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STATE OF LOUISIANA
TENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

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

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, April 30, 2015

The Senate was called to order at 9:10 o'clock A.M. by Hon. John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Guillory	Peacock
Adley	Johns	Perry
Allain	Kostelka	Riser
Amedee	Long	Smith, J.
Appel	Martiny	Thompson
Broome	Morrell	Ward
Chabert	Morrish	White
Donahue	Murray	
Gallot	Nevers	
Total - 25		

ABSENT

Brown	Dorsey-Colomb	Peterson
Buffington	Erdey	Smith, G.
Claitor	Heitmeier	Tarver
Cortez	LaFleur	Walsworth
Crowe	Mills	
Total - 14		

The President of the Senate announced there were 25 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Gallot, following which the Senate joined in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Senator White, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of April 29, 2015, was adopted.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

Senator Murray asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read Senate Resolutions a first and second time.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 74—

BY SENATORS MURRAY, ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Emilo Joseph "Monk" Dupre'.

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

**Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 72—

BY SENATOR DONAHUE

A RESOLUTION

To commend commercial real estate developer James E. Maurin for being named as Tulane's Outstanding Entrepreneur of the Year.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 73—

BY SENATOR WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request Governor Bobby Jindal to issue an executive order directing state agencies and local governments to continue to support the Louisiana State Use Program, managed by Employment Development Services.

The resolution was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—

BY SENATOR ALARIO AND REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College to erect a statue memorializing Peter Press "Pistol Pete" Maravich at the entrance of the Pete Maravich Assembly Center.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Guillory	Peacock
Adley	Johns	Perry
Amedee	Kostelka	Riser
Appel	Long	Smith, G.
Broome	Martiny	Smith, J.
Brown	Morrell	Thompson
Chabert	Morrish	Ward
Donahue	Murray	White
Gallot	Nevers	
Total - 26		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain	Dorsey-Colomb	Peterson
Buffington	Erdey	Tarver
Claitor	Heitmeier	Walsworth

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Cortez LaFleur
Crowe Mills
Total - 13

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64—
BY SENATOR ALARIO AND REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of the Honorable Charles H. Grisbaum Jr. retired Chief Judge for the Louisiana Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal and former member of the Louisiana House of Representatives representing District Seventy-nine, and to recognize his paramount contributions to the legal process, to the state, and to his community.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Guillory Nevers
Adley Johns Peacock
Amedee Kostelka Perry
Appel Long Smith, G.
Broome Martiny Smith, J.
Brown Morrell Thompson
Chabert Morrish Ward
Donahue Murray White
Total - 24

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain Dorsey-Colomb Mills
Buffington Erdey Peterson
Claitor Gallot Riser
Cortez Heitmeier Tarver
Crowe LaFleur Walsworth
Total - 15

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT 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 passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HB No. 26 HB No. 95 HB No. 159
HB No. 641 HB No. 697 HB No. 705

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions
on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 26—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1236.26(A), relative to the governing authorities of the parishes of St. Charles and St. John the Baptist; to provide with respect to notification to property owners of violations of grass cutting ordinances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 95—
BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHARD AND HARRISON
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 4-C of Title 28 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 28:470.11, relative to Lafourche Parish; to create the Lafourche Arc Taxing District within the parish; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for district funding, including the authority to levy an ad valorem tax, subject to voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 159—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HOFFMANN, BURRELL, CHANEY, HUNTER, JACKSON, LEBAS, JAY MORRIS, PONTI, AND SHADOIN AND SENATORS KOSTELKA, MILLS, RISER, THOMPSON, AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1184(introductory paragraph), (2)(a), and (3)(a), 1207(A), and 1230(A), relative to fees of the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to establish the pharmacy education support fee to be collected by the board; to provide for assessment of the fee at the time of pharmacist license renewal and pharmacy permit renewal; to provide an option for pharmacists and pharmacies to elect not to remit the fee; to dedicate the proceeds of the fee to certain public university pharmacy schools; to provide for disbursement of the proceeds of the fee; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 641—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:30.6(D), (G), (I)(4), (J), and (L), relative to the central computer system for monitoring of electronic gaming devices; to remove the requirement that the central computer be located within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, gaming division; to provide for technical corrections; to provide relative to legislative approval of fees to defray the costs of administering the central computer system; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 697—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 2636(8) and 2637(F) and R.S. 13:3733.1(A)(introductory paragraph), (2), and (4), (C), and (E) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2636(9) and R.S. 13:3733.1(A)(5) and (6), (L), and 3733.2, relative to electronic obligations records and electronic signatures; to deem financial institution records and promissory notes containing electronic signatures to be authentic evidence; to provide for electronic signatures regarding evidence which

need not be authentic; to provide for definitions; to modify the certificate required to deem reproductions as authentic evidence; to provide for the transferability of rights, authority, and protections relative to the use of reproductions; to provide for obligations records containing electronic signatures; to allow for a presumption of authenticity; to provide for a certification form; to exempt collateral mortgage notes; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 705—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3042.1(A)(1)(e) and to enact Chapter 50 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:5001 through 5122 and to repeal Chapter 20-G of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:3048.1 through 3048.7, all relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students (TOPS); to provide for a technical recodification of TOPS provisions contained in statutory law; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Second Reading**

HOUSE BILL NO. 8—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.9, relative to the Crowley police department; to authorize the police chief to appoint, discipline, and discharge police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 10—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:728(C), relative to the purchase of service credit in the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana for out-of-state service; to provide relative to the purchase of service credit for teaching service at an out-of-state nonpublic school; to provide relative to calculation and payment of purchase price for such service credit; to provide requirements for establishing such service credit; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Retirement.

HOUSE BILL NO. 23—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.561(A), 130.562(A) and (G), and 130.570, relative to the Vermilion Parish Economic Development District; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to provide with respect to the membership on the board; to provide relative to the dissolution of the district; to provide relative to the name of the district; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1528, relative to deferred retirement benefits from the Clerks of Court Retirement and Relief Fund;

to provide relative to the qualifications for such retirement for certain members; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Retirement.

HOUSE BILL NO. 44—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2225.4, relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to unfunded accrued liability of the system; to provide for payment by certain employers in certain circumstances; to provide for calculation and payment of amounts due; to provide for collection of past due amounts; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Retirement.

HOUSE BILL NO. 50—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1666.1(A)(3)(c), relative to internal statutory references in provisions dealing with supplemental pay for firefighters and police officers; to amend such a statutory reference; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 53—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2074.4(A), relative to city court marshals; to authorize an increase in fees collected by the marshal of the city of Hammond in certain matters; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 56—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:105(A)(7) and (E), 106(A)(5) and (D), 107(A)(6) and (C), and 107.1(A)(6) and (I), relative to the District Attorneys' Retirement System; to authorize the board of trustees of the system to modify employer contribution rates in certain circumstances; to require promulgation of rules for such modification; to establish a funding deposit account within the system; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Retirement.

