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**FORTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Twenty-Fifth Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, June 9, 1999

The Senate was called to order at 4:00 o'clock P.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	Dyess	Lambert
Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dean	Jordan	
Total—38		

**ABSENT**

Tarver  
Total—1

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

**Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Senator Dyess, 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 Dyess, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of yesterday was adopted.

**Morning Hour**

**Messages from the House**

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

**Message from the House**

**CONCURRING IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

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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. 139—**  
BY SENATOR MALONE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the United States Department of Transportation to approve the Shreveport Regional Airport to maintain the four slots previously used by American Airlines to allow nonstop air service from Shreveport, Louisiana to Chicago O'Hare International Airport in Illinois.

Reported without amendments.

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

**Message from the House**

**PASSED SENATE BILLS AND  
JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

June 9, 1999

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 the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions:

**SENATE BILL NO. 251—**  
BY SENATORS DARDENNE, HAINKEL AND BARHAM AND  
REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER AND MCMAINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(3), and to enact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(4), relative to the Louisiana Educational Assessment Program; to require that alternate assessments be administered to certain students with disabilities who meet specific criteria developed by the Department of Education; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 253—**  
BY SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL AND BARHAM AND  
REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS AND BRUCE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.4, relative to school and district accountability; to require the establishment of a program of distinguished educators; to provide for required inclusions in the program; to provide relative to the employment status and the terms of employment of persons identified and selected as distinguished educators; to provide relative to the responsibilities of the state Department of Education and city and parish school boards; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 386—**  
BY SENATOR GREENE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236.25, relative to the powers of parish governing authorities; to authorize the governing authorities of the parishes of Pointe Coupee and St. Landry to serve notice once a year on property owners to cut grass and obnoxious weeds on their property; to authorize the police juries to amend local ordinances

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to reflect the once a year notice requirement; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 391—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:956(5)(b), and to enact R.S. 49:999.1; all relative to administrative procedures; to provide for service of process; to authorize the division of administrative law to provide services on a contractual basis to other governmental agencies; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 888—**  
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1428(C), relative to sheriffs' fees in civil matters; to allow certain fees to be taxed as costs of court in civil matters; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1009—**  
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:1847(56) and 1855(J), relative to the scenic rivers system; to include that segment of the Tangipahoa River from the Interstate 12 crossing to its entrance into Lake Pontchartrain in Tangipahoa Parish in the Louisiana Natural and Scenic Rivers System; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 65—**  
BY SENATOR COX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:477(14) and 621.14, relative to district courts; to provide for an additional judgeship in the Fourteenth Judicial District; to provide for the election and term of office; to provide for qualifications; to provide relative to compensation; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 255—**  
BY SENATORS HOLLIS AND HINES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:1166(G), relative to telecommunications; to prohibit telecommunications service providers charging unauthorized services to subscribers; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 897—**  
BY SENATOR BEAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:473(H), relative to the authorized use of motor vehicle dealer inventory plates; to provide that a transaction treated as a taxable fringe benefit under federal tax provisions shall not be considered renting or leasing; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 960—**  
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:421(G)(2)(b) and (d) and to enact R.S. 51:421(G)(2)(e), relative to the Unfair Sales Law; to include within the definition of "cost to the wholesaler" any federal gasoline tax; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 296—**  
BY SENATOR GREENE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:47(D), 500.2 and 1202, relative to sick leave for school personnel; to eliminate the prohibition on certain deductions from the salary of a teacher or school bus driver under certain circumstances; to provide for the granting of certain extended sick leave under certain circumstances; to provide for additional compensation to certain teachers; to provide for the responsibilities of city and parish school boards and the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 388—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1704(A)(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), (11), (13), (14), (16), (17), (18), (19), (20), (21), (22), (23), (24), (25), (26), (27), (28), (29), (30)(a) and (b), and the introductory paragraph of (31)(a), relative to fees and costs authorized for constables and marshals; to increase the fees and costs authorized for certain services of constables and marshals; to remove the authorization for mileage reimbursement for service of process; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 662—**  
BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:158.1; to designate the last week of September each year as "Native American Week" in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 669—**  
BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:318, R.S. 39:1304 through 1314, and to enact R.S. 39:1302(3) and 1315, relative to levee district and local government accounting and budgets; to authorize the legislative auditor to develop a uniform chart of accounts; to provide for budget forms and formats; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 909—**  
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:103.2, relative to criminal law; to provide for the creation of quiet zones in certain areas; to provide criteria for operation of certain amplified devices in public places; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 945—**  
BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:614, relative to agricultural commodities; to require certain entities to label processed or unprocessed meat after January 1, 2000; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 713—**  
BY SENATORS W. FIELDS, JORDAN AND LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:414(B)(1) and (D)(1)(a), relative to motor vehicles; to provide relative to driver's licenses; to require suspension of such licenses for the offense of vehicular homicide; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1041 (Substitute for Senate Bill No. 400 and Senate Bill No. 401 by Senators Lambert, Dardenne, Ewing, Hainkel and Barham and Representatives DeWitt, Downer and McMains)—**  
BY SENATORS LAMBERT, DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL AND BARHAM AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER AND MCMAINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2103 and 2117(A), relative to radioactive waste; to define certain types of radioactive waste; to prohibit certain commercial disposal operations of high-level and low-level radioactive wastes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 461—**  
BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8-F of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:844.5 - 844.7, relative to wireless telephones and paging; to require that consumers be provided certain information; to prohibit certain transactions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 348—**  
BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:1(12) and (30), 606(A), the introductory paragraph of 659(A) and 660(1), and to enact R.S. 8:1(42) and 660(4), relative to cemeteries; to provide for the rearrangement and reuse of cemetery space; to provide for commencement and completion requirements; to provide for permission to remove remains; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 799—**  
BY SENATOR BEAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 32:1254(N)(6)(l) and (l)(iii), (m), and (p), (P)(4), (Q), (R), and to enact R.S. 32:1254(N)(5)(f), (6)(r), (s), (t), (u), (v), (w), and (x), (S), and (T), and to repeal R.S. 32:1254(N)(6)(h), relative to motor vehicle dealers; to prohibit attempts to induce or coerce motor vehicle dealers to engage in certain acts; to prohibit certain activities by manufacturers or distributors; to provide for successions of motor vehicle dealers; to provide for the sale or transfer of a motor vehicle dealership; to provide for modifications to motor vehicle dealer agreements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

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

**Message from the House**

**DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL**

June 9, 1999

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. 1732 by Representative Wright, 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 Wright, John Smith, and Kenney.

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

**Message from the House**

**DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL**

June 9, 1999

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. 110 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, McMains, and McCain.

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

**Message from the House**

**DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL**

June 9, 1999

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. 1848 by Representative Weston, 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 Weston, Alexander, and Bowler.

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

**Appointment of Conference Committee  
on House Concurrent Resolution No. 305**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Concurrent Resolution No. 305 the following members of the Senate: Senators Romero, Cain, and Hines.

**Privilege Report of the  
Legislative Bureau**

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the following report:

The following bills are approved as to construction and duplication. We advise and suggest the following amendments to the engrossed bills.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 18—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FARVE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:827(A)(5), relative to the duties of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to require the department to devise and offer a comprehensive program of released offender transition services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 37—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, CLARKSON, AND MCMAINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2798(A), (B), and (C), relative to offenses and quasi offenses; to provide with respect to the limitation of civil liability of any sports team officials; to specifically provide that the receipt of compensation for services does not exclude the sports team official from statutory limitation of liability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 37 by Representative DeWitt

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**  
On page 3, line 5, following "from" and before "liability" insert "the limitation of"

**HOUSE BILL NO. 67 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 716)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER AND SENATOR W. FIELDS AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI, WALSWORTH, DOWNER, ALEXANDER, BARTON, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, CLARKSON, COPELIN, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DIEZ, DONELON, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FONTENOT, FRITH, FRUGE, GAUTREAU, GLOVER, GUILLORY, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOPKINS, HUDSON, ILES, JENKINS, JOHNS, KENNARD, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LEBLANC, LONG, MCCAIN, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MITCHELL, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MURRAY, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, JACK SMITH, STELLY, THERIOT, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:283, relative to offenses affecting public morals; to create the crime of video voyeurism; to provide for penalties; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 67 by Representative Hunter

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**  
In Senate Committee Amendment No. 2, proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary C, adopted by the Senate on June 8, 1999, on line 7, after "insert" change "(1)" to "(i)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**  
In Senate Committee Amendment No. 3, proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary C, adopted by the Senate on June 8, 1999, on line 10, after "videotaping or" and before "for" delete "(2)" and insert "(ii) it is"

**HOUSE BILL NO. 80—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:705(D), relative to the collection of certain restitution from inmates incarcerated in parish prisons; to authorize the parish governing authority to obtain restitution for damaged property; to provide for determination of the amount of restitution; to provide for the adoption of ordinances by the parish governing authority regarding collection by the sheriff; to provide for liability of transferred inmates; to provide for limitations on withdrawals from an inmate's drawing account; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 92—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHNEIDER, BAYLOR, COPELIN, CRANE, DANIEL, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, FRUGE, GAUTREAU, HAMMETT, HEBERT, ILES, JOHNS, KENNEY, LONG, MCDONALD, MORRISH, NEVERS, ODINET, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SHAW, SNEED, THERIOT, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WINDHORST, WINSTON, AND WRIGHT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:1166.1 and to repeal R.S. 45:1166(F), relative to telephone services; to provide for suits for damages against long distance companies which have illegally transferred long distance services; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 95—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPRE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:670, relative to chemical test results for persons under the age of twenty-one; to prohibit certain test results from being included on the official driving record of that person; to provide that those results may be used for administrative purposes; to provide that convictions based upon those results may be used for other purposes allowed by law; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 223—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 222, relative to blood and saliva testing; to require a person to be tested for infectious disease after committing an act which could transmit the disease to a law enforcement officer; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 340—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:70.4(D)(1), (E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 14:70.4(G), relative to the crime of access device fraud; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for increased penalties; to provide with regard to restitution to victims; to provide for aggregation of offenses; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 351—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:67(B)(3) and 69(B)(3) and to repeal R.S. 14:67(B)(2) and 69(B)(2), relative to misappropriations without violence; to provide for the value of the taking necessary to constitute certain levels of theft; to increase penalties for subsequent convictions; to provide penalties for illegal possession of stolen things; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 371—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:352(A)(5) and to enact R.S. 15:874(4)(g), relative to payment of fees in certain criminal appeals; to provide for payment of costs; to require certain costs to be paid from a state inmate's compensation account; to provide for procedures for withdrawal of funds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 381—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 914(C), relative to appeals from criminal convictions; to provide with regard to time period for appeal; to provide with regard to method for making untimely appeals; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 451—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 915(A) and 919(A) and (B), relative to the preparation of transcripts of criminal court proceedings; to provide for time for delivery of record to the clerk of court; to provide with respect to motions for appeal; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 480—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2251(A)(5) and (H)(1) and (3), relative to the purchase or procurement of certain Louisiana products; to provide for conditions for purchase of such products in preference to products from outside the state; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 561—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHNS, FLAVIN, STELLY, CLARKSON, AND SCHNEIDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:40.2(B)(1) and (2) and (E) and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 335.1(A) and to enact R.S.

15:571.3(C)(5), all relative to the criminal offense of stalking; to provide for enhanced sentences when committed against certain victims; to provide for certain written notices of convictions; to prohibit diminution of sentence in certain cases; to provide for conditions of release on bail; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 590—**BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCAIN AND MARIONNEAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:93(D), relative to the crime of cruelty to juveniles; to provide for additional penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 591—**BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCALLUM  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:334(A)(4) and 4106(A)(3), relative to the qualifications of mediators; to provide that a person who has served as a state district, appellate, or supreme court judge for at least ten years and has retired shall qualify as a mediator; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 591 by Representative McCallum

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A, adopted by the Senate on June 8, 1999, on line 2, change "judge" to "years" and change "and have" to "has" and at the end of line 3 following "disputes" insert a comma ","

**HOUSE BILL NO. 708—**BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 2366, relative to community property; to provide with respect to the compensation which is due to one spouse when community property is used for the benefit of the other spouse; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 721—**BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 412(B)(7), relative to confidentiality of juvenile records; to allow for disclosure of delinquency adjudications for certain juveniles; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 746—**BY REPRESENTATIVES HEBERT AND MORRELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1514(10) and 1559, relative to equine dentists; to allow persons to apply for equine dentistry permits; to provide for certain exceptions to activities performed by licensed veterinarians; to provide relative to procedures; to provide relative to rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

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Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 746 by Representative Hebert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 4, proposed by the Senate Committee on Agriculture adopted by the Senate on June 8, 1999, on page 3, line 14, following "include" delete "departure from"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 4, proposed by the Senate Committee on Agriculture adopted by the Senate on June 8, 1999, on page 3, line 27, change "R.S. 37:1561" to "R.S. 37:1562"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 4, proposed by the Senate Committee on Agriculture adopted by the Senate on June 8, 1999, on page 4, line 27, change "attorney's" to "attorney"

HOUSE BILL NO. 787—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPRE AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 413(B), relative to the selection of grand jury foremen; to provide for method of selection; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 791—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2616(A), relative to allocation of forfeited property derived from asset forfeiture sales; to provide that in parishes having a population of less than fifty thousand handguns seized may be retained for official use; to provide that in parishes having a population of less than fifty thousand motor vehicles may be retained for official use for a period of six months; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 792—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:44(11), 57(B)(3), 71, 75(B), 76, and 91(B)(1), relative to the licensing and regulation of riverboat gaming activities; to provide with respect to the powers and duties of the riverboat gaming division office of state police; to change the renewal terms for riverboat licenses; to provide with respect to disqualification criteria for licenses; to amend the definition of gaming activities or operations; to provide with respect to requirements for licensees or applicants; to provide for the timing of payment of fees for licenses and permits; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 873—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THORNHILL AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 66, relative to service of subpoenas in certain matters; to provide for method of service; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 889—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TOOMY AND MORRELL AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1228 through 1228.8, relative to the establishment of the Integrated Criminal Justice Information System Policy Board; to provide for its purposes; to provide for its membership; to

provide for its organization, domicile, and expenses; to provide for its component systems; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 902—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 433(A)(1)(b), relative to persons present at grand jury sessions; to allow more than one assistant attorney general to be present at grand jury sessions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 986—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3753, relative to judgments; to provide relative to cancellation of notices of pendency; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 987—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1192(A)(1), relative to the Insurance Education Advisory Council; to add a new insurance trade association to the list of entities that submit nominations for appointment to the council; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1005—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:34.2(A)(2), relative to the crime of battery of a police officer; to provide with regard to the definition of a "police officer"; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1011—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:636.1(D)(4), relative to automobile liability policies; to provide for financed insurance premiums; to provide for the return of premium funds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1029—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PERKINS, BRUCE, DUPRE, JENKINS, MCCAIN, MORRELL, ROMERO, WINDHORST, AND WOOTON AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:828.2, relative to faith-based programs in correctional institutions; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for development of programs; to provide for monitoring of programs; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1055—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5383, relative to immovable property; to provide relative to transfers involving in globo assumption of vendors' privileges and/or mortgages on more than one parcel of immovable property; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1072—**BY REPRESENTATIVE ALEXANDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2202(6) and to enact R.S. 40:2203.1, relative to preferred provider organizations; to prohibit certain practices by such organizations; to place limitations on the terms of preferred provider agreements; to provide for a cause of action by a provider against a group purchaser who establishes a preferred provider organization for certain acts; to provide with respect to the definition of provider; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1091—**BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(5)(b), relative to video draw poker license qualifications; to provide that the owner or lessor of a qualified truck stop facility may lease or sublease certain business operations located on his property; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1093—**BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1065.1, relative to bail bond premium fees; to provide for payment requirements; to provide for collection and distribution; to provide for authority of sheriffs; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1119—**BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.3.1(A), relative to fees paid for concealed handgun permits; to provide for reduced fees for certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1139—**BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:866(G), relative to compulsory liability security; to provide for recovery of civil damages; to provide for defenses; to provide for court costs; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1248—**BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON AND LONG  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1595(B) and (C)(6) and to enact R.S. 39:1595(C)(7), relative to public contracts; to provide a preference for paper and paper products manufactured and converted in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1265—**BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 14 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 6:1081 through 1099, relative to residential mortgage brokers and lenders; to provide for a short title; to provide for legislative purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for prohibitions; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for requirement of licensure; to provide for exemptions from licensure, annual registration statements and fees; to provide

for applications for licensure, issuance of licenses, and application and renewal fees; to provide for changes of name or location, closures, and fees; to provide for restrictions; to provide for recordkeeping and retention, examinations, and investigation of complaints; to provide for suspension and revocation of licensure, exemptions, and disposition of funds; to create and provide for the Residential Mortgage Lending Board and its powers; to provide for board certification, examination, and continuing education; to provide for the scope of the provisions; to provide for residential mortgage loans; to provide for items or charges not considered interest; to provide for residential mortgage loan brokerage contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1280—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:68.1, to provide for a notice of lis pendens in actions involving gaming; to provide for the circumstances under which such notices shall be issued by a hearing officer; to provide for a hearing to set aside the notice of lis pendens; to provide the effect of such notices on persons to whom a sale, assignment, transfer, or disposition is made; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1314—**BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:93(A)(8), relative to allocation of riverboat boarding fees; to provide for the allocation of riverboat boarding fees in Jefferson Parish in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1352—**BY REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON, JOHNS, AND WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1125(B)(3) and 1127(A) through (C), relative to adoptions; to provide for disclosure of genetic information; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1390—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 2412 and 2413, relative to garnishment; to provide for service of certain garnishment petitions on judgment debtors employed by the executive branch of state government; to provide for delays for answering; to require that notice of certain motions be made by certified mail; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1393—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, DIEZ, CRANE, AND MORRELL AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2411(C) and R.S. 13:3913, relative to garnishment; to provide that a garnishment, other than of wages of an employee, is not continuing in nature; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1410—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:1395.1, relative to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to repeal provisions requiring the department to provide and administer a policy of insurance against liability for false arrest and other acts.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1411—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:401(C)(1) and 405(A)(1)(b) and to enact R.S. 36:408(E), relative to public safety services of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to establish the office of legal affairs within the department; to provide for the functions of office; to provide for qualifications of the assistant secretary; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1447—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:761(A), (C), and (D), relative to the Clerks' Supplemental Compensation Fund; to provide that all clerks of district courts and criminal district courts in the state shall participate in the fund; to provide which funds will be used to pay the fees in the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans and the Criminal District Court for the parish of Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1450—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 89 and 3520, relative to same sex marriages; to prohibit the recognition of any marriage between persons of the same sex; to provide for any such marriage contracted in another state or jurisdiction; to provide for the effect of any public act, record or judicial proceeding in another state or jurisdiction which authorizes such marriages; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1509—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1952(4)(d), relative to courts created by special legislative act; to provide for the assignment of annexations in the city of Baton Rouge to elections sections of the City Court of Baton Rouge; to remove the termination date on the authority to provide for such assignments; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1536—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:4802(G)(3) and R.S. 38:2242(F), relative to privileges and liens; to provide for privileges and liens of sellers under the Private Works Act and materialmen doing work with a public entity; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1664—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:569.1 and 570(D), relative to execution of death sentences; to provide for the times during which death sentences may be executed; to provide with regard to victim notification; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1706—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1448(G), relative to group insurance for sheriffs and deputy sheriffs; to require the sheriff of Assumption Parish to pay certain premium costs of specified group insurance for certain retired employees; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1784—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 2315, relative to damages; to provide for compensable damages; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1798—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRIEU AND PRATT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 405(C) and to enact Chapter 6 of Title IV of the Louisiana Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 435 through 445, and Children's Code Article 603(13)(f), relative to mediation; to provide for the use of mediation in juvenile courts; to provide definitions; to provide for referral to mediation, selection and appointment of mediators, disclosure by mediators, and revocation of mediators; to provide qualifications of mediators, stay of proceedings, confidentiality, and termination of mediation; to provide for mediation agreements, judicial oversight, evaluation of mediators, and adoption of local rules; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1808—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 162.1(D), relative to the issuance of search warrants; to provide for methods for issuance by judges; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1889—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JETSON AND MCMAINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 606(A)(1) and 610(A) and (E), relative to Child In Need Of Care proceedings; to provide relative to grounds in Child In Need of Care proceedings; to provide relative to child abuse reporting procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 1889 by Representative Jetson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

In Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Engrossed House Bill No. 1889 by Representative Jetson, in Amendment No. 2, on line 6, following "14, after" delete the remainder of the line and on line 8, delete "by"

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1906—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:92(C)(2), relative to the expenses of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide for use of funds by the board for the expenses of regulation of gaming activities authorized by Title 27; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1924—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1426 and to enact R.S. 15:708(A)(5) and F, relative to inmate labor; to authorize a sheriff to contract with the United States government to provide certain services; to authorize a sheriff to use inmate labor to work on flood gates or locks situated on a waterway within a parish; to prohibit inmate labor for private contractors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1981—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LONG, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(A)(3), relative to the Board of Parole; to provide for salaries of board members; to provide that salaries are set by executive order of the governor; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2024—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:21(A)(2), relative to records of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide that certain records of an applicant are deemed to be public records; to delete provisions providing for confidentiality of certain information relating to an applicant's background; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2033—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5701, relative to prescription; to provide for a thirty-year prescriptive period to apply to certain educational obligations owed to the state or its agencies; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2053—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE, DOWNER, AND GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1909, relative to city courts; to authorize courts to establish a judicial building fund; to provide for a service charge on civil filings; to provide for a service charge in criminal matters; to specify uses of the special account; to specify control over the special account; to require approval by local ordinance; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2063—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MITCHELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1403.1, relative to criminal street gangs; to create the crime of solicitation of membership of a criminal street gang; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2064—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MITCHELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1405.3, relative to release from custody of a criminal street gang member; to require the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to notify law enforcement agencies upon release from custody of a member of a criminal street gang; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2128—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:15(B)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 27:24(F), relative to the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide with respect to the authority of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide with respect to rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2203—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE AND SENATOR HAINKEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1536(A) and to enact R.S. 39:1543 (D), relative to risk management; to provide for implementation of loss prevention audits and associated premium adjustments for higher education agencies; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2255—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD AND THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:592 and 1307(B), relative to commissioned members of the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries law enforcement division and state police officers; to allow certain retiring members of the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries law enforcement division to purchase their firearm; to allow retiring state police officers to purchase their firearm from the office of state police; to provide for a valuation of the firearms; to provide for length of service requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2265 (Substitute for House Bill No. 180 by Representative Wiggins)—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 27:401, to provide for the development and implementation of a program for educating students in public and nonpublic elementary and secondary schools about the potential problems associated with gaming and gambling; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 2266 (Substitute for House Bill No. 2240 by Representative Marionneaux)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:996.36.1, relative to judicial expense funds; to authorize a certain judicial district to assess additional fees or costs; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2268 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1458 by Representative Hebert)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:230.3, relative to health insurance; to provide relative to billing insureds, enrollees, or subscribers for certain balances for medical care not paid or covered by health benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2269 (Substitute for House Bill No. 2019 by Representative Donelon)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1078(F), relative to domestic insurers; to provide for exemption from fees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2272 (Substitute for House Bill No. 535 by Representative Copelin)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE COPELIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:202(B), relative to the publication of judicial advertisements and legal notices in New Orleans; to provide relative to the journal in which such advertisements and notices may be published; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
ARTHUR J. LENTINI  
Chairman

**Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report**

On motion of Senator Lentini, the Legislative Bureau amendments were adopted and the Bills and Joint Resolutions were read by title and passed to a third reading.

**Messages from the House**

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

**Message from the House**

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN  
HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

June 9, 1999

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 Bills and Joint Resolutions:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1263—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHN SMITH, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:86(C) and to enact R.S. 30:86(E)(5), relative to the Oilfield Site Restoration Fund; to provide for the determination of the fund balance; to provide for an additional purpose for which monies in the fund may be disbursed and expended; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1290—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX, COPELIN, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:1(A) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 4:1(D), relative to admission tickets; to provide for the price printed on the face of the ticket; to provide for certain powers of vendors or local political subdivisions; to delete certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1403—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4065.1 and to enact Part IV-B of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1152 through 1156, relative to sewage and sewerage; to provide for a sewerage tag fee; to provide for the use of the proceeds of the fee; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate certain provisions of current law; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2101—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:1684.1, relative to Cypremort Point State Park; to provide that no rule or regulation of the office of state parks regulating design and aesthetic quality standards, construction, or usage of facilities at state parks shall be applicable to the development, planning, and construction of facilities in Cypremort Point State Park; and to provide for related matters.

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions**

Senator Bean asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint 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 BILL NO. 1263—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHN SMITH, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:86(C) and to enact R.S. 30:86(E)(5), relative to the Oilfield Site Restoration Fund; to provide for the determination of the fund balance; to provide for an additional purpose for which monies in the fund may be disbursed and expended; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bean, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1290—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX, COPELIN, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:1(A) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 4:1(D), relative to admission tickets; to provide for the price printed on the face of the ticket; to provide for certain powers of vendors or local

political subdivisions; to delete certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bean, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1403—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4065.1 and to enact Part IV-B of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1152 through 1156, relative to sewage and sewerage; to provide for a sewerage tag fee; to provide for the use of the proceeds of the fee; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate certain provisions of current law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bean, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2101—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH  
**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 56:1684.1, relative to Cypremort Point State Park; to provide that no rule or regulation of the office of state parks regulating design and aesthetic quality standards, construction, or usage of facilities at state parks shall be applicable to the development, planning, and construction of facilities in Cypremort Point State Park; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bean, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

**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 9, 1999

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. 284—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WRIGHT AND DOWNER  
**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to allow social security recipients born between 1917 and 1921 to receive an equal amount of social security benefits as those recipients born between 1910 and 1916.

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions**

Senator Bean 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. 284—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WRIGHT AND DOWNER  
**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to allow social security recipients born between 1917 and 1921 to receive an equal amount of social security benefits as those recipients born between 1910 and 1916.

On motion of Senator Bean, the resolution was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON  
HEALTH AND WELFARE**

Senator Hines, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Health and Welfare, submitted the following report:

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 50—**  
BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX  
**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the rising cost of prescription drugs.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER  
**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To prohibit the Office of Elderly Affairs from making certain planning and service area changes and federal funding distribution changes relative to the Older Americans Act.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL  
**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to enter into settlement negotiations with Options, Inc. over their dispute regarding Medicaid reimbursement funds.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH  
**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Nursing Facility Administrators to waive all or part of administrator-in-training requirements for internships completed for persons with degrees in gerontology.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE  
**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the state Department of Health and Hospitals to monitor any action by the federal government that would affect the patients' rights to remain at the Gillis Long Hansen's Disease Center.

