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**SENATE**  
OF THE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA

**FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

Forty-Third Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974

Senate Chamber  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, April 17, 2017

The Senate was called to order at 5:15 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	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Peacock
Appel	Gatti	Perry
Barrow	Hewitt	Riser
Bishop	Johns	Smith, G.
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, J.
Carter	Long	Tarver
Chabert	Luneau	Thompson
Claitor	Milkovich	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	White
Donahue	Mizell	
Total - 32		

ABSENT

Colomb	Martiny	Peterson
LaFleur	Morrish	Ward
Total - 6		

The President of the Senate announced there were 32 Senators  
present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Executive Pastor Gary Maxwell,  
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 Gatti, the reading of the Journal was  
dispensed with and the Journal of April 12, 2017, was adopted.

**Message from the House**

**CONCURRING IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 12, 2017

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. 4—**  
BY SENATOR MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the family court for the parish of East Baton Rouge for  
successfully utilizing litter abatement in lieu of imprisonment in  
certain circumstances of unpaid child support and to urge and  
request courts across the state to exercise this option when  
appropriate.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—**  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the faculty, students, and Parent  
Teacher Association of Fairfield Elementary Magnet School of  
Shreveport upon receipt of the 2016-2018 National Parent  
Teacher Association (PTA) School of Excellence Award.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—**  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Foster Grandparent Volunteer Program for its  
thirty-six years of exceptional community service performed on  
behalf of the special needs of youth residing in the parishes of  
Caddo and Bossier.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—**  
BY SENATORS JOHNS, MORRISH AND JOHN SMITH AND  
REPRESENTATIVES ABRAHAM, DANAHAY, DWIGHT, FRANKLIN,  
GUINN, HENSGENS AND HILL  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mayor Randy Roach for his years of public service to  
the city of Lake Charles and to the state of Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—**  
BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE MORENO  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize May 3, 2017, as "Purple and Teal Day" in the state of  
Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—**  
BY SENATOR MORRISH AND REPRESENTATIVE GUINN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate October as Eczema Awareness Month in Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—**  
BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Lafayette Christian Academy  
Lady Knights basketball team on winning the 2017 Louisiana  
High School Athletic Association Division IV state  
championship.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—**  
BY SENATORS BOUDREAUX AND CORTEZ AND REPRESENTATIVE  
PIERRE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate head coach Michael Lotief of the  
University of Louisiana at Lafayette softball team upon the  
occasion of earning the seven hundredth win of his head  
coaching career at the school.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—**  
BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Lafayette Christian Academy Knights boys' basketball team on winning the 2017 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Division IV state championship.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—**  
BY SENATORS PEACOCK, ALARIO, ALLAIN, APPEL, BARROW, BISHOP, BOUDREAUX, CARTER, CHABERT, CLAITOR, COLOMB, CORTEZ, DONAHUE, ERDEY, FANNIN, GATTI, HEWITT, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LAMBERT, LONG, LUNEAU, MARTINY, MILKOVICH, MILLS, MIZELL, MORRELL, MORRISH, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE AND REPRESENTATIVES CARMODY, HORTON AND SEABAUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the commanders, officers, and airmen of Barksdale Air Force Base upon receipt of the annual Commander in Chief Award for Installation Excellence from the United States Department of Defense.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—**  
BY SENATOR THOMPSON AND REPRESENTATIVE FALCONER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the people of Canada on their nation's 150th Anniversary of Confederation and on the Consulate General of Canada's 50th anniversary of diplomatic representation to Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—**  
BY SENATOR HEWITT AND REPRESENTATIVE CROMER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Slidell Republican Women's Club on the occasion of its fiftieth anniversary as a valuable asset in supporting and being committed to the Republican party and its candidates.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18—**  
BY SENATOR HEWITT AND REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council and its grassroots advocacy network, LaCAN, and designate April 26, 2017, as "Disability Rights Day" in Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—**  
BY SENATORS HEWITT, ALARIO, ALLAIN, APPEL, BARROW, BISHOP, BOUDREAUX, CARTER, CHABERT, CLAITOR, COLOMB, CORTEZ, DONAHUE, ERDEY, FANNIN, GATTI, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LAMBERT, LONG, LUNEAU, MARTINY, MILKOVICH, MILLS, MIZELL, MORRELL, MORRISH, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Randy K. Haynie upon receipt of the Outstanding Eagle Scout Award and to recognize his professional accomplishments and community service.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—**  
BY SENATOR HEWITT AND REPRESENTATIVE CROMER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate the first week of December as "Shop Local Artists Week" in Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—**  
BY SENATOR MIZELL AND REPRESENTATIVE WHITE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To declare May 26, 2017, "John Wayne Day" at the Legislature in recognition of the legacy of an American film icon and of the work of the John Wayne Foundation in the fight against cancer.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—**  
BY SENATORS GATTI, PEACOCK AND TARVER AND REPRESENTATIVES CARMODY, HORTON, JENKINS, REYNOLDS AND SEABAUGH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Don Martin Whittington, a lifelong resident of Benton, Louisiana and a man who loved his family and made countless contributions to his community.