HOUSE BILL NO. 75—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:962(I), relative to court reporters; to authorize an increase in certain court costs collected by the clerk of court for the First Judicial District Court; to provide for the removal of certain exceptions relative to the costs collected in certain proceedings; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 79—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:4.9(D), relative to certain foods prepared in the home for sale; to provide relative to requirements for preparers of food in the home for sale; to exempt sellers of home-produced raw honey from a food labeling requirement; to provide relative to registration by

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certain sellers for the collection of local sales and use taxes; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 97—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
AN ACT

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

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 105—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:718(I)(1), relative to commissioner fees in the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District Court; to authorize an increase in fees for all persons convicted of a felony or misdemeanor offense in the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 106—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1107.6, relative to the use of court costs in the Twentieth Judicial District; to rededicate certain court costs from the Feliciana Juvenile Justice District to the district attorney's office for the Twentieth Judicial District; to provide for the collection, allocation, and use of such funds; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 112—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1138(B)(1) and (D), relative to judgeships; to provide relative to judgeships in the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans; to authorize certain judges to serve as duty judges; to provide for their authority; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

HOUSE BILL NO. 121—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:539(C)(8)(d), relative to employees of the housing authority of Denham Springs; to provide that employees of the authority shall not be in the state civil service; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 284—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO AND SENATOR GALLOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 976, 977(C)(introductory paragraph) and (1), 978(B)(1) and (3), 979, 980(C) and (D), 984(C), 988, 989, and 992 and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 894.5, 977(C)(3), 984(D), 986(C), and 996, relative to expungement; to provide for a time limitation for an expungement for an arrest for operating a vehicle while intoxicated involving the use of a pretrial

diversion program; to provide for the eligibility to expunge certain convictions; to prohibit the expungement of a record of arrest and conviction for misdemeanor stalking; to provide with respect to the expungement of arrest and conviction records of certain felony convictions of violations of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Act; to provide for the service of expungement motions through United States mail; to provide with respect to time periods for objecting to a motion to expunge records; to amend procedures involving the expungement of records for violations of the operation of a motor vehicle while intoxicated; to provide with respect to the forms required for expungements; to provide for the amendment of forms to include names of the appropriate court ordering the expungement of records; to amend expungement forms to provide a fee waiver for juvenile drug court participants; to provide forms for expungement by redaction; to provide forms for submission of data to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, regarding driving while intoxicated offenses; to provide for applicability; to provide for time limitations to make an objection to an expungement and the setting of a contradictory hearing regarding an objection; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 297—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BURRELL AND JACKSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:67.1 and 67.2, relative to theft; to create the crimes of theft of livestock and theft of timber; to provide for definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for duties of enforcement and investigation; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 338—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(K)(7)(b), 337.13.1(A)(2), (B)(1), and (C), 337.27, 337.28.1(B), 337.33(A)(5), 337.45(B), 337.63(A)(3) and (B), 337.64(B), 337.81(A)(2) and (B), 337.86(E)(2)(a), 1401, 1403(B)(5), 1418(4), 1434, 1438, 1522, 1561(B)(3), 1576(B), 1603(A)(3), and 1625, and Sections 5 and 7 of Act No. 640 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature and to enact R.S. 47:337.45(A)(4), 337.51(B)(4), 337.63(E), 337.79(C), 337.81(A)(3), 1403(A)(4) and (B)(6)(c), 1407(5), 1408(D) and (E), 1413(D) and (E), 1418(6) and (7), 1439, 1561(A)(4) and (B)(4), 1580(B)(5), 1621(D)(4), and 1623(F), relative to the enforcement and adjudication of state and local taxes and the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide with respect to disputes concerning taxes; to provide for administration of the board; to provide with respect to certain revenues dedicated to the board; to establish an escrow account; to provide for the deposit, investment, and use of monies in the account; to establish a fund within the escrow account and provide for its sources of revenue and use; to provide for certain procedures and requirements relative to adjudication and appeals of certain cases involving state and local taxes; to provide with respect to compensation and benefits of officers of the board; to authorize certain agreements regarding the compensation and expenses of ad hoc judges; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 344—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:427(H) and 449(B) and (C) and to enact R.S. 27:449(D), relative to video draw poker employee permits; to provide with respect to the issuance of video draw

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poker employee permits; to provide that a person who is the holder of a valid video draw poker employee permit shall not be required to undergo an additional suitability determination to be named a designated representative; to prohibit a person who has had a video draw poker employee permit denied or revoked from serving as a designated representative; to prohibit provisional authorization to work for a person who has had a video draw poker employee permit denied or revoked; to require a subsequent suitability determination for an employee with an expired video draw poker employee permit prior to that person serving as a designated representative; to establish a time period that a provisional authorization to work is valid; to require that a licensee maintain a list of designated representatives; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary B.

HOUSE BILL NO. 365—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 8:308.1, relative to interment space in the city of Franklin; to provide relative to ownership of interment spaces in a cemetery governed by the city governing authority; to provide a procedure for clarifying ownership interests in interment spaces under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 485—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HENRY BURNS, ADAMS, ARMES, BADON, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BROADWATER, BURFORD, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, COX, EDWARDS, GISCLAIR, HALL, HENRY, HILL, HODGES, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, JEFFERSON, ROBERT JOHNSON, KLECKLEY, NANCY LANDRY, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LORUSSO, MIGUEZ, JAY MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, OURSO, PRICE, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, SCHEXNAYDER, SHADOIN, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, AND WHITNEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3138.5, relative to public postsecondary education institutions; to require the Board of Regents to establish a process for designating an institution as a "Governor's Military and Veteran Friendly Campus"; to provide for such designation by the governor based on information submitted by the Board of Regents; to provide eligibility criteria; to provide application procedures including required reporting; to provide for definitions; to provide for legislative findings; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 489—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STOKES, BADON, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BROWN, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, HARRISON, HAZEL, HILL, HOWARD, IVEY, JAMES, MIKE JOHNSON, NANCY LANDRY, MILLER, MORENO, OURSO, PEARSON, POPE, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, SCHRODER, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, THIBAUT, WHITNEY, PATRICK WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:283.2, relative to the nonconsensual disclosure of private images; to create the crime of nonconsensual disclosure of a private image; to provide for elements of the offense; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 499—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILL, ARMES, BADON, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, HENRY BURNS, BURRELL, CARTER, CONNICK, FOIL, GAINES, GUINN, HENSGENS, HOWARD, HUNTER, JAMES, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, MORENO, PRICE, RICHARD, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:415.3, relative to driver's licenses issued to certain persons upon release from incarceration; to require the issuance of a provisional Class "E" driver's license to certain persons upon their release from incarceration; to provide for exceptions; to provide that payment of certain fees, fines, and penalties be deferred; to provide for revocation of a provisional Class "E" driver's license under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HOUSE BILL NO. 504—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2371.1, relative to donations inter vivos; to provide for the effect of donations in authentic form as to certain third persons; to provide for applicability of donations inter vivos recorded during certain time periods; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