June 9, 1999

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 158—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To repeal any and all rules adopted by the Department of Health and Hospitals requiring operators of emergency medical vehicles to possess a valid Class "D" driver's license.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 215—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHNEIDER, BRUCE, KENNARD, WINDHORST, AND PERKINS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To condemn and reject an article in the July 1998 Psychological Bulletin published by the American Psychological Association (Vol. 124, No. 1, pp. 22-53) which suggests that sexual relations between adults and children may not always be harmful to children.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 308—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:977(A), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners; to authorize the board to impose and increase certain license fees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 839—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3084(B)(1)(a) and 3088(B), to enact R.S. 37:3092(C), 3093(C), and 3094, and to repeal R.S. 37:3093(A)(9), relative to the licensure and regulation of dietitians; to provide for annual license renewal; to provide for the collection of costs incurred in disciplinary actions; to provide for exemptions to licensure; to provide for representation of the board by the attorney general; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1106—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THORNHILL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2605(C)(1)(a), relative to the Louisiana Open Housing Act; to revise the definition of "housing for older persons"; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1178—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD AND WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1352(introductory paragraph) and (1) and 1353(A), (C), and (D) and to enact R.S. 46:1353(E), (F), and (G), relative to runaway youth; to provide notice to parents, guardians, or legal custodians of runaway youths admitted into an approved runaway and homeless youth residence program or facility; to provide reporting requirements to parents, guardians, or legal custodians; to provide for certain periods of safe harbor for runaway youths at certain licensed facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1190—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.1(A)(4)(a) and (B)(2) and to enact R.S. 46:236.2(D), relative to family and child support programs; to provide that services be made available through the Department of Social Services in non-TANF cases; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1340—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2009.13(F), relative to abuse, neglect, and violations of laws, standards, rules, regulations, and orders relating to health care providers; to provide for information on complaints or allegations related to a health care provider; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to refer certain reports to professional licensing boards; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1391—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:446(B), relative to Medicaid reimbursement; to provide for inclusion of certain information in notice to the Department of Health and Hospitals prior to compromise of any claim for damages or compensation involving Medicaid recipients; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1540—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE COPELIN  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 53 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 46:2681 through 2686, relative to community based services; to provide for the licensure of certain providers of community based services; to provide for charging, collection, and expenditure of fees on such providers; to establish the Community Based Services Trust Fund and the Louisiana Community Based Services Trust Fund Advisory Council and to provide for the respective powers, duties, and functions thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1708—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1105(E), 1110(A), and 1112(A) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 37:1106(C), relative to the Louisiana Mental Health Counselor Licensing Act; to provide for investigations of violations by the Louisiana Licensed Professional Counselor Board of Examiners; to provide for grounds for said board to withhold, deny, revoke, or suspend a license issued by or applied for to said board or otherwise discipline a licensee or applicant; to provide for the vote required to withhold, deny, revoke, or suspend a license issued by or applied for to said board or otherwise discipline a licensee or applicant; to provide for grounds for said board to seek and for the courts to grant injunctions; to delete provisions related to the payment of costs associated with disciplinary actions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1801—**BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD  
AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Art. 672.1, relative to notification to local educational agencies regarding licensure of certain facilities for children of school age; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1867—**BY REPRESENTATIVE ALEXANDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2199(A)(1) and B(1) and to enact R.S. 40:2199(A)(3), relative to health care facilities; to provide for licensure enforcement; to provide for the application of certain civil penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1901—**BY REPRESENTATIVES WESTON, DURAND, GLOVER, GUILLORY,  
MITCHELL, AND WILKERSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:237, relative to grandparent and kinship care; to establish the Grandparent Subsidy Program in the office of family support of the Department of Social Services; to establish eligibility requirements for the program; to authorize the office of family support to promulgate rules to implement the program; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2056—**BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1285.3 and Part II-B of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:678, relative to the practice of medicine; to authorize the use of chelating agents and chelation therapy by physicians; to provide for the nullity of rules and regulations in conflict with this grant of authority; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2126—**BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1171(6) and 1192, relative to pharmacy personnel; to change the provisions related to qualified assistants; to provide for pharmacy technicians; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2149—**BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:757 and R.S. 36:259(L), to provide with respect to personnel matters of the Louisiana State Planning Council on Developmental Disabilities; to provide for the appointing authority of the council; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2256—**BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON  
AN ACT

To enact Part L-IV of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.151, relative to child advocacy centers; to establish the Child Advocacy Center Support Fund; to provide for the deposit of monies into the fund;

to provide for uses of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
DONALD E. HINES  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON****SENATE AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS**

Senator Dardenne, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 157—**BY REPRESENTATIVES ROMERO, HEBERT, BRUNEAU, COPELIN, GREEN,  
HUNTER, LANCASTER, MONTGOMERY, SCALISE, WADDELL,  
WALSWORTH, WELCH, AND WILLARD**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to ensure that United States military service personnel under the age of twenty-one are not sent to participate in any combat operations carried out by ground troops in Yugoslavia.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 810 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 769)—**BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER AND SENATOR DARDENNE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1491.6(D) and 1495.4(D), relative to campaign finance disclosure; to require certain supplemental reports; to require certain reports in the case of deficits; to require certain reports in the case of surplus campaign funds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1054—**BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1483(14)(b) and to enact R.S. 18:1491.9, relative to campaign finance disclosure; to provide that an out-of-state political committee file certain portions of reports to the Federal Elections Commission with the supervisory committee if any contribution is made to a Louisiana candidate; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1506—**BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(3) and (D) and to enact R.S. 18:1472, relative to elections; to require that candidates be provided information regarding election offenses; to require that a summary of the laws relative to election offenses be given to each candidate who qualifies for election; to require the notice of candidacy to include a certification that the candidate is aware of the laws governing elections offenses; to remove the requirement relative to acknowledgment of receipt of certain informational packets; to provide for the preparation of informational packets concerning election offenses; to provide for the dissemination of

certain informational packets to candidates; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1596—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:11, relative to legislative procedure; to provide for the form of a legislative petition for an extraordinary session of the legislature; to provide for the timing of such an extraordinary session; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1634—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1470, relative to political advertising; to authorize commissioners and commissioners-in-charge to remove political signs and advertising from public property located within six hundred feet of a polling place on election day; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1691—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, FONTENOT, SCALISE,  
MONTGOMERY, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, AND JENKINS AND SENATOR  
DARDENNE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:31, 32(D), and 35(E)(2) and to enact R.S. 44:31.2 and 35(F), relative to public records; to declare the responsibility of a custodian to provide access to public records; to provide that the burden of proving a record cannot be disclosed rests with the custodian; to require the attorney general to establish a public records awareness program; to provide for the requirement of written notification to a requester; to limit the amount of attorney fees in certain actions involving access to records; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1716—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, FONTENOT, WADDELL, AND  
WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:522(H) and to repeal Part XIV of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:366.1 through 366.6, relative to incentive plans for state employees; to repeal the Incentive Plans for Economy in State Government program; to provide for the incentive program to be used to encourage involvement in the Louisiana Performance Audit Program; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2119—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WADDELL AND WINSTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:56(F)(10), relative to records and reports concerning children; to provide access to certain such records to certain specified persons and entities; to require a hold harmless agreement; to provide for the effectiveness of such provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2206—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, MONTGOMERY, AND  
WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:964(A) and 992(B)(3), relative to administrative procedure; to provide that certain governmental agencies and other related persons shall not be entitled to judicial review of certain adjudications; to provide for the effectiveness of the provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2208—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES COPELIN, CHAISSON, DANIEL, DURAND,  
FAUCHEUX, GLOVER, HEATON, HILL, LANDRIEU, MCCAIN,  
MONTGOMERY, ODINET, PIERRE, WARNER, AND WILLARD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 4.A. of Act No. 541 of the 1976 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, as amended by Act No. 499 of the 1978 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, Act No. 449 of the 1980 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, Act No. 927 of the 1981 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, Act No. 476 of the 1984 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, Act No. 259 of the 1989 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, and Act No. 640 of the 1993 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, relative to the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District; to require legislative approval of any amendment to the contract or lease with the New Orleans franchise of the National Football League and of any contract or lease of the multi-purpose facility with a professional sports franchise; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2270 (Substitute for House Bill No. 2114 by  
Representative Montgomery)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:3(A)(4)(b)(i), relative to public records; to provide with respect to the contents of initial reports of investigations of complaints; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
JAY DARDENNE  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON  
NATURAL RESOURCES**

Senator Romero, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Natural Resources, submitted the following report:

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 202—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT AND FAUCHEUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to study for possible revision the rules applicable to size and creel limits for black bass on the Amite River, Blind River, Tickfaw River, and Lake Maurepas with the intention of applying the same size and creel limits for black bass as those applicable to the Atchafalaya Basin and the Lake Verret-Lake Palourde area.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 220—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD AND CLARKSON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the historical significance of Lincoln Beach and the importance of its rehabilitation, to express legislative support for its rehabilitation, and to request that the assistant secretary of the office of cultural development of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism evaluate the site for possible inclusion on the National Register of Historic Places.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 236—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WILKERSON AND DOWNER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of state parks of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism and other persons and agencies to proceed with efforts to make Camp Ruston a state commemorative area.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 266—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WARNER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the U.S. Congress to appoint a task force to develop a plan to close the Mississippi River Gulf Outlet.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 538—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:214.42, relative to coastal resources; to provide relative to mitigation of coastal wetlands losses; to create a Coastal Mitigation Account in the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund and provide for the deposit of certain monies into the account and the uses of monies in such account; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1604—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES JETSON, ODINET, PIERRE, AND GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:127(G) and 148.6(C), R.S. 41:1217(E), and R.S. 56:30.2, relative to leased state lands; to require the lessee to maintain public access to public waterways through leased state lands; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
CRAIG F. ROMERO  
Chairman

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

Senator Romero asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions just reported by Committees.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 308—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:977(A), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners; to authorize the board to

impose and increase certain license fees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 538—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:214.42, relative to coastal resources; to provide relative to mitigation of coastal wetlands losses; to create a Coastal Mitigation Account in the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund and provide for the deposit of certain monies into the account and the uses of monies in such account; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 810 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 769)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER AND SENATOR DARDENNE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1491.6(D) and 1495.4(D), relative to campaign finance disclosure; to require certain supplemental reports; to require certain reports in the case of deficits; to require certain reports in the case of surplus campaign funds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 839—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3084(B)(1)(a) and 3088(B), to enact R.S. 37:3092(C), 3093(C), and 3094, and to repeal R.S. 37:3093(A)(9), relative to the licensure and regulation of dietitians; to provide for annual license renewal; to provide for the collection of costs incurred in disciplinary actions; to provide for exemptions to licensure; to provide for representation of the board by the attorney general; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed House Bill No. 839 by Representative Durand

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

On motion of Senator Hines, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1054—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1483(14)(b) and to enact R.S. 18:1491.9, relative to campaign finance disclosure; to provide that an out-of-state political committee file certain portions of reports to the Federal Elections Commission with the supervisory committee if any contribution is made to a Louisiana candidate; and to provide for related matters.

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Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1106—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THORNHILL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2605(C)(1)(a), relative to the Louisiana Open Housing Act; to revise the definition of "housing for older persons"; and to provide for related matters.

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 Bill No. 1106 by Representative Thornhill

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 51:2605(C)(1)(a)" insert "and to enact R.S. 51:2613(I)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 3, insert "to provide for enforcement by private persons and the awarding of attorney fees and cost to ensure substantial equivalency with federal law;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 51:2613(I) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, after line 5, insert the following:

"§2613. Enforcement by private persons  
\* \* \*

I Courts shall apply the federal standard when awarding attorney fees and costs to ensure substantial equivalency with federal law."

On motion of Senator Hines, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1178—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD AND WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1352(introductory paragraph) and (1) and 1353(A), (C), and (D) and to enact R.S. 46:1353(E), (F), and (G), relative to runaway youth; to provide notice to parents, guardians, or legal custodians of runaway youths admitted into an approved runaway and homeless youth residence program or facility; to provide reporting requirements to parents, guardians, or legal custodians; to provide for certain periods of safe harbor for runaway youths at certain licensed facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1178 by Representative McDonald

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 13, after "A." insert the following:

"As soon as possible but not more than seventy-two hours following"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 2, line 14, delete "Following"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 2, line 19, after "notified" delete the remainder of the line and on line 20, delete "forty-eight hours"

On motion of Senator Hines, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1190—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.1(A)(4)(a) and (B)(2) and to enact R.S. 46:236.2(D), relative to family and child support programs; to provide that services be made available through the Department of Social Services in non-TANF cases; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1340—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2009.13(F), relative to abuse, neglect, and violations of laws, standards, rules, regulations, and orders relating to health care providers; to provide for information on complaints or allegations related to a health care provider; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to refer certain reports to professional licensing boards; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1391—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:446(B), relative to Medicaid reimbursement; to provide for inclusion of certain information in notice to the Department of Health and Hospitals prior to compromise of any claim for damages or compensation involving Medicaid recipients; and to provide for related matters.

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 Bill No. 1391 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 12, between "parties" and "liable" insert "potentially"

On motion of Senator Hines, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1506—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(3) and (D) and to enact R.S. 18:1472, relative to elections; to require that candidates be provided information regarding election offenses; to require that a summary of the laws relative to election offenses be given to each candidate who qualifies for election; to require the notice of candidacy to include a certification that the candidate is aware of the laws governing elections offenses; to remove the requirement relative to acknowledgment of receipt of certain informational packets; to provide for the preparation of informational packets concerning election offenses; to provide for the dissemination of certain informational packets to candidates; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1540—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE COPELIN  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 53 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 46:2681 through 2686, relative to community based services; to provide for the licensure of certain providers of community based services; to provide for charging, collection, and expenditure of fees on such providers; to establish the Community Based Services Trust Fund and the Louisiana Community Based Services Trust Fund Advisory Council and to provide for the respective powers, duties, and functions thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1540 by Representative Copelin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following

"amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:2624(B) and to enact R.S. 46:2624(B)(7) and (8) and (I)(4), (5), and (6) and Chapter 53 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, change "2686" to "2685"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 7 and 8, and at the beginning of line 9, delete "functions thereof" and insert the following:

"Trust Fund; to increase the membership and the duties the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund Advisory Council"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 11 through 13 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Section 1. The introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:2624(B) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 46:2624(B)(7) and (8) and (I)(4), (5), and (6) and Chapter 53 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 46:2681 through 2685 are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"§2624. Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund Advisory Council; creation; membership

\* \* \*

B. The Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund Advisory Council shall be composed of eleven the following members as follows:

\* \* \*

(7) One member appointed by the governor who is a provider of personal care attendant services and/or respite care services.

(8) One member appointed by the governor who is a provider of supervised independent living services.

\* \* \*

I. The council shall:

\* \* \*

(4) Advise the secretary in the administration of the Louisiana Community Based Services Trust Fund.

(5) Provide recommendations, advice, and assistance in the analysis and preparation of rules and regulations pertinent to the operation and administration of the Louisiana Community Based Services Trust Fund when requested to do so by the secretary.

(6) Review the financial records and accounts of the fund and make such recommendations to the secretary as are deemed appropriate."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 7, after "Louisiana" delete the remainder of the line and insert "Medical Assistance"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 8, after "Council" insert "as provided in R.S. 46:2624"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 20, change "2686" to "2685"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 23, after "disabled" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 24, and on line 25, delete "funded by such fees."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 25, after "disabled," insert the following:

"including the cost of collecting the fees authorized under this Section and administering the programs funded by such fees."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, lines 10 and 19, change "Community Based Services" to "Medical Assistance"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 26 in their entirety and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 20 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 7, line 21, change "2686" to "2685"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 8, line 22, after "received" delete "a determination or designation" and insert "written approval"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 8, at the end of line 24, change "and" to "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 9, after line 25, insert the following:

"Section 2. The provisions of R.S. 46:2624B(7) and (8) and (I)(4), (5), and (6) shall become effective only after the Department of Health and Hospitals has received written approval from the secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services that personal care service agencies, respite care services agencies, or supervised independent living programs, either collectively or separately may be considered a "class of providers" for the purpose of 42CFR 433.56. If

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the department receives written approval that one of these agencies or programs is not considered a "class of providers", the member representing such agency or program shall not be appointed to the advisory council."

On motion of Senator Hines the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1596—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:11, relative to legislative procedure; to provide for the form of a legislative petition for an extraordinary session of the legislature; to provide for the timing of such an extraordinary session; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1604—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES JETSON, ODINET, PIERRE, AND GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:127(G) and 148.6(C), R.S. 41:1217(E), and R.S. 56:30.2, relative to leased state lands; to require the lessee to maintain public access to public waterways through leased state lands; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Natural Resources to Engrossed House Bill No. 1604 by Representative Jetson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, between "state lands;" and "and" insert "to provide for restricted access in certain situations;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 13, insert the following:

"The provisions of this Section shall not prohibit the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to restrict access to public waterways if he determines that a danger to the public welfare exists."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the end of line 3, insert the following:

"The provisions of this Section shall not prohibit the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to restrict access to public waterways if he determines that a danger to the public welfare exists."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the end of line 9, insert the following:

"The provisions of this Section shall not prohibit the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to restrict access to public waterways if he determines that a danger to the public welfare exists."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the end of line 14, insert the following:

"The provisions of this Section shall not prohibit the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to restrict access to public

waterways if he determines that a danger to the public welfare exists."

On motion of Senator Romero, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1634—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1470, relative to political advertising; to authorize commissioners and commissioners-in-charge to remove political signs and advertising from public property located within six hundred feet of a polling place on election day; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1691—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, FONTENOT, SCALISE, MONTGOMERY, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, AND JENKINS AND SENATOR DARDENNE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:31, 32(D), and 35(E)(2) and to enact R.S. 44:31.2 and 35(F), relative to public records; to declare the responsibility of a custodian to provide access to public records; to provide that the burden of proving a record cannot be disclosed rests with the custodian; to require the attorney general to establish a public records awareness program; to provide for the requirement of written notification to a requester; to limit the amount of attorney fees in certain actions involving access to records; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1708—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1105(E), 1110(A), and 1112(A) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 37:1106(C), relative to the Louisiana Mental Health Counselor Licensing Act; to provide for investigations of violations by the Louisiana Licensed Professional Counselor Board of Examiners; to provide for grounds for said board to withhold, deny, revoke, or suspend a license issued by or applied for to said board or otherwise discipline a licensee or applicant; to provide for the vote required to withhold, deny, revoke, or suspend a license issued by or applied for to said board or otherwise discipline a licensee or applicant; to provide for grounds for said board to seek and for the courts to grant injunctions; to delete provisions related to the payment of costs associated with disciplinary actions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1716—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, FONTENOT, WADDELL, AND WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:522(H) and to repeal Part XIV of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:366.1 through 366.6, relative to incentive plans for state employees; to repeal the Incentive Plans for Economy in State Government program; to provide for the incentive program to be used to encourage involvement in the Louisiana Performance Audit Program; and to provide for related matters.

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Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1801—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD  
AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Art. 672.1, relative to notification to local educational agencies regarding licensure of certain facilities for children of school age; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1867—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALEXANDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2199(A)(1) and B(1) and to enact R.S. 40:2199(A)(3), relative to health care facilities; to provide for licensure enforcement; to provide for the application of certain civil penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1867 by Representative Alexander

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 18 between "circumstances" and the comma ",\_" insert "such as an effective corporate compliance program"

On motion of Senator Hines, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1901—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WESTON, DURAND, GLOVER, GUILLORY,  
MITCHELL, AND WILKERSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:237, relative to grandparent and kinship care; to establish the Grandparent Subsidy Program in the office of family support of the Department of Social Services; to establish eligibility requirements for the program; to authorize the office of family support to promulgate rules to implement the program; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2056—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1285.3 and Part II-B of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:678, relative to the practice of medicine; to authorize the use of chelating agents and chelation therapy by physicians; to provide for the nullity of rules and regulations in conflict with this grant of authority; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2056 by Representative Winston

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 4, change "board" to "Louisiana Medical Disclosure Panel"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, delete lines 6 through 9 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 2, line 10, change "D" to "C"

On motion of Senator Hines, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2119—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WADDELL AND WINSTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:56(F)(10), relative to records and reports concerning children; to provide access to certain such records to certain specified persons and entities; to require a hold harmless agreement; to provide for the effectiveness of such provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2126—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1171(6) and 1192, relative to pharmacy personnel; to change the provisions related to qualified assistants; to provide for pharmacy technicians; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2149—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:757 and R.S. 36:259(L), to provide with respect to personnel matters of the Louisiana State Planning Council on Developmental Disabilities; to provide for the appointing authority of the council; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2206—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, MONTGOMERY, AND  
WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:964(A) and 992(B)(3), relative to administrative procedure; to provide that certain governmental agencies and other related persons shall not be entitled to judicial review of certain adjudications; to provide for the effectiveness of the provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 2208—

BY REPRESENTATIVES COPELIN, CHAISSON, DANIEL, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, GLOVER, HEATON, HILL, LANDRIEU, MCCAIN, MONTGOMERY, ODINET, PIERRE, WARNER, AND WILLARD AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 4.A. of Act No. 541 of the 1976 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, as amended by Act No. 499 of the 1978 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, Act No. 449 of the 1980 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, Act No. 927 of the 1981 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, Act No. 476 of the 1984 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, Act No. 259 of the 1989 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, and Act No. 640 of the 1993 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, relative to the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District; to require legislative approval of any amendment to the contract or lease with the New Orleans franchise of the National Football League and of any contract or lease of the multi-purpose facility with a professional sports franchise; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2208 by Representative Copelin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 10 between "the" and "multi-purpose" insert "Louisiana Superdome or"

On motion of Senator Dardenne, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2256—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON AN ACT

To enact Part L-IV of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.151, relative to child advocacy centers; to establish the Child Advocacy Center Support Fund; to provide for the deposit of monies into the fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2270 (Substitute for House Bill No. 2114 by Representative Montgomery)— BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:3(A)(4)(b)(i), relative to public records; to provide with respect to the contents of initial reports of investigations of complaints; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Rules Suspended

Senator Robichaux asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of recalling Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 149 from the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 149—

BY SENATORS ROBICHAUX AND IRONS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality to study the use of "cost-benefit" analysis by environmental agencies or departments in other states.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Dean, Lambert; Bajoie, Dyess, Landry; Barham, Ellington, Lentini; Bean, Fields C, Malone; Boissiere, Fields W, Robichaux; Branch, Hainkel, Romero; Cain, Heitmeier, Schedler; Campbell, Hines, Smith; Casanova, Hollis, Theunissen; Cox, Irons, Thomas; Cravins, Johnson, Ullo; Dardenne, Jones; Total—35

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Greene, Siracusa; Jordan, Tarver; Total—4

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

Reconsideration

On motion of Senator Robichaux, pursuant to the previous notice given, the vote by which the following bill failed to pass on Tuesday, June 8, 1999 was reconsidered.

SENATE BILL NO. 968—

BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1711, relative to contracts of tax exemption from ad valorem taxes; to require certain reports to the legislature; to provide for terms and conditions of such contracts; to provide for performance review; to authorize termination of such contracts; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Irons, Lentini; Bajoie, Johnson, Robichaux; Cox, Jones, Romero; Fields C, Jordan, Ullo; Fields W, Landry; Total—14

NAYS

Barham	Dean	Malone
Bean	Dyess	Schedler
Branch	Heitmeier	Siracusa
Casanova	Hines	Smith
Cravins	Hollis	Theunissen
Dardenne	Lambert	Thomas
Total—18		

ABSENT

Boissiere	Ellington	Tarver
Cain	Greene	
Campbell	Hainkel	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill failed to pass. Senator Dean moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill failed to pass and laid the motion on the table.

**Personal Privilege**

Senator Ullo asked for and obtained the floor of the Senate on a point of personal privilege, and stated he had voted in error on Senate Bill No. 968. He voted yea on the bill and had intended to vote nay. He asked that the Official Journal so state.

**Reconsideration**

On motion of Senator Theunissen, pursuant to the previous notice given, the vote by which the following resolution to pass on Tuesday, June 8, 1999 was reconsidered.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 51—**  
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

A RESOLUTION

To memorialize Congress to adopt legislation which would allow the sale of food and other humanitarian aid to the people of Cuba.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barham	Ellington	Lentini
Bean	Fields C	Malone
Branch	Fields W	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Casanova	Hines	Schedler
Cox	Hollis	Smith
Cravins	Irons	Theunissen
Dean	Johnson	Thomas
Dyess	Jones	Ullo
Total—27		

NAYS

Hainkel	Jordan
Total—2	

ABSENT

Mr. President	Dardenne	Siracusa
Bajoie	Greene	Tarver
Boissiere	Lambert	
Campbell	Landry	
Total—10		

The Chair declared the Senate had adopted the Senate Resolution.

**Reconsideration**

On motion of Senator Hainkel, pursuant to the previous notice given, the vote by which the following bill failed to pass on Tuesday, June 8, 1999 was reconsidered.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1920 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 644)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO AND SENATOR HAINKEL  
AN ACT

To authorize the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College to increase tuition, within specified limits, at the university laboratory school; and to provide for related matters.

**Motion**

On motion of Senator Hainkel, House Bill No. 1920 was made Special Order of the Day, No. 1 on Thursday, June 10, 1999 immediately following the Morning Hour.

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

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 123—**  
BY SENATOR CAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a joint legislative task force to study the current state employee health care program.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Insurance.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Lentini
Bajoie	Fields C	Malone
Barham	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Hainkel	Romero
Branch	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Campbell	Irons	Smith
Casanova	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas
Cravins	Jordan	Ullo
Dardenne	Lambert	
Dean	Landry	
Total—34		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Greene	Tarver
Ellington	Hollis	
Total—5		

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

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 148—

BY SENATOR BEAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals and the Department of Insurance to study the feasibility of offering payments to an organ donor's family towards funeral expenses.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Insurance.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Bajoe, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dyess, Total—34; Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert; Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Boissiere, Dean, Total—5; Greene, Landry; Tarver.

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

Bagneris Rule

Senator Heitmeier moved to suspend the rules to pass over controversial Senate and House Bills on Third Reading and Final Passage temporarily with the intention of taking them up later, in their regular order.

Without objection, so ordered.

Rules Suspended

Senator Heitmeier asked for a suspension of the rules for the purpose of invoking 5 minute cloture.

Without objection, so ordered.

Rules Suspended

Senator Bean asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of advancing to the order of

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1481—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:701.2(D), relative to Webster Parish; to limit the applicability of the current statute on reversion of property after revocation of a dedication of any road, street, or alleyway in Webster Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Campbell sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Campbell to Engrossed House Bill No. 1481 by Representative Doerge

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Local and Municipal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 27, 1999.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 14, and on line 15, delete "inapplicable in Webster Parish." and insert the following:

"D. This Section shall not apply to a revocation and setting aside of a dedication of any road, street, or alleyway by the governing authority of Webster Parish or of its municipalities on and after July 1, 1999."

On motion of Senator Campbell, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Campbell moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Bajoe, Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dean, Dyess, Total—37; Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert; Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns of names: Dardenne, Total—2; Tarver.

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Campbell moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:172(E), relative to annexation; to prohibit certain annexations of territory in St. Martin Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Jordan sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Jordan to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1483 by Representative Durand

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Amendment Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by the Senate Local and Municipal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 27, 1999

Rules Suspended

Senator Dean asked for a suspension of the rules for the purpose of granting the speaker an additional 5 minutes.

Senator Branch objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Cain Fields W Robichaux
Campbell Greene Romero
Casanova Hines Schedler
Cox Irons Smith
Cravins Johnson Theunissen
Dardenne Jones Thomas
Dean Jordan Ullo
Ellington Landry
Fields C Malone
Total—25

NAYS

Bean Heitmeier
Dyess Hollis
Total—4

ABSENT

Mr. President Branch Siracusa
Bajoie Hainkel Tarver
Barham Lambert
Boissiere Lentini
Total—10

The Chair declared the rules were suspended and the speaker was granted an additional 5 minutes.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1495—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:326.5(D) and 326.6(A), relative to bowfin; to provide locations where bowfin and bowfin roe may be taken; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Romero moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Landry
Bajoie Fields C Lentini
Barham Fields W Malone
Bean Hainkel Robichaux
Branch Heitmeier Romero
Cain Hines Schedler
Casanova Hollis Siracusa
Cox Irons Smith
Dardenne Johnson Theunissen
Dean Jones Thomas
Dyess Lambert Ullo
Total—33

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere Cravins Jordan
Campbell Greene Tarver
Total—6

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Romero moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1517—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.57, relative to motor vehicles; to provide relative to license plates; to create the "Choose Life" prestige license plate for the promotion of adoption; to provide for the color, design, and logo of such plates; to require the words "ADOPTION...NO GREATER LOVE" to appear on the plate; to provide relative to the fees for such plates; to provide for the use of such fees; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Branch moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barham Fields W Lentini
Bean Greene Malone
Branch Hainkel Robichaux
Cain Heitmeier Romero
Campbell Hines Schedler
Casanova Hollis Siracusa
Cox Irons Smith
Cravins Johnson Theunissen
Dardenne Jones Thomas
Dyess Jordan Thomas
Ellington Lambert Ullo
Fields C Landry
Total—34

NAYS

Total—0

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ABSENT

Mr. President Boissiere Tarver
Bajoie Dean
Total—5

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Branch moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1579—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:291.1, relative to motor vehicles; to provide for reimbursement for the cost of cleanup or removal of road hazards; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Landry sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Landry to Engrossed House Bill No. 1579 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, after "responsible" add " or was only partially responsible"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, after "removal" add "which is a percentage of such cost equal to the percentage of the crash or incident for which he was not held legally responsible"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 3, after "removal" add "which is a percentage of such cost equal to the percentage of the crash or incident for which he was found legally responsible"

On motion of Senator Landry, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dean Landry
Bajoie Dyess Lentini
Barham Ellington Malone
Bean Fields C Robichaux
Boissiere Fields W Romero
Branch Hainkel Schedler
Cain Heitmeier Siracusa
Campbell Hines Smith
Casanova Hollis Theunissen
Cox Irons Thomas
Cravins Johnson Ullo
Dardenne Jordan
Total—35

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Greene Lambert
Jones Tarver
Total—4

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1595—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7.4, relative to a continuing education program for paraprofessionals; to provide for eligibility; to provide relative to tuition exemptions and stipends; to remove certain procedures and requirements for reimbursement; to provide for repayment of monies under certain circumstances; to provide certain limitations relative to the cost of the program; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Bajoie moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Dean
Total—1

ABSENT

Tarver
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Bajoie moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1612—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:392.1(E) and 392.3 and to repeal R.S. 17:392.2, all relative to screening and intervention for children; to provide relative to screenings for certain impediments including dyslexia and related disorders; to specify certain employees who shall do such screenings; to remove provisions relative to the employment of guidance counselors in elementary schools; to remove provisions relative to full implementation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Bajoie moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

**NAYS**

Dean  
Total—1

**ABSENT**

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Bajoie moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1622—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCALLUM, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, CRANE, FRUGE, GAUTREAU, POWELL, AND DANIEL AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1846.1(E)(1), 1849(A), (B), and (C)(1), and 1850 and to enact R.S. 40:1849(E), relative to the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission; to provide for requirements, penalties for violations, and fees; to provide for a reduction in fees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Smith moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jordan	Ullo
Dean	Lambert	
Total—35		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Mr. President	Jones
Dyess	Tarver
Total—4	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Smith moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1623—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCALLUM, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, CRANE, FRUGE, GAUTREAU, POWELL, AND DANIEL AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1356(C) and 1357 and to enact R.S. 3:1356(D), (E), and (F), relative to the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission and the Anhydrous Ammonia Law of Louisiana; to provide for penalties for violations; to provide for fees and fee reductions; to provide for reciprocal agreements; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Smith moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Bajoie	Fields C	Landry
Barham	Fields W	Lentini
Bean	Greene	Malone
Boissiere	Hainkel	Robichaux
Branch	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jones	Thomas
Dyess	Jordan	Ullo
Ellington	Lambert	
Total—35		

**NAYS**

Dean  
Total—1

**ABSENT**

Mr. President	Cain	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Smith moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1635—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEATON  
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the state to transfer certain tracts of land situated in Orleans Parish to the Carrollton Community Economic Development Corporation; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Bajoie moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Bajoie	Fields C	Lentini
Barham	Fields W	Malone
Bean	Greene	Robichaux
Boissiere	Hainkel	Romero
Branch	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Campbell	Hollis	Smith
Casanova	Irons	Theunissen
Cox	Johnson	Thomas
Cravins	Jones	Ullo
Dean	Jordan	
Dyess	Lambert	

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Dardenne	Tarver
Total—2	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Bajoie moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1654—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:532.1(A)(7), relative to public license tag agents; to provide for the authority to provide information on the status of registration privileges; to provide for the authority to process certain reinstatements; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dean	Jones
Bajoie	Dyess	Jordan
Barham	Ellington	Landry
Bean	Fields C	Lentini
Boissiere	Fields W	Malone
Branch	Greene	Robichaux
Cain	Hainkel	Romero
Campbell	Heitmeier	Schedler
Casanova	Hines	Siracusa
Cox	Hollis	Smith
Cravins	Irons	Thomas
Dardenne	Johnson	Ullo

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Lambert	Tarver	Theunissen
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1672—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT  
AN ACT

To enact Part XXI of Chapter 13 of Title 38 of the Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:3087.111 through 3087.127, relative to Black River Lake in Concordia and Catahoula parishes; to create the Black River Lake Recreation and Water Conservation District; to create and provide for a board of commissioners of such district; to provide for the powers and duties of the district and the board; to authorize said board to levy taxes and parcel fees, issue bonds, and incur debt; to authorize said board to promulgate rules and regulations to accomplish the purposes of the district and to provide for the enforcement thereof; to provide for violations and penalties; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the Department of Transportation and Development with respect to the district; to provide for the regulation of commercial establishments; to provide for creation and construction of playgrounds and recreational facilities; to provide relative to mineral leases; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total—37

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Tarver
Total—2	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1709—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:532(D)(4), relative to the registration of vehicles; to authorize the adoption and enforcement of administrative regulations for the issuance of permanent metal plates of certain motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Barham sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senators Barham, Lambert, Cain and Hollis to Engrossed House Bill No. 1709 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 32:1304(A)(1) and to" and between "to" and "the" insert "inspections and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "vehicles;" add " to provide relative to required inspections; to exempt motor vehicles which are less than three years old; to provide for certificates of exemption; to authorize promulgation of rules;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 32:1304(A)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1304. Secretary to require periodical inspection

A.(1)(a) The secretary shall at least once every other year, but not more frequently than twice each year, require that every motor vehicle; which is three years old or older, trailer, semitrailer, and pole trailer registered in this state be inspected and that an official certificate of inspection and approval be obtained for such vehicle. However, overweight and oversize mobile homes requiring a state permit shall not be required to bear a certificate of approved inspection when being moved by a bonded carrier as defined by law nor shall used motor vehicles in transit by a dealer be required to have a certificate of inspection and approval.

