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Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, May 18, 2015

The Senate was called to order at 4:40 o'clock P.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	Erdey	Murray
Adley	Gallot	Peacock
Allain	Heitmeier	Perry
Amedee	Johns	Riser
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White
Total - 30		

ABSENT

Appel	Dorsey-Colomb	Nevers
Brown	Guillory	Peterson
Crowe	Morrell	Tarver
Total - 9		

The President of the Senate announced there were 30 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Pastor Beck Payne, 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 Perry, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 14, 2015, was adopted.

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 18, 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 concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and support opportunities for civil discourse and discussion of the Nine Simple Rules, as suggested by Dr. P.M. Forni of Johns Hopkins University.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47—

BY SENATOR ERDEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request public agencies to require its first responders to participate in the traffic incident management process and training program.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and provide with respect to the Task Force on the Prevention of Sexual Abuse of Children within the Department of Children and Family Services, created in the 2014 Regular Session pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 69.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—

BY SENATOR MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to establish a working group to study current law relative to marijuana and to make recommendations to protect public safety, hold marijuana offenders accountable, and control costs to the criminal justice system arising out of the prosecution of marijuana offenses.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Capital Area Human Services District to develop and operate a crisis stabilization unit to serve the Capital Region and to urge community leaders, local governments of the Capital Region, the state, and healthcare providers to collaborate, identify, and develop a blended approach to finance services provided by the crisis stabilization unit to individuals without a payor source or a means to pay for their mental health care.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To extend the term of the Capital Punishment Fiscal Impact Commission, which was created to study the fiscal costs of the death penalty in Louisiana and to recommend any action or legislation that the commission deems necessary or appropriate.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—

BY SENATORS THOMPSON, KOSTELKA, PEACOCK, WALSWORTH AND WHITE AND REPRESENTATIVES CHANEY AND JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana Emergency Response Network (LERN) to organize and facilitate a working group of healthcare providers who deal with victims of trauma to develop recommendations for a Level III Trauma Center in Northeast Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to restore trade relations between the United States and Cuba in order to open the market to Louisiana rice.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96—
BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Charlie "Pappy" Hillebrandt.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 97—
BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE HOWARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Florien High School Lady Blackcats softball team for winning its third consecutive state championship.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98—
BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ALLAIN, GUILLORY, LAFLEUR, MILLS,
MORRISH AND PERRY AND REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend posthumously law enforcement officers from the Acadiana region who died or were slain in the line of duty.

Reported without amendments.

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

**Privilege Report of the
Legislative Bureau**

May 18, 2015

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following instruments are approved as to construction and duplication. We advise and suggest the following amendments:

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

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 177—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITNEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:451.2(2) and (15)(introductory paragraph), 451.3(A) and (C) through (G), 451.4(B), and 455.2(B), to enact R.S. 28:915(B)(9), and to repeal R.S. 28:451.2(23), relative to implementation of the Developmental Disability Law; to provide for responsibilities of human services authorities and districts within the developmental disabilities services system; to provide for functions of advisory committees of human services authorities and districts; to delete outdated references to regional offices and state developmental centers of the office for citizens with developmental disabilities within the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 184—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1551(C)(1), relative to renewal of an insurance producer license; to provide for an exemption from examination for renewal of a resident producer license when application is made within two years of the date of expiration of the previous license; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 210—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO AND WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:978.2, relative to the treatment for overdose of controlled dangerous substances; to require pharmacists to dispense naloxone; to limit liability for prescribing or dispensing naloxone; to authorize the receipt and administration of a naloxone prescription by a third party; to limit liability for the administration of naloxone by a third party; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 214—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:46(introductory paragraph) and (17), 432, 434, 438(A)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (B), 446, 1456(B)(2), and 1661(6) and to enact R.S. 22:46(17.1), 435(B)(3), and 436.1, relative to the creation of domestic surplus line insurers; to provide for the creation of domestic surplus lines insurers; to provide for definitions; to provide for regulation of domestic surplus lines insurers by the commissioner of insurance; to provide for exemptions from form and rate filing for domestic surplus lines insurers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 214 by Representative Pierre

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, line 14, following "3" and before "relative" insert "of this Title"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, line 15, following "4" and before "relative" insert "of this Title"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, line 19, following "10" and before "relative" insert "of this Title"

HOUSE BILL NO. 215—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2195, relative to the authority of the commissioner of insurance; to provide relative to a notice of wrongful conduct; to provide for the contents of the notice, including informing the person of the opportunity to show cause as to why regulatory action should not be taken; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 221—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:439(A) and (B), relative to reporting requirements for the surplus lines insurance tax; to specify which surplus lines brokers shall file which type of report with

the commissioner of insurance; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 257—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1009(A)(introductory paragraph), (5), and (7) and to enact R.S. 22:1009(B)(5) and (6), relative to healthcare provider credentialing; to specify that licensed dentists are healthcare providers and dental benefit plans are health insurance issuers for purposes of credentialing; to prohibit requiring recredentialing for additional practice locations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 270—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:460.51(introductory paragraph) and the heading of Subpart B of Part XIII of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and to enact R.S. 46:442 and 46:70, relative to the medical assistance program of this state, known also as Medicaid; to prescribe duties of the Department of Health and Hospitals in administering the Medicaid program; to provide relative to Medicaid managed care organizations; to provide relative to provider claims for certain health services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 304—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HALL AND LEBAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1007(A) and (G), relative to prescription monitoring; to share prescription monitoring program information with equivalent programs in other states; to provide for the security of personal information; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 357—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:333(F)(14) and (18), R.S. 46:236.1.4(A) and (C), and R.S. 47:1677(A) and (F)(2), relative to financial disclosure authorizations; to require banks or their subsidiaries or affiliates to disclose certain information; to authorize financial institutions to provide certain information of joint account holders to the Department of Revenue; to authorize financial institutions to provide certain information of joint account holders to the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide for the payment of the reimbursement fee received by financial institutions conducting data match; to provide relative to the participation fee payment from the Department of Revenue; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 357 by Representative Ritchie

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 4 proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 14, 2015, on page 1, line 24, change "R.S. 46:236.4.1" to "R.S. 46:236.1.4"