Reported without amendments.

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

**Introduction of Senate Bills  
and Joint Resolutions**

**SENATE BILL NO. 238—**  
BY SENATOR PERRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.24.4, relative to municipal sales and use taxes; to authorize the governing authority for the town of Duson to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax; to require voter approval; to provide for the use of the tax revenue; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 25—**  
BY SENATOR MILLS  
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Physical Therapy Association for its outstanding achievements and to recognize April 18, 2017, as Louisiana Physical Therapy Association Day.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 26—**  
BY SENATOR CARTER  
A RESOLUTION

To recognize April 23, 2017, as "International Children's Day".

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 27—**  
BY SENATOR BISHOP  
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Summer Enrichment Program at the Louisiana State University (LSU) Health Sciences Center New Orleans School of Dentistry.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 28—**

BY SENATOR BISHOP

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Caramitter Carter-Warren.

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

**Introduction of  
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—**

BY SENATORS CLAITOR AND ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the citizens of Louisiana to recognize the lifesaving benefits of routine colorectal screening examinations and schedule such examinations as deemed appropriate by their physicians.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—**

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate April 20, 2017, as Alzheimer's Awareness Day at the state capitol and express the continued support of the Louisiana Alzheimer's Disease Task Force's Final Report and the implementation of its recommendations.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—**

BY SENATORS COLOMB AND CLAITOR

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the dedicated work and contributions of all the employees and students of LSU; to extend enduring appreciation for the university's outstanding leadership in higher education in the state; and to designate Tuesday, April 18, 2017, as LSU Day at the state capitol.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Morrish
Appel	Gatti	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Perry
Bishop	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, G.
Carter	Long	Smith, J.
Chabert	Luneau	Tarver
Claitor	Milkovich	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Mizell	White

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Colomb	Martiny	Ward
LaFleur	Peterson	

Total - 5

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—**

BY SENATOR GARY SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Cara Ursin, a senior at Destrehan High School, on receipt of the Louisiana Gatorade Player of the Year for Girls' Basketball award for the third consecutive year.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—**

BY SENATOR GARY SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the players and coaches of the Destrehan High School LadyCats upon winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association Class 5A girls' basketball state championship title and to congratulate the LadyCats on an outstanding 2016-2017 perfect season.

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

**Senate Resolutions on  
Second Reading**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 20—**

BY SENATOR COLOMB

A RESOLUTION

To commend Malcolm Gerard Myer for his dedicated service and outstanding contributions to the citizens of the state of Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 21—**

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Marion Overton White upon his induction into the St. Landry Parish Democratic Party Hall of Fame.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22—**

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Clifton Louis Lemelle Sr. upon the occasion of being named to the St. Landry Parish Democratic Party Hall of Fame.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 23—**

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Gloria Nye, PhD upon her induction into the St. Landry Parish Democratic Party Hall of Fame.