(b) Every motor vehicle which is less than three years old at the date of purchase and which is registered in this state shall be issued a certificate of exemption to be displayed in the same manner as the certificate of inspection which indicates that the motor vehicle is less than three years of age and is exempt from the motor vehicle inspection requirement of this Section. A fee of one dollar and fifty cents for the sticker shall be imposed at the time of sale of the vehicle upon the individual to whom the vehicle is to be registered.

(c) The exemption provisions of this Subsection for motor vehicles which are less than three years old shall not apply to vehicles registered in Orleans Parish or the incorporated areas of Jefferson Parish.

(d)The exemption provisions of this Subsection for motor vehicles which are less than three years old shall not apply to vehicles registered in any parish which has been placed on the nonattainment list for ozone standards and classified as "serious" or worse by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, as of the effective date of this Act, until such time as the parish has been removed from the nonattainment list. However, the exemption provisions of this Subsection for motor vehicles which are less than three years old shall apply in any parish that is in compliance with ozone standards.

(e) The secretary may promulgate necessary rules and regulations for the administration, the distribution, and the enforcement of the required certificate of exemption from inspection requirements for motor vehicles which are less than three years old."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 7, change "Section 1." to "Section 2."

**Motion**

Senator Dean moved the previous question on the entire subject matter.

Senator Landry objected.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Greene	Malone
Bean	Heitmeier	Robichaux
Cain	Hines	Romero
Campbell	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Jordan	Ullo
Dean	Lambert	
Total—26		

NAYS

Casanova	Fields W	Landry
Dyess	Hainkel	Siracusa
Fields C	Johnson	
Total—8		

ABSENT

Mr. President	Branch	Tarver
Boissiere	Schedler	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the previous question was called on the entire subject matter.

Senator Barham moved adoption of the amendments.

Senator Landry objected.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Dardenne	Johnson
Barham	Dean	Jones
Bean	Ellington	Lambert
Boissiere	Fields C	Lentini
Branch	Fields W	Robichaux
Cain	Greene	Romero
Casanova	Heitmeier	Theunissen
Cox	Hollis	Thomas
Cravins	Irons	Ullo
Total—27		

NAYS

Dyess	Landry	Siracusa
Hainkel	Malone	Smith
Hines	Schedler	
Total—8		

ABSENT

Mr. President	Jordan
Campbell	Tarver
Total—4	

The Chair declared the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved final passage of the amended bill.

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dardenne Jones
Barham Dean Lambert
Bean Dyess Landry
Boissiere Ellington Robichaux
Branch Fields C Romero
Cain Fields W Smith
Campbell Greene Theunissen
Casanova Heitmeier Thomas
Cox Hollis Ullo
Total—27

NAYS

Bajoie Hines Lentini
Cravins Irons Malone
Hainkel Johnson Siracusa
Total—9

ABSENT

Jordan Schedler Tarver
Total—3

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1842—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHN SMITH, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, CRANE, AND SCHNEIDER AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act 666 of 1997 and to enact R.S. 30:101.9(C)(4) and R.S. 56:700.2(A)(4) and 700.4(C)(4), relative to the Louisiana Underwater Obstruction Removal Fund and the Fishermen's Gear Compensation Fund; to extend the termination date of the Underwater Obstruction Removal Fund; to provide for dedication of monies from the Fisherman's Gear Compensation Fund to the Underwater Obstruction Removal Fund; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Fields C Tarver
Total—2

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Robichaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1909—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:256.4, relative to Department of Transportation and Development projects; to provide relative to the final acceptance of such projects; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Fields C Tarver
Total—2

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1911—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, CRANE, AND QUEZAIRE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:274.1(D) and 274.3(E), relative to logo and major shopping area guide signs on interstate highways; to delete the Logo Sign Processing Fund and Major Shopping Area Guide Signs Processing Fund; to provide relative to fees collected by the department for logo and major shopping area guide signs; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Siracusa	Tarver
Total—2	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1912—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:256.3(A)(3), relative to Department of Transportation and Development projects; to provide for the department official who is to receive claims against a contractor or surety; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry final passage of the bill

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Tarver	
Total—1	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1914—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, CRANE, AND QUEZAIRE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

**AN ACT**

To repeal Part I of Chapter 3 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 48:781 through 786 and R.S. 48:801 through 805, relative to privately owned bridges and roads.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry final passage of the bill

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Tarver	
Total—1	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1964—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE

**AN ACT**

To provide relative to the authority of certain water districts to hire attorneys; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved final passage of the bill

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Bajoie	Fields C	Lentini
Barham	Fields W	Malone
Bean	Greene	Robichaux
Boissiere	Hainkel	Romero
Branch	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Campbell	Hollis	Smith
Casanova	Irons	Theunissen
Cox	Johnson	Thomas

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Cravins	Jones	Ullo
Dardenne	Jordan	
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—37		

NAYS

Dean  
Total—1

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Robichaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1980—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILKERSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:851.15(A), relative to waterskiing; to provide for an exception to the requirement of having two persons in a motorboat which is towing a water-skier; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Barham sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Barham to Engrossed House Bill No. 1980 by Representative Wilkerson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, change "an exception" to "exceptions"

On motion of Senator Barham, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Landry
Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Robichaux
Bean	Fields W	Romero
Boissiere	Greene	Schedler
Cain	Heitmeier	Siracusa
Campbell	Hines	Smith
Casanova	Irons	Theunissen
Cox	Johnson	Thomas
Cravins	Jones	Ullo
Dardenne	Jordan	
Dean	Lambert	
Total—34		

NAYS

Hainkel	Hollis	Malone
Total—3		

ABSENT

Branch	Tarver
Total—2	

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Robichaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1982—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHN SMITH, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, CRANE, DANIEL, AND SCHNEIDER AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:4(B) and to enact R.S. 30:6.1, 86(E)(5), and 91(D), relative to the office of conservation; to provide relative to emergencies declared by the commissioner of conservation; to provide for powers of the commissioner; to provide certain procedures and conditions; to provide for funding in the event of an emergency; to provide for notice; to provide relative to costs; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Romero moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Lambert
Bajoie	Fields C	Landry
Barham	Fields W	Lentini
Bean	Greene	Malone
Boissiere	Hainkel	Robichaux
Branch	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Dardenne	Johnson	Theunissen
Dean	Jones	Thomas
Dyess	Jordan	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Cain	Cravins	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Romero moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1998—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, DEWITT, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(d)(ii) relative to Public Bid Law; to delete the definition of "contract limit" for certain entities; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Lambert
Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini

Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Ullo
Dardenne	Jones	
Dean	Jordan	

Total—37

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—2

Thomas

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2016—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CARTER, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1513(A), relative to hazardous materials transportation and motor carrier safety; to provide relative to penalties for failure to pay fines; to authorize the department to deny renewal of certain vehicle registrations; to authorize the department to deny the renewal or reissuance of certain drivers' licenses; to provide relative to responsible parties; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator W. Fields moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Lambert
Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dean	Jordan	

Total—38

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator W. Fields moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**Senator Ellington in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2069—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:449(A), (C), (E), and (G), relative to oyster tags; to require certain information be contained on the tag; to provide relative to the ten percent tolerance for loss of tags; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Romero moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Bajoie	Fields C	Lentini
Barham	Fields W	Malone
Bean	Greene	Robichaux
Boissiere	Hainkel	Romero
Branch	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Campbell	Hollis	Smith
Casanova	Irons	Theunissen
Cox	Johnson	Thomas
Cravins	Jones	Ullo
Dardenne	Jordan	
Dyess	Lambert	

Total—37

NAYS

Dean  
Total—1

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Romero moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2070—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:327(A)(1)(a), 411(6) and 412(A)(4), relative to fishing; to provide for exceptions to the prohibitions on the selling or purchasing of certain fish; to provide relative to hybrid bream; to provide for the definition of "domesticated fish"; to provide for the propagation, production, and transportation of hybrid bream; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Bajoie	Fields C	Lentini
Barham	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler

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Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dean	Jordan	
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—37		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bean	Tarver
Total—2	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Robichaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2115—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DONELON AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1168(A)(3)(introductory paragraph) and (D), and to enact R.S. 23:1168(A)(3)(c) and (d), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for means of securing compensation to employees; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hollis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hollis moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2127—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 614 of the 1972 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, as amended by Act No. 85 of the 1985 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, relative to the Southwest Louisiana Convention and Visitors Bureau; to

provide relative to the directors who govern the district; to provide relative to the nomination, qualifications, and appointment of directors; to limit the number of consecutive terms a director may serve; to provide requirements for retaining a directorship and relative to vacancies; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Cox sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Cox to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2127 by Representative Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 26 after "hotel" delete the remainder of the line and insert "or motel"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 1 delete "park"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 2 change "motel, or recreational vehicle park" to "or motel"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 22, after "hotel" delete the remainder of the line on line 23 delete "vehicle park" and insert "and motel"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 24, after "hotel" delete the remainder of the line and on line 25, delete "park" and insert "or motel"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the end of line 25, delete the comma "," and insert "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 1, after "motel" delete ", or recreational vehicle park"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 6, after "hotel" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 7 delete "vehicle park" and insert "and motel"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 8, after "hotel" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 9, delete "park" and insert "or motel"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 10, after "hotel" delete ", motel, or recreational vehicle park" and insert "or motel"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, line 24 delete ", recreational vehicle park"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, between lines 21 and 22 insert the following:

"(8) Each appointment shall be submitted to the Senate for confirmation."

On motion of Senator Cox, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Cox moved final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Jordan	Tarver
Total—2	

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Cox moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**Mr. President in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 7—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2218.2(A) and (F), relative to supplemental pay; to provide for supplemental pay for certain law enforcement officers of the Tunica-Biloxi Tribe of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 13—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 51:1723(A)(1)(c) and to repeal R.S. 51:1724, relative to promotional contests; to prohibit the assessment of certain charges; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator W. Fields moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dean	Lambert
Bajoie	Dyess	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hines	Schedler
Campbell	Hollis	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Jordan	Ullo
Total—36		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Ellington	Hainkel	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator W. Fields moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 35—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1404(A)(2) and (3) and (C), relative to the election of the employee member of the State Police Commission; to provide for procedures for such election; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Dardenne moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dyess	Lambert
Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero

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Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dean	Jordan	
Total—38		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 49—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3571.2, relative to credit reporting agency information and reports; to limit the circumstances for use of a consumer's credit report; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Smith sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Smith to Engrossed House Bill No. 49 by Representative Holden

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, line 17, delete "two thousand five hundred" and insert "two hundred fifty "

On motion of Senator Smith, the amendments were adopted.

**Motion**

Senator Dean moved to table the bill.

Senator C. Fields objected.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barham	Ellington	Romero
Cain	Hainkel	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Dean	Malone	
Total—11		

NAYS

Bajoie	Fields C	Landry
Bean	Fields W	Robichaux
Boissiere	Heitmeier	Siracusa
Campbell	Hines	Theunissen
Cox	Irons	Thomas
Cravins	Johnson	Ullo
Dardenne	Jones	
Total—20		

ABSENT

Mr. President	Greene	Lentini
Branch	Jordan	Tarver
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—8		

The Chair declared the Senate refused to table the bill.

On motion of Senator C. Fields, the amended bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 50—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:396(C), relative to the determination of paternity; to require that the court first order the legally presumed father to submit to paternity testing or otherwise disprove his paternity prior to ordering paternity testing of an alleged father; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 56—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MORRELL AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3530(E), relative to credit cards; to provide for the termination of the assessment of over-the-credit-limit fees; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hollis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Lambert
Barham	Fields C	Landry
Bean	Fields W	Lentini
Boissiere	Greene	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—35		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bajoie	Schedler
Dean	Tarver
Total—4	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hollis moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 144—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DANIEL, DOERGE, FARVE, POWELL, SCHNEIDER,  
WINDHORST, BAUDOIN, WALSWORTH, AND WILKERSON  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8-F of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:844.1 through 844.3, relative to telephone solicitation; to require telephone solicitors to possess identification codes; to prohibit telephone solicitors from using

caller identification blocks; to provide for penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator W. Fields moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Landry
Barham Fields C Lentini
Bean Fields W Malone
Boissiere Greene Robichaux
Branch Hainkel Romero
Cain Heitmeier Schedler
Campbell Hines Siracusa
Casanova Hollis Smith
Cox Irons Theunissen
Cravins Johnson Thomas
Dardenne Jones Ullo
Dyess Jordan
Total—35

NAYS

Dean
Total—1

ABSENT

Bajoie Lambert Tarver
Total—3

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator W. Fields moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 147—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2611(B) and to enact R.S. 13:2611(C) and (D) and 2616, relative to justice of the peace courts in St. John the Baptist Parish; to provide for limited parishwide territorial jurisdiction; to provide for continued effectiveness of existing districts; to provide for limited parishwide territorial jurisdiction for justice of the peace courts in St. James Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Landry sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Landry to Reengrossed House Bill No. 147 by Representative Fauchaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"A. The territorial limits of the justice of the peace courts in St. James Parish shall be the same as the seven parish council districts within the parish and as provided in Subsection B."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 18, change "A." to "B."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 1, change "B." to "C."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 2, change "A" to "B"

On motion of Senator Landry, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lentini
Bean Fields C Malone
Boissiere Fields W Robichaux
Branch Greene Romero
Cain Hainkel Schedler
Campbell Hines Siracusa
Casanova Irons Smith
Cox Johnson Theunissen
Cravins Jones Thomas
Dardenne Jordan Ullo
Dean Lambert
Dyess Landry
Total—34

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bajoie Heitmeier Tarver
Barham Hollis
Total—5

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 171—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FLAVIN, BARTON, FRUGE, JOHNS, KENNARD, LANCASTER, MICHOT, PINAC, POWELL, SHAW, STELLY, TOOMY, AND WINSTON AND SENATORS BEAN, DEAN, HAINKEL, LENTINI, AND ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.6(F), relative to support obligations; to authorize the Department of Social Services to adopt rules governing the publication of certain information regarding delinquent child support orders; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Theunissen moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dyess Jordan
Barham Ellington Lambert
Bean Fields C Landry
Boissiere Fields W Lentini
Branch Greene Malone
Cain Hainkel Robichaux
Campbell Heitmeier Romero
Casanova Hines Schedler
Cox Hollis Smith
Cravins Irons Theunissen
Dardenne Johnson Thomas

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Dean	Jones	Ullo
Total—36		
	NAYS	
Total—0		
	ABSENT	
Bajoie	Siracusa	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Theunissen moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

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

To enact R.S. 46:153.3(B)(4), relative to medical vendor reimbursements under Medicaid; to authorize the Department of Health and Hospitals to apply for a Medicaid waiver to conduct a pilot project regarding anorexic drugs in the Medicaid program; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Irons moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

	YEAS	
Mr. President	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Boissiere	Fields W	Robichaux
Branch	Greene	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—32		
	NAYS	
Dean	Hainkel	Malone
Total—3		
	ABSENT	
Bajoie	Jordan	
Bean	Tarver	
Total—4		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 259—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:9070, relative to sale of lottery tickets to persons under the age of twenty-one; to provide that identification be required; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 303—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3550(D), relative to insurance premium finance agreements; to provide for premium checks; to provide for requirements; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hollis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

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

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hollis moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 350— BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2721(B) and to enact R.S. 9:2721(C), relative to the recordation of transfers of immovable property; to require that certain taxpayer information be included with the act of sale; to provide that certain taxpayer information be supplied to the tax assessor; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 358— BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:572, relative to paternity; to authorize the court by local rules to provide for proof of paternity in uncontested cases; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Irons moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lentini
Bajoie Fields C Malone
Barham Fields W Robichaux
Bean Greene Romero
Branch Heitmeier Schedler
Cain Hines Siracusa
Campbell Hollis Smith
Casanova Irons Theunissen
Cox Jones Thomas
Cravins Jordan Ullo
Dardenne Lambert
Dean Landry
Total—34

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere Hainkel Tarver
Dyess Johnson
Total—5

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 397— BY REPRESENTATIVE ILES AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:538(C)(1) and (3)(b), relative to conditions of probation, parole, and suspension of sentence for certain sexual offenders; to provide changes to provisions regarding sexual offender treatment plan and use of medroxyprogesterone acetate or a chemically equivalent treatment; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Irons moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lambert
Bajoie Fields C Landry
Barham Fields W Lentini
Bean Greene Malone
Branch Hainkel Robichaux
Campbell Heitmeier Romero
Casanova Hines Siracusa
Cox Hollis Smith
Cravins Irons Theunissen
Dardenne Johnson Thomas
Dean Jones Ullo
Dyess Jordan
Total—35

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere Schedler
Cain Tarver
Total—4

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 431— BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1896(A)(3), relative to mayor's courts and justice of the peace courts; to provide for appeals from those courts; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Ellington sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ellington to Engrossed House Bill No. 431 by Representative Salter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, change "ten" to "fifteen"

On motion of Senator Ellington, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ellington moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lambert
Bajoie Fields C Landry
Barham Fields W Lentini
Bean Greene Malone
Branch Hainkel Robichaux
Cain Heitmeier Romero
Campbell Hines Schedler
Casanova Hollis Siracusa

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Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jones	Thomas
Dyess	Jordan	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Dean	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 442—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHWEGMANN AND HOLDEN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2633(B), (C), and (D) and 2635(A), relative to the Louisiana Traumatic Head Injury and Spinal Cord Injury Trust Fund and its advisory board; to provide for the collection of fees on certain motor vehicle violations and crimes to be deposited in the fund; to provide for expenditures of the fund; to provide for the retention of unspent monies in the fund; to authorize the investment and retention of interest earned by the fund; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Lambert
Bajoie	Fields C	Lentini
Barham	Fields W	Malone
Branch	Greene	Robichaux
Cain	Hainkel	Romero
Campbell	Heitmeier	Siracusa
Casanova	Hines	Smith
Cox	Hollis	Theunissen
Cravins	Irons	Thomas
Dardenne	Johnson	Ullo
Dean	Jones	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—34		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bean	Landry	Tarver
Boissiere	Schedler	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 455—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, BRUNEAU, COPELIN, FONTENOT,  
GREEN, HUNTER, SHAW, WADDELL, AND WALSWORTH AND SENATOR  
DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(12) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(h), relative to the Department of State, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of State 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.

The bill was read by title. Senator Dardenne moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Landry	Tarver
Total—2	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 456—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, BRUNEAU, COPELIN, FONTENOT,  
GREEN, HUNTER, SHAW, WADDELL, AND WALSWORTH AND SENATOR  
DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(12) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(i), relative to the Department of Civil Service, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of State Civil Service 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.

The bill was read by title. Senator Dardenne moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Lambert
Bajoie	Fields C	Landry
Barham	Fields W	Lentini
Boissiere	Greene	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Theunissen

Dardenne  
Dean  
Total—36

Jones  
Jordan

Thomas  
Ullo

NAYS

Ellington  
Total—1

ABSENT

Bean  
Total—2

Tarver

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**Senator Ellington in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 528—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:773.1(A)(2)(b) and (l)(introductory paragraph) and 773.2(D) and to enact R.S. 32:771(19), relative to motorcycle and all-terrain vehicle dealers; to provide for definitions; to provide for unlawful acts of manufacturers and distributors; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Heitmeier moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Jordan
Bajoie	Ellington	Lambert
Barham	Fields C	Landry
Bean	Fields W	Lentini
Boissiere	Greene	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Campbell	Hines	Schedler
Casanova	Hollis	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jones	Thomas
Total—36		

NAYS

Dean  
Total—2

Ullo

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Heitmeier moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 540—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:146(E), relative to the judicial district indigent defender fund; to provide that certain costs shall not be paid by certain defendants; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Dardenne moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Lambert
Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dean	Jordan	

Total—38

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 574—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2019(C)(8) and to enact R.S. 40:2019(C)(9), relative to the Louisiana State Child Death Review Panel established within the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide relative to the membership of that panel; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Ullo sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Ullo to Engrossed House Bill No. 574 by Representative Lancaster

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 6, after "Louisiana" insert ", subject to Senate confirmation"

On motion of Senator Ullo, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ullo moved final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Lambert
Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Bean	Fields W	Malone

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Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dean	Jordan	
Total—38		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ullo moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 577—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2234, relative to trusts; to provide for a prescriptive period for actions by a beneficiary against a trustee; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Cox moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Dardenne	Lentini
Barham	Dyess	Robichaux
Bean	Fields C	Romero
Boissiere	Fields W	Schedler
Branch	Greene	Siracusa
Cain	Hines	Theunissen
Campbell	Johnson	Thomas
Casanova	Jones	Ullo
Cox	Jordan	
Cravins	Landry	
Total—28		

NAYS

Dean	Heitmeier	Lambert
Ellington	Hollis	Malone
Hainkel	Irons	Smith
Total—9		

ABSENT

Mr. President  
Total—2

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Cox moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 655—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3052(D) and 3073(A) and (B)(1), to enact R.S. 37:3077, and to repeal R.S. 37:3071(B)(1)(d) and (C), relative to the practice of electrology; to change requirements for licensure of electrologists; to change requirements for licensure of

instructors of electrology; to establish continuing education requirements; to provide for the use of sterilized disposable equipment; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 670—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FARVE, MURRAY, HOLDEN, AND JETSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:1166.1, relative to telephone services; to provide relative to certain long-distance telephone charges; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Johnson moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dean	Jordan
Bajoie	Dyess	Landry
Barham	Ellington	Lentini
Bean	Fields C	Malone
Boissiere	Fields W	Robichaux
Branch	Greene	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Total—36		

NAYS

Hainkel  
Total—1

ABSENT

Lambert  
Total—2

Tarver

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Johnson moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 696—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:331.1, relative to custody and visitation proceedings; to provide the court with the authority to order a party to submit to drug tests in a custody or visitation proceeding; to provide for the admissibility of drug test results; to provide for allocation of costs of drug tests; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Landry sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Landry to Engrossed House Bill No. 696 by Representative Frith

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, after "may" insert ", after a contradictory hearing."

On motion of Senator Landry, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Theunissen moved final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Dean  
Total—2

Tarver

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Theunissen moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 727—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1734, relative to towing; to prohibit certain gate fees; to provide for a cause of action; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Irons moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barham	Dyess	Jordan
Bean	Fields C	Landry
Boissiere	Fields W	Lentini
Branch	Greene	Malone
Cain	Hainkel	Romero
Campbell	Heitmeier	Schedler
Casanova	Hines	Siracusa
Cox	Hollis	Smith
Cravins	Irons	Theunissen
Dardenne	Johnson	Thomas
Dean	Jones	Ullo
Total—33		

NAYS

Bajoie	Ellington	Lambert
Total—3		

ABSENT

Mr. President	Robichaux	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 758—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1254(N)(3)(g) and (h) and (4)(e) and (f), relative to motor vehicle salesmen and lessors; to provide for a complete explanation of certain charges; to provide for a consumer's right to refuse certain fees; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator W. Fields moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

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NAYS

Hainkel  
Total—1

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator W. Fields moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 760—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND MCCAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1401(A)(2) and to repeal R.S. 13:1415, relative to family courts; to provide the family court for the parish of East Baton Rouge with exclusive jurisdiction over actions for partition of community property or property acquired pursuant to a matrimonial regime, actions seeking a termination or modification of a matrimonial regime, and actions for the enforcement of judicial or contractual settlements related to matrimonial regimes; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Dardenne moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—2  
Thomas

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 764—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE, DOWNER, GAUTREAUX, MCCAIN,  
TRICHE, AND FAUCHEUX  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 25-D of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:8061 through 8067, relative to the creation of the South Central Louisiana Solid Waste District; to provide for district purposes and territory; to provide for the creation of a board of commissioners to govern the district; to provide for the powers and duties of the board of commissioners and district, including the power of taxation and the power to incur

debt and issue bonds; to provide for the officers of the commission and compensation of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver  
Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 777—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND ANSARDI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 928(A); relative to exceptions; to provide for the time for the filing of the declinatory and dilatory exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS



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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Total—36; Dyess, Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan; Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Dean, Greene, Tarver; Total—3

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 883— BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, ANSARDI, AND MCCAIN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:286 and Children's Code Articles 1040, 1041(A), 1042, 1113(A) and (D), 1120(C), 1127(A), (B), and (C), 1131(C), (D), and (E), 1132, 1142(A), 1144, 1146, 1174, 1180(A)(4), 1186, 1200, 1201(C) and (E), 1207(B), 1208(A) and (B)(4), 1211 (introductory paragraph), 1213, 1214, 1223, 1229(B), 1230(A) and (B)(4), 1233, 1235, 1236, 1243, 1244(A), 1245, 1253(A) and (B)(4), 1263, and 1270(C), to enact Children's Code Articles 1127.1, 1131(F), 1169(2.1), 1180(A)(5), 1207(C), 1208(B)(5), 1223.1, 1229(C), 1230(B)(5), 1243.1, 1243.2, and 1253(B)(5), and to repeal Children's Code Articles 1194 and 1244(D), relative to children; to prohibit the sale of minor children; to provide relative to the surrender of parental rights and the adoption of children; to specify and prohibit practices constituting the sale of a child; to provide for reports, placement by the department, and review hearings in certification for adoption proceedings; to provide for minor parents, mental health counseling, requests for and maintenance of medical reports, filing and notice of filing of surrender, records checks, and requirements of approval of the surrender of a child for adoption; to provide a definition of "broker"; to provide for preplacement certification for adoption, venue, and records; to provide for disclosure of records, confidentiality, fees, affidavits, duties of the department, hearings, petitions, final decrees, continuing duties of the department, home study reports, and permanency review, all with respect to agency adoptions; to provide for fee disclosure, permissible expenses, affidavits of fees, duties of the department, hearings, petitions, final decrees at first hearings, continuing duties of the department, home study reports, and review hearings, all with respect to private adoptions; to provide for eligible petitioners, precedence of intrafamily adoption provisions over other adoption provisions; to provide for records checks, parental consent, and hearings, all with respect to intrafamily adoptions; to provide for time limitations and finality in adoptions; to provide for the purpose of voluntary registration in adoptions; to repeal provision for adoption over the objection of an incarcerated parent; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Landry sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Landry to Reengrossed House Bill No. 883 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 45, after line 7, insert the following:

"Section 6. The provisions of this Act shall become effective on January 1, 2000."