HOUSE BILL NO. 381—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON AND SIMON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2154(18), relative to behavioral health services rendered to specialty courts; to exempt from licensure requirements providers furnishing behavioral health services to certain specialty courts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 394—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:204(B)(introductory paragraph), 204.1(A), 303(A), 1306(A)(3) and (4), and 1307(B)(2) and R.S. 51:213(B)(2), to enact R.S. 9:3401(C) and R.S. 12:1-401(A)(3)(e), 204(G), and 1306(A)(5), and to repeal R.S. 12:1307(B)(3), relative to names of business entities, trade names, trademarks, and service marks; to provide an application process to specify partnership and nonprofit corporate names with the secretary of state; to provide for a reservation period of the specified name; to provide for the right to transfer specified partnership and nonprofit corporate names; to amend the reservation period for specified names of limited liability companies; to prohibit the inclusion of certain language in the names of business entities generally; to include partnerships as a business entity for which names are required to be distinguishable; to amend the reservation period for specified trade names, trademarks, or service marks; to repeal the assessed fee relative to reserving a trade name, trademark, or service mark; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 468—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NANCY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3893(A)(2)(b), relative to duties of real estate licensees representing clients; to eliminate the option of clients to waive a duty imposed on licensees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 491—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:761(A)(1), relative to qualifications of applicants for a dental license; to allow persons with valid and current legal authority to reside and work in the United States to apply for a dental license; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 554—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:831(introductory paragraph) and (10) and (44) and 842(F)(1) through (3), relative to state licensed embalmers and funeral directors; to provide for definitions relative to branch and funeral establishments; to provide for authorized embalming performed by supervised registered interns; to require a minimum number of caskets in display rooms of funeral establishments; to provide with respect to funeral establishment management; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 572—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 34:1041, 1042(A), 1044 through 1046, and 1048, relative to steamship pilots; to provide for appointments relative to new examiners and commissioned steamship pilots; to provide for qualifications relative to steamship pilots; to provide for pilotage fees; to repeal obsolete statutory provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 592—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:70, 73, 75(A) and (B), 78, 201, 403, 456(A), 461(A) (introductory paragraph) and (2) and (B), 462, 466, 506(B), and 606(A) and to enact R.S. 8:705.1, relative to cemetery authorities; to increase certain regulatory, application, and examination fees established by the Louisiana Cemetery Board; to authorize the board to impose certain fines; to provide for exempt certificates of authority; to provide for fees relative to renewal of exempt certificates of authority; to clarify provisions relative to corporate entities engaged in cemetery business; to provide relative to required content of annual reports of trustees and cemetery authorities; to provide for application requirements and fees relative to sales of cemetery space, rights of use, or interment in cemetery structures and gardens; to provide for exemptions; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 592 by Representative Ritchie

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 29, following "to" and before "suspension" change "such" to "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 1, following "April" and before "of" change "1" to "first"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 8, following "April" and before "of" change "1" to "first"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 8, following "shall" and before "the" change "affect" to "effect"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 11, following "April" and before "of" change "1" to "first"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 14, following "April" and before "of" change "1" to "first"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 18, following "authority," and before the end of the line change "such" to "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 26, following "cemetery." and before the end of the line change "Such" to "The"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 9, following "Title," and before "the" delete "then"

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.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
DANIEL R. MARTINY
Chairman

Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 120—

BY SENATOR BROOME
A RESOLUTION

To request the Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to study and make recommendations regarding how to establish recurring funding for the Louisiana Housing Trust Fund.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 121—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH
A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Ethan Laine Coker of Haynesville High School in Claiborne Parish for being named Louisiana's Middle/Junior High School Student of the Year.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 122—

BY SENATOR JOHNS
A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate William Sommers, Director of the Calcasieu Parish Office of Juvenile Justice Services, on being the recipient of the Don E. Wydra Memorial Award for making an extraordinary contribution to juvenile justice and delinquency prevention.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 123—

BY SENATOR ERDEY
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to convert the inside shoulder of Interstate 12 between the interchange of Interstate 10 and Interstate 12 in East Baton Rouge Parish and its interchange at Louisiana Highway 447 (Exit 15) near Walker, Louisiana, in Livingston Parish, to a travel lane.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 124—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER
A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Rebecca "Becky" Underwood Brechtel, wife, mother, grandmother, educator, devout

Christian, and community activist in Mississippi and New Orleans, Louisiana.

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

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 103—

BY SENATOR ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of former Senate comptroller and dedicated public servant, Edwin William "Bill" Curry, and to commemorate a life well spent in service to his country and his state.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 104—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR AND REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend James B. Smith upon his graduation from college at the age of sixteen.

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

**Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 118—

BY SENATORS PETERSON AND CLAITOR

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louis A. Martinet Legal Society for its contributions to the legal profession and community and recognize May 21, 2015, as the second Annual "Louis A. Martinet Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 119—

BY SENATOR PETERSON

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, May 19, 2015, as the thirty-first Annual Red and White Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Al J. Ransome for his service to the state of Louisiana and as a pioneer in the field of unemployment compensation cost control management.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 102—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding whether an assignment or transfer of a mortgage loan on residential real property should be required to be recorded in the appropriate mortgage or conveyance records in order to be effective as to third parties.

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

Message from the House

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

May 14, 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. 191	HB No. 260	HB No. 343
HB No. 369	HB No. 568	HB No. 647
HB No. 701	HB No. 836	HB No. 199
HB No. 255	HB No. 211	HB No. 498

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 191—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4.2(H) and to repeal R.S. 15:574.4.2(G)(5), relative to infectious disease testing of certain persons being released from incarceration; to provide relative to certain infectious disease testing of inmates being released because of diminution of sentence; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 199—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact Subpart G-2 of Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:691.31 through 691.38, relative to corporate governance of insurers and insurance groups; to provide with respect to the authority of the commissioner to require corporate governance annual disclosures; to provide for confidentiality of information; to provide for sanctions for noncompliance; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 211—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JAY MORRIS, STUART BISHOP, GEYMAN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, PEARSON, POPE, RICHARD, SCHRODER, AND TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:661(A)(3)(a) and to enact R.S. 24:661(E), relative to the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay; to provide for the membership of the committee; to provide for the appointment of members to the committee; to provide for the election of members to the committee; to provide procedures for electing and removing members of the committee; to provide for vacancies in the membership of the committee; and to provide for related matters.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 255—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:691.10(A) and 691.13(A) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:691.2(11) and (12), 691.9.1, and Subpart G-2 of Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:691.31 through 691.39, relative to supervision of insurance holding company systems, including risk management and corporate governance, by the commissioner of insurance; to provide with respect to the authority of the commissioner to determine or acknowledge a group supervisor for internationally active insurance groups; to provide for the authority of the commissioner to require own risk and solvency assessments; to provide for confidentiality of information; to provide for sanctions for noncompliance; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 260—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALFRED WILLIAMS, BARROW, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BURRELL, COX, GAINES, HALL, HONORE, HUNTER, TERRY LANDRY, MACK, NORTON, PRICE, SMITH, THIERRY, PATRICK WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1299.4.3 and 2018.3(D)(5), relative to health services for persons with sickle cell disease; to establish a sickle cell patient navigator program and provide for functions of the program; to provide for administration of the program by the Department of Health and Hospitals under the direction of the Louisiana Sickle Cell Commission; to provide for program implementation contingent upon appropriation of funds; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 343—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:93.10(2)(a)(iv), relative to the unlawful possession of alcoholic beverages; to provide relative to the crime prohibiting public possession of alcoholic beverages by a person under twenty-one years of age; to amend the definition of "public possession" relative to possession and consumption in a private residence; to define "private residence"; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 369—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BARROW AND CARTER AND SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 28 of Title 46, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2148, relative to the state domestic violence coalition of Louisiana; to require the opportunity for an appeal hearing prior to disciplinary action; to require certain notifications; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 498—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.111 and 1300.113(A)(introductory paragraph), (1), and (9), and to repeal R.S. 40:1300.113(B), relative to public information concerning prices and quality of health services; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for duties of the Department of Health and Hospitals relative to collecting and reporting of healthcare data; to require promulgation of rules; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 568—