HOUSE BILL NO. 609—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT JOHNSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 1 of Title XIII of the Louisiana Children's Code, formerly comprised of Articles 1301.1 through 1308.2, to be comprised of Articles 1301.1 through 1309.3, and R.S. 46:236.3(I), relative to family support enforcement; to provide for a revision of the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act; to provide with respect to procedures for the registration, recognition, enforcement, and modification of family support orders; to extend applicability to foreign countries; to provide for jurisdiction; to provide procedures applicable to initiating and responding tribunals; to provide for the duties of the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide definitions; to provide with respect to income withholding to enforce a child support obligation; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

HOUSE BILL NO. 611—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1431(34) and 1448.3, relative to certain real estate contracts; to define a net listing agreement; to prohibit net listing agreements between real estate brokers and sellers with respect to sales of certain real estate property; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 665—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(14)(g)(i)(bb), relative to sales and use tax; to provide for the local sales and use tax exclusion on repairs to tangible property; to exclude repairs made to certain aircraft from sales of services by certain taxing authorities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 666—

BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:213(B), 291(D) and (E), 705(C)(2), 786(D), and 1191(C) and to enact R.S. 6:213(C), relative to banking regulations; to provide relative to articles of incorporation; to allow and restrict authorizing reversion of ownership interests; to allow and restrict limited liability; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 687—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2092(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 9:2029.1 and 2092(B)(1)(g), relative to the recordation of an extract of trust; to provide limitations under certain conditions on the transfer of property owned by a trust; to provide for certain information included in a recorded extract of trust; to provide for the effectiveness against third parties; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 91—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Wednesday, May 6, 2015, as Kingsley House Day at the legislature.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Gallot	Peacock
Adley	Guillory	Perry
Allain	Heitmeier	Riser
Amedee	Johns	Smith, G.
Appel	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Broome	Long	Tarver
Brown	Martiny	Thompson
Buffington	Mills	Walsworth
Chabert	Morrell	Ward
Claitor	Morrish	White
Crowe	Murray	
Donahue	Nevers	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez	Erdey	Peterson
Dorsey-Colomb	LaFleur	
Total - 5		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CONNICK AND BILLIOT AND SENATOR ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Gus Joseph Talamo.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Gallot	Peacock
Allain	Guillory	Perry
Amedee	Heitmeier	Riser
Appel	Johns	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Brown	Long	Tarver
Buffington	Martiny	Thompson
Chabert	Mills	Ward
Claitor	Morrell	White
Crowe	Morrish	
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez	LaFleur	Walsworth
Dorsey-Colomb	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN AND SENATOR MORRISH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Lacassine High School girls' basketball team for winning the Class B state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Gallot	Peacock
Allain	Guillory	Perry
Amedee	Heitmeier	Smith, G.
Appel	Johns	Smith, J.
Broome	Kostelka	Tarver
Brown	Long	Thompson
Buffington	Martiny	Walsworth
Chabert	Mills	Ward
Claitor	Morrell	White
Crowe	Morrish	
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez LaFleur Riser
Dorsey-Colomb Peterson
Total - 5

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95— BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend the Smoking Cessation Trust for its dedicated efforts to improve public health in this state.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Nevers
Adley Gallot Peacock
Allain Guillory Perry
Amedee Heitmeier Riser
Appel Johns Smith, G.
Broome Kostelka Smith, J.
Brown Long Tarver
Buffington Martiny Thompson
Chabert Mills Walsworth
Claitor Morrell Ward
Crowe Morrish White
Donahue Murray
Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez LaFleur
Dorsey-Colomb Peterson
Total - 4

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96— BY REPRESENTATIVES LOPINTO, HENRY, AND LEGER AND SENATOR MARTINY A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Monday, May 4, 2015, as Kehoe-France School Day in the state of Louisiana.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Nevers
Adley Gallot Peacock
Allain Guillory Perry
Amedee Heitmeier Riser
Appel Johns Smith, G.
Broome Kostelka Smith, J.
Brown Long Tarver
Buffington Martiny Thompson
Chabert Mills Walsworth
Claitor Morrell Ward

Crowe Morrish White
Donahue Murray
Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez LaFleur
Dorsey-Colomb Peterson
Total - 4

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 97— BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON AND SENATOR GALLOT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the New Living Word High School boys' basketball team upon winning the 2015 Class C state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Nevers
Adley Gallot Peacock
Allain Guillory Perry
Amedee Heitmeier Riser
Appel Johns Smith, G.
Broome Kostelka Smith, J.
Brown Long Tarver
Buffington Martiny Thompson
Chabert Mills Walsworth
Claitor Morrell Ward
Crowe Morrish White
Donahue Murray
Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez LaFleur
Dorsey-Colomb Peterson
Total - 4

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98— BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON AND SENATOR WALSWORTH A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Summerfield High School girls' basketball team upon winning the Class C state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Nevers
Adley Gallot Peacock
Allain Guillory Perry
Amedee Heitmeier Riser

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Appel	Johns	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Brown	Long	Tarver
Buffington	Martiny	Thompson
Chabert	Mills	Walsworth
Claitor	Morrell	Ward
Crowe	Morrish	White
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez	LaFleur
Dorsey-Colomb	Peterson
Total - 4	

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON AND SENATOR WALSWORTH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Haynesville High School football team upon winning the Class 1A state football championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Gallot	Peacock
Allain	Guillory	Perry
Amedee	Heitmeier	Riser
Appel	Johns	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Brown	Long	Tarver
Buffington	Martiny	Thompson
Chabert	Mills	Walsworth
Claitor	Morrell	Ward
Crowe	Morrish	White
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez	LaFleur
Dorsey-Colomb	Peterson
Total - 4	

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 86—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1119(C)(2), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for the employment of the family of an agency head; to provide for the applicability of the nepotism provision for certain local school board employees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 87—

BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 42:1124.2.1(A), relative to financial disclosure requirements of members of boards and commissions; to provide an exception for members not receiving compensation or per diem; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 87 by Senator Perry

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after "**receiving**" insert "**, or eligible to receive,**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, after "**per diem,**" insert "**and serving as a member of a board or commission that has an expenditure authority of less than fifty thousand dollars,**"