On motion of Senator Landry, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Dardenne sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Dardenne to Reengrossed House Bill No. 883 by Representatives McMains et al

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 26, line 22, change "Titles IX and X" to "Titles X and XI"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 36, line 10, change "Title IX and X" to "Titles X and XI"

On motion of Senator Dardenne, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Total—38; Dyess, Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan; Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 1 column: Tarver; Total—1

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

Senator Barham in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 884—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3577.7, relative to the Louisiana Small Loan Law; to provide for prohibited acts; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator W. Fields moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Bajoié, Barham, Bean, Boissière, Branch, Cain, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dyess, Ellington, Total—34; Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Landry; Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Campbell, Total—5; Dean, Lambert; Tarver

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator W. Fields moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 886—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, HUNTER, AND COPELIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:911(C) and R.S. 47:843(A) and to enact R.S. 26:911(D), relative to the sale of certain tobacco products; to provide for the purposes of regulation and taxation of certain tobacco products, the minimum size of a package of cigarettes, and certain tobacco products which may be sold or distributed; to provide for exceptions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Landry to Reengrossed House Bill No. 886 by Representative Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "26:" insert "901(8) and (16), and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "47:" insert "842(5) and (6), and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 9, after "26:" insert "901(8) and (16) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, after "(C)" delete "is" and insert "are"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"§901. Definitions

As used in this Chapter, the following terms have the meaning ascribed to them in this Section, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

\* \* \*

(8) "Retail dealer" includes every dealer other than a wholesale tobacco dealer; or manufacturer of tobacco or cigarettes, who sells or offers for sale cigars, cigarettes, or other tobacco products; irrespective of quantity or the number of sales. No retail dealer shall purchase untaxed or unstamped cigarettes for resale.

\* \* \*

(16) "Wholesale dealer" means a dealer whose principal business is that of a wholesaler, who sells cigarettes, cigars, or other tobacco products to retail dealers or other licensed wholesale dealers, for purpose of resale. Wholesale dealer, also referred to as wholesale tobacco dealer, shall consist of Class A and Class B wholesale tobacco dealers.

(a) "Class A wholesale tobacco dealers" shall mean those tobacco dealers licensed under the laws of Louisiana whose principal business is that of a wholesaler; (i) who shows proof of a direct purchase agreement with three cigarette manufacturers whose combined cigarette unit sales in Louisiana is fifteen percent or more of total unit sales in Louisiana; (ii) who is a bona fide wholesaler, and fifty percent of whose total tobacco sales are to retail stores other than its own or its subsidiaries within Louisiana; who sells cigarettes to licensed retail dealers for the purpose of resale and whose total cigarette sales shall consist of fifty percent or more cigarette sales to retail dealers other than their own or their subsidiaries within Louisiana; and (iii) who may sell cigars or other tobacco products to retail dealers for the purpose of resale. Class A Wholesale tobacco dealer shall include any person in the state of Louisiana who acquires cigarettes solely for the purpose of resale in vending machines, provided such person services fifty or more cigarette vending machines at selling locations in Louisiana other than his own, and Louisiana wholesale dealers who were affixing cigarette and tobacco stamps as of January 1, 1974.

(b) "Class B wholesale tobacco dealers" shall mean those dealers licensed under the laws of Louisiana, excluding Class A wholesale tobacco dealers, whose principal business is that of a wholesaler, who sells or distributes cigars, or other tobacco products as defined in Paragraphs (10) and (11) of this Section, to licensed retail dealers for the purpose of resale. Class B wholesale tobacco dealers shall include those wholesale tobacco dealers engaged in receiving bulk smoking tobacco, for purposes of blending, as well as cigars and other tobacco products directly from manufacturers of tobacco products. Class B wholesale tobacco dealers may not purchase unstamped cigarettes, affix cigarette stamps, or sell untaxed or unstamped cigarettes to retail dealers."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 13, after "R.S. 47:" insert "842(5) and (6), and"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 13 after "843(A) delete "is" and insert "are"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

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"§842. Definitions

As used in this Chapter, the following terms have the meaning ascribed to them in this Section, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

\* \* \*

(5) "Wholesale dealer" means a dealer whose principal business is that of a wholesaler, who sells cigarettes, cigars, or other tobacco products to retail dealers or other licensed wholesale dealers, and smoking tobacco for purpose of resale, and who is a bona fide wholesaler and fifty percent of whose total tobacco sales are to retail stores other than their own or their subsidiaries within Louisiana: "Wholesale dealer", also referred to as a wholesale tobacco dealer, shall consist of Class A and Class B wholesale tobacco dealers.

(a) "Class A wholesale tobacco dealers" means those tobacco dealers licensed under the laws of Louisiana, whose principal business is that of a wholesaler: (i) who shows proof of a direct purchase agreement from three cigarette manufacturers whose combined cigarette unit sales in Louisiana is fifteen percent or more of total unit sales in Louisiana; (ii) who is a bona fide wholesale dealer who sells cigarettes to licensed retail dealers for the purpose of resale and whose total cigarette sales shall consist of fifty percent or more cigarette sales to retail dealers other than their own or their subsidiaries within Louisiana; and (iii) who may sell cigars or other tobacco products to retail dealers for the purpose of resale. Class A Wholesale wholesale tobacco dealer shall include any person in the state of Louisiana who acquires cigarettes solely for the purpose of resale in vending machines, provided such person services fifty or more cigarette vending machines on at selling locations in Louisiana other than their own. Class A Wholesale wholesale tobacco dealers shall include those dealers engaged in receiving bulk smoking tobacco for purposes of blending and including those Louisiana wholesale tobacco dealers who were affixing cigarette and tobacco stamps as of January 1, 1974.

(b) "Class B wholesale tobacco dealers" means those dealers licensed under the laws of Louisiana, excluding Class A wholesale tobacco dealers, whose principal business is that of a wholesaler, who sells or distributes cigars, or other tobacco products as defined in Paragraphs (1), (2), and (3) of this Section, to licensed retail dealers for the purpose of resale. Class B wholesale tobacco dealers shall include those wholesale tobacco dealers engaged in receiving bulk smoking tobacco, for purposes of blending, as well as cigars and other tobacco products directly from manufacturers of tobacco products. Class B wholesale tobacco dealers may not purchase unstamped cigarettes, affix cigarette stamps, or sell untaxed or unstamped cigarettes to retail dealers.

(6) "Retail dealer" includes every dealer other than a wholesale tobacco dealer or manufacturer of tobacco or cigarettes, who sells or offers for sale cigars, cigarettes or smoking other tobacco products irrespective of quantity or the number of sales. No retail dealer shall purchase untaxed or unstamped cigarettes for resale.

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On motion of Senator Landry, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator W. Fields moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, NAYS. Includes names like Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Cain, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Uilo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, ABSENT. Includes Mr. President, Campbell, Malone, Tarver.

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator W. Fields moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 919— BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON AND JOHNS AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Article 1004(G), relative to termination of parental rights; to authorize foster parents to initiate involuntary termination of parental rights in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Irons moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, NAYS. Includes names like Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Dyess, Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Uilo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, ABSENT. Includes Mr. President, Malone, Tarver.

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 921—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON  
AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Article 1004.1, relative to parental rights; to require the Department of Social Services to pursue involuntary termination of parental rights in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Irons moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Bajoie	Ellington	Lambert
Barham	Fields C	Landry
Bean	Fields W	Lentini
Boissiere	Greene	Malone
Branch	Hainkel	Robichaux
Campbell	Heitmeier	Romero
Casanova	Hines	Siracusa
Cox	Hollis	Smith
Cravins	Irons	Theunissen
Dardenne	Johnson	Thomas
Dean	Jones	Ullo
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—35		

**NAYS**

Cain  
Total—1

**ABSENT**

Mr. President	Schedler	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 960—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:48, relative to venue for offenses committed in the Gulf of Mexico; to provide venue for those offenses committed within and outside state waters; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Bajoie	Ellington	Landry
Barham	Fields C	Lentini
Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa

Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dean	Jordan	
Dyess	Lambert	
Total—37		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Mr. President	Tarver
Total—2	

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Robichaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 990—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:423, relative to the Unfair Sales Law and sales at less than cost; to provide for violations and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Smith moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Bajoie	Ellington	Lambert
Barham	Fields C	Landry
Bean	Fields W	Malone
Boissiere	Greene	Robichaux
Branch	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—35		

**NAYS**

Dean  
Total—1

**ABSENT**

Mr. President	Lentini	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Smith moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1006—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2590.1, relative to additional authority and fees for certain justice of the peace courts; to authorize in a certain parish for the appointment of a clerk of court; to authorize the collection of fees in civil matters; to provide for funding for the clerk; to permit a fee for issuing peace bonds; to provide for dispersement of the fee; and to provide for related matters.

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The bill was read by title. Senator Lentini moved the final passage of the bill.

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—35; Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Lambert; Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo.

NAYS

Dean Total—1

ABSENT

Mr. President Total—3; Boissiere, Tarver

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Lentini moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009— BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3443(3)(c), 3446(A), and 3450(A), relative to the practice of vocational rehabilitation; to add activities under the definition of vocational rehabilitation services; to provide for fees charged by the licensing board; to prohibit certain activities related to vocational rehabilitation services by unlicensed persons; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing YEAS: Mr. President, Bajoi, Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Total—38; Dyess, Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan; Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041— BY REPRESENTATIVE WARNER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.2(A), relative to criminal background checks; to authorize university and college police to conduct certain checks; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing YEAS: Mr. President, Bajoi, Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Cain, Campbell, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Total—38; Dyess, Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Hollis, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Jordan; Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo.

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Tarver Total—1

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043— BY REPRESENTATIVES WARNER AND ODINET AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.34, relative to district judges; to provide for an additional judgeship for the Thirty-Fourth Judicial District Court; to provide for compensation of the additional judge; to provide for the election and term of office and those of the successors in office; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing YEAS: Mr. President, Bajoi; Dean, Dyess; Jones, Lambert

Barham	Ellington	Landry
Bean	Fields C	Lentini
Boissiere	Fields W	Robichaux
Branch	Greene	Romero
Cain	Hainkel	Schedler
Campbell	Heitmeier	Siracusa
Casanova	Hines	Smith
Cox	Hollis	Theunissen
Cravins	Irons	Thomas
Dardenne	Johnson	Ullo

Total—36

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Jordan	Malone	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1075—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1421(D), relative to sheriffs; to provide for an increase in compensation for sheriffs; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Bajoie	Fields C	Lentini
Barham	Fields W	Malone
Bean	Greene	Robichaux
Boissiere	Hainkel	Romero
Cain	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Hollis	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Dyess	Lambert	
Ellington	Landry	

Total—34

NAYS

Branch	Dean
Total—2	

ABSENT

Mr. President	Jordan	Tarver
Total—3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1124—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHWEGMANN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3890, relative to a conditional procuration; to provide for a conditional procuration that becomes effective upon a certain level of disability; to establish disability requirements relative to a conditional procuration; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Dardenne sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Dardenne to Engrossed House Bill No. 1124 by Representative Schwegmann

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On age 1, lines 13, 17 and 19 change "affidavit" to "authentic act"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17 change "must" to "shall" and after "physicians" insert "licensed to practice medicine by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, after "physician" insert "who is licensed to practice medicine by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners"

On motion of Senator Dardenne, the amendments were adopted.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Dardenne sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Dardenne to Engrossed House Bill No. 1124 by Representative Schwegmann

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, between "enact" and "R.S. 9:3890" insert "Chapter 3-A of Code Title XV of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, change "R.S. 9:3890" to "Chapter 3-A of Code Title XV of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 9:3890,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"CHAPTER 3-A. CONDITIONAL PROCURATION"

On motion of Senator Dardenne, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Dardenne moved final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dyess	Landry
Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Malone
Bean	Fields W	Robichaux
Boissiere	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Heitmeier	Siracusa
Campbell	Hines	Smith
Casanova	Hollis	Theunissen
Cox	Irons	Thomas
Cravins	Johnson	Ullo
Dardenne	Jones	

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Dean Lambert  
 Total—37  
 NAYS  
 Total—0  
 ABSENT  
 Jordan Tarver  
 Total—2

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1125—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE THERIOT  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:627(B) and (C), relative to fees for insurance agents; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Cravins moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS  
 Bajoie Dyess Lambert  
 Barham Ellington Landry  
 Bean Fields C Lentini  
 Boissiere Fields W Malone  
 Branch Greene Robichaux  
 Cain Hainkel Romero  
 Campbell Heitmeier Schedler  
 Casanova Hines Siracusa  
 Cox Hollis Smith  
 Cravins Irons Theunissen  
 Dardenne Johnson Thomas  
 Dean Jones Ullo  
 Total—36  
 NAYS  
 Total—0  
 ABSENT  
 Mr. President Jordan Tarver  
 Total—3

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Cravins moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1127—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:261(A), relative to witness fees in criminal proceedings; to provide for the disposition of witness fees for off-duty municipal law enforcement officers who appear in district court; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS  
 Bajoie Ellington Lentini  
 Barham Fields C Malone  
 Bean Greene Robichaux  
 Boissiere Hainkel Romero  
 Branch Heitmeier Schedler  
 Cain Hines Siracusa  
 Campbell Hollis Smith  
 Casanova Irons Theunissen  
 Cox Johnson Thomas  
 Cravins Jones Ullo  
 Dardenne Lambert  
 Dean Landry  
 Total—34  
 NAYS  
 Total—0  
 ABSENT  
 Mr. President Fields W Tarver  
 Dyess Jordan  
 Total—5

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1150—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE COPELIN  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(11)(g) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(g), relative to the Department of Elections and Registration, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Elections and Registration 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.

The bill was read by title. Senator Boissiere moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS  
 Bajoie Fields C Lentini  
 Barham Fields W Malone  
 Bean Greene Robichaux  
 Boissiere Hainkel Romero  
 Branch Heitmeier Schedler  
 Campbell Hines Siracusa  
 Cox Irons Smith  
 Cravins Johnson Theunissen  
 Dardenne Jones Thomas  
 Dean Lambert Ullo  
 Ellington Landry  
 Total—32  
 NAYS  
 Total—0  
 ABSENT  
 Mr. President Dyess Tarver  
 Cain Hollis

Casanova Jordan
Total—7

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Boissiere moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1163—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:81, relative to bail for violations of municipal ordinances; to increase the bail limit in the Municipal Court of New Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Boissiere moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Landry
Barham Fields C Lentini
Bean Fields W Malone
Boissiere Greene Robichaux
Branch Hainkel Romero
Cain Heitmeier Schedler
Campbell Hines Siracusa
Casanova Hollis Smith
Cox Irons Theunissen
Cravins Johnson Thomas
Dardenne Jones Ullio
Dean Lambert

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bajoie Jordan
Dyess Tarver
Total—4

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Boissiere moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1167—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHN SMITH AND HUDSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:39.1, relative to vital records; to provide for the issuance of birth and death certificates by clerks of court; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Cain sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cain to Engrossed House Bill No. 1167 by Representative Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on June 3, 1999.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, after "B." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 2 through 10 and inset the following:

"The clerk of district court in each parish may issue certified copies of short form birth certificate cards and long form birth certificates and death certificates in accordance with rules promulgated under R.S. 40:39.1(A) pursuant to Subsection A of this Section. In addition to fees collected for issuance of a certified copy of a birth record or death certificate as provided in R.S. 40:40, the clerk of court shall collect a fee of five dollars for the short form birth certificate and nine dollars for the long form certificate or the death certificate. Clerks shall pay the state registrar such amounts for providing services to the clerks as are established for services in R.S. 40:40 and to the Secretary of State four dollars per long form birth certificate or death certificate on the tenth day of each month. The money transferred by the clerks of court to the secretary of state shall be deposited with the state treasurer in a special fund entitled Vital Records Conversion Fund which fund shall be dedicated to cover the costs associated with implementation of this Section. Once the provisions of this Section are fully implemented, the funds shall be used to assist the Department of Health and Hospitals in the conversion of old birth and death records to an electronic format suitable for electronic issuance. Funds held in the Vital Records Conversion Fund shall be dispersed for no other purpose than for the implementation of this Section and for the conversion of birth and death records, and then only in accordance with law. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund. The monies in the fund shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. All interest earned on monies invested by the treasurer shall be deposited in the fund."

On motion of Senator Cain, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Cain moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barham Fields C Lentini
Bean Fields W Malone
Branch Greene Robichaux
Cain Hainkel Romero
Casanova Heitmeier Schedler
Cox Hines Siracusa
Cravins Irons Smith
Dardenne Jones Theunissen
Dean Lambert Thomas
Ellington Landry Ullio
Total—30

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Mr. President Campbell Johnson
Bajoie Dyess Jordan
Boissiere Hollis Tarver
Total—9

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Cain moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1175—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1563.2(A) and (B)(2) and (4) and to repeal R.S. 40:1563.2(B)(1), relative to family child day care homes; to provide for inspections of such homes by the state fire marshal; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator W. Fields moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Ellington, Total—29; Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Heitmeier, Hines, Irons, Jones, Lambert, Landry; Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo

NAYS

Cain
Total—1

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Bajoie, Campbell, Total—9; Dyess, Hollis, Johnson; Jordan, Romero, Tarver

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator W. Fields moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

Personal Privilege

Senator Romero asked for and obtained the floor of the Senate on a point of personal privilege, and stated he appeared as absent on the vote on House Bill No. 1175. He had intended to vote yea on the bill. He asked that the Official Journal so state.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1184—

BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON AND HUDSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2197(G), relative to rural health clinics; to provide that a hospital-based rural health clinic operated by a rural hospital shall not be required to secure a separate license from the hospital license; to provide conditions for said exemption; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Hines sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Hines to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1184 by Representative Thompson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 40:2115.22 and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 40:" insert "2115.23 and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "exemption;" insert "to prohibit certain acquisitions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 8, after "Section 1." insert "R.S. 40:2115.22 is hereby amended and reenacted and"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 8, after "40:" insert "2115.23 and" and change "is" to "are"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

§2115.22. Prohibited acquisitions

Any proprietary hospital management company shall be prohibited from purchasing a not for profit hospital that such management company has managed at any time in the previous three years prior to the date of sale.

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, after line 10, insert the following:

"R.S. 40:2115.23 is redesignated from R.S. 40:2115.22."

On motion of Senator Hines, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Jones moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Barham, Bean, Boissiere, Branch, Cain, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Total—30; Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Hines, Irons, Jones, Lambert, Landry; Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Bajoie, Campbell, Total—9; Dyess, Heitmeier, Hollis; Johnson, Jordan, Tarver

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Jones moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

Mr. President in the Chair

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1192—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

**AN ACT**

To repeal R.S. 46:236.4, relative to interstate enforcement of support by income assignment.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dean	Lambert
Barham	Ellington	Lentini
Bean	Fields C	Malone
Boissiere	Fields W	Robichaux
Branch	Greene	Romero
Cain	Hainkel	Siracusa
Casanova	Hines	Smith
Cox	Irons	Theunissen
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Total—30		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Heitmeier	Landry
Campbell	Hollis	Schedler
Dyess	Jordan	Tarver
Total—9		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1193—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.11(B)(2), relative to child support payments; to provide for the collection and disbursement of certain child support payments through the state disbursement unit; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Malone
Bean	Fields W	Robichaux
Boissiere	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Siracusa
Cain	Hines	Smith
Casanova	Irons	Theunissen
Cox	Johnson	Thomas
Cravins	Jones	Ullo
Dardenne	Lambert	
Dean	Landry	

Total—31

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Heitmeier	Schedler
Campbell	Hollis	Tarver
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—8		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1194—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.3(B)(1), (D), and (E)(3), relative to enforcement of support by income assignment; to provide for written notice to payors; to require certain data to be forwarded to the recipient of the support; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Malone
Bean	Fields W	Robichaux
Boissiere	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Total—32		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1232—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:441(C), relative to a mayor's court; to provide the presiding officer with judicial immunity; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ellington moved the final passage of the bill.

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Malone
Bean	Fields W	Robichaux
Boissiere	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Total—32		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bajoie	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1251—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1-A(A)(1)(x) and to enact R.S. 33:4574.1-A(H), relative to the Shreveport-Bossier Convention and Tourist Commission; to authorize an increase in the hotel occupancy tax levied by the commission; to provide for the uses of the proceeds of such increase; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Ellington sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ellington to Engrossed House Bill No. 1251 by Representative Glover

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 2 and 3, change "33:4574.1-A(H)," to "33:4574.1-A(A)(1)(oo) and (H),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, between "relative to" and "the Shreveport-Bossier" insert the following:

"the hotel occupancy tax levied by certain local entities, to authorize the"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "Commission" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and on line 5, delete "by the commission;" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"to increase the tax levied by the commission; to authorize certain convention and visitor's bureaus or commissions located in certain parishes to levy an additional hotel occupancy tax;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 12, change "33:4574.1-A(H) is" to "33:4574.1-A(A)(1)(oo) and (H) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"(oo) A convention and visitor's bureau or commission in any parish having a population of not less than one hundred thirty-five thousand and not more than one hundred seventy-five thousand persons as of the July 1, 1998 population estimate by the United States Bureau of the Census, two percent. The proceeds of such occupancy tax shall only be used for the acquisition, construction, operation, maintenance, and activities of the convention and visitor's bureau or commission in such parish. The percentage rate provided in this Subparagraph shall be in addition to any other percentage authorized by law.

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On motion of Senator Ellington, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Senator Cravins, the amended bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1266—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEBLANC, WINSTON, LONG, BARTON, DOERGE, FARVE, FRITH, MICHOT, MURRAY, PINAC, POWELL, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, AND TRAVIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:4(U) and Chapter 10-A of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1317 through 1319, relative to the Louisiana Retirement Development Commission; to provide for membership; to provide for responsibilities and duties of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Johnson sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Johnson to Engrossed House Bill No. 1266 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 3, change "nine" to "eleven"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"(6) The president of the Senate or his designee.

(7) The speaker of the House of Representatives or his designee."

On motion of Senator Johnson, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dardenne	Malone
Bajoie	Ellington	Robichaux
Barham	Greene	Romero
Bean	Hainkel	Schedler
Boissiere	Hines	Smith

Branch	Johnson	Theunissen
Cain	Jones	Thomas
Casanova	Lambert	Ullo
Cox	Landry	
Cravins	Lentini	
Total—28		

NAYS

Dean	Fields W
Fields C	Irons
Total—4	

ABSENT

Campbell	Hollis	Tarver
Dyess	Jordan	
Heitmeier	Siracusa	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1269—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1252(1), (2), (3), (10), (13), and (16), 1253(A)(3), 1254(F)(3), (1), (K), (M), (N)(1)(a), (3)(introductory paragraph) and (7), and (R), 1255(3) and (6), 1256.1, and 1257(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), (a)(introductory paragraph), (b), (c), and (d), (2), (B), (C), (D), and (E), to enact R.S. 32:1252(2.1), (2.2), (9.2), (10.1), (15.1), (19.1), (19.2), (19.3), and (24), 1254(N)(3)(g), (4)(e), (6)(r), and (8), and (S), (T), (U), (V), and (W), and 1256(G)(4), and to repeal R.S. 32:1252(15)(b)(iv), relative to the sale and distribution of motor vehicles; to provide for the hearing of disputes; to provide for licensure of converters, lease facilitators, motor vehicle lessor franchisors, satellite warranty and repair centers, and speciality vehicle dealers; to provide for fee requirements and bonding requirements; to provide for prohibited activities; to provide for certain business practices; to provide relative to franchises; to provide for grounds for denial, suspension, or revocation of a license; to provide relative to venues for litigation and arbitration; to provide relative to the repurchase of various items; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Landry sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Landry to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1269 by Representative Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Commerce and Consumer Protection Committee Amendment No. 18 proposed June 2, 1999 and adopted by the Senate June 3, 1999, on page 4, delete lines 14 through 18, and insert the following:

"(9) A person acting as a broker in a transaction involving the sale, for purposes other than resale, of a used motor vehicle must be licensed and regulated under the provisions of Chapter 4-B, of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950."

On motion of Senator Landry, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fields C	Malone
Bajoie	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Ellington	Lentini	
Total—31		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Barham	Dyess	Jordan
Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Total—8		

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1271—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2194(B)(3), relative to underground storage tanks and the Motor Fuels Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund; to provide for the definition of "eligible participant"; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Malone moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Bajoie	Fields C	Malone
Barham	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Total—32		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

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The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Malone moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1381—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(a)(iii), relative to the Public Bid Law; to exempt certain purchases of materials and supplies by certain contractors and subcontractors awarded public works contracts by a public entity; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Bean moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields C	Malone
Bajoie	Fields W	Robichaux
Barham	Greene	Romero
Bean	Hainkel	Schedler
Branch	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Ellington	Lentini	
Total—31		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Cain	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Total—8		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Bean moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1394—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ,  
AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM,  
AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:401(C)(8), relative to the Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities Services System; to increase the time for review of the evaluation and diagnosis of a recipient of mental retardation and developmental disability services; to provide for review at the request of certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dean	Landry
Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Malone

Bean	Fields W	Robichaux
Branch	Greene	Romero
Cain	Hainkel	Schedler
Casanova	Hines	Siracusa
Cox	Irons	Smith
Cravins	Johnson	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Total—30		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Heitmeier	Jordan
Campbell	Hollis	Tarver
Dyess	Jones	Theunissen
Total—9		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1399—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES JETSON, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ,  
AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM,  
AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2500(1) and (3), 2501, 2502, 2503(A), (B), and (C), 2504, and 2505(B), relative to addictive disorders; to change the name of the Louisiana Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse to the Louisiana Commission on Addictive Disorders; to change the name of the office of prevention and recovery from alcohol and drug abuse to the office of addictive disorders; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dean	Landry
Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Malone
Bean	Fields W	Robichaux
Boissiere	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Theunissen
Cox	Johnson	Thomas
Cravins	Jones	Ullo
Dardenne	Lambert	
Total—32		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Campbell	Hollis	Tarver
Dyess	Jordan	
Heitmeier	Smith	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1400—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES JETSON, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ,  
 AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM,  
 AND SCHEDLER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1098.2(5), relative to public health and safety; to define "qualified professionals" as used in provisions of law on accessibility to preventive alcoholism and addiction counseling or treatment for minor children; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dean	Landry
Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Malone
Bean	Fields W	Robichaux
Boissiere	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Total—33		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Campbell	Heitmeier	Jordan
Dyess	Hollis	Tarver
Total—6		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1401—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ,  
 CRANE, DURAND, DANIEL, AND WILKERSON AND SENATORS  
 DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:153(G), relative to the Medicaid estate recovery program within the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide that recovery shall not be sought against an estate of a deceased recipient under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Bajoie	Fields C	Malone
Barham	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith

Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Total—32		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1443—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE, DEWITT, DIEZ, AND DOWNER, AND  
 SENATORS BARHAM, DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, SCHEDLER, AND  
 LANDRY

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:460.5(A)(3), relative to statutory earned income disregards for certain Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Block Grant (TANF) recipients; to provide that months during which recipients receive the statutory earned income disregard shall not apply toward the eligibility limit; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields C	Robichaux
Bajoie	Fields W	Romero
Barham	Greene	Schedler
Bean	Hines	Siracusa
Cain	Irons	Smith
Casanova	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas
Cravins	Lambert	Ullo
Dardenne	Landry	
Ellington	Lentini	
Total—28		

**NAYS**

Dean	Hainkel	Malone
Total—3		

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Branch	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Total—8		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1453—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 33:1563(I) and (J), relative to public records; to provide for access to and copies of autopsy reports; to provide for a copy of the autopsy report for the next of kin free of charge; to establish

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a fee for copies of an autopsy report; to provide for the contents of such reports; to limit the public availability of the autopsy report in certain instances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Ullo moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Bajoie	Fields C	Malone
Barham	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Total—32		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Ullo moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1519—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5681(A) and (D) and to enact R.S. 9:5681(E), relative to the sale of immovable property by or to certain legal entities; to provide for prescription of actions; to create a conclusive presumption of valid title; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Dardenne moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Bajoie	Fields C	Malone
Barham	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Total—32		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1557—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, BRUNEAU, DONELON, AND LANCASTER AND SENATOR BRANCH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:726(A), relative to the Louisiana Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act; to provide relative to the office of emergency preparedness; to authorize the establishing and maintaining of office of emergency preparedness operations centers; to provide for the obtaining of property; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Robichaux moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Lentini
Bajoie	Fields C	Malone
Barham	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Total—32		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Robichaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1618—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RIDDLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(A) and R.S. 46:51.2(E) and (F)(1) and to enact R.S. 46:1441.13, relative to registered family child day care homes; to require care providers at said homes to have current cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) training; to prohibit persons convicted of certain crimes from working or living in registered family child day care homes; to provide for exceptions; to provide for violations; to authorize criminal background checks; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Irons moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lentini
Bajoie Fields C Malone
Barham Fields W Robichaux
Bean Greene Romero
Branch Hainkel Schedler
Cain Hines Siracusa
Casanova Irons Smith
Cox Johnson Theunissen
Cravins Jones Thomas
Dardenne Lambert Ullo
Dean Landry