BY REPRESENTATIVES THIERRY, BARROW, WESLEY BISHOP, CHANEY, COX, GUINN, HALL, HOFFMANN, HUNTER, JACKSON, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, MIGUEZ, MONTUCET, ORTEGO, ROBIDEAUX, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1241(B) through (F) and to enact R.S. 37:1241(A)(23) and (24) and (G), relative to the disciplinary powers of the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide for prohibited acts; to provide for definitions; to provide for scope of application; to require the production of information necessary for the investigation of certain violations; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 647—

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:554(B), relative to the Legislative Audit Advisory Council; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and authority of the council; to provide relative to an auditee or local auditee that fails to comply with recommendations or to correct findings contained in an audit report; to authorize the council to conduct a hearing under certain circumstances; to authorize the council to direct the treasurer to withhold funds under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the authority, functions, and duties of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; to require the committee to hold certain hearings; to authorize the committee to recommend certain appropriation penalties under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 701—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WHITNEY, ANDERS, BERTHELOT, CHANEY, COX, GAROFALO, GUINN, HARRIS, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, NANCY LANDRY, LEBAS, ORTEGO, SEABAUGH, STOKES, THIERRY, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.35.6(B)(3)(d), and to enact R.S. 40:1299.30.2, 1299.35.2(A)(3), and 1299.35.10(A)(27) and (28), relative to abortion; to provide relative to attempts to perform abortions; to prohibit certain actions undertaken in connection with abortion; to provide for civil actions pursuant to violation of certain abortion prohibitions; to provide for determination of age and sex of an unborn child in certain instances; to provide for information to be communicated to a woman prior to abortion; to provide relative to individual abortion reports; to provide a legislative declaration; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 836— (Substitute for House Bill No. 716 by Representative Hodges)

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:223, 224(A)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (6) and (B), and 225(A)(1) and (B), 226, 227, and 228 and to enact R.S. 9:224(A)(7) and 225(A)(4), relative to marriage licenses; to provide for the application for a marriage license; to provide for the application form; to provide for required information; to provide for required documentation; to provide with respect to the use of birth certificates in the process of applying for a marriage license; to provide for documentation in lieu of a birth certificate; to provide for court orders; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 18, 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 Concurrent Resolutions:

HCR No. 143	HCR No. 144	HCR No. 145
HCR No. 146	HCR No. 147	HCR No. 148
HCR No. 149	HCR No. 150	HCR No. 151
HCR No. 152	HCR No. 153	

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 143—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that all financial institutions conducting business in the state of Louisiana strictly comply with Subpart D of Chapter 5 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:1591 through 1605, and known as the Financial Institution Insurance Sales Law, requiring financial institutions to adhere to the provisions of the Financial Institution Insurance Sales Law, to give due consideration to the public interest in the regulation of state banking and insurance industries, and to clarify the intent of the legislature.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 144—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Tuesday, June 2, 2015, as Louisiana School Psychological Association Day at the state capitol and to commend the Louisiana School Psychological Association for its many contributions to students and schools throughout the state.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 145—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Kirstyn Marie Torres upon her receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation in the category of High School Woman of Excellence and upon being a recipient of a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 146—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Tabitha Ann Kearns upon her receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation in the category of High School Woman of Excellence and upon being a recipient of a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 147—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Naomi Maria Smith upon her receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation in the category of High School Woman of Excellence and upon being a recipient of a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 148—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Tiffany Amber Landry upon her receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation in the category of High School Woman of Excellence and upon being a recipient of a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 149—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Tiffany M. Stewart upon her receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation for her achievements in the field of Health and Medicine.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 150—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Madeline Joan Janney upon her receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation in the category of College Woman of Excellence and upon being a recipient of a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

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

May 18, 2015

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 151—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend B. Ronnell Nolan, a Baton Rouge businesswoman, upon her receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation for her achievements in the field of business.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 152—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend The Cinderella Project of Baton Rouge upon its receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation in the category of Nonprofit of Excellence.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 153—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, HILL, HODGES, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, WHITNEY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Jennifer Barnes Maggio upon her receipt of a 2015 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation in the category of Louisiana Hero of Excellence.

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 47—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2256.3, relative to retirement benefits received from the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the calculation of the community portion of such benefits; 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. 67—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(K), relative to the crime of illegal carrying of weapons; to provide for an exception for retired district attorneys and assistant district attorneys under certain circumstances; 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. 153—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TIM BURNS, BROWN, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, COX, FOIL, GAROFALO, GISCLAIR, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENRY, HOFFMANN, MIKE JOHNSON, LEOPOLD, LORUSSO, ORTEGO, PEARSON, REYNOLDS, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STOKES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:91.14, relative to offenses affecting the health and morals of minors; to create the crime of unlawful distribution of material harmful to minors through the Internet; to provide elements for and exceptions to the offense; to provide for

definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; 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. 169—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(13) and to enact R.S. 24:15, relative to the provision of information; to require state entities, officials, and employees to provide information to the legislature; to provide that any privileged or confidential information maintains its status; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 301—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:71(B) and 72(A), relative to civil involuntary outpatient treatment; to increase the maximum initial period of treatment; to increase the maximum period of subsequent treatment; 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. 355—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(K)(5), (7)(a) and (U) and to enact R.S. 47:302(V), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the collection and remittance of sales and use tax; to provide for the definition of dealer; to provide a method for reporting and remitting taxes by certain dealers; 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. 385—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NANCY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 603(17)(b), relative to mandatory reporters; to establish an exception for certain mental health/social service practitioners; 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. 514—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1204, relative to notice of certain actions; to provide relative to allegations of violations of certain permits; to provide for service of citation; to provide for notice of judgment or settlement; 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. 555—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(K)(5), (7)(a) and (U) and to enact R.S. 47:302(V), relative to sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the collection and remittance of sales and use tax; to provide for the definition of dealer; to provide a method for reporting and remitting taxes by certain dealers; 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. 564—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1306(C)(1)(b) and (c) and to enact R.S. 32:1311(G), relative to motor vehicle inspections; to require official inspection stations to offer certificates of inspections that are valid for various periods of time; to exempt certain trailers from inspection requirements; 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. 593—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1305(A) and 1306(E), relative to motor vehicle inspection certificates and stations; to authorize the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, to develop a system of electronic filing of inspection certificates; to provide for the requirements of such a system; to authorize the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, to establish fees for motor vehicle inspection violations; to provide for effective dates; 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. 742—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:229.1 and to repeal R.S. 48:229, relative to programs of construction to be commenced in the coming fiscal year submitted to the legislature by the Department of Transportation and Development; to prescribe the process by which the Department of Transportation and Development shall select and prioritize certain construction projects; to require the Department of Transportation and Development to make certain information public; to repeal the current requirements by which the Department of Transportation and Development prioritizes certain construction projects; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HOUSE BILL NO. 767—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN AND ARMES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:77(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 36:769(M) and Subpart B of Part V of Chapter 1 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 48:81 through 90.1, relative to providing funds to certain entities for transportation related projects; to create the Louisiana State Transportation Infrastructure Bank; to provide for a board of directors; to provide for membership, duties, and authority of the board; to provide for the adoption of bylaws, rules, and regulations by the board; to create the Louisiana State Transportation Infrastructure Fund; to provide for the receipt, administration, and expenditure of monies allotted for the fund; to provide for the investment and disposition of the monies of the fund; to authorize the bank to incur debt and issue bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness and to guarantee the debt of other entities; to authorize loans from the fund to certain entities; to provide procedures to enter into such indebtedness; to exempt evidence of indebtedness from taxation; to exempt any debt of or obligation entered into by the bank from being used in the calculation of net state tax supported debt; 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. 835— (Substitute for House Bill No. 194 by Representative Moreno)

BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO, ADAMS, ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW, BILLIOT, BOUIE, BROWN, BURRELL, CONNICK, EDWARDS, GAINES, GAROFALO, GISCLAIR, HARRISON, HAZEL, JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, ROBERT JOHNSON, NANCY LANDRY, LEGER, LEOPOLD, MACK, MILLER, JAY MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, PYLANT, RITCHIE, SEABAUGH, SMITH, TALBOT, THIERRY, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5713(F) and R.S. 15:622(A)(2) and (4) and R.S. 46:1802(4), (7) through (10), 1806(B), (C), and (D), 1809(B)(3) and (4)(a), and 1817(A) and to enact Part XLIV of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.41, and R.S. 46:1802(10.1), (11), (12), and (13), 1806(E), and 1807(B)(7) and to repeal R.S. 40:2109.1, relative to the treatment and billing of victims of a sexually-oriented criminal offense; to require the coroner to examine victims; to require the use of a barcode to maintain confidentiality; to provide for the transfer of evidence; to provide for the forensic medical examination; to provide for ancillary healthcare services; to require a regional sexual assault response plan; to provide for input by stakeholders; to provide procedures for the billing of services provided to a victim; to authorize certain licensure disciplinary actions for violations; to provide relative to forensic medical examinations; to provide for certain application requirements for reparations relative to victims of sexually-oriented criminal offenses; to require the Crime Victims Reparations Board to promulgate rules and regulations; to provide for certain eligibility provisions; to provide for notification requirements; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY, ADAMS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BOUIE, BROWN, BURRELL, EDWARDS, GAINES, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, HALL, HILL, HOWARD, HUNTER, JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JONES, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, MONToucET, NORTON, PIERRE, PRICE, REYNOLDS, SCHRODER, SHADON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOODRUFF

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for a hospital stabilization formula pursuant to Article VII, Section 10.13 of the Constitution of Louisiana; to establish the level and basis of hospital assessments; to establish certain reimbursement enhancements for inpatient and outpatient hospital services; to establish certain criteria for the implementation of the formula; to establish the base reimbursement level paid to hospitals; to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to reorganize and recodify the Miscellaneous Health Provisions Chapter of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 in accordance with the specifications provided in this Resolution.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 86—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish a study committee on family caregiving and long-term supports and services, and to direct the committee to report recommendations for legislative and administrative actions to support family caregivers to the legislative committees on health and welfare.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to amend the employer shared responsibility provisions of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to eliminate penalties on school districts.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 104—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish a committee to consider the issues surrounding the possible lifting of the oyster leasing moratorium instituted by the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission on March 7, 2002.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 140—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAMBERT AND ST. GERMAIN AND SENATOR WARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to examine the issues involved with establishment of a wild-caught crawfish fishing season.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

EDUCATION

Senator Conrad Appel, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

May 14, 2015

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69—

BY SENATOR LONG
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express support of Louisiana students to assemble for religious expression and the freedom to express their religious beliefs in public elementary and secondary schools and public postsecondary education institutions.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request each city, parish, and other local public school board to provide for high school student interaction with the school board in an informative, advisory, and nonvoting capacity.

Reported favorably.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 92—

BY SENATOR ERDEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the state Department of Education to establish policies and procedures to evaluate school bus driver training curricula utilized by private providers and to certify qualified private providers to deliver required training to Louisiana school bus drivers, provided their curriculum includes the training and topics prescribed by the department.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 43—

BY SENATOR APPEL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:6.1, relative to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to require the board to adopt rules in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act for certain programs, statements, guidelines, or requirements for conduct; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 132—

BY SENATOR NEVERS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3161.1, 3165.2 and 3168(6), relative to the articulation and transfer of postsecondary academic credit; to provide relative to reverse transfer agreements; to provide relative to awarding academic and workforce education credit to veterans for military education, training, or experience; to provide relative to the transfer of certain academic credits earned by veterans and their spouses; to provide for the responsibilities of the Statewide Articulation and Transfer Council; to provide for reports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 249—

BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4033, relative to school choice; to create and provide for the School Choice Loan Fund; to provide for qualifications and criteria for eligibility for such loans; to provide for the adoption of rules to govern the issuance, use, and repayment of such loans; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 85—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1994(B)(28), relative to the Louisiana Technical College; to change the designation of a campus in St. John the Baptist Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 154—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:81(X)(2)(c), 176(F)(1), 407.2, 407.26(F)(3)(c), 407.27(B)(1), 407.33(A)(4), 407.38(B), 407.49, 407.51(F), (H), (J), and (K), 407.52, 407.64(A), 407.66(B), 407.70, 407.71(C) and (E), 407.72(A), 407.82(2), 3095(A)(1)(b) and (c), 3914(K)(3)(a) and (c)(introductory paragraph), 3921.2(B)(6), 4002.4(D)(2), 4002.6(B), 4017(B), 4019, 4022(3), and 4035.1(D), relative to various provisions in Title 17; to provide for technical corrections in various education laws including corrections in legal citations and corrections in names of programs and agencies; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 345—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3883(A)(6)(a)(introductory paragraph), (b), and (c), relative to evaluations of public school teachers and administrators; to require the advisory subcommittee of the Accountability Commission to report and make recommendations regarding proposed modifications of regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 384—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, CHANEY, HOFFMANN, AND HUNTER AND SENATOR THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351.15(A), relative to the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System; to authorize the board to impose certain fee amounts for enrollment in the dental hygiene program at the University of Louisiana at Monroe; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 598—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FOIL, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HALL, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, JONES, NANCY LANDRY, LEGER, MONToucET, REYNOLDS, SIMON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THIBAUT, THIERRY, AND WILLMOTT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:802.24 and R.S. 46:1722(1), (2), and (7)(introductory paragraph) and (h), 1723, and 1725(B)(2), to enact R.S. 17:3093.1, R.S. 36:651(T)(6), and R.S. 46:1722(8) and (9) and 1726 through 1729, and to repeal R.S. 36:259(Y) and R.S. 46:1722(4) through (6), 1724, and 1725(D), relative to the ABLE Account Program established by the Louisiana ABLE Act; to provide for implementation of the ABLE Account Program in conformance with applicable federal laws; to provide relative to the composition and functions of the ABLE Account Authority; to provide for cooperative endeavors between the ABLE Account Authority and the Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority; to provide for concurrent operation and management of the ABLE Account Program and the Louisiana Student Tuition Assistance and Revenue Trust Program; to authorize rulemaking and oversight thereof by certain legislative committees; to provide relative to treatment by certain assistance programs of funds in ABLE Accounts; to provide relative to tax treatment of amounts deposited in ABLE Accounts; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

