; to provide for approval by the commissioner of conservation of sheriff's sale of such property; to require and provide for recordation and enforcement of liens; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1791—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FLAVIN AND SENATORS MALONE AND ROMERO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:83(B)(10), 84(A)(1), (5), and (7), 85, 86(C) and (E)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 87(E), 88(B), (C), (D), (E), (F), and (G), 89, 91(B), 92(A), 93(A)(introductory paragraph) and (2)(c), and 95; to enact R.S. 30:92(C); and to repeal R.S. 30:83(F)(2) and (4), 84(A)(3), (B), and (C), 87(C), and 93(A)(2)(d), all relative to the Louisiana Oilfield Site Restoration Law; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the secretary and assistant secretary; to provide relative to the Oilfield Site Restoration Fund; to provide relative to oilfield site restoration fees; to provide relative to oilfield site trust accounts; to provide relative to non-orphan site restoration; to provide relative to orphaned oilfield sites; to provide relative to orphan site restoration; to provide for recovery of certain site restoration costs; to provide relative to no inference of liability on the part of the state; to provide procedures, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1961—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON, WINDHORST, ALARIO, CHAISSON, DAMICO, JENKINS, JOHNS, MARTINY, ODINET, POWELL, ROUSSELLE, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, STRAIN, THOMAS, TOOMY, AND WILLARD-LEWIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:1101.2, relative to bridges; to provide for the type of vehicles allowed to travel on the transit lanes of the Greater New Orleans Mississippi River bridges; to provide for one-way traffic on the transit lanes; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2049—

BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER AND DEWITT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the title of Part XIII of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 40:1058.1(A)(1) through (7), 1058.2 through 1058.5(A), 1058.6, 1058.7, and 1058.9 and to repeal R.S. 40:1058.1(A)(8) through (29), relative to substance abuse/addiction treatment facilities; to provide for the Department of Health and Hospitals to license and monitor service providers engaged in operating substance abuse/addiction treatment facilities; to define terms; to provide penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2205—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:263(B)(2), 416, and 707(D), to enact R.S. 6:1208.1, and to repeal R.S. 6:707(E), relative to the purchase of stock by financial institutions; to provide relative to the purchase of its own stock by a financial institution; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2262—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD-LEWIS, FRITH, HILL, MORRISH, MURRAY, TRAVIS, AND WESTON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:1166(F), relative to telephone services; to prohibit the transferring of long distance services without the authorization of the customer; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 368—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:772(A)(1), (C)(1), and (F)(8), relative to the Used Motor Vehicle and Parts Commission; to provide relative to per diem for commission members; to provide relative to duties of commission members; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 395—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1407, 1901(6), and 1909.1(D) and to repeal R.S. 51:1909.1(A), relative to professional solicitors; to provide for venue to sue professional solicitors; to expand the definition of "professional solicitor"; to provide for violations and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 424—

BY REPRESENTATIVE VITTER
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 42:1121(G), relative to the ethics code; to repeal the provision allowing a licensed psychiatrist formerly employed by the Department of Health and Hospitals to enter into transactions with that department within two years after August 15, 1993; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 513—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIMOS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:224(E)(10), relative to nonpublic, nonprofit corporations; to authorize meetings and conferences by telephone or facsimile; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 616—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI, MARTINY, AND THORNHILL AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND LENTINI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:253(B) and 1212(C), to enact R.S. 22:253(D), and to repeal R.S. 22:1220(E), relative to funeral policies and burial insurers; to provide for required benefits under a funeral policy; to provide relative to burial insurers and unfair trade practices; to provide relative to burial insurers and

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the requirements of good faith claims settlement practices; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 955—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1563(C)(2), relative to the state fire marshal; to provide for powers and duties of the fire marshal and fire prevention bureaus; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1115—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1574(D) through (J) and to enact R.S. 40:1573.1 and 1574(K), relative to the state fire marshal; to provide for the alteration or repair of certain structures; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1155—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1574.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (C)(1) and (3) and to enact R.S. 40:1574.1(A)(10), (11), and (12), relative to the state fire marshal; to provide for the charging of fees for the handling of plans and other documents; to provide for the furnishing of a letter listing requirements for plans that are not approved; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1228—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, AND VITTER AND SENATOR COX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1561 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 253.2, relative to transfer, reassignment, and consolidation of pending cases in the same court; to provide for procedures for consolidation of actions; to provide for uniform procedures for reassignment of cases; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1286 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 743)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER AND SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2109(F), relative to hospital licensure; to require the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals to include in the minimum standards adopted relative to the operation and maintenance of hospitals, a provision which prohibits a hospital from paying or reimbursing any sum for leave of absence days for any patient admitted to the hospital from a nursing home facility; to require that such payment be deemed payment for referral; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1298—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1563.1, relative to the office of state fire marshal; to add crimes for which the state fire marshal may arrest an individual; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1314—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOLDEN, DOWNER, JETSON, MURRAY, THORNHILL, DOERGE, HUNTER, PRATT, AND WELCH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:245(A) and 247(D) and to enact R.S. 22:245(C) and 246(A)(7), relative to health care; to provide children with increased access to health care; to improve children's health; to reduce the incidence and cost of childhood illnesses and disabilities; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1317—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1415, relative to elections; to provide that under certain circumstances discovery may be conducted prior to the filing of a suit to contest an election; to provide for the filing of an affidavit; to provide for notification of the filing of such affidavit; to provide the time period for conducting such discovery; to provide the type of discovery which may be conducted; to provide for the issuance of subpoenas; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1339—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BARTON, DURAND, FLAVIN, FRITH, GAUTREAU, HILL, MICHOT, MURRAY, PINAC, POWELL, SCHNEIDER, AND WESTON AND SENATOR MALONE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1711, relative to deceptive trade practices; to delete references in the law pertaining to deceptive advertising and representation; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1394—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2181, relative to hazardous waste permits; to provide for notice to legislators; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1534—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT AND DIMOS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:2(1), 56(A), (B), and (G), and 171(Q) and Children's Code Arts. 1409(Q), 1452(A), 1454(B) and (C), and 1458(A), (C), and (D), relative to mental health patients; to limit the time period for which a person can be judicially committed; to require a showing of clear and convincing evidence in order to judicially commit a person; to require periodic review; to provide with respect to the conditional discharge of persons; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1639 (Duplicate of Senate Bill Nos. 1035 and 1250)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER AND SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3143(1) and (3), 3144(B)(4)(a) and (c) and (16), and 3145, relative to the New Home Warranty Act; to provide for the definitions of "builder" and "home"; to provide for exclusions to warranties; to provide for required notice; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1682—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3409, 3410, and 3428, relative to annual reports; to require partnerships to file annual reports; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1747—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JETSON AND SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2801(3), relative to the practice of chiropractic; to provide that a chiropractor may order certain diagnostic tests; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1748—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY AND SENATOR HINES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2504(D) and (E), relative to the Board of Examiners of Nursing Facility Administrators; to provide that the board is authorized to operate and maintain the Certified Nurse Aide Registry through an interagency agreement with the Department