Total—32

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere Heitmeier Tarver
Campbell Hollis
Dyess Jordan
Total—7

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1684— BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2194(B)(11), relative to underground storage tanks; to provide for the definition of "third party claim"; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Malone moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dardenne Lentini
Bajoie Dean Malone
Barham Ellington Romero
Bean Greene Schedler
Branch Hainkel Siracusa
Cain Hines Smith
Casanova Irons Theunissen
Cox Johnson Thomas
Cravins Lambert Ullo
Total—27

NAYS

Fields C Landry
Fields W Robichaux
Total—4

ABSENT

Boissiere Heitmeier Jordan
Campbell Hollis Tarver
Dyess Jones

Total—8

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Malone moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1735— BY REPRESENTATIVES JETSON AND MCMAINS AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 615(B)(4) and (5) and (E) and 616(A)(2) and to enact Children's Code Art. 615(B)(6) and (F), relative to disposition of reports in child abuse investigations; to provide for inconclusive reports; to provide relative to the disposition of inconclusive reports in child abuse investigations; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Irons moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lentini
Bajoie Fields C Malone
Barham Fields W Robichaux
Bean Greene Romero
Branch Hainkel Schedler
Cain Hines Siracusa
Casanova Irons Smith
Cox Johnson Theunissen
Cravins Jones Thomas
Dardenne Lambert Thomas
Dean Landry Ullo
Total—32

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere Heitmeier Tarver
Campbell Hollis
Dyess Jordan
Total—7

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Irons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1739— BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2363(14) and (15) and 2374(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 30:2363(16) and 2370(E)(8) and (9), relative to the Hazardous Material Information Development, Preparedness, and Response Act; to provide for definitions; to provide reporting exemptions for gasoline and diesel; to provide for fee exemptions for gas stations; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Malone moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lentini

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Bajoie	Fields C	Malone
Barham	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Greene	Romero
Branch	Hainkel	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Total—32		
	NAYS	
Total—0		
	ABSENT	
Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Malone moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1774—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND AND CLARKSON  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 29 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2741 through 2745, relative to public health; to create the Louisiana Healthy People 2010 Planning Council in the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for the office of public health in the Department of Health and Hospitals to design a process for a state plan for Healthy People 2010 prior to the convening of the council; to provide for the council to convene and further develop and achieve the final implementation of the Louisiana Healthy People 2010 State Plan; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for powers, duties, and functions of the council; to provide for membership of the council; to provide for periodic reports to the legislature; to provide for termination of the council; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Irons sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Irons to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1774 by Representatives Durand and Clarkson

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 7, line 20, change "Two" to "Four"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 7, line 22, after "health" insert "consisting of an African-American, a Hispanic, a person with special needs, and a person suffering from a mental illness"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 8, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"(26) The president of the Louisiana Medical Association or his designee"

On motion of Senator Irons, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hines moved final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

	YEAS	
Mr. President	Dean	Landry
Bajoie	Ellington	Lentini
Barham	Fields C	Robichaux
Bean	Fields W	Romero
Branch	Greene	Schedler
Cain	Hines	Siracusa
Casanova	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Total—30		
	NAYS	
Hainkel	Malone	
Total—2		
	ABSENT	
Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1775—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:337 and 1301(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 22:774(C) and 1351.1, relative to insurance; to delete certain provisions relative to nonprofit funeral associations; to provide relative to complaints; to authorize the commissioner to adopt certain rules; to provide for penalties for violation of a directive issued by the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Bean sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Bean to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1775 by Representative Donelon

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, lines 2 and 3, change "R.S. 22:774(C) and 1351.1," to "R.S. 22:2.1, 774(C) and 1351.1,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 1, line 4, between "associations;" and "to provide" insert "to provide relative to maintenance of public records by the department; to provide procedures, forms, methods, and conditions; to provide relative to admissibility into evidence; to provide relative to electronic signatures;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 1, line 10, change "R.S. 22:774(C) and 1351.1," to "R.S. 22:2.1, 774(C) and 1351.1,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 1, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"§2.1. Public records; forms and methods; electronic signatures and filings; timely filing of papers"

A. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, any public record maintained by the commissioner of insurance may be kept in any written, photographic, microfilm, or other similar form or method, or may be kept by any magnetic, electronic, optical, or similar form of data compilation which is approved for such use in a rule promulgated by the commissioner. No such magnetic, electronic, optical, or similar form of data compilation shall be approved unless it provides reasonable safeguards against erasure or alteration.

B. The commissioner may, at his discretion, cause any public record maintained by him or any part thereof be microfilmed, or otherwise reproduced, in order to accomplish efficient storage and preservation of such records.

C. A certified copy of a public record maintained by the commissioner shall be deemed to be an original for all purposes and shall be admissible in evidence in all courts or administrative agencies as if it were the original.

D. Subject to such guidelines and limitations as may be promulgated by the commissioner, electronic signatures are hereby authorized.

E. The commissioner shall promulgate rules to regulated the use of electronic signatures. Such rules may include any or all of the following:

(1) Limitations upon which documents may be signed electronically.

(2) Security requirements, which may include but not be limited to the following:

(a) The use of alphanumeric or similar codes, fingerprints, or other identifying methods.

(b) Prohibitions against disclosure of codes or other identifiers to other persons.

(c) Responsibility of individuals for unauthorized signatures.

F. The commissioner may permit or require rate, form or any other filings, along with any accompanying supplementary rate information or supporting information, to be filed electronically.

G. If the commissioner permits or requires electronic filings pursuant to Paragraph F. of this Section, the commissioner shall arrange for payment of filing fees by electronic funds transfer.

H. The time for acting on filings made electronically shall be the same as the time for acting on filings made in writing. Filings made electronically shall be considered received by the commissioner when received in the electronic data processing system used by the commissioner to review filings, unless received on a weekend or legal holiday, in which case filings are deemed received on the next business day. Communications from the commissioner to persons making filings electronically shall be considered received by that person when the communication is sent to the person making the filing.

I. Grounds for approval, disapproval or withdrawal of approval for filings made electronically shall be the same grounds for these actions as to filings made in writing, except that the commissioner may waive filing requirements relating to filings made in writing, such as requirements for original signatures or the number of copies, and the commissioner may disapprove or withdraw approval of a filing if it does not comply with the commissioner's requirements for electronic filings.

J. Filings made electronically shall be subject to the law of this state relating to inspection of public records pursuant to the Public Records Act, Title 44 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes, or any other applicable law.

K. The commissioner may promulgate rules and regulations which the commissioner deems necessary for the administration of electronic filings.

L. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, the filing of papers, including but not limited to applications, forms, reports, returns, statements, and filings of any kind with the commissioner subject to the exceptions and provisions in Paragraphs A. through K. above shall not be subject to the provisions of R.S. 1:60 but shall be subject to other relevant provisions of law or rules or regulations of the commissioner."

On motion of Senator Bean, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Cravins sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cravins to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1775 by Representative Donelon

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Committee on Insurance and adopted by the Senate on June 3, 1999, on page 2, delete lines 14 through 28 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 11 and insert the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 22:337, 1065.1(A) and (C), 1114(K)(2)(f) and (M)(2), 1301(A)(2), and 1404.3 are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 22:5(16), 774(C), 1113(A)(2)(a)(xx) and 1192.1 are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§5. General definitions

In this Code, unless the context otherwise requires, the following definitions shall be applicable:

\* \* \*

(16) "Directive" means a written communication issued by or on behalf of the commissioner of insurance to a person whose activities are regulated by the insurance code which instructs the person to act in conformity with an order, rule, or regulation promulgated in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act.

\* \* \*"

On motion of Senator Cravins, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Bean moved final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of senators and their votes (YEAS). Includes Mr. President, Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Casanova, Cox, Cravins, Dardenne, Dean, Ellington, Fields C, Fields W, Greene, Hainkel, Hines, Irons, Johnson, Jones, Lambert, Landry, Lentini, Malone, Robichaux, Romero, Schedler, Siracusa, Smith, Theunissen, Thomas, Ullo.

Total—32

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Table listing names of senators and their votes (ABSENT). Includes Boissiere, Campbell, Heitmeier, Hollis, Tarver.

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Dyess Jordan
Total—7

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Bean moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1815—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCALLUM
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2103.2, relative to marshal's fees; to permit an increase in fees for certain offices; to require the marshal to remove eligibility of sureties who do not pay the required fees; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Barham moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fields C Lentini
Barham Fields W Malone
Bean Greene Robichaux
Branch Hainkel Romero
Cain Hines Schedler
Casanova Irons Siracusa
Cox Johnson Smith
Cravins Jones Theunissen
Dardenne Lambert Thomas
Ellington Landry Ullo
Total—30

NAYS

Dean
Total—1

ABSENT

Bajoie Dyess Jordan
Boissiere Heitmeier Tarver
Campbell Hollis
Total—8

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Barham moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1832—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:452.1(A), relative to abandonment of expropriation claims; to change the time for abandonment of such claims; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lentini
Bajoie Fields C Malone
Barham Fields W Robichaux

Bean Greene Romero
Branch Hainkel Schedler
Cain Hines Siracusa
Casanova Irons Smith
Cox Johnson Theunissen
Cravins Jones Thomas
Dardenne Lambert Ullo
Dean Landry

Total—32

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere Heitmeier Tarver
Campbell Hollis
Dyess Jordan
Total—7

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1873—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, ANSARDI, AND MCCAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 728(1), 732(A), 733(A), (C), and (D), 734(C), 735(A), 736(A), (B), and (D)(4), 737, 738(A) and (D), 739, 740(A)(3) and (4) and (B), 741, 742, 745(B) and (C), 746, 791(B), (C), (D), and (E), and 1509, to enact Children's Code Arts. 728(3.1), 729.1, 733(E), 735(D), 740(A)(5) and (C), 791(F), and 1509.1, and to repeal Children's Code Art. 730(9), all relative to the continuous revision of the Louisiana Children's Code; to amend Title VII of the Children's Code, Families in Need of Services, and to provide for sanctions for contempt in Title XV, Special Proceedings; to provide for definitions, venue and grounds for Families in Need of Services; to provide for the duties of intake officers, instant orders of custody, taking a child into custody, prehearing placement, release, and continued custody; to provide for advice of rights of the parents, the grounds and place of continued custody of the child, confidentiality of the informal family services plan agreement, the authority to file a Family in Need of Services petition, and prehearing contempt; to provide penalties for contempt in general for children and adults; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Landry moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Lentini
Bajoie Fields C Malone
Barham Fields W Robichaux
Bean Greene Romero
Branch Hainkel Schedler
Cain Hines Siracusa
Casanova Irons Smith
Cox Johnson Theunissen
Cravins Jones Thomas
Dardenne Lambert Thomas
Dean Landry Ullo
Total—32

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Heitmeier	Tarver
Campbell	Hollis	
Dyess	Jordan	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Landry moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1875—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2195.4(A)(2) and (3), relative to the Motor Fuels Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund; to provide for procedures for disbursement of money from the Fund; to provide a time limit on submittal of claims for reimbursement from the fund; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Malone moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Malone
Bajoie	Fields C	Robichaux
Barham	Fields W	Romero
Bean	Hainkel	Schedler
Branch	Hines	Siracusa
Cain	Irons	Smith
Casanova	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas
Cravins	Lambert	Ullo
Dardenne	Landry	
Dean	Lentini	
Total—31		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Greene	Jordan
Campbell	Heitmeier	Tarver
Dyess	Hollis	
Total—8		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Malone moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1931—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRIEU  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 37:104(3), relative to certified public accountants; to remove the requirement that a copy of a request for review be forwarded to the clerk of the Louisiana Supreme Court.

The bill was read by title. Senator Hainkel moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields C	Robichaux
Bajoie	Fields W	Romero

Barham	Hainkel	Schedler
Bean	Hines	Siracusa
Branch	Irons	Smith
Cain	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Ellington	Malone	
Total—28		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Campbell	Greene	Lentini
Casanova	Heitmeier	Tarver
Cravins	Hollis	
Total—11		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hainkel moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1943—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1899(C)(7), (8), (9), (10), (11), (12)(a), (13), and (14) and to repeal R.S. 13:1899(C)(15), relative to the City Court of Bossier City; to specify a certain amount in court costs to fund the office of marshal; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Bean moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields C	Robichaux
Bajoie	Fields W	Romero
Barham	Hainkel	Schedler
Bean	Hines	Siracusa
Branch	Irons	Smith
Cain	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Ellington	Malone	
Total—28		

**NAYS**

Total—0

**ABSENT**

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Campbell	Greene	Lentini
Casanova	Heitmeier	Tarver
Cravins	Hollis	
Total—11		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Bean moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1975—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(j), relative to court reporters in the Fourth Judicial District Court; to authorize a majority of the judges to determine certain fees paid to court reporters; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Jones moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President, Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Cox, Dardenne, Dean, Ellington, Total—28

NAYS

ABSENT

Boissiere, Campbell, Casanova, Cravins, Total—11

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Jones moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

Rules Suspended

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

The following House Concurrent Resolution reported by Committees were taken up out of order and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 176—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to exercise its authority to interpret the hydroelectric power sales agreement and power plant license involving the Louisiana Sabine River Authority.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President, Bajoie, Barham, Bean, Branch, Cain, Cox, Dardenne, Dean, Total—26

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere, Campbell, Casanova, Cravins, Dyess, Total—13

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Johnson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of reverting to the Morning Hour.

Messages from the House

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

Message from the House

PASSED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 1999

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 the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions:

SENATE BILL NO. 659—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2363(6), (12), (13), (14), and (15), the introductory paragraph of 2370(E), and 2374(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 30:2363(16), relative to hazardous materials; to provide for definitions, terms, and reporting procedures under the Right-to-Know Law; to provide relative to fees for certain facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 854—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:115(E)(1), 135(A), 177(A) and 572(3), and to enact R.S. 18:533(C)(6), all relative to elections; to provide for the close of registration; to provide for registration deadlines for mail applications; to provide for the manner of reinstatement of registration after suspension for a felony conviction; to provide for the location of polling places; to provide for the duties of the clerk of court upon the transmission of election returns; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 860 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 1060)—**

BY SENATOR DARDENNE AND REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS AND COAUTHORED BY SENATORS EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, SCHEDLER AND ROMERO AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER, AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2798.4, relative to civil liability; to prohibit the recovery of damages of certain persons who operate a vehicle while under the influence of alcoholic beverages or drugs; to provide for certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 247—**  
BY SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL AND BARHAM AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER AND MCMAINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3761 and to repeal R.S. 17:3762 through 3764, relative to the Leadership Development Center; to replace the Administrative Leadership Academy with the Leadership Development Center; to repeal provisions regarding an advisory council concerning matters related to the academy; to repeal provisions regarding the operation of the academy; to repeal provisions regarding mandatory training for certain school administrators; to provide relative to the administration and operation of the Leadership Development Center; to provide relative to the nature of the programs to be offered by the center; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 252—**  
BY SENATORS DARDENNE, HAINKEL AND BARHAM AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER AND MCMAINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:221.3, relative to a collection of certain student information; to require certain notification regarding the school enrollment of certain students; to provide for the contents of such notice; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 459—**  
BY SENATOR BARHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1118(F)(1) and to enact R.S. 22:1118(F)(4), relative to insurance agents of record; to provide that an insured shall have the right to choose a new agent of record; to require written notice to the agent of record fifteen days prior to removal; to provide for the effective date of the change of agent of record; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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

**Appointment of Conference Committee  
on House Bill No. 389**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 389 the following members of the Senate: Senators Dardenne, Hainkel, and Ullo.

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 9, 1999

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. 832 by Senator Romero:

Representatives Johns, McMains, and Thornhill.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Introduction of Resolutions,  
Senate and Concurrent**

Senator Bean 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. 53—**  
BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility of closing railroad crossings in Grant Parish.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 155—**  
BY SENATOR JONES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study negative drug interactions on the health and safety of patients that is a direct result of ingesting a controlled dangerous substance in combination with one or more other controlled dangerous substances or other non-prescription drugs.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields C	Robichaux
Bajoie	Fields W	Romero
Barham	Hainkel	Schedler
Bean	Hines	Siracusa
Branch	Irons	Smith
Cain	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas

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Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Ellington	Malone	
Total—28		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Campbell	Greene	Lentini
Casanova	Heitmeier	Tarver
Cravins	Hollis	
Total—11		

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 9, 1999

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. 292—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend W.L. Abney Elementary School of Slidell upon being named a 1998-1999 Blue Ribbon School of Excellence by the United States Department of Education.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 294—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES THORNHILL AND SCHNEIDER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend St. Margaret Mary School of Slidell upon being named a 1998-1999 Blue Ribbon School of Excellence by the United States Department of Education.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 295—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND AND FRITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and give thanks to Ms. Amanda Sagrera Hanks and the Sagrera family for their continued commitment to the promotion of educational, religious, familial, and environmental values in Vermilion Parish.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 297—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend Mr. Glenray Trahan for being named the 1999 Farmer of the Year.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 296—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE AND SENATOR LANDRY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the city of Thibodaux to use a portion of the parish transportation allocation to fund the project to widen Louisiana Highway 20 in Thibodaux north near Rienzi Drive.

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions**

Senator Bean 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. 292—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend W.L. Abney Elementary School of Slidell upon being named a 1998-1999 Blue Ribbon School of Excellence by the United States Department of Education.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fields C	Robichaux
Bajoie	Fields W	Romero
Barham	Hainkel	Schedler
Bean	Hines	Siracusa
Branch	Irons	Smith
Cain	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Ellington	Malone	
Total—28		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Campbell	Greene	Lentini
Casanova	Heitmeier	Tarver
Cravins	Hollis	
Total—11		

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 294—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES THORNHILL AND SCHNEIDER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend St. Margaret Mary School of Slidell upon being named a 1998-1999 Blue Ribbon School of Excellence by the United States Department of Education.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fields C	Robichaux
Bajoie	Fields W	Romero
Barham	Hainkel	Schedler

Bean	Hines	Siracusa
Branch	Irons	Smith
Cain	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Ellington	Malone	
Total—28		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Campbell	Greene	Lentini
Casanova	Heitmeier	Tarver
Cravins	Hollis	
Total—11		

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 295—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND AND FRITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and give thanks to Ms. Amanda Sagrera Hanks and the Sagrera family for their continued commitment to the promotion of educational, religious, familial, and environmental values in Vermilion Parish.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Romero 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 C	Malone
Barham	Fields W	Robichaux
Bean	Hainkel	Romero
Branch	Hines	Siracusa
Cain	Irons	Smith
Cox	Johnson	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jones	Thomas
Dean	Lambert	Ullo
Total—27		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Campbell	Greene	Lentini
Casanova	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cravins	Hollis	Tarver
Total—12		

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 296—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE AND SENATOR LANDRY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the city of Thibodaux to use a portion of the parish transportation allocation to fund the project to widen Louisiana Highway 20 in Thibodaux north near Rienzi Drive.

On motion of Senator Bean, the resolution was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 297—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend Mr. Glenray Trahan for being named the 1999 Farmer of the Year.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fields C	Robichaux
Bajoie	Fields W	Romero
Barham	Hainkel	Schedler
Bean	Hines	Siracusa
Branch	Irons	Smith
Cain	Johnson	Theunissen
Cox	Jones	Thomas
Dardenne	Lambert	Ullo
Dean	Landry	
Ellington	Malone	
Total—28		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Boissiere	Dyess	Jordan
Campbell	Greene	Lentini
Casanova	Heitmeier	Tarver
Cravins	Hollis	
Total—11		

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

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**

**EDUCATION**

Senator Greene, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 180—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD, BARTON, BAUDOIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DOERGE, KENNEY, NEVERS, POWELL, PRATT, SHAW, SNEED, AND WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Task Force on School Discipline and Safety, hereinafter referred to as the "task force", to be in existence for the period from its first meeting not later than July 15, 1999, through December 15, 1999, to study and review current policies,

procedures, programs, and laws in place in Louisiana as well as in other select states as the task force deems appropriate relative to providing disciplined, safe, and productive learning environments for all children, including effective measures for assisting students who engage in or who are at risk of engaging in disruptive and disorderly behavior, and to report its findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education by not later than January 15, 2000.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 192—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD, BAUDOIN, CURTIS, FARVE, KENNEY, NEVERS, POWELL, AND PRATT  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request each city and parish school board to adopt policies to prohibit students from wearing pants too loosely on the hips.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 203—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LONG, KENNEY, SALTER, THOMPSON, AND WRIGHT  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study certain alternative education programs in the Houston Independent School District and the feasibility of implementing such programs in Louisiana and to report its findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education by not later than February 1, 2000.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 204—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to develop a program of instruction on school bus safety, to adopt policies requiring each city and parish school board to provide such instruction to students in kindergarten through grade three, and to submit such proposed program of instruction to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education for review and comment at least thirty days prior to the approval of such program by the board.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 206—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD AND SHAW  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to direct efforts within the state Department of Education toward reducing the requirements for paperwork and other noninstructional tasks placed on teachers, including a revision of procedures and requirements aimed at streamlining paperwork, eliminating duplications, finding ways to more fully utilize teachers' talents during instructional time, eliminating the waste of teachers' talents on noninstructional activities, and developing plans that include more volunteer parents and others as participants in extracurricular activities and to submit a written report on the progress of these efforts to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education prior to the beginning of the 2000 Regular Session.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 233—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LONG  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System, the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, and the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, in consultation with the Board of Regents, to each adopt policies for the institutions under their respective jurisdictions to provide for the transfer and acceptance of all credits earned by students in programs and courses offered through the Southern Regional Electronic Campus and the application of such credits toward meeting specific degree program requirements.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 253—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt rules and procedures permitting a city or parish school board, under specified circumstances, to add elective courses to its program of studies for high school students without obtaining the approval of the state Department of Education and for BESE to treat successful completion of such courses by students in the same manner as successful completion by students of elective courses that have been approved by the department.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 604—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:416.12, relative to student codes of conduct; to require city and parish school boards to adopt student codes of conduct; to require compliance with existing rules, regulations, policies, and laws; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 881—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:416(I), relative to student discipline; to provide for the authority of school administrators and certain others to discipline pupils in specified circumstances; to provide limitations; to provide alternatives; to provide for effectiveness; to provide definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1242—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN  
AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 11 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:2251 through 2262, relative to the creation of an authority to provide certain financial assistance for public schools; to create the Louisiana Education Facilities Authority as a political subdivision of the state; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1503—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON, KENNEY, LONG, MCDONALD, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BARTON, BAYLOR, BRUCE, CARTER, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DEWITT, DIEZ, DUPRE, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FONTENOT, FRITH, HILL, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, JENKINS, KENNARD, LANDRIEU, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERKINS, PRATT, RIDDLE, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WILLARD, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.2(D), to permit city and parish school boards to establish and implement incentive compensation programs for board employees providing for monetary awards; to provide for written policies and procedures; to provide for applicability; to provide guidelines for determining performance; to provide definitions; to provide relative to such monetary awards and other employee rights and benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1955—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUNTER AND MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:164.2, relative to school buses used to transport students; to require that certain buses be equipped with occupant restraint systems; to provide relative to rules and regulations of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide relative to compliance and funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2055—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST

AN ACT

To provide that the Jefferson Parish School Board may name an Air Force Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps program building at West Jefferson High School in honor of Colonel Louis B. Cole; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2098—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217.2(D), to provide relative to the operation of vending stands, vending machines, and other concessions at Delgado Community College, including limitations on fees, service charges, or other operating costs; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2106—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WALSWORTH, TRICHE, AND WELCH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:288, relative to veterans affairs; to provide educational benefits for children of certain veterans; to provide conditions and for certain determinations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2135—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FARVE, WILLARD, BAUDOIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DOERGE, KENNEY, LONG, MCDONALD, SALTER, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

Proposing to enact R.S. 17:2118, relative to school prayer; to provide for an opportunity for students and teachers to observe time each school day in prayer or meditation; to provide certain limitations; to provide that the electorate may adopt or reject such school prayer law by referendum; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2213—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(B) and (D) and R.S. 17:15, relative to the provision of information to protect children; to authorize the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to establish certain requirements and procedures for the state Department of Education to request and obtain specified criminal history background information on applicants for or recipients of any certificate or license issued by the department or by the board in accordance with state law or board policy; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information relative to requests required by law from educational entities for individual criminal history information; to provide for the payment of processing fees; to provide for the submission of certain records by school principals to the state superintendent of education regarding the placement of certain persons in any position of supervisory or disciplinary authority over school children; to provide for the submission of certain records by public school superintendents to the state superintendent of education regarding the dismissal of teachers and other school employees as required by law for specified reasons and any reemployment of such persons; to provide definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
THOMAS A. GREENE  
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS

Senator Barham, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to submit the following report:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 49—**

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Revenue to delay the implementation of the collection of taxes on food items previously donated to food banks.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 36—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUDSON AND JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:388(A), (E), and (F)(1), relative to oversize and overweight vehicles; to provide for penalties for failure to stop at stationary weight enforcement scales; to provide for certain exceptions; to provide relative to the disbursement of payments for various penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 617—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY (BY REQUEST), HEATON, AND WILLARD

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(H) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions; to authorize the State Board of Commerce and Industry to enter into

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tax exemption contracts, with a property owner proposing expansion, restoration, improvement, or redevelopment of an existing residential structure that is at least forty years old, certified as a blighted property located in Orleans Parish by the New Orleans Redevelopment Authority; to provide conditions for termination of such contracts; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2076—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.29(A), 322.9(A), and 332.2(A) and to enact R.S. 47:302.45, 322.39, and 332.45, relative to the state sales tax on hotel occupancy collected in certain political subdivisions within East Baton Rouge Parish; to revise the dedication of a portion of such monies; to create the Baker Economic Development Fund; to provide for deposit of monies into the fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBERT J. BARHAM  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**

**JUDICIARY C**

Senator Jordan, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary C, submitted the following report:

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 176—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, SCALISE, MCCALLUM, MCMAINS, PERKINS, ROMERO, TRAVIS, WINDHORST, WOOTON, AND THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:64(B) and to enact R.S. 14:64.3, relative to the crime of armed robbery; to provide for increases in criminal penalties; to provide for enhanced penalties for use of firearms in commission of the crime; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 270—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:32(C), relative to the crime of negligent homicide; to provide for increased penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 369—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:78(A), relative to alcoholic beverage permits; to require the office of alcohol and tobacco control, upon the written request of an applicant for a permit, to obtain a certification from the Department of Revenue concerning the applicant's liability for delinquent sales taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 465—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:40.2(E), relative to the crime of stalking; to provide for certain written notices of convictions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 743—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 930.8(A)(introductory paragraph) and (3), relative to the time limit for filing applications for post-conviction relief; to require the filing of those applications within one year after the judgment of conviction and sentence has become final; to provide with respect to certain applications for post-conviction relief filed on or before October 1, 2000; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 844—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND AND BRUCE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:35.2, relative to crimes; to create the crime of simple battery of the infirm; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1293—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 646, relative to examination of criminal defendants by experts; to provide for an independent examination by a physician or mental health expert; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1378—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD AND MORRELL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(E) and (F) and to enact R.S. 44:9(G), relative to expungement or destruction of criminal records; to provide for the procedure for the expungement of records; to provide for maintenance of records for certain purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1752—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAISSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894(B) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894(A)(5) and (D), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide for storage of records; to provide for a storage and retrieval fee of records; to require proof of retention of records before setting aside a conviction; to require the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, to be the repository of the records and to maintain them for ten years; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2166—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:313, relative to offenses affecting the public generally; to provide an exception to wearing masks or hoods in public; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2167—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:93.4(C), relative to the crime of exploitation of the infirmed; to provide that a person convicted of the offense or who enters a plea agreement for the offense shall be prohibited from having access to any aged or disabled persons power of attorney, guardianship, assets, or property; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
J. LOMAX JORDAN, JR.  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**

**COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION**

Senator Hollis, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, submitted the following report:

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection to submit the following report:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 238—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON, FLAVIN, AND LEBLANC  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana Real Estate Commission and the Louisiana REALTORS Association to form a working task force to study the possibility of improving real estate licensee educational programs throughout the state.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 694—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT AND WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1420, relative to unfair trade practices and consumer protection; to prohibit deceptive trade practices through the use of listings in telephone directories or other directory databases; to limit the liability of providers of directories; to provide for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 726—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHOT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1787(H) and (I), relative to enterprise zone and economic development zone incentives; to provide for the participation of certain businesses; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1112—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3530(F), relative to consumer credit; to provide for convenience fees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1198—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, FRITH, MICHOT, MURRAY, PINAC, NEVERS, POWELL, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, TRAVIS, WESTON, AND WINSTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9036, relative to cooperative economic development; to authorize the state or any agency or corporation acting on behalf of the state to undertake cooperative development projects in certain downtown development districts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1353—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON  
AN ACT