On motion of Senator Amedee, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 115—

BY SENATORS MILLS, LAFLEUR AND PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1360.21(A), (B), and (C), 1360.22(1), (5), (7), and (8), 1360.23(G), (H), and (I), 1360.24(A)(3), the introductory paragraph of 1360.29(A), 1360.31, and 1360.32, to enact R.S. 37:1360.29(A)(4) and 1360.38(A)(3) and (4), and to repeal R.S. 37:1360.23(J), relative to physician assistants; to provide for legislative intent; to amend definitions; to provide for the powers and duties of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for licensure; to provide for supervising physician qualifications and registration; to provide for services performed by physician assistants; to provide for assumption of professional liability; to provide for exemption; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 115 by Senator Mills

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 16 after "**patients**" delete the remainder of the line and line 17 in its entirety and insert "**are health care professionals qualified by academic and clinical education and licensed by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to provide health care services at the direction and under the supervision of a physician or a group of physicians approved by the board as a supervising physician.**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 8, after "**professional**" delete the remainder of the line and lines 9 and 10 in their entirety and insert "**qualified by academic and clinical education and licensed by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to provide health care services at the direction and under the supervision of a physician or a group of physicians approved by the board as a supervising physician.**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 26, change "A." to "A.(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, between lines 11 and 12 insert:

"(2) A physician assistant may inject local anesthetic agents subcutaneously, including digital blocks or apply topical anesthetic agents when delegated to do so by a supervising physician. However, nothing in this Part shall otherwise permit a physician assistant to administer local anesthetics perineurally, pericurally, epidurally, intrathecally, or intravenously unless such physician assistant is a certified registered nurse anesthetist and meets the requirements in R.S. 37:930."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 7, line 8, after "physician" insert "except as provided pursuant to R.S. 37:930"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 7, line 9, after "administered" insert "by a physician assistant or a health care professional licensed pursuant to Chapter 12 of this Title"

On motion of Senator Heitmeier, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 143—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1046, relative to the therapeutic use of marijuana; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations relating to the prescribing, dispensing, and producing of marijuana for therapeutic use; to provide for a deadline to adopt rules and regulations; to provide for a report to the legislature; to provide for an effective date; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 143 by Senator Mills

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after "legislature;" insert "to provide for the location of the place of dispensing; to require for the use of the Prescription Monitoring Program; to provide for licensure of a production facility;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, lines 9 and 10, delete "; secretary of health and hospitals"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, delete "production and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 12, after "use" insert "; the Department of Agriculture and Forestry and the licensure of a production facility"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, lines 15, after "form" insert "as permitted by the rules and regulations of the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 16, after "inhalation," insert "and raw or crude"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 and insert "suffering from glaucoma, symptoms resulting from the administration of chemotherapy cancer treatment, and spastic quadriplegia"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the beginning of line 3, delete "disease or condition"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 6 and insert "Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners. The Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners shall submit to the Senate and House committees on health and welfare on an annual basis not less than sixty days prior to the beginning of the regular session of the legislature a report as to any additional diseases or medical conditions that should be added to the list of eligible diseases and conditions for prescription."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 13, delete "production and"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 25, after "dispensing" insert "and tracking"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 6, delete "produced and distributed" and insert "dispensed"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, line 16, delete "producers" and insert "dispensers"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 17, delete "producers and"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, delete lines 19 through 21

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 4, between lines 1 and 2, and insert:

"G. Marijuana, tetrahydrocannabinols, or a chemical derivative of tetrahydrocannabinols prescribed pursuant to this Section shall be dispensed in person from a licensed pharmacy in good standing located in Louisiana.

H. A prescriber and dispenser of marijuana, tetrahydrocannabinols, or a chemical derivative of tetrahydrocannabinols pursuant to this Section shall review the patient's information in the Prescription Monitoring Program database prior to the prescribing and dispensing thereof.

I. The Louisiana Board of Pharmacy shall develop an annual, nontransferable specialty license for a pharmacy to dispense prescribed marijuana for therapeutic use and shall limit the number of such licenses granted in the state to no more than ten licenses.

J. (1) The Department of Agriculture and Forestry shall develop the rules and regulations regarding the production of prescribed therapeutic marijuana and the facility producing therapeutic marijuana.

(2) The Department of Agriculture and Forestry shall develop an annual, nontransferable specialty license for the production of prescribed marijuana for therapeutic use and shall limit the number of such licenses granted in the state to no more than one licensee.

(3) The Department of Agriculture and Forestry shall submit a report to the legislature no later than January 1, 2016, with recommendations on possible fee amounts relative to the provisions of this Section."

On motion of Senator Heitmeier, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 144—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1266(D)(3)(d)(i) and (4)(b) and 1267(C)(3) and to enact R.S. 22:1266(M) and 1267(G), relative to the payment of insurance premiums; to provide that certain notices be mailed by an insurer related to the refund of certain premiums; to provide that certain notices be mailed by an insurance premium finance company related to the refund of

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certain premiums; to require that an insurance premium finance company cooperate with the Department of Insurance when insurance premiums are paid by an insurance premium finance company related to a consumer or commercial insurance policy; to require an insurance premium finance company to provide for inspection of certain documents related to a consumer or commercial insurance policy that is financed by the insurance premium finance company; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 144 by Senator Dorsey-Colomb

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 5, insert "is the subject of an investigation as provided in Paragraph (I) in this Subsection that"

On motion of Senator Morrish, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 152— BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 24-B of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Status of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37: 2195.1 through 2195.6, and to repeal R.S. 22:821(B)(30) and Part X of Chapter 5 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:1806.1 through 1806.9, relative to home service contract providers; to provide for definitions; to provide for requirements of home service contract providers; to provide for fees; to provide for home service contract disclosures; to provide for certain prohibited acts; to provide certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 152 by Senator Long

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 and 3 and insert the following: "To enact Chapter 57 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3141 through 3146, and to repeal R.S. 22:821(B)(30) and Part X of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 11 and 12 and insert: "Section 1. Chapter 57 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:3141 through 3146, is hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 13, change "24-B" to "57"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 14, change "§2195.1." to "§3141."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 17, change "§2195.2." to "§3142."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete line 23

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 24, change "(3)" to "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 28, change "(4)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 11, change "(5)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 14, change "(6)" to "(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, line 17, change "(7)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 19, change "(8)" to "(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

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

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 23, change "(10)" to "(9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 4, line 1, change "§2195.3." to "§3143."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 4, delete lines 4 and 5 and insert: "(1) Registered with the secretary of state and remains in good standing."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 4, line 11, change "board" to "secretary of state"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 4, delete lines 18 and 19 and insert: "hundred dollars. All fees shall be paid to the secretary of state."