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.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
CONRAD APPEL
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS**

Senator Greg Tarver, Vice Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs, submitted the following report:

May 14, 2015

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 278—

BY SENATOR BROWN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4570.15, relative to recreation districts; to create and provide for the North Lafourche Recreation Enhancement District; to provide for the status, boundaries, and governing authority of the district; to provide for the powers and duties of the district's governing authority; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

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.

Reported favorably.

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.

Reported favorably.

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.

May 18, 2015

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 200—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRISON AND WHITNEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.251, 130.252, 130.253, 130.254(A), 130.255, 130.256, 130.257(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 130.258, and 130.261(C) and (D), relative to the Terrebonne Economic Development Authority; to provide relative to purpose and governance of the authority; to provide relative to the membership of the governing board of the authority; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the authority and its governing board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 201—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCKET
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574(F)(9), relative to the Acadia Parish Convention and Visitors Commission; to provide for changes to the tourist commission's board of directors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 463—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:386(A) and (D), relative to Lawrason Act municipalities; to provide relative to the appointment of municipal officials; to provide relative to the first regular meeting of the board of aldermen when such appointments are made; to provide for a clarification as to the meaning of the first meeting of the board of aldermen; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
GREG TARVER
Vice Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
NATURAL RESOURCES**

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

May 14, 2015

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

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.

Reported favorably.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83—
BY SENATORS THOMPSON AND RISER AND REPRESENTATIVES ANDERS AND PYLANT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to change the name of the Sicily Island Hills Wildlife Management Area to the J.C. "Sonny" Gilbert Wildlife Management Area.

Reported favorably.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 89—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish a task force to study the performance audit on the regulation of oil and gas wells and management of orphaned wells.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 41—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:93(A)(1) and the introductory paragraph of (A)(3), relative to the Louisiana Oilfield Site Restoration Law; to provide relative to the recovery of site restoration costs; to provide for certain monetary limits and their effects; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the Atchafalaya Basin Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2015-2016, as adopted by the Atchafalaya Basin Research and Promotion Board and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Reported favorably.

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.

Reported favorably.

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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 178—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(U)(1), relative to the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District; to provide for the transfer of certain land in the possession of the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District for certain purposes to the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 193—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GUINN AND 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.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 219—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROWN AND SHADON
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Union 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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 303—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:325.4(D), relative to stock assessments of certain finfish; to remove the requirement that the assessments for black drum, sheepshead, and flounder contain certain information for each species; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 332—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:305.6(B), relative to commercial crab trap gear licenses; to authorize certain wholesale/retail dealers to purchase a commercial crab trap gear license; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 339—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.5.2(F), relative to functions and responsibilities of the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board; to provide for the availability of certain resources to satisfy mitigation requirements related to integrated coastal protection projects of the board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 341—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GAROFALO AND HARRISON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:431(D), relative to penalties for theft of oysters; to provide additional penalties for theft of oysters from leased acreage; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 352—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1702(C), (D)(introductory paragraph) and (1), (2)(a)(i), (ii)(introductory paragraph), (dd), (b), (d), and (f), (G)(1) and (2), (H), and (I), relative to land reclamation for coastal protection and restoration purposes; to provide relative to approval of land reclamation by an "acquiring authority" for integrated coastal protection purposes; to provide relative to the administrative responsibility for reclamation of lands lost through erosion, compaction, subsidence, and sea level rise; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
GERALD LONG
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS**

Senator Neil Riser, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs, submitted the following report:

May 18, 2015

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 75—

BY SENATOR MILLS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A)(2)(d) and to add Article III, Sections 2(A)(2)(e) and 15.1 and Article XIII, Section 1(A)(3) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to tax exemptions, exclusions, deductions, or credits against state tax; to define tax exemption legislation; to create the Exemption Review Conference and provide procedures for and mandatory review of tax exemption legislation; to provide for the termination of tax exemptions; to provide for official tax exemption analyses and recommendations; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 78—

BY SENATOR MILLS
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 21 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:991 through 994, relative to tax exemptions, exclusions, deductions, and credits against state tax; to create the exemption review conference; to provide for official tax exemption analyses and recommendations; to provide for certain procedures for tax exemption instruments; to provide for mandatory review and termination of tax exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 157—

BY SENATOR MARTINY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:352(A)(1), (2), and (6), relative to certain fees charged by the courts of appeal; to provide for an increase in certain fees for the courts of appeal; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 223—

BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6039, relative to tax credits; to establish the Student Adjustment for a Valuable Education (SAVE) Credit Program; to grant transferable SAVE Fee Credits and SAVE Scholarship Credits for SAVE fees charged by a public institution of postsecondary education; to provide for the transfer of credits to such institutions and for payment of such credits to such institutions; to provide for use of such funds paid; and to provide for related matters.

Reported by substitute.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the exemption for business utilities as to the tax levied pursuant to R.S. 47:331 for sales of steam, water, electric power or energy, and natural gas, including but not limited to the exemption in R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(b), (c), (d), and (g), and any other exemptions provided in those portions of Chapter 2 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, that provide for exemptions for business utilities from the taxes imposed therein.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 119—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6) and 841.2, relative to the tobacco tax; to authorize an additional tax to be levied on cigarettes; to establish the Tobacco Tax Medicaid Match Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of the monies in the fund; to provide with respect to the application of the tax on cigarettes in the inventory of certain retail and wholesale dealers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 218—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:246(E) and (G), 287.86, 1621(B)(7), and 1623(C) and to enact R.S. 47:181(B)(3), relative to corporate income tax; to provide for the net operating loss deduction, to eliminate net operating loss deduction carry back, to increase net operating loss deduction carry forward; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 402—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:33(A)(4) through (6), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the individual income tax credit for taxes paid to other states; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 549—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(7)(c)(iii)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 47:633(7)(d), relative to severance tax; to provide with respect to special tax treatment for severance taxes on oil and natural gas; to provide with respect to the tax on production from certain horizontally drilled wells; to provide for the amount and duration of the exemption for certain horizontally drilled wells; to provide with respect to the determination of the price of oil and natural gas for purposes of the exemption; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 624—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:662, R.S. 12:302(L) and 425, R.S. 47:48, 51, 158(C) and (D), 246(A), 287.71(B)(2), (3), (4), and (6), 287.73(C)(4), 287.86(A)(introductory paragraph), 287.732(B)(2), 287.738(F)(1) and (G), and 287.745(B), and R.S. 51:3092, relative to corporate income tax; to provide for

corporate tax expenditures; to provide for corporate income tax exclusions and deductions; to reduce the amount of certain corporate income tax exclusions and deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 629—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, WESLEY BISHOP, COX, GAINES, HALL, HUNTER, JAMES, TERRY LANDRY, NORTON, PIERRE, SMITH, AND WOODRUFF