of Health and Hospitals; to authorize the board to issue certificates or certification cards and to charge an amount for providing them; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1826—
BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2011.2, relative to environmental justice; to provide for studies; to provide for minority populations; to provide for toxic discharges; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1831—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH AND SENATOR SCHEDLER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:236.10, relative to the collection of child support in cases wherein the Department of Social Services is providing child support services; to establish a privilege in favor of the department over proceeds collected in a personal injury case for payment of past due child support; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1867—
BY REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON AND LONG
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:193(B)(10) and (E)(17), relative to the termination and re-creation of statutory entities; to require certain information from the statutory entities; to provide for the evaluation and review of the statutory entity; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2184—
BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, DEWITT, AND GAUTREAUX
AND SENATOR SCHEDLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2009.13, 2009.14, 2009.15(A)(1) and (B), 2009.16, 2009.17, and 2009.20(A) and (B)(1), to enact R.S. 40:2009.15(C), and to repeal R.S. 40:2009.15(A)(2), (3), and (4), relative to abuse, neglect, and violations of laws, standards, rules, regulations, and orders relating to health care providers; to provide for reports to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to expand provisions related to nursing homes to include health care providers licensed by the state or providing Medicaid or Medicare services in the state; to provide for types of complaints of allegations of abuse, neglect, or violations of laws and regulations; to change time requirements for actions by the department; to change provisions related to correction orders; to provide for sanctions for violations; to provide for persons who are required to report abuse or neglect; to provide for an informal reconsideration; to provide for a hearing for certain complaints; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2211—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACK SMITH AND TOOMY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1036, relative to workers' compensation; to provide benefits for volunteer firefighters; to provide for the amount of benefits; to provide for definitions; to provide for termination of benefits; to provide for offsets; to provide for defenses; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2327—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2018, relative to public hearings by the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for certain issues; to provide for environmental assessment statements; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2379—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1265, relative to the office of tourism; to provide for the creation and establishment of a logo to indicate authentic Louisiana Cajun-Creole cuisine; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 63 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 221)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY AND SENATOR CASANOVA
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:564(D) and to enact R.S. 18:1461(A)(21), relative to assistance in voting; to require the registrar of voters to indicate a voter's need for assistance at the polls on the voter's original application for registration under certain circumstances; to prohibit a person assisting a voter at the polls from influencing the assisted voter to vote a certain way; to provide for criminal penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX AND SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.52(B)(1), (C), and (D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and to enact R.S. 40:1300.51(6), relative to criminal history checks on certain health-related employees; to provide that criminal history checks may be performed by private agencies; to provide that such agencies must be authorized by the office of state police; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 422—
BY REPRESENTATIVE VITTER
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 17:428(C), relative to conflicts of interest, to remove provisions allowing school bus drivers in parishes with a population of sixteen thousand or less to serve on the school board; to provide for certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 453—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:582(A) and 586(A)(4), relative to local option elections for a referendum on the business of selling alcoholic beverages; to change the verification date of the signatures on a petition to determine the number of qualified electors; to provide for submission of the petition to the registrar for the purpose of determining the number of qualified electors; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 456—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:78(C) and 278(D) and to amend and reenact R.S. 26:80(C) and 280(C), relative to alcoholic beverage permits; to grant the commissioner of alcoholic beverage control and his agents ex officio notary public status for limited purposes relating to applications for permits; to provide for limited liability company applicants; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 493—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER AND SENATOR ELLINGTON AND
REPRESENTATIVES BARTON, BOWLER, CRANE, DEVILLE, FRITH,
GUILLORY, HEBERT, HUNTER, LANCASTER, MICHOT, MURRAY,
ODINET, POWELL, SCALISE, AND WIGGINS AND SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1474(I), 1511(A), 1535(A), 1536(D), 1553(C) and (D)(2), 1592, and 1653 and to enact R.S. 23:1514, 1515, 1535(B), and 1553(B)(6) and (7) and to repeal R.S. 23:1536(I), relative to workforce development; to provide relative to unemployment compensation; to increase benefit amount based upon the applied trust fund balance and direction