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

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Patrick Fontenot upon his induction into the St. Landry Parish Democratic Party Hall of Fame.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 17, 2017

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. 27 HCR No. 28 HCR No. 29
HCR No. 31 HCR No. 32 HCR No. 33
HCR No. 34 HCR No. 35 HCR No. 37

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

Senator Carter asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read House Concurrent Resolutions a first and second time.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mary Lou Bairns father for providing musical education and service to Louisiana's children and adults for over fifty-four years.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize October 2017 as Dyslexia Awareness Month and to urge and request schools and state and local educational agencies to address the significant educational implications of dyslexia.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Wednesday, April 19, 2017, as New Orleans Day at the Legislature of Louisiana, to commend the city of New Orleans, and to provide for a suitable observance of this special day.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend D. Neil Granger, Ph.D., for his many accomplishments and contributions to the Louisiana State University (LSU) Health Sciences Center in Shreveport.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Herman Bernard "Barney" Schoenberger of Plaquemines Parish.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Allain, Appel, Barrow, Bishop, Boudreaux, Carter, Chabert, Claitor, Cortez, Donahue and their respective counts.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Colomb, LaFleur, Martiny, Peterson, Ward and their respective counts.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. G. E. Ghali, D.D.S., M.D., F.A.C.S., F.R.C.S. (Ed.), Chancellor of Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center in Shreveport, for extraordinary leadership in the advancement of the institution and in the rich legacy of medical instruction and research that he contributes to his community, the state, and the world.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BERTHELOT, BACALA, PRICE, AND SCHEXNAYDER AND SENATOR LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend G. W. Carver Primary School in Ascension Parish upon receipt of the 2017 TAP Founder's Award from the National Institute for Excellence in Teaching.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dennis J. O'Callaghan, Ph.D., for his many accomplishments and contributions to his field.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES  
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend Team Gleason and the Gleason Initiative Foundation for tireless advocacy on behalf of persons with amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) and other neuromuscular diseases and injuries.

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

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

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

Senator Jean-Paul "JP" Morrell, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs, submitted the following report:

April 17, 2017

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. 22—**  
 BY SENATOR PEACOCK  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.62(B) and (C)(1), relative to the Annual Louisiana Second Amendment Weekend Holiday; to provide for items eligible for the holiday; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 25—**  
 BY SENATOR MORRELL  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:297(D) and (D)(1) and to repeal R.S. 47:297(D)(2) as amended by Section 5 of Act No. 125 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits; to provide relative to reduction to tax due; to sunset the tax credit for educational expenses; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**SENATE BILL NO. 26—**  
 BY SENATOR MORRELL  
 A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the industrial property tax exemption; to prohibit contracts pursuant to the industrial property tax exemption program from providing an exemption from school board taxes; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 33—**  
 BY SENATOR MORRELL  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 4 of Act No. 109 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature

Reported favorably.

**SENATE BILL NO. 48—**  
 BY SENATOR MORRELL  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6005(C)(1), (D)(1), and (G) and to repeal R.S. 47:6005(C)(1) and (D)(1) as amended by Section 5 of Act No. 125 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Section 8 of Act No. 29 of the 2016 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits; to provide for the termination of the tax credit for qualified new recycling manufacturing or process equipment and service contracts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**SENATE BILL NO. 174—**  
 BY SENATOR MORRELL  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(i) and (10), and 287.738(G), relative to income tax deductions; to provide for a deduction from individual and corporation income tax for disaster recovery benefits received from state and federal agencies; to provide for a transition rule; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 175—**  
 BY SENATOR MORRELL  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(10), and to enact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xviii) and 297.14, relative to income tax deductions; to provide for a deduction for unreimbursed disaster related casualty losses not allowed as deductions for federal income tax purposes; to provide for a transition rule; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 182—**  
 BY SENATOR MORRELL  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(B)(2), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to refund limitations involving one consolidated federal income tax return; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
 JEAN-PAUL "JP" MORRELL  
 Chairman