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:1226.4(C)(1) and (2), R.S. 47:33(A)(introductory paragraph), 34(B)(1), 35(C), 37(C), 265, 287.664, 287.748(B)(1), 287.749(B), 287.752(B)(1), 287.753(C), 287.755(C), 287.758(B), 287.759(A) and (C)(3), 297(A), (B), (C)(1), (D)(2), (F), (G)(2), (H)(1), (I)(2), (J)(4), (K)(2)(a), (L)(3), (M)(1), (N)(1) and (2), and (P)(2), 297.2, 297.6(A)(1) and (5), 297.9(A), 6004(A)(B), the heading of 6005, 6005(C)(1) and (D)(1), 6006(D)(5), 6006.1(E)(3), 6007(C)(1)(c)(introductory paragraph), 6008(A), 6009(D)(1), 6012(B), 6013(A), 6015(C)(2) and (D), 6017(A), 6018(C), 6020(D)(1) and (2)(a), 6022(D)(2)(introductory paragraph), 6023(C)(1) and (3)(introductory paragraph), 6025(A)(1), 6026(D)(2) and (3), 6030(B)(1) and (2)(a), 6032(C) and (F), 6034(C)(1)(a)(ii)(bb), (C)(1)(a)(iii), (C)(1)(c), and (d), 6035(C)(1) and (D), 6036(C)(1)(b) and (I)(2)(a)(i), and 6037(B)(1) and (2)(b), (c), and (d), and R.S. 51:1807(C), 2354(A) and (B), 2399.3(A)(2)(a) and (b), and 3085(B)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 47:297.4(A)(1)(a)(iii), 6006(D)(6), 6006.1(E)(4), 6007(C)(1)(c)(iii) and (d), and 6022(D)(3), relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to reduce the amount of tax credits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 635—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2455(A), 3114(B), and 3121(C)(3)(b)(i) and (4)(c) and to enact R.S. 51:2367(E), relative to rebates; to reduce the amount of rebates; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 779—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(A)(1), (B), (C)(6), and (D) and to repeal R.S. 47:6030(C)(5), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the solar energy systems tax credit; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for a limitation on the amount of certain credits which may be claimed in a calendar year; to provide with respect to eligibility for certain types of solar energy systems; to limit certain types of financing for eligible systems; to provide with respect to the claiming of the credit; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 805—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(A) and (B), relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on inventory and certain natural gas; to provide with respect to authorization for issuance of refunds for tax credits which exceed taxpayer tax liability; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 829—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBIDEAUX, BARROW, HENRY BURNS, HUNTER, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B), (C)(1)(introductory paragraph), (c), and (d) and (2), and (D)(4)(ii)(aa) and to enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(e), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for the certification of credits; to authorize credits for certain investors; to authorize a credit for certain state certified productions which employ certain residents; to authorize a credit for investments on certain music; to provide for an annual program cap on the tax credit; to provide for a cap on certain productions; to provide for the transfer of credits; to provide for use of the monies collected as a result of the application fee; to provide for tax credit requirements and limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
NEIL RISER
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC WORKS

Senator Robert Adley, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, submitted the following report:

May 14, 2015

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 282—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 38:330.12.1(C)(6), (7), and (8), relative to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority; to repeal the appointment of certain members; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue the Comite River Diversion Canal Project Task Force that was created pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 51 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana to study and make recommendations on actions necessary to complete the construction of the Comite River Diversion Canal Project.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 94—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JONES, BROWN, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HILL, HOWARD, LEOPOLD, RICHARD, AND ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:329.3(J) and (K), relative to the powers and duties of the St. Mary Levee District; to transfer all rights and obligations from contractual agreements with the United States Department of the Army relating to levee, floodwall, and floodgate property situated within St. Mary Parish to the St. Mary Levee District; to provide the authority for the St. Mary Levee District Board of Commissioners to serve as the nonfederal, local sponsor for all federal levee, floodwall, and

flood control structures within St. Mary Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 140—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON AND SENATOR GALLOT AND REPRESENTATIVES HILL, HONORE, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEOPOLD, MACK, AND NORTON AND SENATOR BROWN

AN ACT

To designate the interchange of Interstate Highway 20 and Louisiana Highway 149 in Lincoln Parish in memory of former State Representative Pinkie Wilkerson; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 327—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(T)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (i), (b) and (c), and (4) and to enact R.S. 38:291(T)(2)(d), relative to the membership of the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District; to provide relative to the number of board commissioners; to provide for lengths of terms for board members; to remove requirement that members of the board of commissioners be from certain areas; to provide for a definition of a quorum; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 420—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS

AN ACT

To designate certain portions of Louisiana highways to honor the public service of Louisiana citizens; to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 72 as "Private First Class Joshua C. Burrows Drive"; and to designate a portion of U.S. Highway 80 as "Sergeant Craig Nelson Memorial Highway".

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 529—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:334(A), relative to expenditures of taxes collected by the Lafourche Basin Levee District from property in St. Charles Parish located west of the Mississippi River; to provide that certain provisions of law relating to expenditures of taxes collected by the Lafourche Basin Levee District from property in St. Charles Parish located west of the Mississippi River shall not apply in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 656—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:140.62(A)(3) and (4), relative to state planning and development districts; to move St. Mary Parish to a new district; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT ADLEY
Chairman

Reconsideration

The vote by which Senate Bill No. 112 failed to pass on Thursday, May 14, 2015, was reconsidered.

May 18, 2015

SENATE BILL NO. 112—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:601, relative to alcoholic beverage sales; to authorize the governing authority of Rapides Parish to hold an election to allow certain restaurants and liquor retailers to sell alcohol; to provide for definitions; to provide for the election and ballot language; and to provide for related matters.

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Third Reading and Final Passage

SENATE BILL NO. 113—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2353(A)(3), (4), (5) and (6), 2354(E), 2356(G), and 2365(D) and to enact R.S. 37:2353(A)(7), relative to the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists; to provide for eligibility of board members; to provide relative to qualification of certain licensees; to provide for maintenance of records; to provide for certain terms, conditions, procedures, requirements, and effects; 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. 113 by Senator Gallot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 13, following "residence," and before "which" delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 14, following "provided" and before ";" change "herein" to "in this Subsection"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Claitor proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Claitor to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 113 by Senator Gallot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, delete "in Louisiana"

On motion of Senator Claitor, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Peacock
Adley	Gallot	Perry
Allain	Guillory	Peterson
Amedee	Heitmeier	Riser
Appel	Johns	Smith, G.