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of the fund; to create a subaccount in the employment security administration fund for customized training; to provide for an annual accounting of expenditure from the fund to legislative committees; to authorize the administrator to provide by rule for the administration and distribution of the fund; to provide for qualified applicants for funding; to provide for an incremental reduction in the employer contribution rate; to authorize an appropriation for a fund for customized training in the social charge recoupment account; to authorize an appropriation for administrative costs in the social charge recoupment account; to delete negative reserve pool; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 517—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMOS, ANSARDI, AND MCMAINS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1961 and 1964, relative to trusts; to provide that the trust instrument may provide for the allocation of income; to provide that the settlor may give a trustee the discretion, without objective standards, to allocate income in different amounts; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 577—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:460.4, relative to the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Block Grant; to permit teen parents to live outside an adult-supervised living arrangement in cases of abuse; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Social Services to temporarily exempt from the work participation requirements a female recipient when sufficient evidence of domestic violence is presented; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Social Services to apply for waivers and promulgate necessary rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 689—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THERIOT AND SENATOR ROBICHAUX
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:291(P)(3) and (T)(3), to provide for the transfer of certain property which is owned by the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District and which is located in Lafourche Parish, to the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District and to the South Lafourche Levee District; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 760—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 202, relative to warrant of arrest; to provide limitation on issuance of arrest warrants by a justice of the peace for certain individuals; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 877—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, DIMOS, AND BRUCE AND SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:412(D)(1), (3)(a), (4)(a) and (c), and (5) and to enact R.S. 32:412(D)(3)(e), relative to drivers' licenses; to provide for renewal by mail of certain classes of licenses; to provide that licenses may be renewed at any time within a certain period prior to expiration; to provide exceptions for renewal by mail; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 878—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, DIMOS, AND BRUCE AND SENATORS CAIN AND LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:519(G) and (H) and to enact R.S. 47:306(E), relative to motor vehicles and their license plates; to change the time period for which temporary registration plates may be issued; to provide for the remittance of taxes by vehicle dealers; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 983—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:220(A) and to enact R.S. 14:220.1(D), relative to crimes of obtaining or failing to return leased movables; to create an exception for failure to return a rented video cassette tape or film; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1007—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1802(2) and 1804(1)(b) and to repeal R.S. 11:1802(3), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to the limitation on the maximum amount of normal and disability retirement benefits payable from Plan B; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ANSARDI, MARTINY, THERIOT, AND TOOMY AND SENATOR BEAN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:322.1, 322.2, 322.3, and 322.4, relative to the proceeds of state sales tax on hotel occupancy in certain parishes; to dedicate a portion of such tax collected to the Jefferson Parish Convention Center Fund; to provide for deposit of monies into the fund and allowable uses of the fund to create special accounts within the fund; to provide for creation of certain additional funds; to dedicate the proceeds of taxes collected in certain parishes to such funds; to provide for the deposit of monies and the uses of such funds; to dedicate the proceeds of certain taxes collected in certain parishes to certain funds; to provide for the deposit and use of such monies; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1141—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL AND SENATOR BEAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.24(C) and to enact R.S. 47:302.31, 322.1, 322.2, and 332.25, relative to the state sales tax on hotel occupancy in Allen Parish and Beauregard Parish; to provide for dedications of such tax in Beauregard Parish; to dedicate a portion of the tax to capital construction and maintenance in Allen Parish; to establish certain special funds in the state treasury; to provide for deposit of monies into the funds and use of such monies in the funds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1189—
BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE AND SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2017, relative to public hearings by the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for local citizen participation; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1203 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 801)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER AND SENATOR DARDENNE AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATORS HAINKEL, EWING, HINES, AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:446(A) through (F) and to enact R.S. 46:446(G), (H), and (I), relative to the state Medicaid program; to provide with respect to the rights and responsibilities of a representative of an injured, ill, or deceased Medicaid recipient; to remove provisions relative to the department's right to claim workers' compensation benefits and relative to the rights of certain persons against third parties; to provide with respect to a statutory privilege for medical assistance payments made by the Department of Health and Hospitals on behalf of any Medicaid recipient against any recovery or sum collected by said recipient from a third party or insurance company; to provide with respect to such privilege; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1205—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HEATON, BRUCE, JENKINS, KENNARD,
PERKINS, WINDHORST, AND MURRAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(C)(9), relative to the written notification of parole hearings; to provide for written notice of hearings to be made to crime victims; to provide for the time and contents of the written notice; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1267—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SALTER AND THORNHILL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:411(B)(1)(b), relative to taking of a driver's license upon issuance of a traffic citation; to prohibit such taking unless the speed limit is exceeded by a certain amount; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1330—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2452(A), 2453(B) and (C), and 2454(B), relative to the Louisiana Abandoned Animals Act; to provide for when an animal is considered abandoned; to provide for notice requirements; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1346—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN AND SENATOR BEAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.29(B) and to enact R.S. 47:322.1, relative to the proceeds of state sales tax on hotel occupancy in the parish of East Baton Rouge; to provide for the use of the monies in the East Baton Rouge Parish Community Improvement Fund; to create the East Baton Rouge Parish Mass Transit Fund; to dedicate a portion of such tax collected in the parish of East Baton Rouge to the fund; to provide for deposit of monies into the fund and allowable uses of the fund; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1351 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 608)—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS AND SENATOR HAINKEL AND
COAUTHORED BY SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, AND BARHAM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 1 of Code Title III of Code Book I of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:151 through 181, relative to the uniform disposition of unclaimed property; to define certain terms; to provide for various presumptions of abandonment of property; to provide for proceeds derived in class actions; to provide for limitations on dormancy charges; to provide for the burden of proof when the unclaimed obligation is evidenced by negotiable instruments; to provide various penalties for noncompliance; to provide for attorney fees in litigated enforcement actions; to provide for rules of confidentiality; to provide for limitations on agreements to locate property; to provide for the periods of time after which abandonment will be presumed for corporate stock, gift certificates, and for certain life insurance obligations; to provide for issuance of duplicate certificates and provide for liability respecting the property delivered; to authorize the Department of Revenue and Taxation to retain a certain percentage of the total unclaimed property collections for each year for administrative expenses; to provide for the statute of limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1607—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:204.1 and R.S. 51:281.2 and 1905.1, relative to deceptive practices in charitable solicitations; to provide for injunctive relief; to prohibit the unauthorized use of the name of any public park, playground, or other public facility; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1652—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, DUPRE, AND GAUTREAUX AND
SENATOR BEAN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:302.31, 302.32, 322.1, 322.2, 332.25, and 332.26, relative to the state sales tax on hotel occupancy in Terrebonne Parish; to create the Terrebonne Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund; to dedicate certain monies to the fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; to create the St. Mary Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund; to dedicate certain monies to the fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; to create the Franklin Visitor Enterprise Fund; to dedicate certain monies to the fund; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1794—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS AND SENATORS MALONE AND
ROBICHAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:21(B), relative to the office of conservation in the Department of Natural Resources; to provide relative to fees imposed by the office of conservation; to authorize an annual fee to replace certain annual regulatory and registration fees; to provide definitions, amounts, terms, and conditions; to establish a special fund to be known as the Oil and Gas Regulatory Fund; to provide for payments, appropriations, and deposits into such fund; to provide for the amounts and uses of such fund, including certain dedication of monies; to provide for the administration, collection, and enforcement of the annual fee; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1984—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, AND VITTER AND
SENATORS DARDENNE, SCHEDLER, AND SHORT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Chapter 5 of Title II of Book I of the Code of Civil Procedure, Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 591 through 594, 596, and 611, and the heading of Section 2 of Chapter 5 of Title II of Book I of the Code of Civil Procedure, to enact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 612 through 617, and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Art. 593.1, relative to class and derivative actions; to provide for procedural requirements for the filing, maintaining, and certification of class actions; to provide for notice to class members; to provide for judgments and other orders relative to class actions; to provide for dismissal or compromise of a class action; to provide for procedures and requirements for filing and maintaining derivative actions and provide for venue of all such actions; to provide for prescription of class actions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2106 —
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2361, 2363, 2364(introductory paragraph), (4), and (8), 2366(B), 2367(B)(2), 2368(B)(1) and (D), 2369(A) and (B)(1), 2370(E)(6) and (F), 2371, 2372(A), 2373(A), (B)(1) and (2), and (C)(1), (2), and (4), 2374(A) and (B), 2376(B), 2377(introductory paragraph), 2378, and 2379(B), to enact R.S. 30:2364(9) and (10), 2365(A)(6), 2366(C) and (D), 2369(E)(3), 2373(C)(3), (D), and (E), and 2380, and to repeal R.S. 30:2370(E)(1), relative to the Hazardous Materials Information Development, Preparedness, and Response Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for procedures; to provide for reporting and notifications; to provide for fees; to provide for trade secrets; to provide for penalties; to provide for the Right-To-Know Fund; to provide for limitations and uses of the funds; to provide for the Louisiana Chemical Network; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 2154—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD, DOWNER, DANIEL, FRITH, POWELL, AND WIGGINS AND SENATORS CASANOVA, GREENE, HAINKEL, SHORT, AND THEUNISSEN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3026(J) and (K), 3042.36, Chapter 20-G of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3048.1 and 3048.2, and R.S. 47:1508(B)(18), relative to tuition assistance; to provide relative to the application of grants awarded pursuant to the Tuition Assistance Plan and the combination of such grants with disbursements from the Louisiana Student Tuition Assistance and Revenue Trust Program account; to provide for the expenditure of any remaining balance of a grant award; to provide relative to the termination of the Tuition Assistance Plan and the Louisiana Honors Scholarship Program; to create and provide for the implementation of the Louisiana Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for the implementation of such comprehensive aid program; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2198—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY AND SENATOR ULLO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236.23, relative to Jefferson Parish; to authorize the governing authority of the parish to create a special district for the purposes of enhancing the security of residents of the Stonebridge subdivision; to provide for the creation and governance of the district as provided by the parish home rule charter; to require voter approval of a district tax; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2206—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON, MURRAY, GREEN, MONTGOMERY, ODINET, SCALISE, SHAW, THOMAS, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, AND WESTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:657(D)(2), relative to emergency care; to prohibit pre-certification for an emergency medical condition; to provide for coverage in certain circumstances; to prohibit certain health care organizations from denying or reducing payments in certain circumstances; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2331—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ROUSSELLE, AND WILKERSON AND SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.46, relative to motor vehicle registration; to provide for Special Olympics prestige license plates; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2338—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GAUTREAUX AND DUPRE AND SENATOR ROBICHAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:427(A), relative to lease of water bottoms for oyster production; to provide that applications for lease shall remain valid until a survey is made; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2453—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2050.21(D), relative to environmental permits; to provide relative to reviews and appeals of certain environmental permits; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:410(A)(3)(a)(vii) and (viii) and to enact R.S. 32:410(A)(3)(a)(ix), relative to motor vehicles; to include the parish of residence code number on drivers' licenses; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 61—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX AND SENATORS FIELDS AND LENTINI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1802(7), (8)(b)(iv), and (10), relative to the Crime Victims Reparations Act; to extend coverage of the Act to include peace officers, firemen, and certain others; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 64—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HEATON, ANSARDI, AND MARTINY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:37.2(A), relative to the crime of aggravated assault with a firearm; to provide for changes in the definition of the crime; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 90—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE, DOWNER, AND GAUTREAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:7712(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 33:3837, relative to Consolidated Waterworks District No. 1 of the Parish of Terrebonne and certain other waterworks districts; to provide relative to the appointment, number, and terms of commissioners of the Terrebonne district including limiting the number of terms a commissioner may serve; to provide for use of revenues in certain other districts; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 115—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ILES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4754(A)(1) and (2), (B)(2), and (E)(1) and (2), relative to dangerous buildings and structures; to authorize the governing authority of Beauregard Parish and any municipality within the parish to take certain actions with respect to such buildings and structures, including imposing fines and demolishing, removing, or securing such buildings and structures and maintaining such property; to provide relative to the powers of specified parishes; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 248—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236(55)(c), relative to powers of parish governing authorities; to authorize the governing authority of East Feliciana Parish to enact ordinances to require the clerk of court to impose additional charges on certain filings to be used for expenses of the clerk's office; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 354—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRUGE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:382(A)(1) and 384(C)(introductory paragraph), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for special length limits of a single vehicle; to provide for an increase in the maximum allowable length; to provide for allowable means of towing of truck-tractors; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 441—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:501(B)(3), relative to single parish district courts; to authorize the Fortieth Judicial District Court to hold certain sessions of the court in St. John the Baptist Parish east of the Mississippi River; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 581—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, COPELIN, HUNTER, AND MURRAY AND SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:101, 101.1, and 312.4(D), relative to the supreme court; to provide relative to redistricting the six