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 14—**  
 BY SENATORS LUNEAU, BOUDREAUX, CHABERT AND MILLS  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1131(5), relative to emergency medical services; to provide for a definition of auto-injector; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Morrish
Appel	Gatti	Peacock

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Barrow	Hewitt	Perry
Bishop	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, G.
Carter	Long	Smith, J.
Chabert	Luneau	Tarver
Claitor	Milkovich	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Colomb	Martiny	Ward
LaFleur	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

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

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2852(D) and (E), relative to facilities providing housing or temporary residence for individuals arrested for commission of a crime; to remove accreditation requirement; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Morrish submitted the following amendments on behalf of Senator Martiny.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 28 by Senator Morrish

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, following "To" and before ",," change "amend and reenact R.S. 40:2852(D) and (E)" to "amend and reenact R.S. 40:2852(D) and to repeal R.S. 40:2852(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, following "(D)" and before "hereby" change "and (E) are" to "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, following line 3, insert "Section 2. R.S. 40:2852(E) is hereby repealed."

On motion of Senator Morrish, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Morrish
Appel	Gatti	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Perry
Bishop	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, G.
Carter	Long	Smith, J.
Chabert	Luneau	Tarver
Claitor	Milkovich	Thompson

Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Colomb	Martiny	Ward
LaFleur	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 34—**

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2626(I)(5), relative to emergency ground ambulance service providers; to provide for a definition; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Morrish
Appel	Gatti	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Perry
Bishop	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, G.
Carter	Long	Smith, J.
Chabert	Luneau	Tarver
Claitor	Milkovich	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Colomb	Martiny	Ward
LaFleur	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 41—**

BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:46.2(B)(4), 46.3(D)(3), 81.1(E)(5)(c) and (d), 82.1(A), (D)(4), and (E), 83(B)(4), 83.1(B)(4), 83.2(B)(4), 84(B)(4), 85(B)(4), 86(B)(2) and (3), 104(B)(4), 105(B)(4), and 282(B)(4), and R.S. 15:539.1(A), (B)(1), (C), and (E) and 539.2(B)(1), relative to sex offenses; to provide for forfeiture of currency by persons convicted of certain sex offenses; to provide for the disposition and distribution of forfeited currency; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 42—**

BY SENATORS JOHNS, ALARIO, ALLAIN, BARROW, BISHOP, BOUDREAU, CARTER, CORTEZ, DONAHUE, ERDEY, GATTI, HEWITT, LONG, LUNEAU, MILKOVICH, MILLS, MIZELL, MORRISH, PERRY, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact Part II of Chapter 28-B of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2165 through 2168, relative to human trafficking; to provide for the Louisiana Human Trafficking Prevention Commission; to provide for the Louisiana Human Trafficking Prevention Commission Advisory Board; to provide for duties; to provide for reporting; to provide for the composition of the commission and board; to provide for meetings; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Johns proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Johns to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 7, lines 26 and 27, change "the Louisiana Court-Appointed Special Advocate Association" to "LouisianaChildren.org"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 8, lines 5 and 6, change "Louisiana Association of Childcare Agencies" to "Louisiana Association of Children and Family Agencies"

On motion of Senator Johns, 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. 42 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, delete lines 26 through 28 and insert the following: "B. At the first meeting, the members of the commission shall elect from their membership a chairman and a secretary and such other offices as the commission may deem advisable. The president of the Senate or his designee shall preside over the commission until a chairman is elected by the commission."