Broome	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Brown	LaFleur	Tarver
Buffington	Long	Thompson
Chabert	Martiny	Walsworth
Claitor	Mills	Ward
Cortez	Morrell	White
Crowe	Morrish	
Donahue	Murray	

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Dorsey-Colomb Nevers
Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 171—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:453(B) and (C), 458, and 459(A) and to enact R.S. 22:452(4) and (5), 454(C), and 458.1, relative to group self-insurers; to define certain terms; to provide for the amount of insolvency deposit; to provide certain requirements for self-insured trusts; to provide for excess stop-loss coverage; to provide with respect to the requirements to obtain a certificate of authority to operate a self-insured trust plan; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 193—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9038.31(2) and (3) and to enact R.S. 33:9038.68, relative to special districts; to create the Walnut Street Special District; to provide for the governance and the powers and duties of the district, including tax, bond, and tax increment finance authority; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Thompson proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Thompson to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 193 by Senator Thompson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 15, after "purchase," delete the remainder of the line and insert "or lease such property"

On motion of Senator Thompson, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Donahue	Morrish
Adley	Erdey	Murray
Allain	Gallot	Peacock

Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Heitmeier	Riser
Broome	Johns	Smith, G.
Brown	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrell	White
Total - 36		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Dorsey-Colomb	Nevers	Peterson
Total - 3		

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

SENATE BILL NO. 250—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:26, relative to motor vehicles and traffic regulation; to create the Statewide Motor Vehicle Theft and Uninsured Motorists Identification Program; to provide relative to a pilot program using automatic license plate recognition systems to identify stolen vehicles and uninsured motorists; to provide definitions; to provide penalties; 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. 250 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 5, following "**motorists**" and before "**and**" delete "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 19, following "**and**" and before "**in**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 20, following "**program**" and before "**participating**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 3, line 8, following "**purpose**" and before "**for**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 3, line 8, following "**agencies**" and before "**means**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 3, line 11, following "**purpose**" and before "**for**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, line 12, following "**agencies**" and before "**includes**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, line 21, following "**system**" and before the end of the line delete "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 4, line 5, following "**program**" and before "**and**" delete "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 4, line 25, following "**services**" and before "**shall**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 5, line 7, following "**Section**," and before "**determination**" change "**such**" to "**that**"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 5, line 14, following "**operated**," and before "**affidavit**" change "**Such**" to "**The**"

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 6, line 4, following "**purpose**" and before "**or**" delete "1"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Johns proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Johns to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 250 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, lines 3 and 10, change "R.S. 32:26" to "R.S. 32:46"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13, change "**§26**," to "**§46**."

On motion of Senator Johns, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Donahue	Morrish
Adley	Erdey	Murray
Allain	Gallot	Peacock
Amedee	Guillory	Riser
Appel	Heitmeier	Smith, G.
Broome	Johns	Smith, J.
Brown	Kostelka	Tarver
Buffington	LaFleur	Thompson
Chabert	Long	Walsworth
Cortez	Martiny	Ward
Crowe	Mills	White
Total - 33		

NAYS

Claitor	Perry	Peterson
Total - 3		

ABSENT

Dorsey-Colomb	Morrell	Nevers
Total - 3		

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed, ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Senator Johns 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. 125—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 20, 2015, as "LouisianaChildren.org Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol and to recognize the efforts of LouisianaChildren.org in striving to give every child in Louisiana the opportunity to thrive.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 126—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Carol "Fran" Nevers on being named the Louisiana CASA DCFS Staff Member of the Year, and for the leadership, spirit of collaboration, and compassion demonstrated by her consistent service over two decades to the abused and neglected children of Washington and St. Tammany Parishes.

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

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:

May 18, 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 Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Volunteer Louisiana Commission for its support of national service and volunteerism in Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 76—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To commend Leonard Augustus Jr. for his contributions to the fine arts.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 77—

BY SENATORS PEACOCK, 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, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the 2nd Bomb Wing of Barksdale Air Force Base on being awarded the 2014 Brigadier General Frederick W. Castle Award for best bomber wing in Air Force Global Strike Command.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 78—

BY SENATORS PEACOCK, 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, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Caddo Parish District Attorney, Charles Rex Scott II.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 79—

BY SENATOR APPEL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Department of Education, and local school boards to recognize that dyslexia has significant educational implications that must be addressed.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 81—

BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ALLAIN, GUILLORY, LAFLEUR, MILLS, MORRISH AND PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Cindy Landry for her strong dedication and hard work in the Special Olympics Louisiana Program and as a tennis coach in the 2014 Special Olympics USA Games.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 82—

BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ALLAIN, GUILLORY, LAFLEUR, MILLS, MORRISH AND PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Mike Rhodes for his strong dedication and hard work in the Special Olympics Louisiana Program and as an athletics coach in the 2014 Special Olympics USA Games.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 83—

BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ALLAIN, GUILLORY, LAFLEUR, MILLS, MORRISH AND PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Landa Gann for her strong dedication and hard work in the Special Olympics Louisiana Program and as an athletics coach in the 2014 Special Olympics USA Games.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 84—

BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ALLAIN, GUILLORY, LAFLEUR, MILLS, MORRISH AND PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Jason Journet for his strong dedication and hard work in the Special Olympics Louisiana Program and as a basketball athlete in the 2014 Special Olympics USA Games.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 85—

BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ALLAIN, GUILLORY, LAFLEUR, MILLS, MORRISH AND PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Patty Lagron for her strong dedication and hard work in the Special Olympics Louisiana Program and as a basketball coach in the 2014 Special Olympics USA Games.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 86—

BY SENATOR CROWE

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of James Dawson Harrison, D.D.S.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 87—

BY SENATOR PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend Caroline Broussard of Abbeville upon being named a member of the Tiger Twelve Class of 2015 by the Louisiana State University Office of the Dean of Students.

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.

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'.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 90—

BY SENATORS THOMPSON AND RISER

A RESOLUTION

To recognize May 5, 2015, as "Bankers Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 91—

BY SENATORS GARY SMITH AND WARD

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 5, 2015, as "Louisiana Chemical Industry Day".