To enact Part XX of Chapter 2 of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3578.1 through 3578.5, relative to credit cards; to provide for registration of credit card companies on college campuses; to prohibit certain debt collection actions; to provide for violations and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1480—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3572.3(A)(1) and (2) and (B), relative to consumer loan brokers; to provide for an annual fee for licensure and renewal; to provide for a change of information and a fee; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1576—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1578.7, relative to fire safety and prevention; to adopt a State Uniform Fire Prevention Code; to provide for adoption of the same code by political subdivisions of the state; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations by the state fire marshal; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1874—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2165(A), 2166(A)(3), and 2170(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 37:2156.1(A)(10) and 2166(B), relative to the State Licensing Board for Contractors; to provide for new classifications of licenses; to provide relative to membership of certain committees; to provide relative to continuing education; to provide for certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1899—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS AND THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:771(1) and (9) and to enact R.S. 32:771(19), (20), (21), and (22), 773.1(A)(2)(m) and (n), and 773.2(E), relative to the sale of certain marine and motorcycle products regulated by the Louisiana Used Motor Vehicle and Parts Commission; to provide for certain prohibited activities; to provide for certain appeals to the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1933—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:962(B)(2), (3), and (4), 991.1(B)(4), and 1049(B)(1) through (4), and to enact R.S. 34:962(C), 991.1(C), and 1049(C), relative to river pilots; to provide for the submission of annual reports; to provide for submission of accident reports involving state property; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2084—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST, BRUCE, DUPRE, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, HEBERT, ILES, LONG, MONTGOMERY, NEVERS, POWELL, SALTER, THOMPSON, WADDELL, WESTON, WILKERSON, AND WILLARD

AN ACT

To enact Part V-B of Chapter 2 of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3541.23 through 3541.25, relative to credit card solicitations; to provide relative to telephone solicitation of cardholders; to provide relative to the transmission of preprinted checks, cash advance checks, credit card checks, or any other similar instruments to cardholders; to provide for violations and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2156—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, ALEXANDER, CARTER, DAMICO, FRITH, HEBERT, MARIONNEAU, MARTINY, MCCAIN, MICHOT, MONTGOMERY, MORRISH, PIERRE, PINAC, SCHWEGMANN, THERIOT, THOMPSON, AND WARNER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:1121(B)(2)(introductory paragraph), relative to pilotage fee commissions; to provide relative to composition of the commissions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
KEN HOLLIS  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**

**LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS**

Senator Bajoie, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 9, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to submit the following report:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 154—**

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish a group to study and make recommendations regarding creating the New Orleans Center for Creative Arts as a state agency and to require such group to make recommendations regarding the transition.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 47—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 19:133.1(A), relative to the authority of the Town of Colfax to expropriate property for the Aloha-Rigolette Area Louisiana Project; to extend for five years the time within which to expropriate and acquire such property; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 68—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4873(2) and to repeal R.S. 33:4873(3), relative to local government spending on advertising; to increase the maximum amount which some local governing authorities may spend for such purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 897—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX AND DANIEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:315.4 and 1711, relative to local sales and use tax; to authorize certain tax credits for sales and use taxes paid if there is a waiver of the homestead exemption; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1077—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 29 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9061, relative to neighborhood improvement districts; to authorize the governing authority of Jefferson Parish to create a special district for security purposes in the Elmwood Park Subdivision in Metairie; to provide for the creation and governance of the district as provided by the parish home rule charter; to require voter approval of any district tax; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1092—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4569.1(A)(2) and (D)(1) and 4569.3(1), relative to the Iberville Parish Parks and Recreation District; to authorize the payment of per diem to the citizen members of the board of commissioners; to provide relative to board membership; to provide relative to title to property of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1177—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2711.11.1, relative to municipal sales and use taxes; to authorize the governing body of the city of Monroe to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax, subject to voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1217—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAYLOR, DUPRE, AND PIERRE  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 33:2556(1)(d), relative to fire and police civil service; to repeal provisions relative to provisional employees acquiring permanent status in the classified service.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1244 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 929)—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHWEGMANN AND SENATOR JOHNSON AND  
COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES COPELIN AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1992(F)(2)(b) and (c), relative to the assessment of movable and immovable property in Orleans Parish; to change the time period for filing a complaint regarding an assessment with the board of review; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1302—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES STELLY AND FLAVIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1501.4, relative to Calcasieu Parish fire protection districts; to provide that whenever an area served by a fire protection district is annexed into a municipality, if a portion of the ad valorem tax avails is pledged to the retirement of indebtedness, that portion of the ad valorem tax shall not be abated; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1505—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES NEVERS AND POWELL AND SENATOR THOMAS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2711.15, relative to municipal sales and use taxes; to authorize the governing body of the city of Bogalusa to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax, subject to voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1598—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2495(B)(2) and 2555(B)(2), relative to fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the formal training required of certain entry level employees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1601—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574(A)(2)(oo) and 4574.1-A(A)(1)(oo), relative to the creation of tourist commissions for certain parishes; to create tourist commissions composed of all the territory in certain parishes as special districts to promote tourism within their jurisdictions; to provide for the authority to levy hotel occupancy taxes for the operation of the tourist commissions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1660—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1081(A) and 1089, to enact R.S. 36:409(K) and Chapter 23 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2501 through 2505, and to repeal R.S. 36:259(N), relative to the creation of the

Interagency Recreation Board; to create the board in the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, authority, and responsibilities of the board and the power and authority of the department; to authorize the board to construct, maintain, and operate certain recreational facilities on state land to provide recreation for state employees, patients at state institutions in rural areas, and citizens of Louisiana; to provide training and rehabilitation for inmates under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for planning for and monitoring of the effectiveness of the facilities by the board; to authorize the transfer of the supervision, management, and use of certain state-owned lands, including timber, to the board; to authorize the board to sell timber on lands under its jurisdiction and to provide procedures therefor, including provisions for the use of the proceeds thereof for board purposes; to create and provide for the Interagency Recreation Board fund; to authorize the board to contract for maintenance and management of facilities as necessary or appropriate to implement its purposes and functions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1686—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2233.3, relative to the small business procurement act; to provide for certain set-asides for economically disadvantaged businesses providing goods and services to the city of Shreveport; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1715—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart D of Part II of Chapter 4 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:2101, relative to the provision of fire protection services; to authorize certain political subdivisions, subject to voter approval, to contract with private companies for the provision of such services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1734—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2586, relative to fire and police civil service; to provide relative to incentive pay; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1743—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:3953, 3956, 3965, 3982, 4043, and 4044 and to enact Subpart F of Part I of Chapter 9 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:3980.1, relative to the funding of sewerage systems; to express legislative findings and intent; to authorize the levy of ad valorem taxes or parcel fees to fund sewerage systems; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1793—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALEXANDER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.10, relative to certain municipalities; to provide with respect to the powers and duties of the chief of police; to

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authorize said officer to effect certain disciplinary actions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1851—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2494(G), relative to fire and police civil service; to require that certain vacancies in classified positions be filled within a specified time period; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1880—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact and as amended to arrange in proper statutory form and incorporate into the statutes the provisions of Article XIV, Section 15.1(21)(d) and (h), 24(c), and 28 of the Constitution of 1921, continued as statute by Article X, Section 18 of the Constitution of 1974, by amending and reenacting R.S. 33:2491(D) and (H), 2494(C), and 2498, to amend and reenact R.S. 33:2551(4) and (8), 2554(C), and 2558, and to repeal R.S. 33:2491.1, relative to fire and police civil service; to provide relative to promotions within the police service and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1883—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE AND DUPRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2476(C)(2) and 2536(C)(2), relative to fire and police civil service; to provide relative to membership on local civil service boards; to provide relative to nominations made by the executive head of an institution of higher education; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1976—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2212(G), relative to employees of a municipal police department; to provide for a salary increase for members of the police department of the city of Monroe; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2051—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1498(D), relative to fire protection districts; to provide relative to per diem paid to members of the governing boards of certain districts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2088—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE STELLY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:102.1, relative to the regulation of amateur radio antennas; to provide that no parish or municipality may enact or enforce an ordinance or regulation that is in conflict with the ruling of the Federal Communications Commission or other regulations related to amateur radio service adopted under federal law; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2121—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAUDOIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4875.1, relative to the exercise of police powers by local governmental subdivisions; to authorize parish and municipal governing authorities to adopt ordinances regulating the enclosure of swimming pools; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2125—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4576(B)(3), relative to the West Calcasieu Parish Community Center Authority; to provide relative to the governance of the authority including the terms of members; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2205—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 29 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9061, relative to neighborhood improvement districts; to authorize the governing authority of Jefferson Parish to create a special district for security purposes in the Ferran Place-Courtland Heights area in Metairie; to provide for the creation and governance of the district as provided by the parish home rule charter; to require voter approval of any district tax or parcel fee; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2235—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574(G), relative to tourist commissions; to authorize tourist commissions to enter into contracts for the employment of an executive director; to provide the terms of the contract; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2274 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1082 by Representative Glover)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2476.1, relative to the municipal fire and police civil service board in Shreveport; to provide relative to the composition of such board; to provide relative to the terms of members and vacancies on such board; to provide relative to a quorum; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2275 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1086 by Representatives Martiny, Ansardi, Bowler, Green, and Lancaster and Senator Hollis)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY, ANSARDI, BOWLER, GREEN, LANCASTER, AND DURAND AND SENATOR HOLLIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.11(A)(1)(c), R.S. 40:1742, and R.S. 46:2583(A) and to enact R.S. 40:1742.1 relative to parking for disabled persons; to provide relative to fines for violations of disabled person parking regulations and to the distribution of monies collected from such fines; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2276 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1966 by Representative Wiggins)—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.46, relative to the city of Pineville; to create the Pineville Downtown Development District; to provide relative to the governance of such district; to provide for the authority of the district, including the preparation of redevelopment plans and the execution of redevelopment programs; to provide relative to funds for the district including funds from taxes, contributions, and the issuance of bonds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
DIANA E. BAJIOE  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**

**FINANCE**

Senator Hainkel, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 1103 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1297)—**  
BY SENATOR CAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE DONELON AND  
COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1078(B)(3), (8) through (11), and (17) and to enact R.S. 22:1078(F), relative to fees collected by the commissioner of insurance; to increase certain license, company appointment, renewal, filing, and approval fees; to create the Agents' Market Conduct Fund; to provide for deposit of certain fees into such fund; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; to redesignate approval fees as filing fees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize Meeks Land and Timber Company to file suit or to prosecute any suit now pending against the state of Louisiana through the division of administration, state land office, concerning a claim of ownership or possession, or both, of present or former water bottoms under or in the vicinity of the middle fork of Thompson Creek in West Feliciana Parish, and concerning the ownership of and the rights to the minerals associated with those water bottoms, and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the federal government not to attempt to recover any of the tobacco settlement money granted to the state of Louisiana.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 156—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARVE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:7(24), relative to the powers and duties of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to develop and implement a pilot program to improve English and language arts instruction; to provide relative to program components; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 198—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:855, relative to the State Employees' Group Benefits Program; to prohibit requiring a refund of expenditures from a plan member or health care provider on certain paid claims on the basis of ineligibility under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 228—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:51(A)(2), (3), (4), (5), (14), (17), (19), (20), (21), (22), (23), (28), (29), (32), and (33), relative to assistant district attorneys; to provide for additional assistant district attorneys for certain judicial districts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 233—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, AND  
HUNTER AND SENATORS EWING, BARHAM, DARDENNE, AND HAINKEL  
AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of Forty-two Million Seven Hundred Nineteen Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-six and No/100 (\$42,719,286.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of the state general fund and the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand and No/100 (\$350,000.00) Dollars out of the state general fund to provide for the Legislative Auditor Ancillary Enterprise Fund, and the sum of Seven Million One Hundred Thousand and No/100 (\$7,100,000.00) Dollars out of self-generated funds, to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; and otherwise to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 265—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:80, relative to fiscal reporting; to provide for preparation of a narrative report on the annual financial position of the state; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 438—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1221(1)(d) and 1333, relative to workers' compensation; to provide relative to the cessation of an award of benefits based on temporary total disability; to delete the provision limiting the award of such benefits to a maximum of six months under certain conditions; to provide for acceleration of payments and to provide for related matters.

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Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 460—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC AND SENATOR HAINKEL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(12) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(e), relative to the Department of the Treasury, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of the Treasury 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.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 511—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH  
AN ACT

To enact Part IX of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:2320, relative to surplus property; to provide for the donation or exchange of movable surplus property between or among political subdivisions whose functions include public safety; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 567—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:327(C)(1)(a), relative to investment of state funds; to provide for investment of funds not on deposit with the state treasury in certain financial institutions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 635—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WESTON, LONG, AND THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 41:1605.1, relative to the archaeological resources of the state; to create the Archaeological Curation Fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit of certain monies into the fund; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 663—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 16(A), Article IV, Section 5(G)(2), Article VII, Sections 10(B) and (C)(1), 10.1(C)(1), 10.4(A)(1), 10.5(C), 11(A) and (C), and 27(B), Article VIII, Sections 7.1(D) and 13(B), and Article X, Sections 13(A) and 51 of the Constitution of Louisiana and to repeal Act No. 1489 of the 1997 Regular Session of the Legislature, to remove limitations that exist on multiyear budgets; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 665—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, JOHN SMITH, HAMMETT, AND ROMERO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:55(A)(2), 56, and 59(B)(2) and (4) and (C)(2) and (4), relative to registrars of voters; to provide for a salary increase for registrars of voters, chief deputy registrars, and confidential assistants to registrars of voters; to reduce the number of population ranges for such salaries; to provide for

implementation of the new salary and population ranges; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1033—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:1001, relative to ferries; to prohibit the appropriation of state funds for operation and maintenance of the Monkey Island Ferry located in Cameron Parish; to authorize transfer of the ferry by the Department of Transportation and Development to Cameron Parish; to provide for certain conditions for the transfer; to authorize compensation to residents for their land; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1081—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE, FLAVIN, GAUTREAUX, HEBERT, JACK SMITH, ALARIO, DAMICO, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOWNER, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, FRUGE, MARTINY, MCMAINS, MICHOT, RIDDLE, SCHWEGMANN, THERIOT, TRICHE, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS BARHAM, DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:213.7(B)(2), relative to the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; to provide for the deposit and credit of certain mineral revenues in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1188—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHWEGMANN, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, CRANE, AND WELCH AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, SCHEDLER, AND LANDRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:111(A)(8) and to enact R.S. 43:111(A)(9), relative to state advertisements; to provide that the office of community services in the Department of Social Services may expend public funds to advertise for the recruitment of foster or adoptive parents; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1262—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES GAUTREAUX, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, CRANE, DURAND, HEBERT, LEBLANC, MARIONNEAUX, MCCAIN, QUEZAIRE, JACK SMITH, DANIEL, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, FRUGE, HILL, MICHOT, SCHNEIDER, AND TRICHE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, SCHEDLER, GREENE, ROMERO, AND SIRACUSA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2000.4 and to enact R.S. 30:2000.9 and 2000.10, relative to the Atchafalaya Basin Program; to provide for a capital improvement program; to provide for the operation and maintenance of projects under the capital improvement program; to provide for the powers and duties related thereto; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1275—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:33(B), relative to budgetary controls; to provide for the inclusion in the executive budget of budget requests prepared by the commissioner of administration on behalf of delinquent budget units; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1424—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CRANE, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND DIEZ AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:200.1, relative to state agencies; to provide relative to the obligation of certain agencies in the executive branch of state government to respond to provide certain items under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1599—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2218(J), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System, but only applicable to members whose employing municipality elects coverage; to provide with respect to service credit and benefits; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1644—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, WINDHORST, HUDSON, AND MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:114, relative to riverboat gaming; to provide that electronic gaming devices on licensed riverboats shall be linked by telecommunication to a central computer system for purposes of monitoring and reading device activities; to provide for the assessment and collection of fees; to provide for the adoption of rules; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1724—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:312(A), R.S. 39:134(C) and 1484(4)(b), and R.S. 46:2664(E)(3) and to repeal Part V of Chapter 2 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 24:141, and R.S. 39:136 and 1554(G)(1) and R.S. 45:803, relative to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; to delete certain obsolete and nonessential duties of the committee; and to provide for related matters. Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1725—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(a)(introductory paragraph),(b), (c), and (d), (2), (3), (4)(introductory paragraph) and (a), (B)(2)(introductory paragraph), (3)(introductory paragraph) and (a), (C)(2)(f), (D)(introductory paragraph), (E), and (R) and to repeal R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(2)(d), relative to the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for eligibility requirements, including residency and attainment of certain academic standards for continued program participation; to provide for award payments, including purposes and use; to provide limitations on certain award payments and for their effectiveness; to provide for program administration; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1762—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:522(C)(introductory paragraph) and (10), R.S. 39:31(C)(8), 87.3(A) and (C), and 87.4(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 39:2(46) and (47), relative to performance-based

budgeting; to provide relative to evaluation methods; to define certain terms; to provide with respect to certain reporting dates; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1877—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:522(B) and (G) and to enact Part I-A of Chapter 2 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:81 through 85, and R.S. 24:522(J), relative to judicial budget and performance accountability; to provide for the strategic planning process of the supreme court, appellate courts, district courts, and other courts; to provide for performance information provisions relative to the several courts; to provide for performance information reporting; to provide relative to certain budgetary requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2137—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:31(F), R.S. 51:2380(D), 2381(A), and 2382(B)(6) and to enact R.S. 39:31(A)(3) and R.S. 51:2383(A)(12), relative to executive branch strategic and operational plans; to provide for information used by departments to develop strategic and operational plans for budget development purposes; to provide for reporting requirements and submission deadlines of certain master plans; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2161—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:797(C) and 798(B), relative to investment of certain special funds; to authorize investment of the Rockefeller Foundation Wildlife Refuge and Game Preserve Fund and the Russell Sage or Marsh Island Refuge Fund in stocks, bonds, and certain government securities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
JOHN HAINKEL  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**

**FINANCE**

Senator Hainkel, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:

June 8, 1999

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads,

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public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
JOHN HAINKEL  
Chairman

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions  
on Second Reading  
Reported by Committees**

Senator Barham asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions just reported by Committees.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1103 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1297)—**  
BY SENATOR CAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE DONELON AND  
COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1078(B)(3), (8) through (11), and (17) and to enact R.S. 22:1078(F), relative to fees collected by the commissioner of insurance; to increase certain license, company appointment, renewal, filing, and approval fees; to create the Agents' Market Conduct Fund; to provide for deposit of certain fees into such fund; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; to redesignate approval fees as filing fees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. On motion of Senator Hainkel, the bill was read by title and passed to a third reading.

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

Senator Barham asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions just reported by Committees.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1 –**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC  
AN ACT

Making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative LeBlanc

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 23, delete lines 18 through 20 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 23, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund from Tobacco Settlement Revenues for Rural Development to provide bridge repair to closed bridges \$3,000,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Office of Urban Affairs and Development activities in the Administrative

Program \$1,350,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for expert witness and legal fees in the organ allocation suit \$150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 26, line 47, delete "50,627,897" and insert "44,983,811"

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 26, line 51, delete "12,291,351" and insert "17,935,437"

AMENDMENT NO. 5  
On page 27, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for final judgment on Coleman Brown and Bobby Kenard versus Division of Administration \$117,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for maintaining and promulgating a Louisiana Local Database \$35,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 6  
On page 29, line 3, delete "8,026,055" and insert "7,726,055"

AMENDMENT NO. 7  
On page 29, line 52, delete "8,026,055" and insert "7,726,055"

AMENDMENT NO. 8  
On page 30, line 2, delete "600,000" and insert "300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 9  
On page 30, line 7, delete "8,026,055" and insert "7,726,055"

AMENDMENT NO. 10  
On page 32, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for expenses of the teen pregnancy program \$200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 11  
On page 34, line 20, delete "9,082,264" and insert "8,982,264"

AMENDMENT NO. 12  
On page 34, line 45, delete "35,333,030" and insert "35,233,030"

AMENDMENT NO. 13  
On page 34, line 47, delete "6,936,783" and insert "6,836,783"

AMENDMENT NO. 14  
On page 34, line 56, delete "35,333,030" and insert "35,233,030"

AMENDMENT NO. 15  
On page 35, after line 43, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Federal Funds for the transfer of the Veteran's Education operations and (3) three positions from the Community and Technical Colleges Board of Supervisors to the State Approval Agency Program \$207,940"

AMENDMENT NO. 16  
On page 38, after line 46, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Administrative Program for the Louisiana Senior Olympics State Games \$75,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to provide services for the elderly \$100,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 45, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"**Objective:** To develop a system for monitoring monthly activities of the participating manufacturer in the Master Settlement Agreement.

**Performance Indicators:**

Percentage completion of system for monitoring monthly activities of participating manufacturers 100%"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 45, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Community Living Ombudsman Program \$50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Civil Program from Prior and Current Year Collections per R.S. 40:2115.22 for the purpose of carrying forward and rebating excess fees \$250,000

The commissioner of administration shall reduce general fund appropriations in this Schedule by \$250,000 which would have been utilized for unclassified employee merit increases.

The commissioner of administration shall reduce general fund appropriations in this Schedule by \$850,000 which would have been utilized to bring attorneys' salaries to a competitive level."

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 51, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues for rebate of excess fees per R.S. 39:1405.1 \$665,812"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 54, line 5, delete "2,263,161" and insert "2,213,161"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 57, line 12, delete "34,716,722" and insert "34,666,722"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 57, line 28, delete "110,598,440" and insert "110,548,440"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 57, after line 50, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Formosan termite initiative provided that SB 373 or HB 1869 of the 1999 Regular Session is enacted into law \$6,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 58, after line 44, insert the following:

"**Objective:** Through the Office of Insurance Compliance, Office of Minority Affairs, to increase the number of disadvantaged agents obtaining contracts with standard companies through the key agent concept.

**Performance Indicators:**

Number of new key agency directors and sub-agents working with Key Independent Agency, Inc. 25  
 Number of educational/training sessions provided for small/ disadvantaged/ minority insurance agents and agencies 65"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 60, delete lines 12 through 19 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 61, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"Amendment will increase the number of new key agency directors and sub-agents working with Key Independent Agency, Inc., by 10 and will increase the number of educational/training sessions for small/ disadvantaged/ minority insurance agents and agencies by 135

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues for the addition of two (2) authorized Insurance Compliance Examination Specialist I positions and one (1) authorized Insurance Compliance Examination Specialist III position for the Office of Licensing and Compliance in the Market Compliance Program \$105,585

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues for the addition of five (5) authorized Insurance Compliance Examination Specialist I positions for the market conduct unit of Financial Solvency in the Market Compliance program \$133,902

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues for the addition of one (1) authorized Secretary I position for the Office of Management and Finance in the Administration Program \$24,401

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to provide funding for the addition of two (2) authorized positions for the Louisiana Health Care Commission in the Market Compliance Program \$110,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) by Fees and Self-generated Revenues for the addition of two (2) authorized Insurance Compliance Examination Specialist I positions in the Insurance Fraud Section, one (1) authorized Communications Specialist I position in the Division of Public Affairs, one (1) Assistant to the Commissioner position in the Administrative Division for the Office of the Commissioner in the Administration Program \$213,049"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 63, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Louisiana Center Against Poverty \$250,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Metro Regional Business Incubator \$400,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Louisiana Business Technology Center \$100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the expenses of the Monroe Downtown Riverfront Development District \$150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 65, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for economic development for the Town of Delhi \$50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for economic development for the Town of Rayville \$50,000

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Add one (1) position in the Office of Commerce and Industry for International Trade”

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 68, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees & Self-generated Revenues for a study of the Louisiana Capital Companies Tax Credit Program (CAPCO) per Act 70 of 1998 \$200,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 70, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for expenses of the Treasures of Provence \$200,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 71, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the University of New Orleans Eisenhower Center to support the National D-Day Museum \$100,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 71, on line 41, after "revenues" insert "from prior and current year collections"

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 73, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the City of Eunice for the Liberty Theater Cajun Music Show \$50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the historic properties survey and cultural economic return enhancement \$150,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for The Mississippi River Experience \$50,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 74, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Bonne Fete celebration \$75,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 75, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the expenses of the Zachary Taylor Parkway Commission \$75,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for maintenance of Right-of-Way and Parks located between the Inner Harbor Navigational Canal (Ted Hickey Bridge) and the 17th Street Canal, and Lake Shore Drive from Robert E. Lee Boulevard to Leon Simon Drive \$200,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 77, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Tangipahoa Transportation Council \$100,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 81, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Life Skills/Pre-Release Program for state inmates in Concordia Parish Correctional Facility \$128,625

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Life Skills Foundation Vital Issues Project within the Management and Finance Program \$12,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 103, line 1, delete "49,027,720" and insert "48,928,895"

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 103, line 47, delete "126,346,410" and insert "126,247,585"

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 104, line 2, delete "9,491,294" and insert "9,398,169"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 104, line 6, delete "18,906,478" and insert "18,900,778"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 104, line 17, delete "126,346,410" and insert "126,247,585"

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 104, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

“Provided that the commissioner of administration shall reduce expenditures for the Operational Support Program and the appropriation from the State General Fund (Direct) in this Schedule by \$494,450.

Provided that the commissioner of administration shall reduce the State General Fund (Direct) appropriation in this Schedule by \$750,000 and shall increase State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Riverboat Gaming Enforcement Fund by \$750,000.”

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 105, after line 50, insert the following:

”Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for operating expenses for a toll free hotline, to be answered by a person, not an answering machine, to assist citizens with driver's license and vehicle registration information provided that SB 110 of the 1999 Regular Session is enacted into law \$800,000”

AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 113, after line 51, insert the following:

”Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated in this Schedule for Louisiana Children's Health Insurance Program, the amount of \$100,000 shall be allocated for expenses of two community outreach programs, one urban walker/talker program and one rural outreach program.”

AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 120, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

”EXPENDITURES:  
Payments to Private Providers Program to provide for an inflationary adjustment in rates to MR/DD Facilities \$4,529,882

Payments to Public Providers Program to provide for an inflationary adjustment \$ 487,118

TOTAL EXPENDITURES  
\$ 5,017,000

MEANS OF FINANCE:

State General Fund by:  
 Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund  
 \$ 1,488,544  
 Federal Funds \$ 3,528,456

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING  
\$ 5,017,000

Provided that in the Payment to Private Providers Program contained in this Schedule, reimbursement to providers of inpatient hospital services (except small rural hospitals as defined in Act 1485 of 1997 as amended) for recipients who are dually eligible for Medicaid and Medicare shall be limited to amounts that, when added to the amounts paid by Medicare equal the amounts that are paid by the Louisiana Medicaid Program for the same services when provided to Medicaid beneficiaries who are not entitled to Medicare. Such action shall be in accordance with provisions contained in Section 4714 of the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 as enacted by the United States Congress.

Provided that in this Schedule, payments for prescription drugs shall be limited by amending the Estimated Acquisition Cost formula from Average Wholesale Price (AWP) minus 10.5 percent to AWP minus 12 percent for independent pharmacies and from AWP minus 10.5 percent to AWP minus 13.5 percent for chain pharmacies. Chain pharmacies are defined as five or more Medicaid enrolled pharmacies under common ownership; all other Medicaid enrolled pharmacies are defined as independent pharmacies."

AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 120, on line 21, delete "23,070,532" and insert "24,970,532"

AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 120, line 37, delete "9,185,828" and insert "7,285,828"

AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 121, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for LaCHIP School Nurse Coordinator Position and Support personnel \$23,104

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for sickle cell anemia research \$300,000

Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated for this program, \$150,000 shall be allocated to Tulane University Medical Center and \$150,000 shall be allocated to LSU Medical Center Shreveport to conduct sickle cell anemia research."

AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 126, between lines 43 and 44, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund from Tobacco Settlement Revenues for the Maternal and Child Health Home Nurse Visitation Program \$513,021"

AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 126, delete lines 46 through 49, and insert the following:

"shall be allocated for school-based health services. Of this amount, \$125,000 shall be allocated to Buckeye-Deville Junior High School.

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the River Region Cancer Screening and Early Detection District created by Act 890 of the 1995 Regular Session of the Legislature \$100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Pediatric Therapy Center to provide services to children with developmental special needs \$75,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for maintenance and management of certain public water supplies provided that SB 441 of the 1999 Regular Session is enacted into law \$56,200

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for operating expenses for the Louisiana Child Death Review Panel \$231,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Medical Center for Family Practice Clinic in Alexandria \$300,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 127, after line 55, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to establish a central registry of treatment providers for sex offenders provided that SB 440 of the 1999 Regular Session is enacted into law \$35,000

Payable out of Federal Funds to the Community Mental Health Program for a planning grant \$150,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for a new, more effective atypical medication pilot program as proposed by the Mental Health Coalition \$500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 129, between lines 40 and 41, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$4,263"

AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 135, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$14,522"

AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 136, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$67,527"

AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 137, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$13,323"

AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 137, after line 48, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$91,884"

AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 138, between lines 32 and 33, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$46,096"

AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 139, after line 46, insert the following:

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"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$181,186"

AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 140, between lines 34 and 35, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$25,579"

AMENDMENT NO. 61

On page 141, after line 44, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$22,754"

AMENDMENT NO. 62

On page 142, line 14, delete "48,264,959" and insert "47,874,959"

AMENDMENT NO. 63

On page 144, line 40, delete "50,525,189" and insert "50,135,189"

AMENDMENT NO. 64

On page 144, line 42, delete "13,965,676" and insert "13,575,676"

AMENDMENT NO. 65

On page 144, line 49, delete "50,525,189" and insert "50,135,189"

AMENDMENT NO. 66

On page 145, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:

"Provided that of the State General Fund appropriated in this Schedule the amount of \$150,000 shall be allocated to the Infinity Network Program.