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 4, line 20, change "C.(1)" to "C."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 4, line 23, change "board" to "secretary of state"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, delete lines 24 through 29 and on page 5 delete lines 1 through 4 and insert: "dollars. All fees shall be paid to the secretary of state."

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 5, line 5, change "board" to "secretary of state"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 5, line 10, change "board" to "secretary of state"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 5, line 20, change "§2195.4." to "§3144."

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 7, line 7, change "§2195.5." to "§3145."

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 7, line 24, change "§2195.6." to "§3146."

On motion of Senator Martiny, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 156— BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:695.1, relative to engineers; to provide for powers and duties of the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board; to provide for qualifications; to provide for

waivers of certain requirements; to provide certain procedures and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 156 by Senator Martiny

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 17 and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 5 and insert the following:

"A. On and after December 1, 2015, an applicant shall not be required to take the examination in the fundamental engineering subjects if he meets all of the following requirements:

(1) Holds an engineering degree. The board shall by rule set forth the types of approved or recognized engineering degrees.

(2) Possesses qualifying engineering work experience. The board shall by rule set forth the type and minimum number of years of qualifying engineering work experience and, based upon the level of engineering degree held by the applicant, the requisite work experience required under this Paragraph.

(3) Has successfully completed the principles and practice of engineering examination.

(4) Holds an active license to engage in the practice of engineering issued to him by proper authority of state, territory, or possession of the United States, or the District of Columbia, or within the past five years from the date of application has held an active license to engage in the practice of engineering issued to him by proper authority of state, territory, or possession of the United States, or the District of Columbia. The board shall by rule set forth the minimum years of engineering licensure in the other jurisdiction.

(5) Has no history of disciplinary action and no disciplinary proceeding pending against him by an engineering licensing authority of another state, territory, or possession of the United States, or the District of Columbia."

On motion of Senator Martiny, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 158—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1299.48(D), relative to reporting of paid malpractice claims; to provide for annual reporting to legislative committees; to provide for an effective date; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 158 by Senator Heitmeier

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 9 and 10, delete "**licensing boards of Louisiana health care providers, as defined by R.S. 40:1299.41(A),**" and insert "**executive director of the Patient's Compensation Fund**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 12, and insert "**The report shall include all claims against all health care providers, as defined by R.S. 40:1299.41(A), who have**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 13, delete "**insurers or self-insurers**" and insert "**the Patient's Compensation Fund**"

On motion of Senator Heitmeier, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 172—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact Part C of Chapter 4 of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:201.1 through 201.14, relative transportation network companies; to provide for definitions; to provide insurance requirements; to require proof of insurance; to provide for enforcement and penalties for violations; to designate the provisions of R.S. 45:161 through 200 contained in Chapter 4 of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as "Part A. Motor Carriers" and to designate the provisions of R.S. 45:200.1 through 200.17 contained in Chapter 4 of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as "Part B. Public Passenger Motor Vehicle Responsibility"; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 172 by Senator Morrish

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 12 through 29, and on page 4 delete lines 1 through 21, and insert the following:

"(1) "Bodily injury" includes but is not limited to claims for wrongful death, loss of services, loss of consortium, bystander injury, mental anguish and emotional distress suffered by others.

"(2) "Digital network" means any online-enabled application, software, website or system offered or utilized by a transportation network company that enables the prearrangement of rides with transportation network company drivers.

"(3) "Personal vehicle" means a vehicle that is used by a transportation network company driver and is owned, leased or otherwise authorized for use by the transportation network company driver. A personal vehicle is not a vehicle subject to Parts A and B of this Chapter or engaged solely in interstate commerce.

"(4) "Prearranged ride" means the provision of transportation by a driver to a rider or a person providing items to be transported, beginning when a driver accepts a ride requested by a person through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company, continuing while the driver transports a requesting rider or items to be transported, and ending when the last requesting rider departs or the item to be transported is removed from the personal vehicle. A prearranged ride does not include transportation provided using a vehicle subject to Parts A and B of this Chapter or engaged solely in interstate commerce.

"(5) "Pre-trip acceptance period" means any period of time during which a driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network and is available to receive transportation requests but is not engaged in a prearranged ride as defined in Paragraph (3) of this Section.

"(6) "Transportation network company" means a person, whether natural or juridical, that uses a digital network to connect transportation network company riders or persons providing items for transport to transportation network company drivers who provide prearranged rides. A transportation network company shall not be deemed to control, direct or manage the personal vehicles or transportation network company drivers that connect to its digital network, except where agreed to by written contract.

"(7) "Transportation network company driver" or "driver" means a person who receives connections to potential passengers or providers of items to be transported and related services from a transportation network company in exchange for payment of a fee to the transportation network company, and who uses a personal vehicle to offer or provide a prearranged ride to persons

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upon connection through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company in return for compensation or payment of a fee.

(8) "Transportation network company rider" or "rider" means a person who uses a transportation network company's digital network to connect with a transportation network driver who provides prearranged rides to the rider in the driver's personal vehicle between points chosen by the rider. "Rider" also means a person who uses a transportation network company's digital network to connect with a transportation network driver who provides prearranged rides for items provided by the rider and to be transported in the driver's personal vehicle between points chosen by the rider.

§201.5. Agreements with drivers; mandatory disclosures; prohibited provision

A. The transportation network company shall disclose the following in writing to transportation network company drivers before they are allowed to accept a request for a prearranged ride on the transportation network company's digital network:

(1) The insurance coverage, including the types of coverage and the limits for each coverage, which the transportation network company provides while the transportation network company driver uses a personal vehicle in connection with a transportation network company's digital network.

(2) That the transportation network company driver's own automobile insurance policy may or may not provide any coverage while the driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network during the pre-trip acceptance period or is engaged in a prearranged ride, depending on its terms."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

"C. To the extent that any agreement between a transportation network company and a driver or rider, or between a driver and a rider addresses liability, any clause is null that, in advance, excludes or limits the liability of one party for causing bodily injury to the other party."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, delete lines 27 through 29, and on page 5, delete lines 1 through 20, and insert the following:

"A. A transportation network company driver or a transportation network company on the driver's behalf shall maintain primary automobile insurance that meets the requirements of this Section.

B. Automobile insurance during the pre-trip acceptance period shall:

(1) Be in the amount of not less than fifty thousand dollars for death and bodily injury per person, not less than one hundred thousand dollars for death and bodily injury per incident, and not less than twenty-five thousand dollars for property damage.

(2) Include uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage to the extent required by R.S. 22:1295.

C. Automobile insurance during a prearranged ride shall:

(1) Be in the amount of not less than one million dollars for death, bodily injury, and property damage.