supreme court districts into seven single member districts; to provide for the terms and assignment of the justices presently serving; to provide for the filling of vacancies; to remove provisions for a specific reapportionment of the supreme court; to provide with respect to the provisions for a temporary additional judgeship for the Court of Appeal for the Fourth Circuit and such judge's appointment to the supreme court; to provide for the term of office and compensation of such temporary judgeship; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 687—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STELLY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1406(F), relative to automobile insurance; to provide for the designation of primary insurance for temporary substitute or rental motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 925—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, DEWITT, DUPRE, GAUTREAU, JOHNS, RIDDLE, JACK SMITH, THORNHILL, AND VITTER AND SENATORS DYESS AND ROBICHAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:254(D)(1)(a), relative to powers and duties of the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals; to remove certain requirements of actions that must be taken prior to the implementation of a managed care program pursuant to a federal waiver; to remove restrictions on the content of the waiver request; to provide for requirements of Medicaid plan amendments; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1002—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:834.1, relative to the housing of persons employed and living at state correctional institutions; to provide that the secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections shall promulgate rules and regulations regarding the allowance of free housing for such persons; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1157—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, FRITH, AND MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:261, relative to capital, surplus, and dividends; to provide for the allocation of consideration received upon initial issuance of shares; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1306—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3363(B)(1) and (2), (C), and (H), 3374(A), and 3375(B), relative to the Structural Pest Control Commission; to provide for appointment and terms of members; to provide for the collection of fees; to provide for the disposition of fees; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCALLUM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:211, relative to the sale of forest products; to provide for failure to remit payment to owner and to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1400—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2228, relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to exemption from execution; to provide with respect to certain exemptions from levy and sale, garnishment, or attachment applicable to a

return of contributions; to provide with respect to the assignment of benefits; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1432—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STELLY, FLAVIN, AND JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:761 and 768, relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide with respect to retirement eligibility requirements; to provide for certain actuarial reduction of benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1446—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, STRAIN, BAUDOIN, BRUCE, CARTER, DOERGE, FRITH, FRUGE, HILL, HUDSON, ILES, KENNEY, MCDONALD, AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3402(1), 3403(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B) through (E), 3406(A)(1) and (2), 3408(A)(introductory paragraph), 3410.1(A), 3411(A), 3412, 3419(B) through (D), and 3424(C), to enact R.S. 3:3402(17) and (18), 3403(A)(9), 3405(A)(8), 3411.1, 3413(G), 3414.4, and 3424(D), and to repeal Part VI of Chapter 6 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 3:700 through 705, and R.S. 3:3425(3), relative to cotton buyers; to provide for the placement of cotton merchants and agents under the provisions of the Agricultural Commodity Dealer and Warehouse Law and regulation by the Louisiana Agricultural Commodities Commission; to provide for definitions; to provide for appointment and membership of the commission; to provide for powers and duties of the commission and the commissioner; to provide for a self-insurance program; to provide for licensure; to provide for security; to provide for prompt payment; to provide for required records; to provide for prohibited acts and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1532—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUCE AND TOOMY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2180(A), relative to collection of ad valorem taxes; to provide for notice of delinquency; to provide that a taxpayer may designate an additional person to be notified of delinquent taxes; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1602—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DONELON, FRITH, MICHOT, HUDSON, AND STELLY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:916, relative to trade and commerce; to prohibit receipt of certain compensation by clinical perfusionists; to prohibit clinical perfusionists from receiving compensation for the sale of clinical perfusion products to medical institutions where they or their employer provide or may provide perfusion services or where their employer has surgical or medical privileges; to prohibit contract clinical perfusion companies from receiving compensation from the sale of clinical perfusion products to medical institutions where they provide clinical perfusion services; to prohibit companies that sell clinical perfusion products from providing contract perfusion services at the medical institutions that purchase their products; to prohibit clinical perfusionists from refusing to use any federally approved product unless there is a due process hearing; to provide for penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DONELON, ANSARDI, CHAISSON, JOHNS, MARTINY, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, JACK SMITH, AND BAYLOR AND SENATORS LENTINI, BEAN, CRAVINS, HEITMEIER, HINES, AND TARVER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:844(A)(7) and (8), (B), and (D)(3), and 846(C) and to enact R.S. 22:844(A)(17) and (18), relative

to domestic insurers; to provide for investment in securities; to provide for investments in equipment trust obligations; to provide for investments in asset-backed securities; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1764 —
BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO AND DEWITT
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 22 of Subtitle II of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, consisting of R.S. 30:2561 through 2566, relative to environmental regulation; to provide for the Louisiana Environmental Regulatory Innovations Programs; to provide for regulatory flexibility; to provide for the Excellence and Leadership Program; to provide for criteria and requirements; to provide for regulations; to provide for demonstration projects; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1904 —
BY REPRESENTATIVES LONG, CLARKSON, CRANE, DEVILLE, DEWITT, HEBERT, HOPKINS, LEBLANC, MCDONALD, PRATT, SCALISE, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TRICHE, WINDHORST, RIDDLE, AND WALSWORTH AND SENATORS HAINKEL AND ULLO
AN ACT

To enact Subpart F of Part I of Chapter 16 of Subtitle III of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:1493.1 through 1493.3, relative to public contracts; to provide for creation of the Commission for the Review and Improvement of Services Procurement to review the procurement of services by the departments of the executive branch of state government; to provide for its membership and duration; to provide for review teams within each department of the executive branch of government; to provide for reporting by the commission and the review teams; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2037 —
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1846(D) and (E) and to enact R.S. 40:1842(10), (11), and (12) and 1846(G), relative to the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission; to provide relative to manufacturers, dealers, and resellers of liquefied petroleum gas; to provide definitions, requirements, and exclusions; to provide for the obtaining of a permit and payment of a permit fee by certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2141 —
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:968(B)(2), relative to the oversight powers of the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice; to provide the committee with oversight of matters concerning concealed weapons and concealed weapon permits; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2495 —
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:55(A)(2) and (3)(a) and (C) and 59(B)(2) and (3)(a), (C)(2) and (3)(a), and (E), relative to the compensation of certain registrars of voters, chief deputy registrars, and confidential assistants; to provide for a salary increase for certain registrars of voters, chief deputy registrars, and confidential assistants; to provide for changes to the pay schedule for each; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 235 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 617) —
BY REPRESENTATIVE FLAVIN AND SENATOR HAINKEL AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, A. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BARTON, BAUDOIN, BOWLER, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DIEZ, DIMOS, DOERGE, DONELON, DUPRE, FONTENOT, FORSTER, FRITH, FRUGE, GAUTREAUX, GLOVER, GUILLORY, HEATON, HILL, HOLDEN, HUDSON, ILES, JENKINS, JOHNS, KENNARD, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LONG, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MORRISH, MURRAY, ODINET, PINAC, POWELL,

PRATT, RIDDLE, ROMERO, ROUSSELLE, STELLY, THOMAS, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRAVIS, VITTER, WELCH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, AND LAMBERT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2205(A)(1), relative to the hazardous waste tax; to provide for the uses of the tax funds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 269 —
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND, BRUCE, KENNEY, AND ROMERO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:42(A)(6) and (D) and 43.4(A)(6) and (D), relative to the crimes of aggravated rape and aggravated oral sexual battery; to provide when offense is committed against a physically or mentally infirm victim the offense is aggravated; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 429 —
BY REPRESENTATIVE WARNER AND SENATORS GREENE AND ULLO
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VIII, Section 16 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize the legislature to provide for the creation, governance, management, and control of a community college system and for the transfer of the supervision and control of certain educational institutions and programs; to provide certain preconditions for enacting legislation creating a community college system; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 635 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 480) —
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU, AND SENATOR JORDAN AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, LANCASTER, AND SCHNEIDER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:562 and R.S. 40:1321(C), relative to elections; to require an applicant to vote to present a picture identification card; to provide that a person not having a picture identification card may sign an affidavit; to provide for the procedure commissioners are to follow for identifying applicants to vote; to provide special identification cards free of charge to certain registered voters; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 945 —
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCAIN AND MURRAY AND SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 880, relative to credit for prior custody; to delete the requirement that the court must give a defendant credit for prior custody in imposing sentence; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1107 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 669) —
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS AND SENATOR BAGNERIS AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
AN ACT