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	Erdey	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Morrish
Appel	Gatti	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Perry
Bishop	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, G.
Carter	Long	Smith, J.
Chabert	Luneau	Tarver
Claitor	Milkovich	Thompson

Cortez  
Donahue  
Total - 33

Mills  
Mizell

Walsworth  
White

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Colomb  
LaFleur  
Total - 5

Martiny  
Peterson

Ward

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.

**SENATE BILL NO. 70—**

BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:639 and to enact R.S. 40:971.3, relative to controlled dangerous substances; to make the misbranding or adulteration of drugs with the intent to defraud or mislead a felony offense; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Long submitted the following amendments on behalf of Senator Martiny.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 70 by Senator Donahue

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, following "of" and before "shall" change "Subsection C of R.S. 40:625" to "R.S. 40:625(C)"

On motion of Senator Long, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Morrish
Appel	Gatti	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Perry
Bishop	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, G.
Carter	Long	Smith, J.
Chabert	Luneau	Tarver
Claitor	Milkovich	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Colomb  
LaFleur  
Total - 5

Martiny  
Peterson

Ward

April 17, 2017

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

SENATE BILL NO. 76— BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 611(C), relative to venue in criminal matters; to allow venue for certain criminal matters to be the parish in which the victim resides as well as the parish in which the crime occurred; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Lambert proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Lambert to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 76 by Senator Lambert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 17 and insert the following:

- (2) R.S. 14:67.16, identity theft.
(3) R.S. 14:70.4, access device fraud.
(4) R.S. 14:70.8, illegal transmission of monetary funds.
(5) R.S. 14:71.1, bank fraud.
(6) R.S. 14:72, forgery.
(7) R.S. 14:72.2, monetary instrument abuse.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 1 and 2

On motion of Senator Lambert, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, NAYS. Lists names like Mr. President, Allain, Appel, Barrow, Bishop, Boudreaux, Carter, Chabert, Claitor, Cortez, Donahue, Erdey, Fannin, Gatti, Hewitt, Johns, Lambert, Long, Luneau, Milkovich, Mizell, Morrell, Morrish, Peacock, Perry, Riser, Smith, G., Smith, J., Tarver, Thompson, Walsworth, White.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, ABSENT. Lists names: Colomb, LaFleur, Martiny, Peterson, Ward.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 96— BY SENATORS JOHNS AND THOMPSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1007(A), (B), the introductory paragraph of (E), the introductory paragraph of (F), (I), and (J), 1008(A), and 1009(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 40:1003(15) and 1007(E)(5), (6), and (7), and (K), relative to the prescription monitoring program; to provide for definitions; to provide for access to prescription monitoring information; to provide for immunity; to provide for education and training; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Long submitted the following amendments on behalf of Senator Martiny.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 96 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 6, following "identified in" and before "for use" change "Subsection (E)(2), (F), and (I)" to "Paragraph (E)(2) and Subsections F and I of this Section"

On motion of Senator Long, 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. 96 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 29, between "court-appointed" and "of" change "executor" to "succession representative"

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

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, NAYS. Lists names: Mr. President, Allain, Appel, Barrow, Bishop, Boudreaux, Carter, Chabert, Claitor, Cortez, Donahue, Erdey, Fannin, Gatti, Hewitt, Johns, Lambert, Long, Luneau, Milkovich, Mizell, Morrell, Morrish, Peacock, Perry, Riser, Smith, G., Smith, J., Tarver, Thompson, Walsworth, White.

NAYS

Total - 0



ABSENT

Colomb	Martiny	Ward
LaFleur	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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.