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 88—

BY SENATOR MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Michael Joseph Ducrest for achieving the rank of Eagle Scout of Boy Scouts of America.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 89—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 3 through May 9, 2015, as "Arson Awareness Week" in the state of Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 92—

BY SENATORS LONG, GALLOT, KOSTELKA AND RISER

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Holy Savior Menard Central High School Lady Eagles softball team on a memorable season winning the Class 2A state championship title.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 93—

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend Maxine Roge' Johnson on fifty years of service to Northwestern State University of Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 94—

BY SENATOR CHABERT

A RESOLUTION

To commend Nicholls State University senior biology student Anthony Naquin for being selected to present his research as part of the recent Posters on the Hill exhibition in Washington D.C.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 95—

BY SENATORS DORSEY-COLOMB, BROOME AND PETERSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Loretta Lynch on being the first African-American woman to be sworn in as Attorney General of the United States.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 97—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate John L. Bennett for more than thirty years of outstanding accomplishments in education, his inspiring leadership of the faculty and students of St. Aloysius Catholic School and for his dedicated public service as a member of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 98—

BY SENATOR CHABERT

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, May 7, 2015, as "Nicholls State University Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 99—

BY SENATORS PEACOCK AND BUFFINGTON

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Captain Shreve High School coach, Richard Alan Lary.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 101—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

A RESOLUTION

To recognize May 11, 2015, as "Louisiana Association of Chambers of Commerce Executives (LACCE) Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 105—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Raymond E. "Ray" Tangney.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 106—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 12, 2015, as "Y Day in Louisiana".

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 96—

BY SENATOR RISER

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 10 through May 16, 2015, as "Police Week" in the state of Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 100—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Dardanella Gabrielle Darensbourg Hamilton, wife, daughter, mother, civic and community leader and friend.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 102—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of long-time Baton Rouge community leader, Irwin Richard "Dick" Schneider.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 103—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Mary Grace Brister Jackson upon the celebration of her 87th birthday.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 104—

BY SENATORS NEVERS, ALARIO, DONAHUE, ERDEY AND WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Honorable Gordon Burgess, Tangipahoa Parish President, for his years of meritorious public service to the citizens of Tangipahoa Parish, the state of Louisiana, and the nation, and to recognize his many accomplishments.

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 107—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Orthopaedic Association and to recognize Tuesday, May 12, 2015, as "Louisiana Orthopaedic Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 73—

BY SENATORS WHITE AND PEACOCK

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.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 111—

BY SENATORS THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH

A RESOLUTION

To designate June 3, 2015, as "4-H Day" at the legislature and commend the state 4-H officers.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 112—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate The Life of a Single Mom Ministries for its many accomplishments and positive effect on the lives of single moms on the occasion of its Third Annual TLSM Impact Luncheon.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 113—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To designate Wednesday, May 13, 2015, as "Louisiana Housing Alliance Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol.

Respectfully submitted,
"JODY" AMEDEE
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate and presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary.

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:

May 18, 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. 50—

BY SENATOR BROWN AND REPRESENTATIVE GAINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To support the efforts of the St. John the Baptist Parish Council and the St. John the Baptist Board of Library Control to rename the Reserve Branch Library in St. John the Baptist Parish as the Leroy D. Williams Public Library.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To encourage business owners and residents of Louisiana to take all measures to ensure the safety of their property, including considering the installation of security cameras to enhance

safety, deter crime, and otherwise provide for the protection of their property.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93—

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

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend local school boards and superintendents throughout the state for their service and dedication to the education of the children of Louisiana and for the pivotal role they play in producing excellent public education.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95—

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Education to study the feasibility of requiring public school governing authorities to encourage and assist high school seniors and their parents to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

Respectfully submitted,
"JODY" AMEDEE
Chairman

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

Message to the Secretary of State

SIGNED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 18, 2015

To the Honorable Secretary of State:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolution:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61—

BY SENATOR MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Louisiana native Jake C. Delhomme for being selected to the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60—

BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 62—

BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend The Gideons International for its contributions and the role it has played in Louisiana and in supporting the Louisiana Gideons.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—

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 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.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64—

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, MONTOU CET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, OUSRO, 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 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.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65—

BY SENATORS LONG AND WALSWORTH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY SENATOR BROOME AND REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Volunteer Louisiana Commission for its support of national service and volunteerism in Louisiana.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 67—

BY SENATOR BROOME AND REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To declare October 1, 2015, as "World Peace Day" in the state of Louisiana.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 70—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR AND REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and acknowledge the efforts of the employees of the Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections, youth services, office of juvenile justice (OJJ).

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—

BY SENATOR PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Arnold "Bud" Pellerin.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Public Administration Institute Student Association (PAISA) at Louisiana State University and to recognize April 13, 2015, as the seventeenth annual PAISA Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 72—

BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Yvette Girouard on being named to the 2015 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73—

BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Kevin Troy Faulk on being named to the 2015 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—

BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Avery Johnson on being named to the 2015 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—

BY SENATORS GARY SMITH AND BROWN AND REPRESENTATIVES GAINES, MILLER AND WILLMOTT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the St. Charles Parish Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness on being granted full accreditation by the Emergency Management Accreditation Program.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Monday, May 18, 2015, as "Forum 35 Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol and to commend the members of Forum 35.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—

BY SENATORS BUFFINGTON AND PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the North DeSoto High School Lady Griffins Softball Team, the coaches, the principal, the faculty, the student body and the school community for winning the Class 4-A State Championship in the State Softball Tournament, for their accomplishments, and for representing the DeSoto Parish School System with pride, dignity and sportsmanship above reproach.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—

BY SENATOR CORTEZ AND REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the students and faculty of the Lafayette Parish School System for their first-overall placement in the Louisiana Governor's Games 23rd Annual Elementary State Championship Fitness Meet.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 85—

BY SENATOR ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate May 13, 2015, as "Louisiana Housing Council Day" at the Legislature of Louisiana and commend the organization for its accomplishments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 86—

BY SENATOR MORRISH AND REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Hackberry High School softball team for winning the 2015 Class C State Championship for the fifth consecutive year.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87—

BY SENATORS JOHNS AND MORRISH AND REPRESENTATIVES DANAHAY, GEYMAN AND KLECKLEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of James Leo McGough Sr. of Lake Charles, Louisiana.

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 88—
BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Sam Houston High School Lady Broncos softball team on winning its fourth state championship in five years.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 90—
BY SENATORS MORRELL AND APPEL AND REPRESENTATIVES
ABRAMSON, LEGER AND MORENO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend distinguished and published author, teacher, and artist Brad Richard as the recipient of the 2015 Louisiana Culture Award for Artist of the Year.

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President	Erdey	Peacock
Adley	Gallot	Perry
Allain	Guillory	Peterson
Amedee	Heitmeier	Riser
Appel	Johns	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Brown	LaFleur	Tarver
Buffington	Long	Thompson
Chabert	Martiny	Walsworth
Claitor	Mills	Ward
Cortez	Morrell	White
Crowe	Morrish	
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 37		

ABSENT

Dorsey-Colomb	Nevers
Total - 2	

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Dorsey-Colomb	1 Day	Nevers	1 Day
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Announcements

The following committee meetings for May 19, 2015, were announced:

Judiciary A	9:00 A.M.	Hainkel Room
Judiciary B	10:00 A.M.	Room E
Judiciary C	9:00 A.M.	Room F

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 5:20 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, May 19, 2015, at 2:00 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