To repeal Part XVII of Chapter 2 of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 9:3575.1 through 3575.10, relative to refund anticipation loans; to repeal the Refund Anticipation Loan Act.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1173 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 669) —
BY REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER AND SENATOR BAGNERIS AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:336(B)(2), relative to levee districts; to provide for two exceptions to the requirement that the Board of Commissioners of the Orleans Levee District reserve and dedicate forever a continuous strip of land for public parks, parkways, boulevards, playgrounds, aviation fields, and places of amusement along the entire frontage of Lake Pontchartrain; to provide which areas will be the subject of the exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1187—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:436(D), relative to performing noncomplex health procedures; to require city and parish school boards to provide safety equipment, materials, and supplies to employees performing noncomplex health procedures; to specify such safety equipment, materials, and supplies to be provided; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1366—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2218.2(G), relative to supplemental pay; to clarify that persons employed by municipalities shall include employees of consolidated governments; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1461—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HEATON AND MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:85(7), relative to the enforcement and collection of bond forfeiture judgments; to provide for the time when judgments may be enforced and collected; to provide that such judgments may be collected in the same manner as civil judgments; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1517—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEATON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:85(11)(a) and (b)(introductory paragraph), relative to hearings to prohibit certain commercial sureties from executing criminal bail bonds; to allow non-district courts to conduct such hearings; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1526—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2558(A), relative to certified shorthand reporters; to establish fees to be paid to the Board of Examiners of Certified Shorthand Reporters; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1644—

BY REPRESENTATIVES VITTER AND SCHNEIDER AND SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.4(B)(2) and 574.4(I)(2), relative to forfeiture of diminution of sentence and parole; to remove maximum amount of good time forfeited if a condition of parole is violated; to provide that good time diminution of sentence which would have been earned if parole had not been granted is also forfeited for parole violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1905—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:202(D) and 204, relative to the In-School Intervention Pilot Program; to extend the termination date of the program; to provide for participation of additional schools; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1911—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, BRUN, MCDONALD, LONG, DEWITT, ALARIO, DUPRE, ILES, KENNEY, MCCAIN, MCMAINS, MICHOT, POWELL, SALTER, THOMAS, WALSWORTH, WIGGINS, LEBLANC, RIDDLE, AND THOMPSON AND SENATORS DARDENNE, BEAN, HOLLIS, LAMBERT, SCHEDLER, SHORT, SMITH, AND THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3921.2, relative to state funds; to provide for creation of the Classroom-based Technology Fund within the state treasury; to provide for deposit of monies into the fund; to provide for use and distribution of monies in the fund; to

provide for creation of the State Technology Advisory Committee; to provide for a grant program to help provide educational technologies for Louisiana's elementary and secondary school students; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1915—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUNTER AND MURRAY AND SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.3(A)(1), relative to the diminution of prison sentences for good behavior; to provide for the rate of good time for certain prisoners in parish prisons; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1948—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1106, relative to the Louisiana Licensed Professional Counselors Board of Examiners; to provide for fees and the amount of such fees to be collected by the Louisiana Licensed Professional Counselors Board of Examiners; to provide for late fees; to provide for the method of payment for such fees; to authorize the board to assess costs connected with disciplinary actions; to authorize the board to collect fines not to exceed a certain amount; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1951—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, R. ALEXANDER, BARTON, DEVILLE, DIMOS, DUPRE, FLAVIN, FORSTER, JOHNS, LEBLANC, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, SCALISE, JOHN SMITH, AND STELLY

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 23 of Title 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 36:931 through 937, to provide for the reorganization of the executive branch of state government; to provide for further reorganization and consolidation within the executive branch of state government by creating and providing for the Joint Legislative Committee on Reorganization of the Executive Branch, including its membership, powers, and duties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1975—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2175(E)(1), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide with respect to reemployment after retirement; to provide income limits during reemployment on a part-time basis; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUN, CRANE, AND MCDONALD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3881(B), 3882(6), 3883(A)(3), (4), (6), and (7)(a) and (B)(3) and Subpart B of Part II of Chapter 39 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3891 through 3895, all relative to professional employee quality development; to rename the Teacher Assessment Program as the Teacher Assistance and Assessment Program; to provide relative to the definition of a teacher for program purposes; to provide for exemptions from the program; to provide relative to the assessment of participating teachers' qualifications for certification; to remove provisions relative to support teams and to provide instead for mentor teachers to perform certain duties and responsibilities; to remove provisions relative to support and assessment semesters, conferences, classroom observations, professional development plans, and assessment reports; to provide relative to the assessment process and assessment teams; to remove provisions relative to the selection and training of assessors; to provide relative to the issuance of teaching credentials; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 2098—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.3(H), relative to concealed handgun permits; to provide for the issuance of concealed handgun permits for up to four years; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2284—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1123(24), relative to the ethics code; to provide that the ethics code shall not prohibit clients of certain charitable organizations from serving on the boards of such organizations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2300—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3861(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1), relative to a military power of attorney; to provide with respect to those who may execute a military power of attorney; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2335—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:196, relative to the care of minor children; to authorize a natural tutor to act on behalf of a minor in matters involving less than seven thousand five hundred dollars without qualifying for the office of tutor; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2346—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Arts. 871(B) and (C), relative to the affixing of fingerprints to the bill of indictment; to require that the fingerprints of persons convicted of certain misdemeanor crimes must be affixed to the bill of indictment; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2361—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRIEU AND WELCH AND SENATOR HEITMEIER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2002(A), relative to extra compensation for firefighters; to clarify the application of certain training standards for supplemental pay eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2386—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LONG, ALARIO, BOWLER, BRUN, CRANE, DAMICO, DEWITT, DIEZ, DIMOS, DONELON, DUPRE, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FONTENOT, FRITH, GAUTREAUX, HEBERT, JOHNS, KENNARD, LANCASTER, LEBLANC, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MORRISH, PINAC, POWELL, QUEZAIRE, SALTER, SCALISE, JOHN SMITH, STELLY, THOMAS, TRICHE, WIGGINS, AND WINSTON AND SENATORS BEAN, HINES, LANDRY, AND SIRACUSA
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:450.1(C), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 46:450.1(F) and (G), relative to the system for electronic distribution of certain public entitlement benefits; to require the contract program for such distribution system to provide merchants the option to utilize commercial automated teller machines and point of sale terminals to interface with the electronic benefits transfer provider; to require the contract program to provide for reimbursement by the electronic benefits transfer provider of certain costs incurred by merchants in the processing of benefits under the electronic issuance system; to require the contract program to provide that the cash back provisions of the electronic issuance system allow the merchant to charge the recipient reasonable and customary charges and

contain a schedule of fees and charges for the provision of cash back services; to provide that participation in the program not cause or require any merchant to incur any expense or cost; to require that the statewide expansion and implementation of the electronic issuance program shall include and incorporate the provisions hereof and contracts with merchants and providers not be required for participation in the program until certain acts occur; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2391—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WIGGINS AND CURTIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1000 and 1908, relative to certain district and city courts; to provide for the assessment of additional costs in criminal matters for the support of court-appointed special advocate (CASA) programs; to provide for applicability to parishes with a population within a certain range; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2426—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1855, relative to public higher education tuition and attendance fees; to authorize the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College to impose certain specified tuition and attendance fee amounts; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2471—

BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2809(A)(2) and (8), to enact R.S. 37:2809(A)(11), and to repeal Part II of Chapter 36 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 37:2830.1 through 2830.7, relative to the Louisiana Board of Chiropractic Examiners; to increase maximum fees for a certificate of internship and a certificate of chiropractic assistant to perform chiropractic X-rays; to add a fee for annual X-ray certificate registration; to repeal provisions relative to chiropractic management consultants; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2490—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD-LEWIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:460.4, relative to Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Block Grant benefits; to require the Department of Social Services to provide for a six-month income disregard for recipients of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Block Grant benefits; to require the department to promulgate rules and regulations relative to the earned income disregard program; to provide relative to exceptions to the state time limitations imposed upon the receipt of TANF benefits; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2498—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:450.1(F), relative to electronic issuance of certain public assistance program benefits; to require that the system for electronic issuance of food stamps provide for identification of nonallowable items; to require photo identification; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2512 (Substitute For House Bill No. 2081 by Representative Hunter)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:4814, relative to the Private Works Act; to provide for assessment of civil penalties against contractors for failure to pay materialmen and laborers; to provide for recovery of funds

owed, including costs and attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on
Senate and Governmental Affairs**

ENROLLMENTS

Senator Dardenne, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 21, 1997

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following Senate Bills have been properly enrolled:

SENATE BILL NO. 30—
BY SENATORS HINES, DARDENNE AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:42.1(A), the introductory paragraph of 43(A), and (A)(1), relative to the crime of rape; to provide that a rape where the victim's condition is induced by administration of narcotic or anesthetic agent or controlled dangerous substance constitutes forcible rape; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 48—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1491.4(D) and 1495.2(D), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to authorize certain campaign depositories; to provide that money market mutual funds may be designated as a campaign depository; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 50 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 713)—
BY SENATOR BEAN AND REPRESENTATIVE BRUN AND COAUTHORED BY SENATOR JONES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:409.1(A)(2)(d)(viii) and 410(A)(3)(a)(i) and (viii) and to repeal R.S. 32:409.1(A)(2)(d)(vi), relative to drivers' licenses; to delete the requirements that an applicant for a license shall furnish his social security number and that the number shall appear on the face of the license; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 147—
BY SENATOR BEAN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:306(B)(6) and 306.3(D), relative to fish industry licenses; to exempt persons or businesses selling fish prepared for consumption on or off the business premises from the requirement to purchase a wholesale/retail dealer's license; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 270—
BY SENATORS ULLO AND ROBICHAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:497(A)(2), relative to the saltwater shrimp season; to provide for an experimental two year brown shrimp season in Zone 2; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 516—
BY SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:1484.2 and R.S. 40:1484.2(4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), and (10), 1484.3(A) and (B)(1), 1484.4, 1484.5(B), 1484.6, 1484.7, 1484.8, 1484.9, 1484.10, 1484.11(2), and 1484.13 and to enact R.S. 40:1484.2(11), relative to amusement attractions or rides; to provide for certain inspections on behalf of an owner or operator's insurer prior to operation; to prohibit operation of the attraction or ride until such inspection; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 527—
BY SENATOR GUIDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4720.17(A), and to enact R.S. 33:4720.17(C) and (D), relative to the sale of abandoned property; to reduce the number of days that notice must be given prior to a post-adjudication sale of abandoned property; to provide for redemption of the property prior to sale; to provide for payment of all fees and charges assessed upon abandoned property prior to sale; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 704—
BY SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1728.2, relative to motor vehicles; to provide with respect to the procedure for disposal of junk vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 724 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 346)—
BY SENATOR CASANOVA AND REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON AND COAUTHORED BY SENATOR CAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:215.18 and 2018(E), (F) and (G), and R.S. 40:2207 relative to health care organizations; to provide for health and medical service contracts; to provide for requirements of provider contracts; to prohibit contracts between health insurers and health care providers which contain incentive provisions; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 359 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1051)—
BY SENATOR GREENE AND REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:21(A), 1353(C)(3), and 1371(A), relative to elections; to provide for the notification of contracts for lease of space for voting machines; to provide for the notification of contracts for the delivery of voting machines to the precincts; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 694—
BY SENATOR CAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE BRUN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2053(6), (7), (8) and (9) and 2055.1, relative to noise pollution and nuisance actions; to exempt sport shooting ranges from noise and nuisance actions; to provide for definitions; to provide for limits and exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

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SENATE BILL NO. 699 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 949)—

BY SENATOR BAJOE AND REPRESENTATIVE ODINET AND COAUTHORED BY SENATOR GUIDRY AND REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, PRATT AND WELCH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:215.18 and 2027(E) and R.S. 40:2207, relative to health insurance; to provide coverage for reconstructive surgery following a mastectomy; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 708—

BY SENATOR LANDRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1580.1, relative to hotels or motels; to require hotels or motels to install approved fire detection and alarm systems for the hearing impaired in all rooms; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 768—

BY SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:30.1(A)(2), relative to offenses against the person; to provide with respect to homicide involving juveniles; to provide for second degree murder; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 812—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE, EWING AND BAGNERIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(a) and R.S. 46:236.1(D)(1)(a), relative to use of criminal history records and certain motor vehicle and law enforcement systems in connection with support enforcement; to provide with respect to access to such records and systems and use thereof by the Department of Social Services; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1001—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVES FORSTER AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1660(C)(2), (E), and (F), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide with respect to records and reports; to provide relative to the release and access of unemployment records; to provide for the reimbursement of costs for releases of any unemployment compensation records to governmental entities; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1249—

BY SENATORS HOLLIS AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2167(E), relative to the waiver of examinations to residential building contractors; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1251—

BY SENATOR ULLO (BY REQUEST)
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236(21)(g) relative to municipalities and parishes; to authorize the governing authority of the city of Westwego to require that community service be performed by persons who allow their weeds, grass or other noxious growths to accumulate on their property in disregard of the health and safety of others; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1323 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 2413)—

BY SENATOR EWING AND REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(e) and to enact Part VIII-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:301 through 302, relative to access to public data bases; to provide for an advisory

council on access by the visually impaired to the Louisiana Data Base Commission; to provide for the procurement of technology state employees who are visually impaired; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 52—

BY SENATORS LENTINI, BEAN, BRANCH, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CASANOVA, COX, DEAN, DYESS, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, LAMBERT, MALONE, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SIRACUSA, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE DUPRE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:108.1 and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 814(A)(45.1), relative to offenses affecting law enforcement; to create the crime of aggravated flight from an officer; to provide a penalty; to provide for responsive verdicts; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 500—

BY SENATORS HINES AND LANDRY AND REPRESENTATIVES A. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, DURAND, GLOVER, MCCALLUM, RIDDLE, THOMAS AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact Part L of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.111 through 1300.116, relative to health care; to enact the Rural Hospital Preservation Act; to provide for legislative findings and purpose; to provide definitions; to provide for certain reimbursements in the state Medicaid plan; to provide for promulgation of such reimbursement provisions; to prohibit exclusion of hospitals in a rural area from certain health care organizations; to provide for certain additional protection for hospitals in a rural area; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 530—

BY SENATORS GUIDRY AND BAJOE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:460(4) and to enact R.S. 46:460(7) and R.S. 46:460.4, relative to public assistance; to define Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF); to provide for individual development accounts; to provide for administration of such accounts; to require the Department of Social Services to promulgate rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 563—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE AND EWING AND REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2602(A), (B), and (D) and 2605(B) and (E), to enact R.S. 46:2605(F) and 2606, and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 1232 of the 1995 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Children's Cabinet; to change the composition of the Children's Cabinet and the Children's Cabinet Advisory Board; to provide for an executive director; to provide for funding; to provide relative to the termination date of the Children's Cabinet; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 767—

BY SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:42(C), relative to offenses against the person; to provide with respect to aggravated rape; to provide for noncapital verdict by district attorney; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 978—

BY SENATORS IRONS, BAJOE, CASANOVA, HINES, LANDRY AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON, WILLARD-LEWIS AND HOLDEN
AN ACT

To enact Part L of Chapter 5 of Title 40, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.111 through 1300.115, relative to health care for Alzheimer's patients; to require facilities that offer to provide or

provide a special care program or special unit for persons with Alzheimer's disease or a related disorder to disclose certain information; to provide for definitions; to provide for promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 983—