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for drug court services \$1,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 67

On page 150, between lines 38 and 39, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to establish and fund an urban component to the community-based family center provided that SB 1011 of the 1999 Regular Session is enacted into law \$200,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Sunrise Human Development \$304,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 68

On page 153, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for families of Spinal Muscular Atrophy of LA, Inc., for equipment needs of citizens \$20,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 69

On page 157, line 55, delete "4,087,456" and insert "2,987,456"

AMENDMENT NO. 70

On page 157, line 57, delete "2,890,930" and insert "3,990,930"

AMENDMENT NO. 71

On page 164, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for basin research through the Basin Research Institute \$200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 72

On page 176, after line 50, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Commercial Fishermen's Economic Assistance Fund \$875,000

Provided that this appropriation shall be null and void and of no effect if SB 1038 of the 1999 Regular Session is enacted into law."

AMENDMENT NO. 73

On page 177, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Saltwater Fishery Enforcement Fund, provided that SB 1038 of the 1999 Regular Session is enacted into law \$875,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 74

On page 177, delete lines 50 through 52 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 75

On page 178, line 6, delete "8,538,108" and insert "6,466,781"

AMENDMENT NO. 76

On page 178, line 12, delete "2,485,894" and insert "4,557,221"

AMENDMENT NO. 77

On page 178, delete lines 21 through 25 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 78

On page 178, delete lines 47 through 49 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 79

On page 179, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 80

On page 179, line 5, delete "15,390,251" and insert "15,310,251"

AMENDMENT NO. 81

On page 179, line 30, delete "15,390,251" and insert "15,310,251"

AMENDMENT NO. 82

On page 179, line 37, delete "6,460,270" and insert "6,380,270"

AMENDMENT NO. 83

On page 179, line 41, delete "15,390,251" and insert "15,310,251"

AMENDMENT NO. 84

On page 187, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that no State General Funds appropriated in this Schedule for the support of student financial aid office activities at state universities shall be available for expenditure until approved for such purpose by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget."

AMENDMENT NO. 85

On page 187, line 19, delete "71,280,589" and insert "66,280,589"

AMENDMENT NO. 86

On page 187, line 53, delete "71,280,589" and insert "66,280,589"

AMENDMENT NO. 87

On page 188, line 2, delete "20,821,850" and insert "15,821,850"

AMENDMENT NO. 88

On page 188, line 9, delete "71,280,589" and insert "66,280,589"

AMENDMENT NO. 89

On page 188, line 24, delete "11,000,000" and insert "16,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 90

On page 188, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund from Tobacco Settlement Revenues for endowed chairs and professorships \$10,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 91  
On page 188, line 33, delete "5,000,000" and insert "2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 92  
On page 188, after line 50, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications from the Higher Education Initiatives Fund, Higher Education Library and Scientific Equipment Acquisitions Account for the purpose of developing and implementing a computerized articulation system for Louisiana's higher and postsecondary education system \$150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 93  
On page 189, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund from Tobacco Settlement Revenues for Medical Research Grants \$10,000,000"

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for implementation of the Truancy Assessment and Service Center Program as a demonstration project in the parishes of Caddo and Jefferson \$785,000

Providing that LSU is responsible for all monitoring, assessment and related administrative services and as such are responsible for providing notification to the Department of Education for program approval for release of funds to approved fiscal agents. Funds to be disbursed quarterly on recommendation of LSU, of the total appropriated, \$35,000 shall be transferred to LSU for such purposes."

AMENDMENT NO. 94  
On page 190, line 15, delete "821,999,895" and insert "826,180,081"

AMENDMENT NO. 95  
On page 190, line 16, delete "821,999,895" and insert "826,180,081"

AMENDMENT NO. 96  
On page 190, line 21, delete "222,514,353" and insert "226,694,539"

AMENDMENT NO. 97  
On page 190, line 27, delete "821,999,895" and insert "826,180,081"

AMENDMENT NO. 98  
On page 191, line 22, delete "248,339,650" and insert "248,689,650"

AMENDMENT NO. 99  
On page 191, line 24, delete "248,439,650" and insert "248,789,650"

AMENDMENT NO. 100  
On page 191, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:

"EXPENDITURES:  
Provides for the reversal of the transfer of the Forensic Anthropology Enhancement Services Lab from the Office of State Police to LSU-Baton Rouge \$ 148,825"

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 148,825  
MEANS OF FINANCE:  
State General Fund (Direct) \$93,125  
State General Fund by:  
Fees and Self-generated Revenues \$5,700  
Interagency Transfer \$ 50,000  
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 148,825"

AMENDMENT NO. 101  
On page 195, line 3, delete "356,188,498" and insert "358,798,684"

AMENDMENT NO. 102  
On page 195, line 5, delete "356,288,498" and insert "358,898,684"

AMENDMENT NO. 103  
On page 196, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated in this Schedule for allocation to the LSU Medical Center Shreveport, an amount of \$250,000 shall be utilized for the operation of the David Raines Community Medical Clinic.

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the expenses of the Tumor Registry \$500,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for LSU Medical Center Shreveport for the Kidney Care Program \$400,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 104  
On page 199, line 14, delete "9,374,681" and insert "10,594,681"

AMENDMENT NO. 105  
On page 199, line 16, delete "9,474,681" and insert "10,694,681"

AMENDMENT NO. 106  
On page 213, line 31, delete "13,582" and insert "15,062"

AMENDMENT NO. 107  
On page 214, line 42, delete "15,062" and insert "13,582"

AMENDMENT NO. 108  
On page 215, line 21, delete "209,761,738" and insert "209,553,798"

AMENDMENT NO. 109  
On page 215, line 22, delete "(43)" and insert "(40)"

AMENDMENT NO. 110  
On page 215, line 23, delete "209,761,738" and insert "209,553,798"

AMENDMENT NO. 111  
On page 215, line 31, delete "36,141,605" and insert "35,933,665"

AMENDMENT NO. 112  
On page 215, line 32, delete "209,761,738" and insert "209,553,798"

AMENDMENT NO. 113  
On page 215, between lines 36 and 37, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that all salaries for administrative staff for the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges shall be reviewed and approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget prior to implementation."

AMENDMENT NO. 114  
On page 215, line 39, delete "38,696,260" and insert "38,488,320"

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AMENDMENT NO. 115

On page 216, line 42, after the word "Regents", delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 116

On page 216, line 43, delete the words "and the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget"

AMENDMENT NO. 117

On page 222, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the funding of Education and General Expenditures at River Parishes Community College \$910,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 118

On page 222, delete lines 24 through 54, and delete pages 223 through 263, and insert the following:

Table with 3 columns: Description, State General Fund, Total Financing. Rows include Louisiana Technical Colleges Education and General Expenditures, Auxillary Account, and Total.

The Board shall submit performance indicators for the system and individual systems no later than August 15, 1999."

AMENDMENT NO. 119

On page 269, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers for an inflationary adjustment \$19,984"

AMENDMENT NO. 120

On page 271, line 30, delete "88,567,962" and insert "85,567,962"

AMENDMENT NO. 121

On page 272, line 13, delete "116,850,889" and insert "113,850,889"

AMENDMENT NO. 122

On page 272, line 15, delete "87,703,911" and insert "84,703,911"

AMENDMENT NO. 123

On page 272, line 24, delete "116,850,889" and insert "113,850,889"

AMENDMENT NO. 124

On page 279, at the end of line 7, delete "23,384,326" and insert "23,934,326"

AMENDMENT NO. 125

On page 281, at the end of line 16, delete "67,143,753" and insert "67,693,753"

AMENDMENT NO. 126

On page 281, at the end of line 18, delete "33,447,319" and insert "33,997,319"

AMENDMENT NO. 127

On page 281, at the end of line 26, delete "67,143,753" and insert "67,693,753"

AMENDMENT NO. 128

On page 285, at the end of line 1, delete "51,400,432" and insert "50,850,432"

AMENDMENT NO. 129

On page 286, at the end of line 23, delete "726,137,104" and insert "725,587,104"

AMENDMENT NO. 130

On page 286, at the end of line 25, delete "75,361,870" and insert "74,811,870"

AMENDMENT NO. 131

On page 286, at the end of line 29, delete "726,137,104" and insert "725,587,104"

AMENDMENT NO. 132

On page 287, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that of the State General Fund (Direct) appropriated herein, the amount of \$270,000 allocated for the Milane education program shall be transferred to Schedule 01-100 and the Milane education program shall be administered through the Governor's Office of Urban Affairs and Development.

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the New Orleans YMCA Literacy Program \$25,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Spanish Arts Program at Cervantes Foundation Hispano-Americana de Arte \$45,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct), in the form of a loan, for start-up costs for Baker Independent School District \$400,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Volunteer Instructors Teaching Adults "VITA" \$200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 133

On page 288, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Minimum Foundation Program provided that the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education submits and the legislature approves a new formula for funding of the Minimum Foundation Program which provides for an adjustment for the reduction in school system retirement contribution costs which when combined with the appropriations contained in this Act will attain full funding of the formula \$19,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 134

On page 294, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the New Orleans Health Corporation, for three clinics \$600,000

Payable out of the State General Fund from Tobacco Settlement Revenues for the Comprehensive Care Clinic and Diabetic Foot Clinic \$969,878"

AMENDMENT NO. 135

On page 294, between lines 27 and 28, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for building rent funding \$17,611"

AMENDMENT NO. 136

On page 299, on line 1, delete "512,500" and insert "850,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 137

On page 299, on line 17, delete "27,884,544" and insert "28,222,044"

AMENDMENT NO. 138  
On page 301, on line 24, delete "512,500" and insert "850,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 139  
On page 301, on line 52, delete "27,884,544" and insert "28,222,044"

AMENDMENT NO. 140  
On page 305, after line 47, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Washington Parish Infrastructure and Park Fund to the Bogalusa Downtown Development District for infrastructure and landscape \$25,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the New Orleans Area Tourism and Economic Development to the New Orleans Police Foundation provided that SB 472 of the 1999 Regular Session is enacted into law \$300,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Washington Parish Infrastructure and Park Fund for the preservation of records at the Washington Parish Clerk of Court office \$86,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Iberia Parish Tourist Commission Fund to the Town of Jeanerette for the Jeanerette Museum \$10,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 141  
On page 309, delete lines 13 through 18 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 142  
On page 309, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Louisiana Center for the Blind Educational cooperative agreement with Louisiana Tech University and Tulane University to offer instructional courses to instructors in Blind Schools \$200,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Greater Monroe Community Center for Senior Citizens \$50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Lower Algiers Community Center, Operation 2000 and beyond \$40,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for operating expenses of the Baton Rouge Recreation and Parks Commission \$200,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Louisiana Leadership Institute program development \$100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Reverend Avery Alexander Plaza \$50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Family Life Enhancement of Ouachita \$20,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for St. Mary Parish governmental complex \$100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)

for the Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank \$50,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the Louisiana Center for the Blind at Ruston \$ 200,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the City of Richwood to upgrade police department \$30,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Terrebonne Parish governmental complex \$100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Assumption Parish governmental complex \$100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for operating expenses associated with the Bunkie Youth Center \$150,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for Tensas Rosenwald Reunion \$50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 143  
On page 315, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for basin research through the Basin Research Institute \$200,000"

On motion of Senator Hainkel, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 36—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HUDSON AND JOHNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:388(A), (E), and (F)(1), relative to oversize and overweight vehicles; to provide for penalties for failure to stop at stationary weight enforcement scales; to provide for certain exceptions; to provide relative to the disbursement of payments for various penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 47—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 19:133.1(A), relative to the authority of the Town of Colfax to expropriate property for the Aloha-Rigolette Area Louisiana Project; to extend for five years the time within which to expropriate and acquire such property; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 68—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4873(2) and to repeal R.S. 33:4873(3), relative to local government spending on advertising; to increase the maximum amount which some local governing authorities may spend for such purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 156—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FARVE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:7(24), relative to the powers and duties of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to develop and implement a pilot program to improve English and language arts instruction; to provide relative to program components; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 176—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, SCALISE, MCCALLUM, MCMAINS,  
PERKINS, ROMERO, TRAVIS, WINDHORST, WOOTON, AND THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:64(B) and to enact R.S. 14:64.3, relative to the crime of armed robbery; to provide for increases in criminal penalties; to provide for enhanced penalties for use of firearms in commission of the crime; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Reengrossed House Bill No. 176 by Representative Kennard

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 2, lines 1 and 3, before "firearm" insert "loaded"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 2, delete lines 8 through 11

On motion of Senator Jordan the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 198—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:855, relative to the State Employees' Group Benefits Program; to prohibit requiring a refund of expenditures from a plan member or health care provider on certain paid claims on the basis of ineligibility under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 228—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:51(A)(2), (3), (4), (5), (14), (17), (19), (20), (21), (22), (23), (28), (29), (32), and (33), relative to assistant district attorneys; to provide for additional assistant district attorneys for certain judicial districts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 233—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, AND  
HUNTER AND SENATORS EWING, BARHAM, DARDENNE, AND HAINKEL  
AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of Forty-two Million Seven Hundred Nineteen Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-six and No/100 (\$42,719,286.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of the state

general fund and the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand and No/100 (\$350,000.00) Dollars out of the state general fund to provide for the Legislative Auditor Ancillary Enterprise Fund, and the sum of Seven Million One Hundred Thousand and No/100 (\$7,100,000.00) Dollars out of self-generated funds, to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; and otherwise to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 265—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:80, relative to fiscal reporting; to provide for preparation of a narrative report on the annual financial position of the state; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 270—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:32(C), relative to the crime of negligent homicide; to provide for increased penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 369—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:78(A), relative to alcoholic beverage permits; to require the office of alcohol and tobacco control, upon the written request of an applicant for a permit, to obtain a certification from the Department of Revenue concerning the applicant's liability for delinquent sales taxes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 438—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1221(1)(d) and 1333, relative to workers' compensation; to provide relative to the cessation of an award of benefits based on temporary total disability; to delete the provision limiting the award of such benefits to a maximum of six months under certain conditions; to provide for acceleration of payments and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 460—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC AND SENATOR HAINKEL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(12) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(e), relative to the Department of the Treasury, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of the Treasury 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.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 465—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:40.2(E), relative to the crime of stalking; to provide for certain written notices of convictions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Engrossed House Bill No. 465 by Representative Montgomery

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, line 10, delete "or otherwise"

On motion of Senator Jordan, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 511—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH  
AN ACT

To enact Part IX of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:2320, relative to surplus property; to provide for the donation or exchange of movable surplus property between or among political subdivisions whose functions include public safety; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 567—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:327(C)(1)(a), relative to investment of state funds; to provide for investment of funds not on deposit with the state treasury in certain financial institutions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 604—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:416.12, relative to student codes of conduct; to require city and parish school boards to adopt student codes of conduct; to require compliance with existing rules, regulations, policies, and laws; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 617—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MURRAY (BY REQUEST), HEATON, AND WILLARD

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(H) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions; to authorize the State Board of Commerce and Industry to enter into tax exemption contracts, with a property owner proposing expansion, restoration, improvement, or redevelopment of an existing residential structure that is at least forty years old, certified as a blighted property located in Orleans Parish by the New Orleans Redevelopment Authority; to provide conditions for termination of such contracts; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 617 by Representatives Murray, Heaton, and Willard

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 3, line 3, after "successor," insert "in the manner provided for in Act No. 155 of the 1984 Regular Session, as amended,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 3, line 9, change "structure's use" to "use of the structure"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 4, at the end of line 7, delete the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 4, line 8, before "provides" insert "and"

On motion of Senator Barham, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 635—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WESTON, LONG, AND THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 41:1605.1, relative to the archaeological resources of the state; to create the Archaeological Curation Fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit of certain monies into the fund; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 663—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 16(A), Article IV, Section 5(G)(2), Article VII, Sections 10(B) and (C)(1), 10.1(C)(1), 10.4(A)(1), 10.5(C), 11(A) and (C), and 27(B), Article VIII, Sections 7.1(D) and 13(B), and Article X, Sections 13(A) and 51 of the Constitution of Louisiana and to repeal Act No. 1489 of the 1997 Regular Session of the Legislature, to remove limitations that exist on multiyear budgets; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 665—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, JOHN SMITH,  
HAMMETT, AND ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:55(A)(2), 56, and 59(B)(2) and (4) and (C)(2) and (4), relative to registrars of voters; to provide for a salary increase for registrars of voters, chief deputy registrars, and confidential assistants to registrars of voters; to reduce the number of population ranges for such salaries; to provide for implementation of the new salary and population ranges; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 694—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT AND WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1420, relative to unfair trade practices and consumer protection; to prohibit deceptive trade practices through the use of listings in telephone directories or other directory databases; to limit the liability of providers of directories; to provide for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 726—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHOT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1787(H) and (I), relative to enterprise zone and economic development zone incentives; to provide for the participation of certain businesses; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 743—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 930.8(A)(introductory paragraph) and (3), relative to the time limit for filing applications for post-conviction relief; to require the filing of those applications within one year after the judgment of conviction and sentence has become final; to provide with respect to certain applications for post-conviction relief filed on or before October 1, 2000; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Reengrossed House Bill No. 743 by Representative Crane

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, line 5, change "one year" to "two years"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 1, line 15, change "one year" to "two years"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 2, line 6, change "2000" to "2001"

On motion of Senator Jordan, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the

Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 844—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND AND BRUCE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:35.2, relative to crimes; to create the crime of simple battery of the infirm; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Engrossed House Bill No. 844 by Representative Durand

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 2, at the end of line 2 add "Lack of knowledge of the person's age shall not be a defense."

On motion of Senator Jordan, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 881—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:416(I), relative to student discipline; to provide for the authority of school administrators and certain others to discipline pupils in specified circumstances; to provide limitations; to provide alternatives; to provide for effectiveness; to provide definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 897—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX AND DANIEL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:315.4 and 1711, relative to local sales and use tax; to authorize certain tax credits for sales and use taxes paid if there is a waiver of the homestead exemption; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 897 by Representative Fauchaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 2, line 22, change "January" to "July"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 3, delete lines 5 through 8 in their entirety and insert the following:

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

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the

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Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1033—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:1001, relative to ferries; to prohibit the appropriation of state funds for operation and maintenance of the Monkey Island Ferry located in Cameron Parish; to authorize transfer of the ferry by the Department of Transportation and Development to Cameron Parish; to provide for certain conditions for the transfer; to authorize compensation to residents for their land; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1077—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DONELON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 29 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9061, relative to neighborhood improvement districts; to authorize the governing authority of Jefferson Parish to create a special district for security purposes in the Elmwood Park Subdivision in Metairie; to provide for the creation and governance of the district as provided by the parish home rule charter; to require voter approval of any district tax; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1081—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPRE, FLAVIN, GAUTREAU, HEBERT, JACK SMITH, ALARIO, DAMICO, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOWNER, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, FRUGE, MARTINY, MCMAINS, MICHOT, RIDDLE, SCHWEGMANN, THERIOT, TRICHE, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS BARHAM, DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:213.7(B)(2), relative to the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund; to provide for the deposit and credit of certain mineral revenues in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1092—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4569.1(A)(2) and (D)(1) and 4569.3(1), relative to the Iberville Parish Parks and Recreation District; to authorize the payment of per diem to the citizen members of the board of commissioners; to provide relative to board membership; to provide relative to title to property of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1112—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3530(F), relative to consumer credit; to provide for convenience fees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the

Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1177—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2711.11.1, relative to municipal sales and use taxes; to authorize the governing body of the city of Monroe to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax, subject to voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1188—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHWEGMANN, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, CRANE, AND WELCH AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, SCHEDLER, AND LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:111(A)(8) and to enact R.S. 43:111(A)(9), relative to state advertisements; to provide that the office of community services in the Department of Social Services may expend public funds to advertise for the recruitment of foster or adoptive parents; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1198—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, FRITH, MICHOT, MURRAY, PINAC, NEVERS, POWELL, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, TRAVIS, WESTON, AND WINSTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9036, relative to cooperative economic development; to authorize the state or any agency or corporation acting on behalf of the state to undertake cooperative development projects in certain downtown development districts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1217—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAYLOR, DUPRE, AND PIERRE

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 33:2556(1)(d), relative to fire and police civil service; to repeal provisions relative to provisional employees acquiring permanent status in the classified service.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1242—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 11 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:2251 through 2262, relative to the creation of an authority to provide certain financial assistance for public schools; to create the Louisiana Education Facilities Authority as a political subdivision of the state; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1244 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 929)—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHWEGMANN AND SENATOR JOHNSON AND  
COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES COPELIN AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1992(F)(2)(b) and (c), relative to the assessment of movable and immovable property in Orleans Parish; to change the time period for filing a complaint regarding an assessment with the board of review; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1262—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES GAUTREAU, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS,  
DIEZ, CRANE, DURAND, HEBERT, LEBLANC, MARIONNEAUX, MCCAIN,  
QUEZAIRE, JACK SMITH, DANIEL, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, FRUGE, HILL,  
MICHOT, SCHNEIDER, AND TRICHE AND SENATORS DARDENNE,  
EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, SCHEDLER, GREENE, ROMERO, AND  
SIRACUSA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2000.4 and to enact R.S. 30:2000.9 and 2000.10, relative to the Atchafalaya Basin Program; to provide for a capital improvement program; to provide for the operation and maintenance of projects under the capital improvement program; to provide for the powers and duties related thereto; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1275—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:33(B), relative to budgetary controls; to provide for the inclusion in the executive budget of budget requests prepared by the commissioner of administration on behalf of delinquent budget units; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1293—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNARD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 646, relative to examination of criminal defendants by experts; to provide for an independent examination by a physician or mental health expert; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1302—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES STELLY AND FLAVIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1501.4, relative to Calcasieu Parish fire protection districts; to provide that whenever an area served by a fire protection district is annexed into a municipality, if a portion of the ad valorem tax avails is pledged to the retirement of indebtedness, that portion of the ad valorem tax shall not be abated; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1353—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESTON  
AN ACT

To enact Part XX of Chapter 2 of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3578.1 through 3578.5, relative to credit cards; to provide for registration of credit card companies on college campuses; to prohibit certain debt collection actions; to provide for violations and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1378—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD AND MORRELL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(E) and (F) and to enact R.S. 44:9(G), relative to expungement or destruction of criminal records; to provide for the procedure for the expungement of records; to provide for maintenance of records for certain purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1378 by Representative Kennard

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 3, line 5, between "agency" and "." insert ", criminal justice agency, the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners, the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry or the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 3, line 6, after "agency" insert ", criminal justice agency, the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners, the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry or the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists."

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 3, at the end of line 9 change "and" to "agencies," and at the end of line 10, change the "." to ", the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners, the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry or the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists."

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 3, line 14, delete "No" and insert "Except to those agencies listed in Subsection G of this Section, no"

On motion of Senator Jordan, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1424—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CRANE, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND  
DIEZ AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND  
SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:200.1, relative to state agencies; to provide relative to the obligation of certain agencies in the executive branch of state government to respond to provide certain items under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1480—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3572.3(A)(1) and (2) and (B), relative to consumer loan brokers; to provide for an annual fee for licensure and renewal; to provide for a change of information and a fee; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1503—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON, KENNEY, LONG, MCDONALD, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BARTON, BAYLOR, BRUCE, CARTER, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DEWITT, DIEZ, DUPRE, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FONTENOT, FRITH, HILL, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, JENKINS, KENNARD, LANDRIEU, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCMAINS, MONTGOMERY, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERKINS, PRATT, RIDDLE, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WILLARD, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.2(D), to permit city and parish school boards to establish and implement incentive compensation programs for board employees providing for monetary awards; to provide for written policies and procedures; to provide for applicability; to provide guidelines for determining performance; to provide definitions; to provide relative to such monetary awards and other employee rights and benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1505—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES NEVERS AND POWELL AND SENATOR THOMAS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2711.15, relative to municipal sales and use taxes; to authorize the governing body of the city of Bogalusa to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax, subject to voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1576—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1578.7, relative to fire safety and prevention; to adopt a State Uniform Fire Prevention Code; to provide for adoption of the same code by political subdivisions of the state; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations by the state fire marshal; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1598—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2495(B)(2) and 2555(B)(2), relative to fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the formal training required of certain entry level employees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1599—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2218(J), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System, but only applicable to members whose employing municipality elects coverage; to provide with respect to service credit and benefits; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1601—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574(A)(2)(oo) and 4574.1-A(A)(1)(oo), relative to the creation of tourist commissions for certain parishes; to create tourist commissions composed of all the territory in certain parishes as special districts to promote tourism within their jurisdictions; to provide for the authority to levy hotel occupancy taxes for the operation of the tourist commissions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1644—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, WINDHORST, HUDSON, AND MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:114, relative to riverboat gaming; to provide that electronic gaming devices on licensed riverboats shall be linked by telecommunication to a central computer system for purposes of monitoring and reading device activities; to provide for the assessment and collection of fees; to provide for the adoption of rules; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1660—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1081(A) and 1089, to enact R.S. 36:409(K) and Chapter 23 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2501 through 2505, and to repeal R.S. 36:259(N), relative to the creation of the Interagency Recreation Board; to create the board in the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, authority, and responsibilities of the board and the power and authority of the department; to authorize the board to construct, maintain, and operate certain recreational facilities on state land to provide recreation for state employees, patients at state institutions in rural areas, and citizens of Louisiana; to provide training and rehabilitation for inmates under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for planning for and monitoring of the effectiveness of the facilities by the board; to authorize the transfer of the supervision, management, and use of certain state-owned lands, including timber, to the board; to authorize the board to sell timber on lands under its jurisdiction and to provide procedures therefor, including provisions for the use of the proceeds thereof for board purposes; to create and provide for the Interagency Recreation Board fund; to authorize the board to contract for maintenance and management of facilities as necessary or appropriate to implement its purposes and functions; and to provide for related matters.

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Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1686—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2233.3, relative to the small business procurement act; to provide for certain set-asides for economically disadvantaged businesses providing goods and services to the city of Shreveport; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1715—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart D of Part II of Chapter 4 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:2101, relative to the provision of fire protection services; to authorize certain political subdivisions, subject to voter approval, to contract with private companies for the provision of such services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1724—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:312(A), R.S. 39:134(C) and 1484(4)(b), and R.S. 46:2664(E)(3) and to repeal Part V of Chapter 2 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 24:141, and R.S. 39:136 and 1554(G)(1) and R.S. 45:803, relative to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; to delete certain obsolete and nonessential duties of the committee; and to provide for related matters. Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1725—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(a)(introductory paragraph), (b), (c), and (d), (2), (3), (4)(introductory paragraph) and (a), (B)(2)(introductory paragraph), (3)(introductory paragraph) and (a), (C)(2)(f), (D)(introductory paragraph), (E), and (R) and to repeal R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(2)(d), relative to the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for eligibility requirements, including residency and attainment of certain academic standards for continued program participation; to provide for award payments, including purposes and use; to provide limitations on certain award payments and for their effectiveness; to provide for program administration; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1734—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2586, relative to fire and police civil service; to provide relative to incentive pay; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1743—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:3953, 3956, 3965, 3982, 4043, and 4044 and to enact Subpart F of Part I of Chapter 9 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:3980.1, relative to the funding of sewerage systems; to express legislative findings and intent; to authorize the levy of ad valorem taxes or parcel fees to fund sewerage systems; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1752—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAISSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894(B) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894(A)(5) and (D), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide for storage of records; to provide for a storage and retrieval fee of records; to require proof of retention of records before setting aside a conviction; to require the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, to be the repository of the records and to maintain them for ten years; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Engrossed House Bill No. 1752 by Representative Chaisson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 15 add "be confidential, except as otherwise," delete line 16, and on line 17, delete "other than as"

On motion of Senator Jordan, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1762—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:522(C)(introductory paragraph) and (10), R.S. 39:31(C)(8), 87.3(A) and (C), and 87.4(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 39:2(46) and (47), relative to performance-based budgeting; to provide relative to evaluation methods; to define certain terms; to provide with respect to certain reporting dates; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1793—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALEXANDER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.10, relative to certain municipalities; to provide with respect to the powers and duties of the chief of police; to authorize said officer to effect certain disciplinary actions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 1793 by Representative Alexander

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 33:" and before "423.10" insert "365 and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "duties of the" and before "chief" insert "governing authority of certain municipalities and of a"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "actions;" and before "and to" insert "to authorize the naming of a certain town hall;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert:

"Section 1. R.S. 33:365 and 423.10 are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§365. Naming of town hall in certain municipalities

Notwithstanding R.S. 14:316 or any other law to the contrary, any governing authority in any municipality having a population of between four thousand three hundred five and four thousand three hundred ten according to population estimates of the U.S. Bureau of the Census from April 1, 1990 through July 1, 1996 may name its town hall after Richard Zuber, its former long-time mayor.