(2) Include uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage in the amount of not less than one million dollars."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, line 22, delete "transportation network company" and insert "policy of"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 24, delete "participating" and insert "transportation network company"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 5, line 28, after "policy" insert "of insurance"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, line 3, delete "connection method" and insert "digital network"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, delete lines 4 through 9, and insert

"E. Coverage under an automobile insurance policy maintained by a transportation network company"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, line 10, delete "insurance policy" and insert "insurer"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 6, line 11, delete "insurance policy" and insert "insurer"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 6, delete lines 13 through 17, and insert the following:

"F. If insurance maintained by a transportation network company driver to fulfill the insurance requirements of this Section has lapsed or does not provide the coverage required by this Section, the transportation network company shall provide the coverage required by this Section beginning with the first dollar of a claim and shall have the duty to defend such claim.

G. A policy of insurance procured pursuant to this Section:

(1) Shall recognize that the driver is a transportation network company driver or otherwise uses a personal vehicle to transport riders or items for compensation and covers the driver during the pre-trip acceptance period, a prearranged ride, or both.

(2) May be placed with an authorized insurer or with a surplus lines insurer pursuant to R.S. 22:432.

(3) Shall be deemed to satisfy the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Law, R.S. 32:851 et seq."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, lines 19 and 20, delete "the Public Service Commission." and insert "any parish or municipality that requires or requests such a filing."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 6, delete lines 21 through 29, and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 25, and insert the following:

"§201.7. Automobile insurance provisions

A. (1) Insurers that write automobile insurance in this state may exclude any or all coverage afforded under the policy issued to an owner or operator of a personal vehicle for any loss or injury that occurs while a driver is logged on to a transportation network company's digital network during the pre-trip acceptance period or while a driver is engaged in a prearranged ride. This right to exclude coverage shall apply to any or all coverage in an automobile insurance policy including but not limited to:

- (a) Liability coverage for bodily injury.
- (b) Liability coverage for property damage.
- (c) Uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage.
- (d) Medical payments coverage.
- (e) Comprehensive physical damage coverage.
- (f) Collision physical damage coverage.

(2) The exclusions permitted in Subsection A of this Section shall apply notwithstanding any requirement under the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Law, R.S. 32:851 et seq. or other laws. Nothing in this Section implies or requires that a personal automobile insurance policy provide coverage while the driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network during the pre-trip acceptance period, while the driver is engaged in a prearranged ride, or while the driver otherwise uses a vehicle to transport passengers or items for compensation.

(3) Nothing in this Part shall be deemed to preclude an insurer from providing coverage for the transportation network company driver's vehicle, if it chooses to do so by contract or endorsement.

B. (1) Automobile insurers that exclude the coverage described in R.S. 45:201.6 shall have no duty to defend or indemnify any claim expressly excluded thereunder. Nothing in R.S. 45:201.1 through 201.14 shall be deemed to invalidate or limit an exclusion contained in a policy including any policy in use or approved for use in this state prior to the effective date of this Part that excludes coverage for vehicles used to carry

persons or property for a charge or available for hire by the public.

(2) An automobile insurer that defends or indemnifies a claim against a driver that is excluded under the terms of its policy shall have a right of contribution against other insurers that provide automobile insurance to the same driver in satisfaction of the coverage requirements of R.S. 45:201.6 at the time of loss.

C. If a transportation network company's insurer makes a payment for a claim covered under comprehensive coverage or collision coverage, the transportation network company shall cause its insurer to issue the payment directly to the repair facility or jointly to the owner of the vehicle and the primary holder of any security interest, privilege, or lien on the covered vehicle. No fine shall result for a violation of this Subsection.

§201.8. Cooperation with investigation

In a claims coverage investigation, within fourteen days of a request for information, a transportation network company and any insurer potentially providing coverage under R.S. 45:201.6 shall cooperate to facilitate the exchange of relevant information with directly involved parties and any insurer of the transportation network company driver if applicable, including the precise times that a transportation network company driver logged on and off of the transportation network company's digital network in the twelve-hour period immediately preceding and in the twelve-hour period immediately following the accident and disclose to one another a clear description of the coverage, exclusions, and limits provided under any automobile insurance maintained under R.S. 45:201.6."

On motion of Senator Morrish, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 173—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1055, relative to morbid obesity; to provide for health insurance coverage for the treatment of morbid obesity; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 173 by Senator Heitmeier

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 17, and on page 2, delete line 1, and insert the following:

"(2) "Morbid obesity" means the condition that exists when a person has a body mass index greater than forty kilograms per meter squared and also has the two comorbidity factors of diabetes and hypertension."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 2 through 14, and insert the following:

"B.(1) Any group insurance plan providing comprehensive major medical benefits which is issued or renewed in this state on or after October 1, 2015, or notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 22:1106, any prepaid entity that participates in the Louisiana Medicaid Program shall provide coverage for the medically necessary expenses of the diagnosis and treatment of morbid obesity as defined in this Section, including but not limited to bariatric surgery, physician office visits, health and behavior assessments, nutrition education, patient self-management education training, and therapeutic exercises."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, after line 19, insert the following:

"(3) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the fee schedule used for the payment of services associated with

the treatment of morbid obesity shall be the same as the fee schedule used by the Louisiana Medicaid Bayou Health program

C. The Heads Up Program which operates as a partnership between the Office of Group Benefits and the Pennington Biomedical Research Center, shall seek to expand its number of participants from one hundred per year to three hundred per year by the year 2018."

On motion of Senator Morrish, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 190—

BY SENATORS CLAITOR AND ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:5, relative to public records; to provide for the application of public records law to records of the office of the governor; to provide for exceptions; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 190 by Senator Claitor

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 17, after "**disclosure**" insert ":" and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 18 through 21.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, delete lines 12 through 16, and insert the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective on January 11, 2016; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on January 11, 2016, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later."