**SENATE BILL NO. 116—**  
BY SENATORS MILLS AND BISHOP  
AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:111 through 114, relative to exercise and healthier communities; to create the Work Out Now: WON Louisiana Legislative Commission; to provide for commission membership, powers, duties, and functions; to provide for staff support and finances for the commission; to provide for cooperation with and support for the commission; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Long submitted the following amendments on behalf of Senator Martiny.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 116 by Senator Mills

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 2, line 4, following "Medicaid" and before "covered" insert "-"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 2, line 9, following "there" and before "no" change "are" to "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 2, line 10, following "programs" and before "strategies" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 2, line 13, following "absences," and before "lack" insert "and"

On motion of Senator Long, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Morrish
Appel	Gatti	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Perry
Bishop	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, G.
Carter	Long	Smith, J.
Chabert	Luneau	Tarver
Claitor	Milkovich	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0		
	ABSENT	
Colomb	Martiny	Ward
LaFleur	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 211—**  
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1563.1(A)(20) and (C), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 14:206.1 and R.S. 40:1563.1(A)(21) and (F), relative to life safety and property protection contracting; to create the crime of life safety and property protection contracting without authority; to provide the elements of the crime; to provide penalties; to provide relative to the authority of the fire marshal to investigate the crime; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Gary Smith proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Gary Smith to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 211 by Senator Gary Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 3, lines 19 and 20, change "Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.)" to "P.O.S.T. Council"

On motion of Senator Gary Smith, the amendments were adopted.

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

**Rules Suspended**

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

**Introduction of Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions**

**SENATE BILL NO. 239—**  
BY SENATOR MORRELL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.60(B), relative to special prestige license plates; to provide with respect to the "Animal Friendly" prestige license plate; to provide for an increase of the annual royalty fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29—**  
BY SENATOR ALARIO  
A RESOLUTION

To recognize April 19, 2017, as University of Louisiana System Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

April 17, 2017

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 30—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Lake Charles' Cintas Corporation location upon receiving the Voluntary Protection Program Star certification from the federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

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

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize Congress to create a reliable, predictable stream of resources to address deferred maintenance needs in America's National Park System and to designate April 15, 2017, through April 23, 2017, as "National Park Week" in Louisiana.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY SENATOR WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and provide for the Louisiana Law Enforcement Body Camera Implementation Task Force to study and make recommendations regarding the requirements for implementation and development of best procedures for the use of body cameras and policies for access to and use of body camera recordings by law enforcement agencies in this state, and to provide for a written report of its recommendations and findings not later than sixty days prior to the 2018 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs

ENROLLMENTS

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

April 17, 2017

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. 4—

BY SENATOR MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To recognize April 11, 2017, as Louisiana Society of Anesthesiologists Day at the state capitol.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A RESOLUTION

To recognize April 11, 2017, as Louisiana Athletic Trainers Association Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A RESOLUTION

To designate Wednesday, April 12, 2017, as Y Day in Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A RESOLUTION

To commend the city of Lake Charles on the celebration of its one hundred fiftieth anniversary.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY SENATOR WARD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Bradley Gueho for his outstanding community service in the establishment of a charitable food pantry in his hometown of Livonia, Louisiana, and to congratulate him on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A RESOLUTION

To designate April 17, 2017, as "Kappa Beta Delta Day" at the Senate in recognition of the positive influence of this international honor society for business students at community colleges.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

A RESOLUTION

To designate November 2017 as "School Psychologist Awareness Month".

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To commend Tiffany Dickerson on her reign as Mrs. Baton Rouge 2016.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12—

BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To commend Tanya Crowe on her reign as Miss Baton Rouge USA 2016.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13—

BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To commend Kimberly Maria Ducote on her reign as Miss Teen Baton Rouge USA 2016.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14—

BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To commend Brittany Arbor Shipp on winning the 2016 Mrs. Louisiana America Pageant.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15—

BY SENATORS BARROW, ALARIO, ALLAIN, APPEL, BISHOP, BOUDREAUX, CARTER, CHABERT, CLAITOR, COLOMB, CORTEZ, DONAHUE, ERDEY, FANNIN, GATTI, HEWITT, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LAMBERT, LONG, LUNEAU, MARTINY, MILKOVICH, MILLS, MIZELL, MORRELL, MORRISH, 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 passing of Sergeant Shawn Thomas Anderson of the East Baton Rouge Parish Sheriff's Office in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and also to commend a life well-spent in service to his community, state, and nation.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 16—

BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To commend Stacey Richard on her accomplishments and contributions as executive director of the Mrs. Louisiana Pageant, the Miss Baton Rouge Pageant, and the Miss Capital City Pageant.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17—**

BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Mary Bird Perkins Cancer Center on hosting its tenth annual "Fest for Life" health event on Saturday, April 22, 2017.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 18—**

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A RESOLUTION

To designate April 27, 2017, as FFA Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and to commend the state officers of the Louisiana FFA Association.