BY SENATORS ELLINGTON AND HAINKEL AND REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1862(B), relative to job training; to provide for agencies to submit workforce preparation program plans to the Louisiana Workforce Commission instead of the Louisiana Employment and Training Council; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1002—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1622 and 1693(A), and to enact R.S. 23:1693(I), relative to unemployment compensation benefits; to provide for withholding and collection of payable unemployment compensation benefits for overissuance of food stamp allotments; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1108—

BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX AND REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE AND GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:499(B)(2), relative to shrimping; to provide for net mesh size for the taking of certain saltwater shrimp; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1126—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1035(A), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to covered employees; to provide for a limited liability company to elect out of coverage of workers' compensation laws; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 227—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:42(B)(8), 62(8), 1901(C), 1903(H), 1904, the heading of Part II of Chapter 5 of Subtitle III of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, 1921(A)(2), 1925(E), 1931(B) and (D)(10)(a), 1934(A), 1936(A)(1), 1938(A), 2011, and 2012(A), (B), (B)(1), (C), and (E), 2014(A) and (B), to enact R.S. 11:22(B)(9)(c), 209(C), 1902(22.1), Part IV-A of Chapter 5 of Subtitle III of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:1971 through 1977, and to repeal R.S. 11:2013, relative to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to create and define a new Plan C; to provide for actuarial funding; to provide for enrollment of members; to provide for retirement eligibility, average compensation, benefits, retirement computation, contributions, vesting, funds to which assets credited, and collection and payment of contributions; to provide for applicability of general provisions governing the system; to provide for employee contributions to Plan B; to repeal obsolete provisions on allocation of assets and liabilities; to provide for Deferred Retirement Option Funds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 257—

BY SENATORS LENTINI AND SHORT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(D) and R.S. 46:1844(O), and to enact R.S. 15:573.1, relative to proceedings on punishment for crimes committed; to allow certain persons to appear before the Board of Pardons or the Board of Parole by means of telephone

communication from the office of the local district attorney; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 424—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1938(L), relative to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to provide for repayment of funds withdrawn from the applicable Deferred Retirement Option Plan Fund upon reemployment within certain time periods; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 553—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE, EWING AND ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2480(C)(1), (4)(a), and (5), and 2484(1), (5), (7), and (10), relative to the office of the oil spill coordinator; to provide for extension of deadlines with respect to natural resource damage assessment; to provide with respect to appropriations from the fund; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 658—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE, AND REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER, DANIEL, DIEZ, DOERGE, DUPRE, FONTENOT, FRITH, GAUTREAUX, GUILLORY, JOHNS, LANCASTER, MCCAIN, MCMAINS, STRAIN, THOMAS, THOMPSON AND WILKERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 408.1, relative to qualifications and selection of grand and petit jurors; to provide with respect to initial selection of general venire; to provide for source; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 684—

BY SENATOR LANDRY (On Recommendation of the Louisiana State Law Institute)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 679 and 684, relative to the recusal of judges; to provide for procedures for recusal of appellate judges; to provide for appointment of judges sitting in place of recused judges or justices; to provide for review of recusal ruling; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 685—

BY SENATOR LANDRY (On Recommendation of the Louisiana State Law Institute)

AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 21-A of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 46:1831 through 1839, relative to criminal victim's escrow accounts; to repeal provisions of law relating to such accounts, including notice of intent to file claim, notice to victims, release of and payments from escrow accounts, proration of payments, and void actions.

SENATE BILL NO. 686—

BY SENATOR LANDRY (On Recommendation of the Louisiana State Law Institute)

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 517, relative to joint representation of co-defendants; to require the court to advise co-defendants of their right to separate trials; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 706—

BY SENATOR LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1123(24), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide an exception from the code for certain gifts to public servants; and to provide for related matters.

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SENATE BILL NO. 788—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2223(B)(2) and (C) and to enact R.S. 11:2221(M) and 2223(B)(3), (4), and (5), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide for determination of disability benefits; to provide for benefit options upon attaining normal retirement age; to provide for eligibility of a child of a police officer for purposes of educational benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 304—
BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:707(M), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for acquisition of titles for certain vehicles; to require deposit; to require waiting period; to authorize credit for deposit under certain circumstances; to provide for effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 362—
BY SENATOR GREENE (BY REQUEST)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:326.6(A), relative to bowfin; to include certain parishes in the commercial bowfin season; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 405—

BY SENATORS DARDENNE, BARHAM, BEAN, GUIDRY, LENTINI, SHORT, BAJOIE, CASANOVA, HINES, ROBICHAUX AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES HOLDEN, JETSON AND PRATT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:215.18, relative to health insurance coverage; to provide for coverage for diabetes outpatient self-management training and education, including medical nutrition therapy, and diabetes equipment and supplies; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 513—

BY SENATORS COX AND JORDAN
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 15:171, relative to time limitations, to delete requirement for an expeditious disposition of criminal cases involving minors; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 618—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE, EWING AND LAMBERT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2065, relative to fees; to provide for air quality control programs; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1129 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 2108)—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL AND REPRESENTATIVE DONELON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:1(7) and (26), 72(A), 76, 78, 452, 456, 463(1), 501, 505, and 506, to enact R.S. 8:1(41), 456.1, 502.1, 502.2, 505.1, and 505.2, relative to cemeteries; to provide for definitions; to provide for regulatory charges for a certificate of authority; to provide for the sale or transfer of cemetery authority and late charges; to provide for exemptions from regulation; to provide for certification of trust fund in articles of incorporation and amendments; to provide for an annual account by trustee and a final accounting; to provide for resignation of trustee and orderly transfer of trust fund; to provide for records available for examination; to provide relative to merchandise trust funds; to provide for the determination of personal property delivery; to provide for suppliers; to provide for annual reports by trustees; to provide for annual reports by cemeteries and other entities; to provide for examination by the board and the expenses for examination; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1163—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(11) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(8)(a), relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide for the re-creation of the department and the statutory entities made a part of the department; to provide for the termination of statutory authority for the existence of the department and the statutory entities made a part of the department; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1437—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:2(10), 201(3), and 215(B) and (C) and to enact R.S. 6:121(B)(4), 201(18), 215(D) and 365.1, relative to state banks; to provide for mutual state banks; to provide for what shall constitute the capital of a mutual state bank; to provide for mergers or conversions of federally insured financial institutions; to provide for conversions from one form of federally insured financial institution to another; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1454—

BY SENATORS ELLINGTON AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To designate portions of Louisiana Highway 15 from its intersection with Louisiana Highway 137 and portions of Louisiana Highways 65 and 84 to their intersection with Louisiana Highway 131 as the Veterans Memorial Highway; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1557 (SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL 488 BY SENATOR HEITMEIER)—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:142(A) and (B), relative to state and statewide retirement systems; to provide that survivors may apply for reciprocal recognition of service credit of deceased members; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 497—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3171(A) and (B), 3173(A)(2) and (B)(2), 3176(C), 3179(B), (C), and (G)(3), 3181(A)(6), (7), and (10), and (I), 3182 and 3183, to enact R.S. 37:3172(3), 3176(A)(3), and 3179.2(G), and to repeal R.S. 37:3185; to add "registered interior designers" designation to the Interior Design Licensing Statute; to provide for qualifications; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 619—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, DARDENNE, EWING AND LAMBERT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2063(J), relative to fees; to provide for fees for the prevention of accidental releases of air pollutants; to provide for registration; to provide for modification of fees; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 688—

BY SENATOR LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:7(F), relative to hospital records; to provide for confidentiality of persons participating in medical research; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 722—

BY SENATORS CASANOVA, CRAVINS AND LAMBERT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:215.18, relative to insurance coverage; to provide for coverage for off-label drugs in treatment of cancer; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 754—

BY SENATOR ROMERO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 7(c) of the charter of the city of New Iberia, as originally enacted by Act 187 of the 1910 Regular Session, as subsequently amended as provided by law, and as amended by Act No. 340 of the 1988 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to the elected officials of said city; to provide for the qualifications of the mayor; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 885—

BY SENATOR ROMERO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 7(b)(2) of the charter of the city of New Iberia, as originally enacted by Act 187 of the 1910 Regular Session and as subsequently amended as provided by law, relative to the elected officials of said city; to provide for the qualifications of the trustees; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 962—