On motion of Senator Amedee, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 207—

BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1400.2(A), the introductory paragraph of (B)(1), and (C)(1), and 1400.8, relative to election costs; to provide for the paying of certain election expenses incurred by a registrar of voters; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 216—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:3, 32(C), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 22:33(A), R.S. 36:681(C)(1), 687, 691.1, 692, 694, and 696(A), (B)(1)(a) and (b), and (C), to enact R.S. 22:31(C) and (D), and to repeal R.S. 22:31(6), 32(D) and (E), and R.S. 36:696(B)(1)(e), relative to the Louisiana Department of Insurance; to provide for the composition of the department; to provide relative to the division of minority affairs and the Advisory Committee on Equal Opportunity; to provide with respect to the deputy commissioner for consumer services; to provide relative to the office of health, life and annuity; to provide with respect to the deputy commissioner for consumer advocacy; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 216 by Senator Morrish

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 9, change "minority affairs" to "diversity and opportunity"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 11, change "minority affairs" to "diversity and opportunity"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 13, delete "of minority affairs"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 16, delete "of minority affairs"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 17, delete "of minority affairs"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 22, change "minority affairs" to "diversity and opportunity"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 23, change "of whom" to "who" and delete "at that time"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 12, change "minority affairs" to "diversity and opportunity"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 2, after "advocacy" delete the comma"," and insert "and diversity, the assistant commissioner of diversity and opportunity,"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 25, delete "responsible for"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, line 17, delete "insurance"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 21, delete "insurance" and insert "life, and annuity" and delete "responsible for"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 28, after "policy," insert "approval of life and annuity form filings,"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 6, line 2, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 6, line 3, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 6, line 4, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, line 6, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 6, line 13, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 6, line 15, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 6, line 17, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 6, line 21, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 6, line 24, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 6, line 27, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 6, line 28, after "advocacy" insert "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 7, line 1, after "inquiries" insert "and complaints"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 7, delete lines 5 through 15 and insert the following:

"C. The deputy commissioner for consumer advocacy and diversity may be terminated without cause shown. A written report of termination shall be compiled by the commissioner of insurance and delivered to the clerk of the House of Representatives and the secretary of the Senate at least ten days before the termination and shall be disclosed to the members of the respective houses of the legislature upon request.

D. The deputy commissioner for consumer advocacy and diversity shall be responsible for the functions of the division of minority affairs within the department. There shall be an assistant commissioner of diversity and opportunity who shall be appointed by the commissioner. The assistant commissioner of diversity and opportunity shall serve at the pleasure of the commissioner and at a salary fixed by the commissioner, which salary shall not exceed the amount approved for the position by the legislature."

On motion of Senator Morrish, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 243—

BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1261(A)(1)(t), relative to warranty repairs; to provide for the operation of satellite warranty and repair centers; to provide for unauthorized acts; to provide for exceptions; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 243 by Senator John Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 6, after "rents" insert "maintains,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 7, after "party," insert "For the purposes of this Subparagraph, "emergency services company or emergency services related company" means a person who operates any vehicle designated and authorized to respond to an emergency. An emergency vehicle includes but is not limited to police and security vehicles, fire and rescue vehicles, medical vehicles, and civil emergency vehicles, including public utility crews dealing with gas, electricity, or water or to repair defective equipment on a scene."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 18 and 19 insert the following:

"(iv) The provisions of Items (ii) and (iii) of this Subparagraph shall not apply to manufacturers who authorize fleet owners whose commercial vehicles are used for the

movement of property, freight, or goods in intrastate or interstate commerce."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 19, change "(iv)" to "(v)" and delete "direct"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, between lines 21 and 22 insert the following:

"(vi) A repair facility of a fleet owner authorized under this Subparagraph to perform warranty repairs shall not be deemed a satellite warranty and repair center as defined in R.S. 32:1252 and shall not be required to be licensed by the commission pursuant to R.S. 32:1254."

On motion of Senator Martiny, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 273—

BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 25:214.4(C), relative to the additional member of the Vermilion Parish Library Board of Control; to repeal the confirmation requirement of the board member; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

Bagneris Rule

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

Without objection, so ordered.

SENATE BILL NO. 30—

BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:69(E), relative to the crime of illegal possession of stolen things; to provide relative to exemptions from prosecution for certain persons under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Gallot	Peacock
Allain	Guillory	Perry
Amedee	Heitmeier	Riser
Appel	Johns	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Tarver
Brown	Long	Thompson
Buffington	Martiny	Walsworth
Chabert	Mills	Ward
Claitor	Morrell	White
Crowe	Morrish	
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Dorsey-Colomb	Peterson	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Kostelka moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE BILL NO. 36—

BY SENATORS AMEDEE, CHABERT, JOHNS, MORRELL AND GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 327.1 and 335.1(A)(1)(a) and (c), R.S. 14:79(A)(1)(a) and (E), and R.S. 46:2136.2(A) and (B), and to enact Chapter 28-D of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2181 through 2191, relative to protective orders; to provide for sexual assault protective orders; to provide relative to procedures for obtaining a sexual assault protective order; to provide definitions; to provide penalties; to provide relative to the Louisiana Protective Order Registry; to provide relative to the crime of violation of protective orders; to provide relative to protective orders as bail restrictions; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 36 by Senator Amedee

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, line 26, following "Control" and before "1" insert "**and Prevention**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6, line 4, following "proving" and before "beyond" change "**the case**" to "**guilt**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, line 25, following "includes" and before "but" delete "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 10, line 24, following "incompetent" and before "relief" change "**which**" to "**. Such**"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 10, line 27, following "matter" and before "and" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 13, line 6, following "the" and before "court" insert "**issuing**"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 14, line 10, following "BY" before "FOR" change "**CONFINEMENT IN JAIL**" to "**IMPRISONMENT IN PARISH JAIL**"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 14, line 28, following "engaged" and before "any" change "**in**" to "**by**"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 14, line 29, following "similar" and before "1" insert "**program**"

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On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Amedee proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Amedee to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 36 by Senator Amedee

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 8, line 2, change "may" to "shall"

On motion of Senator Amedee, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Erdey, Murray, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent. Lists names like Cortez, Dorsey-Colomb, Peterson.

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed, ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Senator Amedee moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE BILL NO. 60— BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 14:70.1(A) and 70.1(A)(1) and (2), and to enact R.S. 14:70.1(C), relative to the crime of Medicaid fraud; to provide relative to the elements of Medicaid fraud; to provide relative to venue for Medicaid fraud prosecutions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Kostelka 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. Lists names like Mr. President, Erdey, Murray, etc.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Broome, Kostelka, Smith, G., etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent. Lists names like Cortez, Dorsey-Colomb, Peterson.

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Kostelka moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE BILL NO. 62— BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:39.1(B)(5), relative to fees for certified copies; to provide relative to the clerks of court in East Feliciana and West Feliciana Parishes; to provide for an additional fee for issuing certified copies of birth certificates and death certificates; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Ward proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ward to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 62 by Senator Ward

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, change "clerk" to "clerks"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, change "for" to "in"

On motion of Senator Ward, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Gallot, Peacock, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cortez Dorsey-Colomb Peterson
 Crowe Kostelka
 Total - 5

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed, ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Senator Ward moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

Rules Suspended

Senator Murray asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to revert to the Morning Hour.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 75—
 BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To commend Shirley Lee Davis Holliday upon the celebration of her seventieth birthday.

The resolution was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65—
 BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Pat Collins on being named to the 2015 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

The resolution was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66—
 BY SENATOR CHABERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to take action against illegal, unreported, and unregulated fishing in Louisiana's sovereign waters by passing H.R. 774, the Illegal, Unreported, and Unregulated Fishing Enforcement Act of 2015.