Respectfully submitted,  
KAREN CARTER PETERSON  
Chairman

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

**Message from the House**

**SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 12, 2017

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JAMES, ABRAHAM, ABRAMSON, AMEDEE, ANDERS, ARMES, BACALA, BAGLEY, BAGNERIS, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, BISHOP, BOUIE, BROADWATER, CHAD BROWN, TERRY BROWN, CARMODY, CARPENTER, GARY CARTER, ROBBY CARTER, STEVE CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, COUSSAN, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DAVIS, DEVILLIER, DWIGHT, EDMONDS, EMERSON, FALCONER, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GAROFALO, GISCLAIR, GLOVER, GUINN, HALL, JIMMY HARRIS, LANCE HARRIS, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILFERTY, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HORTON, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, IVEY, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, JOHNSON, JONES, JORDAN, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LYONS, MACK, MAGEE, MARCELLE, MARINO, MCFARLAND, MIGUEZ, DUSTIN MILLER, GREGORY MILLER, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, PEARSON, PIERRE, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, SMITH, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THOMAS, WHITE, AND ZERINGUE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Sergeant Shawn T. Anderson of the East Baton Rouge Parish Sheriff's Office who was killed in the line of duty.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the month of June 2017 as Post-Traumatic Stress Injury Awareness Month.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Augustus Brown Sr., posthumously for his extraordinary life and numerous accomplishments.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS AND SENATOR PERRY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Gueydan High School girls' basketball team for winning the 2017 Class A state championship.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES COUSSAN AND BISHOP

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the St. Thomas More Catholic High School football team upon winning the 2016 Division II state championship.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES COUSSAN AND BISHOP

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Coach Jim Hightower on his induction into the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame and his outstanding athletic career as head coach of the St. Thomas More Catholic High School football team in Lafayette, Louisiana.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the South Beauregard Lady K's basketball team upon winning the 2017 girls Class 3A state championship.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY BROWN AND SENATORS ALARIO, ALLAIN, APPEL, BARROW, BISHOP, BOUDREAU, CARTER, CHABERT, CLAITOR, COLOMB, CORTEZ, DONAHUE, ERDEY, FANNIN, GATTI, HEWITT, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LAMBERT, LONG, LUNEAU, MARTINY, MILKOVICH, MILLS, MIZELL, MORRELL, MORRISH, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Sergeant Scott Bullitt on his exemplary service to and sacrifice for Louisiana.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, April 19, 2017, as Louisiana A+ Schools Day at the state capitol.

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

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

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

**ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**

PRESENT

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrell
Allain	Fannin	Morrish
Appel	Gatti	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Perry
Bishop	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, G.
Carter	Long	Smith, J.
Chabert	Luneau	Tarver
Claitor	Milkovich	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 33		

ABSENT

Colomb	Martiny	Ward
LaFleur	Peterson	
Total - 5		

**Leaves of Absence**

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Colomb	1 Day	LaFleur	1 Day
Martiny	1 Day	Peterson	1 Day
Ward	1 Day		

April 17, 2017

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**Announcements**

The following committee meetings for April 18, 2017, were announced:

Agriculture	9:30 A.M.	Room C
Judiciary B	2:30 P.M.	Room E
Judiciary C	10:00 A.M.	Room F

**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 6:25 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, April 18, 2017, at 5:00 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