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AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete line 7 in its entirety

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1851—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2494(G), relative to fire and police civil service; to require that certain vacancies in classified positions be filled within a specified time period; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1874—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2165(A), 2166(A)(3), and 2170(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 37:2156.1(A)(10) and 2166(B), relative to the State Licensing Board for Contractors; to provide for new classifications of licenses; to provide relative to membership of certain committees; to provide relative to continuing education; to provide for certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1874 by Representative Schneider

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, delete "and 2166(B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, change "and 2166(B) are" to "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 22, delete "A."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete lines 8 through 15

On motion of Senator Hollis, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1877—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:522(B) and (G) and to enact Part I-A of Chapter 2 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:81 through 85, and R.S. 24:522(J), relative to judicial budget and performance accountability; to provide for the strategic planning process of the supreme court, appellate courts, district courts, and other courts; to provide for performance information provisions relative to the several courts; to provide for performance information reporting; to provide relative to certain budgetary requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1880—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact and as amended to arrange in proper statutory form and incorporate into the statutes the provisions of Article XIV, Section 15.1(21)(d) and (h), 24(c), and 28 of the Constitution of 1921, continued as statute by Article X, Section 18 of the Constitution of 1974, by amending and reenacting R.S. 33:2491(D) and (H), 2494(C), and 2498, to amend and reenact R.S. 33:2551(4) and (8), 2554(C), and 2558, and to repeal R.S. 33:2491.1, relative to fire and police civil service; to provide relative to promotions within the police service and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1883—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE AND DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2476(C)(2) and 2536(C)(2), relative to fire and police civil service; to provide relative to membership on local civil service boards; to provide relative to nominations made by the executive head of an institution of higher education; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1899—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:771(1) and (9) and to enact R.S. 32:771(19), (20), (21), and (22), 773.1(A)(2)(m) and (n), and 773.2(E), relative to the sale of certain marine and motorcycle products regulated by the Louisiana Used Motor Vehicle and Parts Commission; to provide for certain prohibited activities; to provide

for certain appeals to the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1899 by Representative Travis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(9)" and before "and" insert "and 773.2(D)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, after "(9)" and before "are" insert "and 773.2(D)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 16, after "Chapter" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 17 in its entirety and insert "a marine and all-terrain vehicle"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

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

"(c) A motorcycle dealer's area of responsibility shall mean the area within a thirty mile radius of the location of his dealership."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"D. Prior to making a change in the area of responsibility described in the franchise, selling, or other contractual agreement or sales and service agreement of a dealer, the franchisor or manufacturer shall give said dealer and the commission no less than sixty days prior written notice by certified or registered mail. However, this Subsection shall not apply to the franchise, selling or other contractual agreement or sales and service agreement of a marine, motorcycle or all-terrain vehicle dealer without the consent of such dealer."

On motion of Senator Hollis, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1933—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIEZ, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:962(B)(2), (3), and (4), 991.1(B)(4), and 1049(B)(1) through (4), and to enact R.S. 34:962(C), 991.1(C), and 1049(C), relative to river pilots; to provide for the submission of annual reports; to provide for submission of accident reports involving state property; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1955—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUNTER AND MARIONNEAUX AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:164.2, relative to school buses used to transport students; to require that certain buses be equipped with occupant restraint systems; to provide relative to rules and regulations of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide relative to compliance and funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1976—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2212(G), relative to employees of a municipal police department; to provide for a salary increase for members of the police department of the city of Monroe; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2051—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1498(D), relative to fire protection districts; to provide relative to per diem paid to members of the governing boards of certain districts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 2051 by Representative Hudson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, between "district" and "wholly" insert "located"

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2076—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PERKINS AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.29(A), 322.9(A), and 332.2(A) and to enact R.S. 47:302.45, 322.39, and 332.45, relative to the state sales tax on hotel occupancy collected in certain political subdivisions within East Baton Rouge Parish; to revise the dedication of a portion of such monies; to create the Baker Economic Development Fund; to provide for deposit of monies into the fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2084—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINDHORST, BRUCE, DUPRE, DURAND, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, HEBERT, ILES, LONG, MONTGOMERY, NEVERS, POWELL, SALTER, THOMPSON, WADDELL, WESTON, WILKERSON, AND WILLARD AN ACT

To enact Part V-B of Chapter 2 of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3541.23 through 3541.25, relative to credit card solicitations; to provide relative to telephone solicitation of cardholders; to provide relative to the transmission of preprinted checks, cash advance checks, credit card checks, or any other similar instruments to cardholders; to provide for violations and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

## SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2084 by Representative Windhorst

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 4, delete "to" and on line 5 delete "provide relative to telephone solicitation of cardholders:"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 14 through 16 and insert the following:

"§3541.23 Application and billing statement requirements

Any lender credit card company, seller credit card company, or any other credit card company shall include a box on any credit card application form and on any billing statement which may be checked by the cardholder indicating that the cardholder does not want preprinted checks, cash advance checks, credit card checks, or any other instrument that allows a cardholder to draw on the credit limit of his credit card account to be sent to his address via the mail."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 26

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 10

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 15, after "shall" delete the remainder of the line, and delete lines 16 through 22

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the beginning of line 23, delete "(3)" and change "Send" to "send"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 1, after "account" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 2, and insert: "if the cardholder has indicated that he does not want to receive such instruments by marking the box on his application form or on his billing statement as provided for in R.S. 9:3541.23 and returning it to the company."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 12, after "cardholders" delete the remainder of the line, and on line 13, delete "have been released, or"

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2088—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE STELLY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:102.1, relative to the regulation of amateur radio antennas; to provide that no parish or municipality may enact or enforce an ordinance or regulation that is in conflict with the ruling of the Federal Communications Commission or other regulations related to amateur radio service adopted under federal law; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2098—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217.2(D), to provide relative to the operation of vending stands, vending machines, and other concessions at Delgado Community College, including limitations on fees, service charges, or other operating costs; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2121—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAUDOIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4875.1, relative to the exercise of police powers by local governmental subdivisions; to authorize parish and municipal governing authorities to adopt ordinances regulating the enclosure of swimming pools; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2106—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WALSWORTH, TRICHE, AND WELCH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:288, relative to veterans affairs; to provide educational benefits for children of certain veterans; to provide conditions and for certain determinations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2125—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4576(B)(3), relative to the West Calcasieu Parish Community Center Authority; to provide relative to the governance of the authority including the terms of members; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

## SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 2125 by Representative Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "(B)(3)" to "(B)(1) and (3) and to enact R.S. 33:4576(B)(2)(f) and (g)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "including the" and before "terms" insert "appointments and "

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, delete "(B)(3) is hereby amended and reenacted" and insert "(B)(1) and (3) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 33:4576(B)(2)(f) and (g) are hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 15, after "B." insert the following:

"(1) The authority shall consist of ~~five~~ seven members. The members of the authority shall serve without compensation.

(2) The members shall be appointed as follows:"

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AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, after line 16, insert the following:

"(f) One member shall be appointed by the member of the House of Representative whose district comprises at least ninety percent of the voting populations of Wards 4, 5, 6, and 7 combined, which appointment shall be made before January 1, 2000.

(g) One member shall be appointed by the member of the Senate whose district comprises at least ninety percent of the voting populations of Wards 4, 5, 6, and 7 combined, which appointment shall be made before January 1, 2000."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 3, after "years" and before "except" insert "beginning in the year 2003,"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, change "member" to "members" and change "Subparagraph (e)" to "Subparagraphs (a) and (b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the beginning of line 6, change "and (d)" to ", (d), and (e)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 11, delete "This Act shall become effective on January 1, 2000."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 12, after "positions" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "previously filled on the authority, shall continue at the pleasure of the appointing authority."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, delete line 13 in its' entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, at the beginning of line 14, delete "appointed and qualified." and change "mayor of Sulphur" to "legislative delegation"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

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

"Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2135—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FARVE, WILLARD, BAUDOIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DOERGE, KENNEY, LONG, MCDONALD, SALTER, AND WRIGHT  
AN ACT

Proposing to enact R.S. 17:2118, relative to school prayer; to provide for an opportunity for students and teachers to observe time each school day in prayer or meditation; to provide certain limitations; to provide that the electorate may adopt or reject such school prayer law by referendum; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Engrossed House Bill No. 2135 by Representative Farve

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 7, change "congressional primary" to "gubernatorial general"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 8, change "2000" to "1999"

On motion of Senator Greene, the committee amendment was adopted. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2137—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:31(F), R.S. 51:2380(D), 2381(A), and 2382(B)(6) and to enact R.S. 39:31(A)(3) and R.S. 51:2383(A)(12), relative to executive branch strategic and operational plans; to provide for information used by departments to develop strategic and operational plans for budget development purposes; to provide for reporting requirements and submission deadlines of certain master plans; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2156—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS, ALEXANDER, CARTER, DAMICO, FRITH, HEBERT, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MCCAIN, MICHOT, MONTGOMERY, MORRISH, PIERRE, PINAC, SCHWEGMANN, THERIOT, THOMPSON, AND WARNER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:1121(B)(2)(introductory paragraph), relative to pilotage fee commissions; to provide relative to composition of the commissions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2161—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:797(C) and 798(B), relative to investment of certain special funds; to authorize investment of the Rockefeller Foundation Wildlife Refuge and Game Preserve Fund and the Russell Sage or Marsh Island Refuge Fund in stocks, bonds, and certain government securities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2166—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:313, relative to offenses affecting the public generally; to provide an exception to wearing masks or hoods in public; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2167—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WELCH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:93.4(C), relative to the crime of exploitation of the infirmed; to provide that a person convicted of the offense or who enters a plea agreement for the offense shall be prohibited from having access to any aged or disabled persons power of attorney, guardianship, assets, or property; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2205—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 29 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9061, relative to neighborhood improvement districts; to authorize the governing authority of Jefferson Parish to create a special district for security purposes in the Ferran Place-Courtland Heights area in Metairie; to provide for the creation and governance of the district as provided by the parish home rule charter; to require voter approval of any district tax or parcel fee; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2213—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(B) and (D) and R.S. 17:15, relative to the provision of information to protect children; to authorize the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to establish certain requirements and procedures for the state Department of Education to request and obtain specified criminal history background information on applicants for or recipients of any certificate or license issued by the department or by the board in accordance with state law or board policy; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information relative to requests required by law from educational entities for individual criminal history information; to provide for the payment of processing fees; to provide for the submission of certain records by school principals to the state superintendent of education regarding the placement of certain persons in any position of supervisory or disciplinary authority over school children; to provide for the submission of certain records by public school superintendents to the state superintendent of education regarding the dismissal of teachers and other school employees as required by law for specified reasons and any reemployment of such persons; to provide definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2235—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574(G), relative to tourist commissions; to authorize tourist commissions to enter into contracts for the employment of an executive director; to provide the terms of the contract; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2274— (Substitute for House Bill No. 1082 by Representative Glover)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2476.1, relative to the municipal fire and police civil service board in Shreveport; to provide relative to the composition of such board; to provide relative to the terms of members and vacancies on such board; to provide relative to a quorum; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2275— (Substitute for House Bill No. 1086 by Representatives Martiny, Ansardi, Bowler, Green, and Lancaster and Senator Hollis)**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY, ANSARDI, BOWLER, GREEN, LANCASTER, AND DURAND AND SENATOR HOLLIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.11(A)(1)(c), R.S. 40:1742, and R.S. 46:2583(A) and to enact R.S. 40:1742.1 relative to parking for disabled persons; to provide relative to fines for violations of disabled person parking regulations and to the distribution of monies collected from such fines; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2276— (Substitute for House Bill No. 1966 by Representative Wiggins)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.46, relative to the city of Pineville; to create the Pineville Downtown Development District; to provide relative to the governance of such district; to provide for the authority of the district, including the preparation of redevelopment plans and the execution of redevelopment programs; to provide relative to funds for the district including funds from taxes, contributions, and the issuance of bonds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 3 of the Rules of the Senate, the bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**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 9, 1999

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 Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

June 9, 1999

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—  
BY SENATOR HAINKEL AND REPRESENTATIVES SCALISE AND DOWNER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and provide with respect to the Louisiana Oil and Gas Job Retention Task Force to develop and make recommendations with respect to a strategic plan to retain jobs in Louisiana.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—  
BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request additional funding for a fisheries data collection program and a detailed, historical study on price trends in the shrimping industry.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 62—  
BY SENATORS HINES, BAOJIE, CASANOVA, DYESS, IRONS, LANDRY AND SCHEDLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and provide with respect to the Gene Therapy Research Center Task Force established during the 1998 Regular Session pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87—  
BY SENATOR SIRACUSA

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and the House Committee on the Administration of Criminal Justice to meet jointly to study the issues regarding the recognition by the state of the Grand Caillou/Dulac Band of Biloxi-Chitimacha, the Isle de Jean Charles Band of Biloxi-Chitimacha, and the Lower Lafourche Band of Biloxi-Chitimacha, and the Pointe-aux-Chien Indian tribe as Indian tribes in Louisiana and the Biloxi-Chitimacha Confederation of Muskogees, Incorporated as a Confederation of Indian Tribes of Louisiana and to make a recommendation to the legislature on whether such recognition should occur.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 91—  
BY SENATORS LAMBERT, DYESS, IRONS, LANDRY, SCHEDLER, SMITH AND THOMAS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to adopt the safety standards for helmets to be approved for use by persons required to wear helmets when operating or riding a motorcycle or motor driven cycle in the state.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95—  
BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State University Agricultural Center to examine the possibility of developing a special fisheries class as part of the Louisiana Agricultural Leadership Development Program.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 113—  
BY SENATOR CAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development to study the long term effects of taking water from public water sources to be used for commercial purposes.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 152—  
BY SENATOR JONES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Earline Lambert Victorian and to reflect on her contributions to her friends, family, church and community.

Respectfully submitted,  
JAY DARDENNE  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions 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 9, 1999

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. 142—  
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN AND REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1994(B)(16) and (35), relative to postsecondary vocational-technical education; to rename the Louisiana Technical College-Jefferson Davis Campus as the Louisiana Technical College-Morgan Smith Campus; to rename the Louisiana Technical College - South Louisiana Campus as the Louisiana Technical College - L.E. Fletcher Campus; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 263—  
BY SENATORS BARHAM, DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, DEWITT, DOWNER AND MCMAINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(12) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(d), relative to the Department of Revenue, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Revenue 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 316 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 841)—  
BY SENATOR COX AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1321 and 1322(B) and to enact R.S. 11:1305(C), relative to benefits payable from the State Police Pension and Retirement System; to provide with respect to service credit and benefits of certain unclassified employees; to provide for the resumption of survivor benefits after the dissolution of a remarriage; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 365 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 744)—  
BY SENATOR LENTINI AND REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1484.2(8) and 1484.11(5), relative to amusement attractions and rides; to exempt air-supported structures from inspection and regulation by the state fire marshall; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 373 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1869)—  
BY SENATOR IRONS AND REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD AND COAUTHORED BY SENATORS CAIN, CAMPBELL, HINES, SMITH, THEUNISSEN, ULLO, HOLLIS AND JOHNSON AND REPRESENTATIVES BRUCE, FRITH, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BRUNEAU, CARTER, CHAISSON, CLARKSON, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DIEZ, DIMOS, DOERGE, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRUGE, GLOVER, GULLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, JENKINS, JETSON, JOHNS, KENNARD, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, McDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MITCHELL, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, STELLY, THOMPSON,

THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRAVIS, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH,  
WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, AND WRIGHT  
AN ACT

To enact Part IX of Chapter 20 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:3391.1 through 3391.13, relative to a Formosan Termite Initiative project; to provide for a short title; to provide for purposes and legislative intent; to provide for the powers and duties of the commissioner; to provide for cooperative agreements and funding; to provide for quarantines; to provide for suppression zones and control programs; to provide for entry into premises and inspections; to provide for investigations; to provide for regulated articles and stop orders; to provide for enforcement and civil penalties; to create the Formosan Termite Initiative Fund; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 379—**  
BY SENATOR DYESS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1501(A) relative to fire protection districts; to authorize elections to levy ad valorem taxes for the purpose of paying for the cost of fire protection services and emergency medical services; to define "emergency medical service"; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 448—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1157(B), relative to ethics; to require the Board of Ethics staff to send a notice of delinquency of required filings only when the staff knows or has reason to know a filing is due; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 452—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE AND REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU AND LANCASTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1102(25) and 1116(C), relative to ethics; to provide a definition of "regulatory employee"; to prohibit regulatory employees from participating in certain transactions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 492—**  
BY SENATOR THOMAS (BY REQUEST)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56: 302.3(B)(2) and (B)(4), relative to recreational gear use; to provide that the mobility impaired may use a slat trap or a hoop net to catch catfish for home consumption; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 535 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 189)—**

BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE DUPRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:495.1(F)(1), relative to wildlife and fisheries; to provide relative to shrimping vessels and nets; to provide certain total maximums per vessel; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 537 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 1758)—**

BY SENATOR ROBICHAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE DUPRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:332(C)(1), (E), (G) and (H), and to enact R.S. 56:8(28.1) and (28.2), relative to fishing; to provide relative to methods and requirements for the taking of crabs; to provide relative to crab traps and disposal of crab traps; to provide requirements and penalties; to provide definitions; to provide for effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 550 (DUPLICATE OF HOUSE BILL NO. 500)—**

BY SENATOR ROMERO AND REPRESENTATIVE GAUTREAUX AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES MARIONNEAUX AND DURAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:322(I), relative to crawfish traps; to provide for the minimum mesh size for commercial crawfish traps; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 604—**  
BY SENATOR BEAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2363(12), (13), (14), and (15) and 2369(E)(3) and to enact R.S. 30:2363(16), relative to hazardous materials information, preparedness, and response; to provide for definitions, terms, reporting requirements, and exemptions under the Right-to-Know Law; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 739—**  
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1(A)(introductory paragraph), 3(A), and 385.1, relative to municipalities; to provide relative to the incorporation of municipalities; to provide for the qualifications of an elected chief of police of a village; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 789—**  
BY SENATOR THOMAS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1234(G), (H), and (I), relative to duties of emergency medical personnel; to provide that violations of such duties shall constitute a misdemeanor; to provide for emergency medical service protocol in parishes without organized or functional medical societies; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to promulgate rules relative to statewide emergency medical service protocols; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 879 (Duplicate of House Bill No. 784)—**  
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVE WINDHORST

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(E)(2) and the introductory paragraph of 311(A), relative to video draw poker device operations; to provide for a license term of five years; to remove a sixty-day limitation on operations when licensed establishments are sold; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1048 (Substitute for SB No. 928 by Senator Johnson)—**

BY SENATOR JOHNSON AND REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:109(R), the heading of Chapter 20 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and R.S. 51:1751, 1752(1), (2), (3), (4) and (5), 1753(A), (B)(2), (3), and (4), 1754(A), 1755(A) and (D), 1756(1), (2), (5), and (6), 1757, 1758, 1760(A) and (B), 1761, 1764, 1765(A) and (C)(2), and to enact R.S. 51:1755(F), relative to economic development; to provide for the Louisiana Small and Emerging Business Act; to provide for applications; to provide for certification; to provide for duties; to provide for reports; to provide for complaints; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1069—**  
BY SENATOR DYESS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1-A(A)(1)(b) and 4574.5(A), relative to recreational facilities; to increase the percentage of rent or fee charged for hotel occupancy to fund the Alexandria/Pineville Area Convention and Visitors Bureau; to increase membership on said bureau; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,  
JAY DARDENNE  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Bills were signed by the President of the Senate.

Message to the Secretary of State

SIGNED  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 1999

To the Honorable Secretary of State:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 146—

BY SENATOR SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana forestry industry, loggers and landowners for their commitment to Louisiana's forests.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 147—

BY SENATORS JORDAN, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BEAN, BOISSIERE, BRANCH, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CASANOVA, COX, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DYESS, ELLINGTON, EWING, C. FIELDS, W. FIELDS, GREENE, HAINKEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, IRONS, JOHNSON, JONES, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LENTINI, MALONE, ROBICHAUX, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SIRACUSA, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, THOMAS AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVES BAUDOIN, LEBLANC, MICHOT AND PIERRE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To offer condolences of the Louisiana Legislature upon the death of Judge Jerome E. Domengeaux.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 150—

BY SENATORS JONES, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BEAN, BOISSIERE, BRANCH, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CASANOVA, COX, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DYESS, ELLINGTON, EWING, C. FIELDS, W. FIELDS, GREENE, HAINKEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, IRONS, JOHNSON, JORDAN, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LENTINI, MALONE, ROBICHAUX, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SIRACUSA, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, THOMAS AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BARTON, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, CARTER, CHAISSON, CLARKSON, COPELIN, CRANE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DEVILLE, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DUPRE, DURAND, FARVE, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FONTENOT, FRITH, FRUGE, GAUTREUX, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, ILES, JENKINS, JETSON, JOHNS, KENNARD, KENNEY, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MCCAIN, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MICHOT, MITCHELL, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, THERIOT, THOMPSON, THORNHILL, TOOMY, TRAVIS, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WARNER, WELCH, WESTON, WIGGINS, WILKERSON, WILLARD, WINDHORST, WINSTON, WOOTON AND WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To extend the condolences of the Louisiana Legislature on behalf of the members of the legislature, past and present, on behalf of the regions of elected officials who served under Governor McKeithen's leadership, and on behalf of all the citizens of the state to the family of Governor John Julian McKeithen.

Respectfully submitted,  
MICHAEL S. BAER, III  
Secretary of the Senate

Message to the Governor

SIGNED SENATE BILLS

June 9, 1999

To the Honorable Governor of the State of Louisiana:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Bills:

SENATE BILL NO. 336—

BY SENATORS BAJOIE, C. FIELDS AND W. FIELDS AND REPRESENTATIVES BAYLOR, CLARKSON, COPELIN, CURTIS, FARVE, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HOLDEN, HUDSON, HUNTER, JETSON, MITCHELL, MORRELL, MURRAY, PIERRE, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, WELCH, WESTON, WILKERSON AND WILLARD

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 17-C of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:841 through 844, and R.S. 36:209(B)(3), relative to state museums; to provide for the creation of the Louisiana Civil Rights Museum; to establish this museum as part of the state museum system; to establish New Orleans as the place of domicile for the Louisiana Civil Rights Museum; to place the museum within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 354—

BY SENATORS JONES, DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ AND CRANE

AN ACT

To direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to change certain references in the law in matters of workforce development; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 737—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:1904(C) and to enact R.S. 34:1903(F), relative to navigation and shipping; to provide relative to the debts and obligations of the Columbia Port Commission; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 881—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1181, relative to workers' compensation; to require insurers to forward an insured's experience record and other statistical information to national rating organizations; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1013—

BY SENATOR THOMAS

AN ACT

To authorize and empower the secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development to transfer title to a certain described parcel of land in St. Tammany Parish to the St. Tammany Parish Police Jury; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1104—

BY SENATORS MALONE AND SIRACUSA

AN ACT

To authorize the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals, for and on behalf of the state of Louisiana, to negotiate and to enter into a contract of exchange, conveyance, renunciation of conditions, assignment, transfer or other appropriate contract whereby all the heirs or legatees of the donor or donors of the parcel of ground upon which the Pines Treatment Center is located in Caddo Parish, Louisiana, will forever release the state of Louisiana and any of its ancestors in title from the conditions contained in the donation or donations through which the state of Louisiana acquired the parcel of ground for and in consideration of

the transfer by the state of Louisiana of parts of the said parcel of ground to the said heirs or legatees of said donor or donors; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 1107—  
BY SENATOR COX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:116(C)(2), relative to hunting; to provide for the use of scopes on muzzle loaders for certain hunters; and to provide for related matters.

and they are hereby presented for executive approval.

Respectfully submitted,  
MICHAEL S. BAER, III  
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 1999

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. 271—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Qualifying Undisputed Existence Excellence and Noble Standards (Q.U.E.E.N.S.) for its exemplary efforts to equip young ladies with the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in their endeavors.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 274—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON AND SENATOR HAINKEL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mandeville Middle School upon being designated a 1999 Creative Ticket School of Excellence by the Louisiana Alliance for Arts Education.

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 9, 1999

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. 97—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1-A(A)(1)(v), relative to the Pointe Coupee Parish Tourist Commission; to increase the maximum rate of the hotel occupancy tax which the commission may levy; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 105—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND KENNARD AND SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:387.11, relative to special permits; to provide for special permits for transporting portable and modular buildings on interstate highways; to provide for certain width restrictions; to provide for certain speed restrictions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 120 (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 385)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPRE AND SENATOR IRONS AND COAUTHORED BY SENATORS LANDRY, SCHEDLER, AND SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:407(A)(2), relative to drivers' licenses; to authorize the issuance of a Class "E" intermediate driver's license to minors under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 122—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARIONNEAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:2453(B), relative to the Pointe Coupee Port, Harbor and Terminal District; to provide for the number of meetings of the board of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 363—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:387(C)(3)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (b)(introductory paragraph), relative to harvest season permits; to authorize a harvest season permit for vehicles transporting brewer's grain; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 407—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:302.3(D) and to repeal R.S. 56:302.3(B)(2), relative to hoop nets; to repeal the authorization to use hoop nets with a recreational gear fishing license; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 427—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ODINET  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:610(B)(7) and R.S. 56:421, relative to the Oyster Task Force; to establish the Oyster Task Force as a statutory entity; to continue its membership; to continue its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities; to continue its source of funding; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 490—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(11)(g) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(a), relative to the Department of Natural Resources, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Natural Resources 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.

June 9, 1999

**HOUSE BILL NO. 532—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.10, relative to the village of Tickfaw; to authorize the chief of police of the village of Tickfaw to appoint, promote, discipline, and discharge police personnel subject to budgetary limitations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 553—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CRANE, DEWITT, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1493(F), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for the use of monies derived from distribution to the state of excess amounts in the federal unemployment trust fund; to conform state law to federal requirements on the use of such monies; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 611—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CRANE, DEWITT, MURRAY, POWELL, AND WIGGINS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1221(4)(s)(v), relative to workers' compensation; to extend the date of applicability of certain workers' compensation benefit provisions to certain claims; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1385—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALEXANDER, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(12) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(l), 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. 1398—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALEXANDER, DEWITT, DOWNER, MCMAINS, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:23, relative to the Mental Health Law; to provide that the Department of Health and Hospitals shall establish psychiatric inpatient units in certain state-owned hospitals; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1545—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:4.1, relative to open meetings of public bodies; to require a copy of the laws relative to open meetings be posted by all public bodies; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1689—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BARTON, HUNTER, MONTGOMERY, SCALISE, WADDELL, AND WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:514(I), relative to the legislative auditor; to provide for the contents of the annual financial statements of school boards and the Department of Education; to provide for the powers and duties of the legislative auditor and legislative staff relative thereto; to require the approval of certain legislative committees with respect to certain performance and statistical data to be included in such annual financial statements; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1834—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1379(3)(e) and 1382(A)(3)(f) and (D), relative to the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association; to provide for claims; to provide for recovery of paid covered claims; to provide for limits; to provide for insolvency proceedings; to provide for assessments; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1835—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1379(3)(e), relative to the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association; to provide for the time period to file a proof of claim against the association; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1837—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, DEWITT, DOWNER, DIEZ, AND CRANE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, EWING, HAINKEL, BARHAM, AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1379(3)(b) and 1386(A), relative to the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association; to prohibit recovery, duplication of recovery, and subrogation against the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association by additional entities; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1951—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:620(F), relative to insurance policy forms; to provide for approval; to provide for exceptions; to provide for regulations; to provide for commercial entities; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2015—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC  
AN ACT

To repeal Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:1621 through 1627, relative to ambulance service insurance policies.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2021—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHNS AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:323(B)(1), relative to purse supplements; to increase certain purse limitations to be supplemented; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2028—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HEBERT AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:203(A), relative to horse racing; to provide relative to fees collected for the "Louisiana Champions Day Account"; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2062—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MORRELL AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:165(A)(1), (2), and (4)(d), relative to horse racing; to provide relative to special awards to stallion owners; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2071 (Substitute for House Bill No. 733 by Representative Travis)—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:278, relative to tourism signs; to require the lieutenant governor to engage in certain activities; to require the secretary of

the Department of Transportation and Development to erect certain signs; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2143—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, COPELIN, HUNTER, LANCASTER, MONTGOMERY, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WILLARD, MURRAY, AND SCHWEGMANN AND SENATOR JOHNSON

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:3(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 44:3(F), relative to public records; to provide for access to certain records of prosecutive, investigative, and other law enforcement agencies and other governmental agencies by certain persons; 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.

**Leaves of Absence**

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Tarver            1 Day

**Adjournment**

Senator Bean moved that the Senate adjourn until Thursday, June 10, 1999 at 12:30 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 12:30 o'clock P.M. on Thursday, June 10, 1999.

MICHAEL S. BAER, III  
Secretary of the Senate

GAYE F. HAMILTON  
Journal Clerk