BY SENATOR CAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:911.24.1, relative to manufactured homes; to provide for relationships; to provide for repurchase of manufactured homes under certain circumstances; to provide relative to warranty work; to provide for penalty and indemnification under certain circumstances; to require certain notice; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1012—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:24(B)(6), 41(B)(9)(d) and (e), 52(B), 61(A), 76(C), 81(A) and (C)(8), 112(A), 131(B)(3) and (C), and to enact R.S. 12:114(C), relative to the Business Corporation Law; to authorize designations of stock; to provide for directors; to provide for merger or consolidation; to provide for rights of shareholders; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1091—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:261, relative to witness fees; to provide with regard to the disposition of witness fees provided by law for the payment of certain law enforcement officers when they make a criminal or juvenile court appearance; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1219—

BY SENATOR JORDAN AND REPRESENTATIVE FRITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3103(A)(11), 3105(A), 3111(B), 3112(D), 3115(A)(2), 3121(B), 3125(B), 3143 and 3144(A), and to enact R.S. 37:3118(D), and to repeal R.S. 37:3112(A)(6), 3126, and 3127, relative to the Auctioneers Licensing Board; to provide for a chairman and vice-chairman; to provide for payments and accounts; to provide for discipline; to provide for bond requirements; to provide for payment of claims from the Auctioneer Recovery Fund; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 175 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 2017)—

BY SENATOR HINES AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:913(3)(b), Part VI of Chapter 11 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 37:1031 through 1034, and R.S. 37:1171(5), relative to registered nurses; to provide for definitions; to provide that the scope of practice of advanced practice registered nursing includes certain acts of medical diagnosis and limited prescriptive authority in accordance with rules and regulations promulgated by the Louisiana State Board of Nursing and the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to change the name of the Committee on Prescriptive Authority for Advanced Practice Registered Nurses to the Joint Administration Committee on Prescriptive Authority for Advanced Practice Registered Nurses and to provide for the membership and powers and duties of the committee; to provide for advanced practice registered nurses currently qualified or who may qualify for prescriptive authority; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 232—

BY SENATORS HINES AND SHORT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1681.1 and R.S. 33:2218.2(F), relative to benefits for certain law enforcement officers; to provide relative to educational benefits for children of police officers, deputy sheriffs, or certain probation and parole officers killed or permanently disabled in performance of duty; to provide relative to the amount of the book allowance for such children; to increase the number of Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana tribal officers who are eligible for state supplemental pay; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 250—

BY SENATOR CAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:9(A)(1)(bb), (cc), (dd), (ee), and (ff), relative to the Louisiana Health Care Commission; to increase the membership of the commission; to provide for an additional nominee by the Louisiana Nursing Home Association; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 282—

BY SENATOR LENTINI
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article I, Section 17 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to jury trials in criminal cases; to provide for the number of jurors required to concur to render a verdict in certain cases; to provide relative to joinder of felonies; and to specify an election date for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 709—

BY SENATORS LANDRY, GREENE BAJOE, BEAN, BRANCH, CAIN, CAMPBELL, COX, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DYESS, FIELDS, GREENE, GUIDRY, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, IRONS, JONES, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MALONE, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SIRACUSA, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVES ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BRUCE, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DANIEL, DIEZ, FLAVIN, FONTENOT, FRITH, FRUGE, HEBERT, HOLDEN, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, JENKINS, JETSON, KENNARD, LANCASTER, LONG, McDONALD, MICHOT, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, POWELL, QUEZAIRE, ROUSSELLE, STRAIN, THOMAS, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WILLARD-LEWIS AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:5.1, relative to public meetings; to require school boards to allow public comment at school board meetings before taking a vote; to provide with respect to a comment period at such meetings; and to provide for related matters.

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SENATE BILL NO. 963 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 1440)—

BY SENATOR HINES AND REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:259(BB)(3), and R.S. 40:5.11, relative to fluoridation of certain public water systems; to create the Fluoridation Advisory Board in the Department of Health and Hospitals and provide for the composition, powers, duties, functions, and compensation thereof; to establish a water fluoridation program in the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of public health and provide for the functions thereof; to authorize rulemaking related to the fluoridation of public water systems; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1009—

BY SENATORS DARDENNE, HINES, CASANOVA, DYESS AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1231, 1231.1, 1231.2, 1232, 1233, 1234(A), (B), (C), (D), and (F), 1235, and 1236, to enact R.S. 36:259(FF) and 919.4 and R.S. 40:1232.1, 1232.2, 1232.3, 1232.4, 1232.5, 1232.6, 1232.7, 1232.8, 1232.9, 1232.10, and 1232.11, and to repeal R.S. 40:1234(G), relative to emergency medical services; to provide for definitions; to create the Louisiana Emergency Medical Services Certification Commission in the Department of Health and Hospitals and to provide for appointment and confirmation of membership, qualifications, terms, vacancies, officers, reimbursements, removal, and powers and duties; to establish requirements for certification and renewal of certificates; to provide grounds for disciplinary action; to provide for notice and hearing on disciplinary matters; to provide for injunctive relief; to provide for violations and penalties; to provide for an exception to certification requirements; to authorize the promulgating of rules and regulations in regard to emergency medical services; to provide for scope of practice of emergency medical technicians and first responders; to provide for immunity from civil damages; to provide for duties relative to the bureau of emergency medical services; to designate statutory provisions into Subparts; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1014—

BY SENATOR SIRACUSA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:261(A)(3), relative to local governments; to provide relative to certain parishes; to require the Department of Transportation and Development to contract with such parishes for the maintenance of certain functions; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1068 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 2306)—

BY SENATOR GREENE AND REPRESENTATIVE FORSTER AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3217.1, relative to public postsecondary education; to merge the Orleans Regional Technical Institute with Delgado Community College in the University of Louisiana system; to transfer the funds, property, obligations, functions, and programs of the technical institute from the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the Board of Trustees for State Colleges and Universities; to provide with regard to the students, faculty, and employees of the technical institute at the time of merger; to provide relative to the Division of Occupational Studies at Delgado Community College; to provide for effectiveness; to provide relative to the continuation and future operation of certain vending and concession services operated by blind persons; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1222—

BY SENATOR EWING

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:126, relative to public contracts; to increase change order thresholds; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 883—

BY SENATOR LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Art. 424(B)(1) and R.S. 15:587.1(A) and (D), relative to the access of information and court-appointed special advocates; to provide for the fingerprinting of court-appointed special advocates; to provide for a fee waiver for criminal history checks for juvenile court judges; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 864—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1921(A)(3)(b) and to repeal R.S. 11:1925(G) and 1940, relative to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to repeal provisions authorizing the purchase of service by members of school boards, certain elected parish officials, and certain persons employed by a community action agency; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1063—

BY SENATOR DEAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 25:671(B) and (B)(4) and to enact R.S. 25:671(B)(5), relative to the composition of the Council for Development of Spanish in Louisiana; to add a member from the Canary Island Descendants Association; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1362—

BY SENATOR COX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(A) and the introductory paragraph of 542(B), relative to registration of sex offenders; to require certain juvenile sex offenders to register with law enforcement authorities; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1489—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:15(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 27:15(B)(10), relative to the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide for compulsory meetings; to provide relative to meeting locations; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1492—

BY SENATOR DEAN

AN ACT

To declare that the public and necessary purpose which may have originally supported the expropriation of certain property in the parish of Plaquemines, known as Cheniere Ronquillo, located in Sections 9, 10, 15, and 16 of Township 21 South, Range 26 East, has been called into question; to authorize certain heirs to assert their rights of ownership; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,
JAY DARDENNE
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Bills were signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives and presented to the Governor by the Secretary.

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

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Adjournment

Senator Hainkel moved that the Senate adjourn until Sunday, June 22, 1997 at 1:30 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 1:30 o'clock P.M. on Sunday, June 22, 1997.

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

GAYE F. HAMILTON
Journal Clerk