The resolution was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

April 30, 2015

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:

HB No. 123 HB No. 131 HB No. 145
 HB No. 147 HB No. 155 HB No. 173
 HB No. 181

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 123—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:513(J)(1)(c)(introductory paragraph), (i)(aa) and (bb), (ii), and (v)(aa) and (3), relative to audits; to provide relative to the threshold amount for certain audit requirements; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 131—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1300.13(B)(2), relative to public officers who have been recalled and removed from office; to provide that certain public officers who have been recalled and removed from office are ineligible to become candidates in certain elections; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 145—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1502.16, relative to the assessment of service charges by the governing authority of DeSoto Parish Fire Protection District No. 3; to authorize such service charges, subject to voter approval; to provide with respect to the collection of the service charges and the enforcement of the collection; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 147—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.215, relative to the town of Duson; to authorize the town to levy a hotel occupancy tax; to provide for the use of tax revenues; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 155—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
 AN ACT

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

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 173—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1746(C), relative to sweet potato tax disbursements; to provide for an increase in sweet potato tax disbursements; to provide for the modification of the percentages of disbursements allocated to the Louisiana Sweet Potato Association and the Louisiana Agricultural Experiment Station; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 181—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(a)(iii)(gg), relative to receipt of awards from the Louisiana Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to citizenship requirements for receipt of such award; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

Rules Suspended

Senator Long asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recommit a bill.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the annual integrated coastal protection plan for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Senator Long moved to recommit the resolution from the Committee on Natural Resources to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Without objection, so ordered.

Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs

ENROLLMENTS

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

April 30, 2015

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:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—

BY SENATORS THOMPSON, GALLOT, KOSTELKA, RISER AND WALSWORTH AND REPRESENTATIVES ANDERS, BROWN, CHANEY, FANNIN, HOFFMANN, HUNTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JAY MORRIS, PYLANT AND SHADOIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate David "Wayne" Petrus for being named one of the top ten 2014 pilots for Pilots for Patients.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—

BY SENATORS THOMPSON, GALLOT, KOSTELKA, RISER AND WALSWORTH AND REPRESENTATIVES ANDERS, BROWN, CHANEY, FANNIN, HOFFMANN, HUNTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JAY MORRIS, PYLANT AND SHADOIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Sharon Palmer Thomas on her numerous accomplishments and many years of dedicated service at Pilots for Patients.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54—

BY SENATORS THOMPSON, GALLOT, KOSTELKA, RISER AND WALSWORTH AND REPRESENTATIVES ANDERS, BROWN, CHANEY, FANNIN, HOFFMANN, HUNTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JAY MORRIS, PYLANT AND SHADOIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Philip Mark Thomas for being named one of the top ten 2014 pilots for Pilots for Patients and for being named the 2013 Pilot of the Year for Pilots for Patients.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—

BY SENATORS ALARIO, ADLEY, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE AND REPRESENTATIVES ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BROADWATER, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DOVE, EDWARDS, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMAN, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HALL, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, IVEY, JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, ROBERT JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MACK, MIGUEZ, MILLER, MONTOUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, OURSO, PEARSON, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THIERRY, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT AND WOODRUFF

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the untimely death of Vanessa Miller Prejean, an individual who faithfully served the Legislature of Louisiana for thirty-two years, to commend her loyal service to both the Senate and House of Representatives, and to celebrate a life well lived.

Respectfully submitted,
"JODY" AMEDEE
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate.

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 30, 2015

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. 47—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN AND SENATORS PEACOCK AND WALSWORTH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council and its grassroots advocacy network, LaCAN, and to designate April 29, 2015, as Disability Rights Day in Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 48—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HONORE AND HAVARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend former Marine Corporal Jared Heine of St. Francisville and his military dog, Spike.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO, CONNICK, AND THIBAUT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the members of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of R. Keith Gee of Metairie.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WESLEY BISHOP AND MILLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Bishop Perry Center of the Archdiocese of New Orleans.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO, ADAMS, BILLIOT, CONNICK, GISCLAIR, HENRY, LEOPOLD, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the members of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of R. Keith Gee of Metairie.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX AND SENATOR PEACOCK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the DeSoto Parish School System for having the highest graduation rate in the state of Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Tuesday, April 21, 2015, as Tourism Day at the state capitol.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER, ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DOVE, EDWARDS, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMANN, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HALL, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, IVEY, JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, ROBERT JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MACK, MIGUEZ, MILLER, MONTUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, OURSO, PEARSON, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THIERRY, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Staff Sergeant Thomas Florich, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, on March 10, 2015.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER, ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DOVE, EDWARDS, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMANN, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HALL, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, IVEY, JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, ROBERT JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MACK, MIGUEZ, MILLER, MONTUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, OURSO, PEARSON, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THIERRY, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Staff Sergeant Lance Jacob Bergeron, of Hammond, Louisiana, on March 10, 2015.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 62—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER, ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DOVE, EDWARDS, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GAROFALO,

GEYMANN, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HALL, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, IVEY, JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, ROBERT JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MACK, MIGUEZ, MILLER, MONTUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, OURSO, PEARSON, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THIERRY, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Chief Warrant Officer 4 George "Wayne" Griffin, Jr., of Hammond, Louisiana, on March 10, 2015.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER, HAZEL, ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DOVE, EDWARDS, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMANN, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HALL, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, IVEY, JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, ROBERT JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MACK, MIGUEZ, MILLER, MONTUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, OURSO, PEARSON, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THIERRY, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Chief Warrant Officer 4 George David Strother, of Alexandria, Louisiana, on March 10, 2015.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the members of the Louisiana State Conference of the Knights of Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary and to designate Friday, April 24, 2015, as Louisiana Knights and Ladies of Peter Claver Day.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 67—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP AND SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, April 22, 2015, as the third annual Resource Environmental Solutions Louisiana Tree Day at the state capitol.

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.

April 30, 2015

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**PRESENT**

Mr. President	Erdey	Murray
Adley	Gallot	Nevers
Allain	Guillory	Peacock
Amedee	Heitmeier	Perry
Appel	Johns	Riser
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Brown	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Buffington	Long	Tarver
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White
Total - 36		

ABSENT

Cortez	Dorsey-Colomb	Peterson
Total - 3		

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Cortez	1 Day	Dorsey-Colomb	1 Day
Peterson	1 Day		

Announcements

The following committee meetings for May 4, 2015, were announced:

Finance	10:00 A.M.	Room A
Revenue & Fiscal Affairs	1:00 P.M.	Hainkel Room

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. the Senate adjourned until Monday, May 4, 2015, at 4:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk