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STATE OF LOUISIANA**

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**SIXTEENTH 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

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

The Senate was called to order at 3:20 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	Fannin	Peacock
Allain	Gatti	Perry
Appel	Hewitt	Peterson
Barrow	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Carter	Lambert	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Luneau	Ward
Cortez	Milkovich	White
Donahue	Mills	
Erdey	Mizell	
Total - 31		

ABSENT

Bishop	Morrell	Walsworth
Colomb	Morrish	
Martiny	Tarver	
Total - 7		

The President of the Senate announced there were 31 Senators present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Dr. Waylon Bailey, 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 Boudreaux, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 8, 2017, was adopted.

**Privileged Report of the  
Legislative Bureau**

May 9, 2017

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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 30—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.192, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to provide for the "Louisiana Patriot Guard Riders" specialty license plate; to provide for the creation, issuance, and design of such license plates; to provide relative to the fee and distribution of fees for such plates; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations relative to the creation and implementation of a special prestige license plate; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 476—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HAZEL, TERRY BROWN, CARPENTER, STEVE CARTER, HALL, MARCELLE, PIERRE, POPE, AND STEFANSKI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:122(A)(1) and R.S. 47:463.131(A), (B)(2), and (D), relative to the Louisiana Military Family Assistance Fund; to provide relative to the Support Our Troops special prestige license plate; to provide for the design of the license plate; to provide for the license plate fee; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
DANIEL R. MARTINY  
Chairman

**Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report**

On motion of Senator Long, the Bills and Joint Resolutions were read by title and passed to a third reading.

**Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 94—**

BY SENATOR CARTER  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Harold Clay Jr. on his many accomplishments.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 95—**

BY SENATOR CARTER  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Coach Brice Brown on his many accomplishments and recognize the Edna Karr High School football team on winning the LHSAA District 4A 2016 State Championship.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 96—**

BY SENATOR CARTER  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Edna Karr High School on its many accomplishments.

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

**Introduction of  
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 85—**

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Alton Ralph "Red" Sims on his many years of public service.

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading

SENATE BILL NO. 255— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 133 by Senator MORRELL)

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:407.50.1, relative to early learning centers; to provide relative to health-related policies established by early learning centers; to provide for parental notification; and to provide for related matters.

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

Senate Resolutions on Second Reading

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 76—

BY SENATOR CARTER

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Richard Pennington, former New Orleans police superintendent.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 79—

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of John "Pa" Breitschopf, United States Marine Corps veteran.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 80—

BY SENATOR MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To designate the month of May 2017 as Cystic Fibrosis Month in Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 81—

BY SENATOR MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Matthew Maurice Louviere upon achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 82—

BY SENATOR COLOMB

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Robert Godwin Sr., a man of character known for his good deeds and kind heart.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 83—

BY SENATOR ERDEY

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 9, 2017, as "Louisiana Chemical Industry Day".

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 84—

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend Madison Elise Nelson for being named Louisiana's 2017 Middle School Student of the Year by the Louisiana Department of Education.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 85—

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend posthumously James Graugnard Sr. on his induction into the 2017 Louisiana Agricultural Hall of Distinction and to recognize his outstanding contributions to the agricultural community in Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 86—

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend Charles "Buck" Vandersteen on his induction into the 2017 Louisiana Agricultural Hall of Distinction and to recognize him for his outstanding contributions to the agricultural community in Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 87—

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend Mayther "Ray" Young on his induction into the 2017 Louisiana Agricultural Hall of Distinction and to recognize him for his outstanding contributions to the agricultural community in Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 88—

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

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of Louisiana to the family of U.S. Army Staff Sergeant Matthew Mackey upon his death, July 28, 2010, while in the service of his country.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 89—

BY SENATORS PERRY, 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, PEACOCK, 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 to the family of United States Marine Corps Lance Corporal Evan Burnett upon his death while serving in the armed forces of his country.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 90—

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

A RESOLUTION

To extend the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family of United States Air Force Master Sergeant Austin Dallie Bennett upon his death while in the service of his country.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 91—

BY SENATOR WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Central High School Lady Wildcats softball team on winning the Class 5A girls' state softball championship.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 92—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 8 - 12, 2017, as Louisiana Charter Schools Week in Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 93—

BY SENATOR WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 14 through May 20, 2017, as "Police Week" in the state of Louisiana.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 72—

BY SENATOR PERRY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Kaylee Lopez on being the 2017 Class 3A Most Valuable Player of the state championship game.

Floor Amendments

Senator Perry proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Perry to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 72 by Senator Perry

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 9, change "French" to "Frasch"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, change "Panthers" to "Patriots"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 15, change "senior" to "junior"

On motion of Senator Perry, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and their counts for Yeas and Nays.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and their counts for Absent.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Dan McDonald for receiving the 2017 Distinguished Service Award in Sports Journalism and on being named to the 2017 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and their counts for Yeas and Nays.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and their counts for Absent.

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

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Sue Donohoe on receiving the 2017 Dave Dixon Louisiana Sports Leadership Award and being named to the 2017 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fannin Peacock
Allain Gatti Peterson
Appel Hewitt Riser
Barrow Johns Smith, G.
Boudreaux LaFleur Smith, J.
Carter Lambert Tarver
Chabert Long Thompson
Claitor Luneau Walsworth
Colomb Milkovich Ward
Cortez Mills White
Donahue Mizell
Erdey Morrish
Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Morrell
Martiny Perry
Total - 4

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend posthumously Reverend Dr. T.J. Jemison Sr. upon his induction into the Louisiana Political Museum and Hall of Fame.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fannin Peacock
Allain Gatti Perry
Appel Hewitt Peterson
Barrow Johns Riser
Boudreaux Lambert Smith, G.
Carter Long Smith, J.
Chabert Luneau Tarver
Claitor Milkovich Thompson
Colomb Mills Walsworth
Cortez Mizell Ward
Donahue Morrell
Erdey Morrish
Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Martiny
LaFleur White
Total - 4

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dave N. Norris upon his induction into the Louisiana Political Museum and Hall of Fame.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fannin Morrish
Allain Gatti Peacock
Appel Hewitt Perry
Barrow Johns Peterson
Boudreaux LaFleur Riser
Carter Lambert Smith, G.
Chabert Long Smith, J.
Claitor Luneau Tarver
Colomb Milkovich Thompson
Cortez Mills Walsworth
Donahue Mizell Ward
Erdey Morrell White
Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Martiny
Total - 2

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Judge Jimmy N. Dimos on his induction into the Louisiana Political Museum and Hall of Fame.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fannin Morrish
Allain Gatti Peacock
Appel Hewitt Perry
Barrow Johns Peterson
Boudreaux LaFleur Riser
Carter Lambert Smith, G.
Chabert Long Smith, J.
Claitor Luneau Tarver
Colomb Milkovich Thompson
Cortez Mills Walsworth

Donahue Mizell Ward  
 Erdey Morrell White  
 Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Martiny  
 Total - 2

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—**

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend James C. "Jim" Beam upon his induction into the Louisiana Political Museum and Hall of Fame.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Martiny  
 Total - 2

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—**

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Calvin Borel on being named to the 2017 Louisiana Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Martiny  
 Total - 2

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80—**

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend posthumously Maurice L. "Bud" Mapes on his induction into the Louisiana Political Museum and Hall of Fame.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

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ABSENT

Bishop Donahue Martiny
Total - 3

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81— BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Jim Henderson upon receiving the 2017 Distinguished Service Award in Sports Journalism and on being named to the 2017 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fannin Perry
Allain Gatti Peterson
Appel Hewitt Riser
Barrow Johns Smith, G.
Boudreaux LaFleur Smith, J.
Carter Lambert Tarver
Chabert Long Thompson
Claitor Luneau Walsworth
Colomb Milkovich Ward
Cortez Mills White
Donahue Mizell
Erdey Peacock
Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Morrell
Martiny Morrish
Total - 4

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82— BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Office of Soil and Water Conservation and support its efforts to improve Louisiana's soil health, water quality, and agricultural and natural resources.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fannin Peacock
Allain Gatti Perry
Appel Hewitt Peterson
Barrow Johns Riser
Boudreaux LaFleur Smith, G.
Carter Lambert Smith, J.
Chabert Long Tarver
Claitor Luneau Thompson

Colomb Milkovich Walsworth
Cortez Mills Ward
Donahue Mizell White
Erdey Morrell

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Martiny Morrish
Total - 3

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83—

BY SENATORS WHITE, ALLAIN, APPEL, CHABERT, CORTEZ, DONAHUE, ERDEY, FANNIN, HEWITT, LAMBERT, MIZELL, PERRY, TARVER, THOMPSON AND WALSWORTH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the federal funds received by Louisiana through the Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery Program relative to damages caused by the flooding in the state during 2016 be subject to the same legislative oversight as the oversight required for the allocation and expenditure of federal funds received by Louisiana through the Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery Program relative to damages caused by hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend John J. Finan Jr. upon receiving the Lifetime Achievement Award from the Catholic Health Association of the United States.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fannin Peacock
Allain Gatti Perry
Appel Hewitt Peterson
Barrow Johns Riser
Boudreaux LaFleur Smith, G.
Carter Lambert Smith, J.
Chabert Long Tarver
Claitor Luneau Thompson
Colomb Milkovich Walsworth
Cortez Mills Ward
Donahue Mizell White
Erdey Morrell
Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop Martiny Morrish
Total - 3

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

**Message from the House****ASKING CONCURRENCE IN  
HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

May 8, 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 Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HB No. 9	HB No. 11	HB No. 35
HB No. 455	HB No. 483	HB No. 490
HB No. 493	HB No. 509	HB No. 531
HB No. 542	HB No. 544	HB No. 557
HB No. 596	HB No. 675	

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions  
on First Reading****HOUSE BILL NO. 9—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2252(9)(a), relative to calculation of contributions and benefits in the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide for the definition of earnable compensation; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 11—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1441(E), relative to benefits for surviving spouses from the Assessors' Retirement Fund; to provide for Back-Deferred Retirement Option Program benefits payable to surviving spouses of members of the fund 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. 35—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2258(D), relative to disability retirement benefits of members of the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide for reporting; to provide a presumption; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 455—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:541(7), 544(A), (B)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph), and (E)(1), (2), (3)(e), and (4), 544.1, 544.2(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (c), (B)(introductory paragraph), (2), and (3), (C), (D), (E), (F), (G), and (H) and to enact R.S. 15:544.2(B)(4), (I), (J), and (K), relative to sex offender registration and notification; to provide relative to the definition of "conviction" for purposes of sex offender registration and notification; to provide relative to the

duration of the registration and notification requirements; to provide relative to the procedure by which an offender may be relieved of the registration and notification requirements for maintaining a "clean record"; to provide relative to the duties of the office of state police, district attorney, and the Sexual Predator Apprehension Team of the Department of Justice relative to these procedures; to provide relative to petitions for injunctive relief or declaratory judgments regarding the application or interpretation of the sex offender registration and notification requirements; to provide relative to the determination of an offender's registration and notification end date; to provide relative to the procedure for appealing these determinations and the effect of those determinations that are not timely appealed; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 483—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, BAGNERIS, BILLIOT, BOUIE, TERRY BROWN, COX, GISCLAIR, JIMMY HARRIS, HUNTER, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, JOHNSON, JORDAN, LEBAS, LYONS, MARCELLE, NORTON, PIERRE, POPE, RICHARD, SMITH, AND STAGNI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1105.10(B) and to enact R.S. 40:5.12, 1105.8.1, and 1105.8.2, relative to collection, maintenance, and reporting of data on cancer by the Louisiana Tumor Registry of the Louisiana State University System; to provide authorizations and restrictions concerning reporting of data by the registry; to provide relative to requests for registry data by the office of public health of the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for cooperation between the registry and the office of public health in certain functions; to provide for state cancer investigation and intervention functions; to establish procedures for processing of data requests submitted to the registry; to provide for duties of the research committee of the registry; to provide standards for the data collection process of the registry and for maintenance of data collected; to provide for annual reports of cancer data to designated parties; to provide for electronic notifications and reports concerning cancer data; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 490—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, BAGNERIS, AND HOFFMANN AND SENATOR MILLS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:219.5, relative to the Drug Policy Board's Advisory Council on Heroin and Opioid Prevention and Education; to establish the Advisory Council on Heroin and Opioid Prevention and Education within the Drug Policy Board; to provide for the membership, powers, and duties of the council; to require an Interagency Heroin and Opioid Coordination Plan; to provide for the content of the plan; to require staffing support for the council; to provide for meetings and official actions of the council; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 493—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MAGEE, BAGLEY, HORTON, RICHARD, AND STAGNI  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:31.39, relative to powers and duties of the office of public health of the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for authority of the office with respect to enforcement of the state sanitary code; to provide for assessment of fees by the office; to establish and provide for a reinspection fee; to provide the amount and procedures for assessment of the fee; to provide for definitions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 509—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:79(A)(1)(a), (B), and (C) and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 320(G), relative to the issuance and violation of protective orders; to provide for penalties for violations of temporary restraining orders; to provide relative to the issuance of protective orders and the prohibition on communication and contact as conditions of release on bail for certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 531—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:240(A) and (B), relative to use of tobacco products on school property; to provide for definitions; to repeal the authorization for designated smoking areas on school property; to prohibit the use of tobacco products on school property; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 542—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE STOKES  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart E of Part IV of Chapter 4 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1351 through 1358, relative to travel insurance; to provide for definitions; to provide for deposits, assessments, fees, and taxes; to provide for sales practices; to provide for travel protection plans; to provide for travel administrators; to provide for promulgation of regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 544—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:3(A)(3), 18(A)(introductory paragraph) and (8)(b), 25(B), 59.4(E)(2)(c), 104, 107(B), 114(F)(2), 196(C)(1) and (2), 402(G)(2), 424(C)(1), 425(C)(1), 425.1(A), 427(B), 431(A)(4) and (B)(2), 434(A)(1), 469(D)(2), 564(B)(5)(b), 566.2(C) and (F)(3) through (9), 571(A)(5), 572(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (a)(i), 574(F), 1286.1(A), 1300.7(A), 1307(C) and (G), 1310(D)(2), 1313(F)(9) and (G)(11), 1363(B), (D), (G), and (H), 1373(A)(1), and 1402(C), to enact R.S. 18:107(F), 425(B)(3)(c), 566.2(F)(10), and 1354(B)(8), and to repeal R.S. 18:176(D), 200, 431(A)(5), and 1313(F)(11), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to revise the system of laws comprising the Louisiana Election Code; to provide relative to petitions submitted to registrars of voters for certification; to provide relative to the annual voter registration week; to provide for reporting by the State Board of Election Supervisors; to provide relative to compensation, education, and training of registrars of voters, chief deputy registrars, and confidential assistants; to provide relative to political party affiliation; to provide for transfer and cancellation of registration; to provide relative to the inactive list of voters; to provide for voting by a person on the list; to provide for advanced election dates; to provide for the date of elections when the votes cast in a primary are void because of the death of a candidate; to provide for the duties of commissioners; to provide for qualifications of commissioners; to prohibit certain persons from serving as commissioners in certain elections; to provide for the powers and duties of watchers; to provide for

courses of instruction for commissioners; to provide for the duties of clerks of court relative to such instruction; to provide for the selection of commissioners and alternate commissioners; to provide relative to assistance of voters at polling places; to provide relative to the duties of commissioners relative to such assistance; to provide relative to procedures and requirements for counting provisional ballots; to provide for the determination of whether a provisional ballot is to be counted; to provide for when provisional ballots are counted; to provide relative to the duties of the parish board of election supervisors relative to provisional ballots; to provide for procedures for and duties of commissioners after the termination of voting; to provide for the printing of results from voting machines; to provide for the compilation and promulgation of election returns; to provide for when promulgation occurs; to provide relative to recall elections; to provide for the issuance of a proclamation by the governor to order a recall election to be held; to provide for the deadline for issuing a proclamation; to provide for voting absentee by mail; to provide relative to application to vote absentee by mail; to provide for the ongoing validity of applications by certain applicants; to provide relative to the counting of absentee by mail ballots; to provide for the counting of damaged ballots; to provide for the duties of the parish custodian of voting machines; to provide for the duties of qualifying officials; to provide for information given to candidates at the time of qualifying; to provide for the content of the application for voter registration; to provide procedures and requirements for voter registration at driver's license facilities; to provide relative to spoiled and replacement ballots; to provide for the counting of such ballots; to provide relative to consolidation of polling places; to provide for the determination of the number of voting machines allocated to polling places and used in elections; to provide for the proper parties in an action objecting to candidacy and an action contesting an election; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 557—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SEABAUGH AND EDMONDS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(D)(2), R.S. 17:15(A)(1)(b), 407.42 and 407.71, and Section 3 of Act No. 646 of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature and to repeal R.S. 17:407.41 and Section 2 of Act No. 646 of the 2016 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Department of Education; to authorize the department to request criminal history information on certain personnel of school boards, nonpublic schools, early learning centers, registered family child care providers, registered in-home child care providers; to provide requirements relative to processing fees; to authorize the department to charge a fee; to provide relative to fingerprinting; to provide relative to effectiveness; to provide relative to implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 596—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER AND BISHOP  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.6.2(A) and to enact R.S. 49:214.7, relative to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority; to authorize the use of outcome-based performance contracts by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority for integrated coastal protection; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 675— (Substitute for House Bill No. 440 by Representative Davis)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2175.1(A)(1) and 2175.3(A)(9), to enact R.S. 37:2171.3, and to repeal R.S. 37:2175.3(A)(11), relative to contractors; to require the provision of name, license, classification, and insurance information to certain persons; to provide for penalties; to require certain information be included in home improvement contracting agreements; to provide for prohibited acts; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY  
AN ACT

Making annual appropriations for Fiscal Year 2017-2018 for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 4—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:710(A)(8) and to enact R.S. 11:710(A)(5)(d) and (9), relative to the reemployment of retired members of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana in school nurse positions covered by the system; to authorize the reemployment of retirees as school nurses; to provide relative to earnings restrictions on such reemployment; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 21—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2259(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 11:2259(A)(3), relative to payment of benefits in the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to optional beneficiaries and the selection thereof; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 22—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 11:2258(B)(2)(d), relative to retirement options in the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to conversion from service retirement to disability retirement; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 23—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARPENTER AND ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2256(A)(3) and (B)(1)(d), to enact R.S. 11:2256(A)(6), and to repeal R.S. 11:2256(B)(1)(f), relative to benefits in the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to payment of benefits if a member dies prior to retirement; to provide for a benefit recipient; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 31—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:710(A)(3) and (4)(b) and (F), relative to the reemployment of retirees of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana in positions covered by the system; to authorize the reemployment of school psychologists in critical shortage areas; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 32—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1821(B), (C), and (G), relative to the board of trustees of the Municipal Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for a trustee who is a retired member; to provide for a term; to provide for elections; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 33—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:186(A) and (C), relative to the boards of trustees of the state and statewide retirement systems; to provide relative to legislative staff's attendance at executive sessions of the boards of trustees of the state and statewide retirement systems; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 38—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 11:1658(C) and 1659(H), relative to the board of trustees of the District Attorneys' Retirement System; to remove certain procedural requirements regarding setting the employer contribution rate and directing the use of funds in the funding deposit account.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 64—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY  
AN ACT

To provide for the establishment and reestablishment of agency ancillary funds, to be specifically known as internal service funds, auxiliary accounts, or enterprise funds for certain state institutions, officials, and agencies; to provide for appropriation of funds; and to regulate the administration of said funds.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 204—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 883.1 and 892(A) and (B)(1), relative to criminal sentences; to provide for documentation regarding criminal cases; to remove the requirement that the court provide a copy of the court minutes to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections in certain cases; to require the court to provide the department with a certified copy of the Uniform Sentencing Commitment Order; to authorize the department to request additional information from the court when necessary; 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 Judiciary B.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 217—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:373(C), relative to vehicle mechanical breakdown insurers; to provide for the incorporation by reference of certain laws regulating unfair competition; to provide for the incorporation by reference of certain laws regulating unfair trade practices; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 245—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:897(N) and R.S. 40:2120.8, relative to preemployment background check fees paid by home- and community-based services providers; to authorize a home- and community-based services provider to recoup the cost of an applicant's preemployment background check; to provide for the reimbursement of certain fees; 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 Health and Welfare.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 250—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1024(C), relative to needle exchange programs; to authorize local governing authorities to establish needle exchange programs; 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 Health and Welfare.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 332—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY BROWN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 334 and 336(A)(3) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 329(F), relative to the bail undertaking; to provide with respect to notice of a warrant for arrest; to provide for duties of the clerk; to provide relative to applicability; 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. 392—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1460(I)(1)(c), relative to fire insurance rates; to provide for the determination of fire insurance rates; to prohibit

certain methods of determination; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 402—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2006(A)(2)(r), (B)(2)(i), and (E)(2)(t), 2154(A)(19) and Part V of Chapter 11 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2162.1 through 2162.7, relative to healthcare facilities licensed and regulated by the Louisiana Department of Health; to define and provide for licensure and regulation of community-based care facilities; to authorize the Louisiana Department of Health to perform licensing and regulatory functions with respect to such facilities; to provide for community-based care facility license applications, issuance, renewal, and fees; to authorize licensure of community-based care facilities which propose to operate in state-owned residential buildings; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 403—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.21, relative to special treasury funds; to provide for the transfer, deposits, and use, as specified, of certain treasury funds; to provide for the sources and uses of the Overcollections Fund; 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 Finance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 404—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HENSGENS AND BARRAS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2869(A)(3) and to repeal R.S. 37:2865(A)(3), relative to the practice of polysomnography; to authorize individuals enrolled in a certified education program to practice polysomnography; to require rulemaking by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 408—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1564(B)(1)(b) through (d), relative to the qualifications and licensing of insurance producers; to provide with respect to producers on record; to provide for a change in producer; to require quotations and proposals; to provide notice; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 410—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:151(A), relative to the Louisiana Public Defender Board; to provide relative to the quorum of the board; to change the quorum of voting members necessary for transacting business; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 450—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.12(D)(1)(a) and (F)(2) and (4), relative to the Upper Audubon Security District in Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to provide relative to the parcel fee levied within the district; to provide relative to the amount, expiration, and renewal of such fee; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 451—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.3(D)(1)(a) and (F)(1) and (3)(a) and (c), relative to the Audubon Area Security District in Orleans Parish; to provide relative to membership on the governing board of the district; to provide relative to the parcel fee levied within the district; to provide relative to the amount, expiration, and renewal of the fee; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 452—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:437.1(B) and to enact R.S. 17:3996(B)(13), relative to training for certain school employees; to make requirement for in-service training in suicide prevention applicable to nonpublic and charter school personnel; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 499—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:40.2(F)(1) and (G), relative to the crime of stalking; to provide relative to the issuance of protective orders against persons convicted of stalking; to provide relative to the exception to the crime of stalking for private investigators; 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. 620—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HENRY, BARRAS, BROADWATER, FOIL, JACKSON, JOHNSON, LEGER, AND MAGEE AND SENATORS ALARIO AND LAFLEUR  
AN ACT

To appropriate funds to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary, including the Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, District Courts, Criminal District Court of Orleans Parish, and other courts; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 624—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY  
AN ACT

To provide with respect to the Revenue Sharing Fund and the allocation and distribution thereof for Fiscal Year 2017-2018; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 625—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY  
AN ACT

To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions in appropriations from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016-2017; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 665—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS  
AN ACT

To appropriate funds for Fiscal Year 2017-2018 to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; to provide for the salary, expenses, and allowances of members, officers, staff, and agencies of the Legislature; to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made; and to provide for related matters.

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions on  
Second Reading**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JIMMY HARRIS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize May 2017 as American Stroke Month.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

Total - 36

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bishop  
Total - 2  
Martiny

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

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Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

JUDICIARY A

Senator Rick Ward, III, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

May 9, 2017

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 54— BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 116(25), 606(A)(6), the introductory paragraph of Children's Code Article 622(B), Chapter 20 of Title VI to be comprised of Articles 725 through 725.8, and 804(3), and to enact Children's Code Article 622(B)(5) and to repeal Children's Code Articles 728(4), 804(9), 839(D), 918(D), and 923 and Section 10 of Act 564 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to human trafficking of children; to provide findings and purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for capacity; to provide for duties of law enforcement; to provide for duties of the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for expungement; to provide for procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 92— BY SENATORS TARVER AND MARTINY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:291 and Civil Code Articles 118 and 2315.8, and to enact Civil Code Article 3496.3 and Code of Evidence Article 412.5, relative to civil actions, proceedings, and remedies; to provide relative to matters involving domestic abuse; to provide relative to suits between spouses; to provide relative to liability; to provide relative to certain remedies, prescriptive periods and evidence; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, RICK WARD III Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

JUDICIARY B

Senator Gary L. Smith, Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

May 9, 2017

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 144— BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:90(D), (E), (F), and (G) and 286(D), (E), (F), and (G), to enact R.S. 26:90(L) and 286(K), and to repeal R.S. 26:90(B)(4) and 286(B)(4), relative to holders of alcoholic retail dealer's permits for beverages or high alcoholic content or low alcoholic content; to provide relative acts prohibited on the premises; to provide relative to age restrictions on certain conduct under certain circumstances; to provide relative to legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 25— BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5554(W)(4), relative to group insurance benefits for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs of the Madison Parish Sheriff's Department; to provide for the availability of certain insurance benefits to certain retired employees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 82— BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:147(B)(17) through (19), relative to the Louisiana Public Defender Board; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the board; to provide relative to the supervision of staff; to provide relative to the adoption of procedures necessary for the review and preservation of materials; to provide relative to the decisionmaking process of the board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 106— BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5554(FF), relative to the qualification for certain group insurance benefits for the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office; to require service with the sheriff's office for a certain period of time; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 295— BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAD BROWN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:402(17), 405(D), and 407(A), relative to video draw poker devices; to provide relative to the forms of payment video draw poker devices may accept; to authorize the use of ticket vouchers; to raise the denomination of cash accepted in video draw poker devices; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 315— BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:352, relative to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law; to provide relative to donations of beverages of high and low alcoholic content; to provide for the applicability of excise taxes on donated alcoholic beverages to certain events or organizations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, GARY L. SMITH JR. Chairman

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

## JUDICIARY C

Senator Dan Claitor, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary C, submitted the following report:

May 9, 2017

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 69—**  
BY SENATOR CARTER

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 2:2, relative to unmanned aircraft; to provide exclusive jurisdiction to the state in the regulation of such systems; to preempt local ordinances, rules, regulations, and codes; to provide for federal preemption; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
DAN CLAITOR  
Chairman

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3—**  
BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2091(B), relative to the board of trustees for the Registrar of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide for membership of the board of trustees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Retirement.

## SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Retirement to Original Senate Bill No. 3 by Senator Boudreaux

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, change "**nine**" to "**ten**"

## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

**"(4) The treasurer, ex officio, or his designee."**

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 16, change "**(4)**" to "**(5)**"

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 12—**  
BY SENATOR ALARIO

## AN ACT

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 67—**  
BY SENATOR FANNIN

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:72.1(A) and to enact R.S. 38:2211.1, relative to certain appropriations; to provide that recipients of appropriations be in compliance with audit requirements in order to let contracts; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 95—**  
BY SENATOR MORRISH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact the chapter heading of Chapter 3 of Subtitle VII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and R.S. 47:6301(A)(1), the introductory paragraph of 6301(A)(2), 6301(A)(2)(c), and (3), (B)(1)(c)(iv), (vii), and (ix), (2)(a)(i), and (3)(a)(iii), (C)(1)(c), (e), and (f), (2)(a) and (b) and to repeal R.S. 47:6301(D), relative to donations to school tuition organizations; to convert the school tuition organization rebate to a nonrefundable income tax credit; to limit the donation amount eligible for the tax credit; to provide taxpayer eligibility; to provide for penalties to student tuition organizations for failure to comply or report timely; to provide student eligibility qualifications; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

## SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 95 by Senator Morrish

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, change "(B)(1)(c)(iv), (vii)," to "(B)(1)(c)(vii)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 5, and insert:

"(2)(a)(i), (C)(1)(e), and (2) and to repeal R.S."

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, delete "to limit the" and delete lines 8 through 10, and insert "to provide for an effective date; and to"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 15 and 16, and insert: "6301(A)(2), 6301(A)(2)(c), and (3), (B)(1)(c)(vii) and (ix), (2)(a)(i), (C)(1)(e), and (2) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:"

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 3, change "**July 1, 2017**" to "**January 1, 2018**"

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 13 through 16 and insert: "income tax return. The amount of the ~~rebate~~ **credit** shall be equal to the actual amount of the taxpayer's donation used by a school tuition organization to fund a scholarship to a qualified student, which shall not include administrative costs."

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, delete lines 4 and 5, and insert: "the school tuition organization on scholarships, which shall not include administrative costs and shall be prorated as applicable."

## AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, delete lines 24 and 25 and insert the following: "A school tuition organization which provides scholarships to qualified students shall do all of the following:"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, delete lines 26 through 29

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, delete lines 21 through 23, and insert: "a scholarship from that school tuition organization. The report shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, line 29, after "January" insert ", unless granted an extension of no more than thirty days by the Department of Education for good cause."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, delete lines 5 through 9, and insert "the first day of February of each year."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 11, after "(2)(a)" delete the remainder of the line and insert: "For purposes of this Section, a "qualified school" shall mean a nonpublic elementary or secondary school in this state which is approved, provisionally approved, or probationally approved by the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and which complies with the criteria set forth in Brumfield, et al. v. Dodd, et al., 425 F. Supp 528. A qualified school shall do all of the following:"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, delete lines 18 through 23

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, delete lines 25 through 29

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 6, delete lines 6 through 16

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, delete lines 22 through 29, and insert: "(b) The Department of Education shall ensure that the public of the state is aware of the availability of scholarships, with an emphasis on notifying parents of students in public schools that received a letter grade of "F" or "D", and shall provide for requirements for school tuition organizations to adequately advertise the notify the public of the availability of scholarships to the public, all as provided for in rules and regulations which shall be promulgated by the Department of Education in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 105— BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:321.1(F)(67), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the exemption for sales and purchases of diesel fuel, butane, propane, or other liquefied petroleum gases to farmers; to provide for effectiveness and applicability of the exclusion; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 166— BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:84 and 147, R.S. 12:425, R.S. 22:2065, R.S. 26:345, R.S. 47:48, 51, 121, 713 and 716.1, and to enact R.S. 3:4684(C), R.S. 26:354(L), 366(C) and 421(F), R.S. 45:1177(D), R.S. 47:158(I), 246(H), 287.71(C), 287.73(D), 287.86(F), 287.501(C), 287.521(C), 287.732(D), 287.738(H), 287.745(C), 602(I), 605(D), 606(G), 632(C), 633.1, 818.13(I) and 823(F) and to repeal certain other exclusions and exemptions against sales tax, relative to taxation; to provide for the elimination of certain tax exemptions, exclusions and

deductions; to provide for applicability unless required under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 166 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, delete "and 716.1" and insert ", 716.1 and 818.14(A)(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "633.1,"delete "818.13(I)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 8, delete "and 716.1" and insert ", 716.1 and 818.14(A)(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 10, after "633.1,"delete "818.13(I)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 18, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 28, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 8, line 23, after "effect" insert "for tax periods". After "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 8, line 28, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 9, line 4, after "effect" insert "for tax periods". After "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 9, line 9, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 9, line 14, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 9, line 19, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 9, line 24, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 9, line 28, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 10, line 4, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 10, line 9, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 10, line 14, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 10, line 19, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 10, line 24, after "effect" delete the remainder of the line and insert "for tax periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 10, line 29, after "effect" delete the remainder of the line and insert "for tax periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022."

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 11, line 5, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 11, line 10, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 11, line 23, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 12, between line 3 and line 4 insert the following:  
"§818.14. Exemptions from tax

A. Sales of gasoline to the following, or as otherwise stated in this Section, are exempt from the tax levied by this Subpart and shall not be paid at the rack:

\* \* \*

(3) Aviation fuel used for propelling aircraft, including aircraft operated in interstate or foreign commerce under a certificate or permit issued by the Civil Aeronautics Board of the United States or any successor or federal governmental board or agency having similar authority. **This exemption shall terminate and shall have no effect beginning January 1, 2021.**

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AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 12, delete lines 4 through 8

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 12, line 12, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 183—**  
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(K), 2461, 3113(C), and 3121(C)(3)(a)(ii) and (b)(i), and to enact R.S. 17:3389(G), R.S. 47:6351(I), and R.S. 51:2367(F), relative to tax incentives and rebates; to provide for a termination date for the incentive program for university research and development parks; to extend the termination date of certain tax incentive and rebate programs administered by the Department of Economic Development; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 183 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 3, and insert: "R.S. 51:1787(K), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:2452(A), 2453(1), the introductory paragraph of 2453(2), 2453(2)(a), (b), and (c)(ix), (4), and (6), 2455(E)(1), 2457(A)(2)(b), (f), and (5), 2461, and 3121(C)(3)(a)(ii) and to enact R.S. 17:3389(G), R.S. 51:2367(F), 2453(2)(c)(x), (xi), and (xii), and 2458(11), relative to tax"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Development" insert: "to increase the benefit rate for the Quality Jobs Program; to provide for employer qualifications for the Quality Jobs Program; to increase the new direct jobs and gross payroll thresholds for certain employers for the Quality Jobs Program"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 17, and on page 2, delete lines 1 and 2

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 3, and insert:  
"Section 2. R.S. 51:1787(K), 2461, and 3121(C)(3)(a)(ii) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 15, change "2017" to "2022"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 17, change "2017" to "2022"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 22 through 25

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, between lines 4 and 5, insert:

"Section 3. The introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:2452(A), 2453(1), the introductory paragraph of 2453(2), 2453(2)(a), (b), and (c)(ix), (4), and (6), 2455(E)(1), 2457(A)(2)(b), (f), and (5) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 51:2453(2)(c)(x), (xi), and (xii) and 2458(11) are hereby enacted to read as follows:  
§2452. Intent

A. It is the intent of the Louisiana Legislature that the quality jobs benefits provided for in this Chapter in contracts for which an application is filed with the department after May 1, 2002, should be used primarily as an inducement for businesses to locate or expand existing operations in Louisiana in accordance with ~~Louisiana Vision 2020~~ and the Department of Economic Development's focus on Louisiana's traditional and seed clusters: Advanced Materials; Agriculture, Forest and Food Technology; Durable Goods (Marine, Automotive, Aviation); Entertainment; Information Technology; Biotechnology, Biomedical, and Medical Industries serving rural hospitals; Logistics and Transportation; Oil and Gas and Energy; **Headquarters**; and Petrochemical and Environmental Technology. A business operation should be considered for quality jobs benefits only if the business meets the provisions of R.S. 51:2453(2). It is the further intent of the Louisiana Legislature that the following should apply to quality jobs benefits provided both before and after that date:

\* \* \*

§2453. Definitions

The following words or terms as used in this Chapter shall have the following meaning, unless a different meaning appears from the context:

(1) "Benefit rate" ~~means the following percentages:~~ **shall be equal to six percent for new direct jobs created that pay at least twenty-one dollars and sixty-six cents per hour.**

~~(a) For new direct jobs created which pay at least fourteen dollars and fifty cents per hour inclusive of wages and the value of the health care benefits paid or offered in accordance with Paragraph (2) of this Section, the benefit rate shall be five percent, provided that at least fifty percent of the employees holding new direct jobs accept the health care benefits offered.~~

~~(b) For new direct jobs created which pay at least nineteen dollars and ten cents per hour inclusive of wages and the value of the~~

health care benefits paid or offered in accordance with Paragraph (2) of this Section, the benefit rate shall be six percent, provided that at least fifty percent of the employees holding new direct jobs accept the health care benefits offered.

(2) "Employer" shall mean a legal person who executes a contract with the department pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter and who offers, or will offer within ninety days of the effective date of qualifying for the incentive rebates pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter, a basic health benefits plan to the individuals it employs in new direct jobs in this state which shall be determined by the Department of Economic Development to be in compliance with federally mandated healthcare requirements or, if no federally mandated healthcare requirements exist, shall be determined to have a value of at least one dollar and twenty-five cents per hour.

(a) The "basic health benefits plan" or the "health insurance coverage" required to be offered or provided by this Paragraph shall also include coverage for basic hospital care, and coverage for physician care, as well as coverage for health care, which and shall be the same coverage as is provided to employees employed in a bona fide executive, administrative, or professional capacity by the employer who are exempt from the minimum wage and maximum hour requirements of the federal Fair Labor Standards Act, 29 U.S.C.A. §201, et seq.

(b) To qualify for a contract pursuant to this Chapter, employers must meet one of the following provisions:

(i) ~~Must be The employer is~~ one of the following ~~six Vision 2020 cluster industries: biotechnology; biomedical, and medical industries serving rural hospitals; micromanufacturing; software, auto regulation; Internet, and telecommunications technologies; environmental clean energy technology; food technologies; and advanced materials. Any cluster of industries added after May 1, 2002, shall qualify for a contract pursuant to this Chapter, if it qualifies under Items (ii) through (vi) of this Subparagraph.~~

(ii) ~~Must be The employer is~~ a manufacturer, as defined by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) codes 113310, 211, 213111, 541360, 311-339, 511-512, and 54171, as the employer's primary function.

(iii) ~~Must be The employer is~~ an oil and gas field services business as defined in North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code 213112 which has ~~new direct jobs that pay not less than thirty thousand dollars per year and meet the health insurance benefits required under this Paragraph and have Louisiana as the national or regional headquarters of a multistate multi-state business whose service territory includes at least Louisiana and the Gulf of Mexico.~~

(iv) ~~Must have The employer has,~~ or will have within one year, sales of at least fifty percent of its total sales to out-of-state customers or buyers, to in-state customers or buyers if the products or service is resold by the purchaser to an out-of-state customer or buyer for ultimate use, or to the federal government. An independent Louisiana certified public accountant shall annually verify that the contract site meets the out-of-state sales requirement.

(v) ~~Must be The employer is~~ located in an area designated by the Department of Economic Development as a distressed region. A distressed region shall be either of the following:

(aa) ~~A a~~ parish which is within the lowest twenty-five percent of parishes based on per capita income.

(bb) ~~A census tract block group that is below the state median per capita income, based upon the latest federal decennial census.~~

(cc) ~~If an area is designated a distressed region, such Such~~ designation shall be maintained for the period of the initial quality jobs contract executed pursuant to this Chapter and during the renewal period of any such contract. To qualify, an employer shall either be located in a distressed region or at least fifty percent of the new direct jobs of the employer shall be filled by persons who reside in a distressed region.

(vi) The employer is the corporate headquarters of a multi-state business.

(vii) The employer is a business that spends fifty percent or more of its time performing services for its out-of-state parent company. These services include but are not limited to legal, marketing, finance, information technology, order management, distribution center operation, or overall operations support.

(viii) The employer is in the business of maintenance, repair and overhaul operations for commercial transport aircraft.

(c) The following employers or persons engaged in the following professions or service industries shall not be eligible for any rebate under this Chapter:

~~(ix) Attorneys. Professional Services firms unless the business can demonstrate that more than fifty percent of its services are provided to out-of-state customers.~~

~~(x) Construction.~~

~~(xi) Staffing agencies.~~

~~(xii) Medical professionals.~~

(4) "New direct job" means employment in this state of an employee working at least the average hours per week provided for in R.S. 51:2455(E)(2), who earns at least the benefit rate as defined in R.S. 51:2453(1) and, who was not previously on an employer's payroll in Louisiana, nor previously on the payroll of such employer's parent entity, subsidiary, or affiliate in Louisiana, or previously on the payroll of any business whose physical plant and employees are substantially the same as those of the employer in Louisiana. Such job shall be with an employer that has qualified to receive a rebate pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter, which job did not exist in this state prior to the effective date the application was filed by the employer with the Department of Economic Development pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 51:2455 and which job is filled by an individual domiciled in the state of Louisiana. "New direct job" shall not mean any job that is a result of job shifts due to the gain or loss of an in-state contract to supply goods and services. "New direct job" shall not mean any employees who were retained following the acquisition of all or part of an in-state business by an employer.

(6) "Health care benefits" means the amount of any payment to or on behalf of an individual in its employ under a plan or system established by an employer which makes provision for individuals in its employ generally, or for a class or classes of such individuals, including any amount paid by an employer for insurance or annuities, or into a fund to provide for any such payment for a basic health benefits plan or the health insurance coverage, or the value of the health benefits plan or health insurance coverage offered by the employer to an individual it employs. ~~The value of health care benefits which are offered in accordance with Paragraph (2) of this Section shall be deemed as having been paid for purposes of determining a benefit rate, regardless of whether the employee accepts the plan or coverage offered, provided that at least fifty percent of the employees holding new direct jobs accept the health care benefits offered.~~

§2455. Incentive rebates

E. In order to qualify to receive such rebate, the employer applying shall be required to:

(1) Have an annual gross payroll for a minimum of five fifteen new direct jobs which equals or exceeds five hundred six hundred seventy-five thousand dollars for the employer's fiscal year for which the employer is applying for his third annual rebate. Employers with no more than fifty employees shall have an annual gross payroll for a minimum of five new direct jobs which equals or exceeds two hundred fifty twenty-five thousand dollars for the employer's fiscal year for which the employer is applying for his third annual rebate.

§2457. Filing claim to receive rebate; determination; repayment

A. Payroll rebate.

(2) The application shall contain a sworn statement by a duly authorized officer of the employer concerning with respect to the employer's fiscal year:

(b) The total number of and the gross payroll of:  
(i) New new direct jobs created which were paid a total of at least fourteen dollars and fifty twenty one dollars and sixty-six cents per hour inclusive of wages and the value of health care benefits paid or offered at the time the contract was entered into.

(ii) New direct jobs created which were paid a total of at least nineteen dollars and ten cents per hour inclusive of wages and the value of health care benefits paid or offered at the time the contract was entered into.

\* \* \*

(f) That the employer has offered the basic health benefits plan or the health insurance coverage as defined in R.S. 51:2453(2)(a) to the individuals it employs in new direct jobs including coverage for basic hospital care and for physician care, as well as offered the health insurance coverage as follows:

(i) That the employer has offered **a basic health benefits plan that is in compliance with federally-mandated healthcare requirements or, if no federally-mandated healthcare requirements exist, is determined to have a value of** not less than one dollar and twenty-five cents per hour ~~in health care benefits~~ for full-time employees.

(ii) That the employer has offered health insurance coverage for the dependents of full-time employees.

(iii) ~~That at least fifty percent of the employees holding new direct jobs have accepted the health care benefits offered.~~

\* \* \*

(5) If the actual verified gross payroll for the employer's fiscal year for which the employer is applying for his third annual rebate does not show a minimum of ~~five~~ **fifteen** new direct jobs and is not of an amount which equals or exceeds a total of ~~five hundred six hundred seventy-five~~ **two hundred fifty** thousand dollars ~~of new direct jobs payroll~~, or, where applicable according to R.S. 51:2455(E)(1), ~~does not show a minimum of five new direct jobs and is not of an amount which equals or exceeds~~ **two hundred fifty** thousand dollars ~~of new direct jobs payroll~~, the tax liability for the tax period in which the failure to show such minimum occurs shall be increased by the amount of rebates previously allowed. If at any other time during the ten-year period when the employer applies for a rebate at the end of the employer's fiscal year, the actual verified gross payroll for such fiscal year does not show ~~the minimum required new direct jobs or the minimum required new direct jobs payroll in accordance with R.S. 51:2455(E)(1)~~ **the minimum required new direct jobs and the minimum required new direct jobs payroll in accordance with R.S. 51:2455(E)(1)** a minimum of five new direct jobs and an amount which equals or exceeds a total of five hundred thousand dollars, or, where applicable according to R.S. 51:2455(E)(1), ~~two hundred fifty thousand dollars~~, the rebates shall be suspended and shall not be resumed until such time as the ~~minimum required new direct jobs and the minimum required new direct jobs payroll in accordance with R.S. 51:2455(E)(1)~~ **minimum required new direct jobs and the minimum required new direct jobs payroll in accordance with R.S. 51:2455(E)(1)** are verified ~~actual verified~~ gross payroll shows a minimum of five new direct jobs and an amount which equals or exceeds five hundred thousand dollars or, where applicable according to R.S. 51:2455(E)(1), ~~two hundred fifty thousand dollars~~. No rebate shall accrue or be paid to the employer during a period of suspension.

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§2458. Employers receiving rebates not eligible to receive certain other tax credits and exemptions

Notwithstanding any other provision of law and except as provided in R.S. 51:2456(B), a qualified employer who receives a rebate pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter shall not be eligible to receive the other credits or exemptions provided for in the following provisions of law in connection with the activity for which the rebate was received:

\* \* \*

**(11) An employer shall not receive any other incentive administered by the Department of Economic Development for any payroll expenditures for which the employer has received a credit pursuant to this Section.**

Section 4. The provisions of Section 3 of this Act shall only apply to advance notifications filed on or after July 1, 2017."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 5, change "Section 4." to "Section 5."

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

#### SENATE BILL NO. 206— BY SENATOR MORRELL

#### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:84 and 147, R.S. 12:425, R.S. 22:2065, R.S. 26:345, R.S. 47:121, 713 and 716.1, and to enact R.S. 3:4684(C), R.S. 26:354(L), 366(C) and 421(F), R.S. 47:158(I), 246(H), 287.71(C), 287.73(D), 287.86(F), 287.501(C), 287.521(C), 287.732(D), 287.738(H), 287.745(C), 602(I), 605(D), 606(G), 632(C), 633.1, 818.13(I) and 823(F) and to repeal certain other exemptions against sales tax, relative to taxation; to provide for the elimination of certain tax exemptions and deductions; to provide for applicability unless required under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

#### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 206 by Senator Morrell

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, delete "and 716.1" and insert ", 716.1 and 818.14(A)(3)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "633.1," delete "818.13(I)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 29, delete "and 716.1" and insert ", 716.1 and 818.14(A)(3)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 2, after "633.1," delete "818.13(I)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 7 line 25, delete "**deduction**" and insert "**exemption**"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 7, line 26, after "**effect**" insert "**for tax periods**" and after "**beginning**" insert "**on or after**"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 8, line 2, after "**effect**" insert "**for tax periods**" and after "**beginning**" insert "**on or after**"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 8, line 7, after "**effect**" insert "**for tax periods**" and after "**beginning**" insert "**on or after**"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 8, line 12, after "**effect**" insert "**for tax periods**" and after "**beginning**" insert "**on or after**"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 8, line 17, after "**effect**" insert "**for tax periods**" and after "**beginning**" insert "**on or after**"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 8, line 22, after "**effect**" insert "**for tax periods**" and after "**beginning**" insert "**on or after**"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 8, line 27, after "**effect**" insert "**for tax periods**" and after "**beginning**" insert "**on or after**"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 9, line 2, after "**effect**" insert "**for tax periods**" and after "**beginning**" insert "**on or after**"

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AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 9, line 7, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 9, line 12, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 9, line 17, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 9, line 22, after "effect" delete the remainder of the line and insert "for tax periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022."

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 9, line 27, after "effect" delete the remainder of the line and insert "for tax periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022."

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 10, line 3, after "effect" delete the remainder of the line and insert "for tax periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 10, line 8, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 10, line 13, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 10, line 26, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 11, line 5, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 11, delete lines 7 through 11 and insert the following: "§818.14. Exemptions from tax

A. Sales of gasoline to the following, or as otherwise stated in this Section, are exempt from the tax levied by this Subpart and shall not be paid at the rack:

\* \* \*

(3) Aviation fuel used for propelling aircraft, including aircraft operated in interstate or foreign commerce under a certificate or permit issued by the Civil Aeronautics Board of the United States or any successor or federal governmental board or agency having similar authority. This exemption shall terminate and shall have no effect beginning January 1, 2021.

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AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 11, line 15, after "effect" insert "for tax periods" and after "beginning" insert "on or after"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 223—

BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact Part II-B of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.150 through 100.156, relative to the investment of state funds; to prohibit the investment of state special funds that directly or indirectly support terrorist activities; to provide for purposes, definitions, application, prohibitions, reporting, deadlines, rules of implementation, and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 249—

BY SENATOR CHABERT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:214.5.4(E)(5), relative to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund; to provide for the disbursement of monies in the fund for hurricane protection purposes; to define certain terms; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Original Senate Bill No. 249 by Senator Chabert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, delete "to define certain terms;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, after "(5)" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 13 through 17, and delete pages 2 and 3

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, delete lines 1 through 15, and insert the following:

"(a) Beginning with Fiscal Year 2022, a portion of the total federal revenues received by the state generated from Outer Continental Shelf oil and gas activity shall be dedicated solely for hurricane protection projects, including operation and maintenance, that are included in or consistent with the master plan as follows:

(i) For Fiscal Years 2022 through 2024, a minimum of thirty-five percent.

(ii) For Fiscal Years 2025 through 2027, a minimum of forty percent.

(iii) For Fiscal Years 2028 through 2030, a minimum of forty-five percent.

(iv) For Fiscal Year 2031 and subsequent fiscal years, a minimum of fifty percent.

(b) If the total federal revenues received by the state generated from Outer Continental Shelf oil and gas activity are less than one hundred million dollars in any fiscal year, then the minimum dedications contained in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall not apply."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 252—

BY SENATORS PETERSON, BISHOP AND CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:551(D)(4)(b)(i), relative to the automobile rental tax; to provide for the dedication of the local automobile rental tax collected in Orleans Parish; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 252 by Senator Peterson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, between "reenact" and "R.S." insert the following: "the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:551(D)(4)(b) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, between "Section 1." and "R.S." insert the following: "The introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:551(D)(4)(b) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, change "is" to "are"

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

**Reconsideration**

The vote by which Senate Bill No. 181 failed to pass on Monday, May 8, 2017, was reconsidered.

**SENATE BILL NO. 181—**

BY SENATOR MORRELL

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:265, 287.664, 287.758(B), 6008(A), 6009(D)(1), 6012(B), 6013(A), and 6017(A) all as amended by Section 2 of Act No. 125 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, 6004(A)(1) and (C), to enact R.S. 47:6018(G), R.S. 51:2399.4(C)(3) and 3085(B)(5), and to repeal R.S. 47:265, 287.664, 287.758(B), 6008(A), 6009(D)(1), 6012(B), 6013(A), and 6017(A) all as amended by Section 5 of Act No. 125 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, R.S. 47:12, 35, 287.753, 287.756, 287.759, 301(10)(a)(vi), and 6021, and Chapter 26 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 comprised of R.S. 51:1921 through 1935, relative to tax credits and exemptions; to provide for termination dates for certain tax credits; to add additional requirements for eligibility to earn credits; to repeal expired tax credits and exemptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Special Order of the Day No. 1****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.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Allain proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Allain to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 26 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "Article VII, Section 21(F)" to "Section 21(F) and to add Section 21(N) of Article VII"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, change "the industrial property tax exemption" to "exemptions from ad valorem taxation"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, change "an exemption" to "a complete exemption"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 5, after "taxes;" insert "to exempt inventory from ad valorem taxation over a ten-year period;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, lines 9 and 10, change "Article VII, Section 21(F)" to "Section 21(F) and to add Section 21(N) of Article VII"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 8, after "exemption" insert ", except as otherwise provided by this Paragraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 14 through 21, and insert:

"(4)(a) For new contracts or contract renewals entered into pursuant to this Paragraph on or after January 1, 2019, the board may grant a partial exemption for ad valorem taxes dedicated to, levied by, or levied on behalf of a city school board, parish school board, or other local public school board. The contract or contract renewal shall provide for a minimum level of taxation such that the avails of any ad valorem taxes dedicated to, levied by, or levied on behalf of a city school board, parish school board, or other local public school board shall be no less than the avails of the city school board, parish school board, or other local public school board based on the millages applied to an assessed valuation based on the modified fair market value of the property. No other exemption may be granted for ad valorem taxes dedicated to, levied by, or levied on behalf of a city school board, parish school board, or other local public school board pursuant to this Paragraph.

(b) "Modified fair market value" means the fair market value of the property after eight years of use.

(c) The modified fair market value shall be determined in accordance with criteria that shall be established by the Louisiana Tax Commission and that shall apply uniformly throughout the state.

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(N)(1) Goods held in inventory shall be exempt from ad valorem taxes as follows:

(a) Between January 1, 2019, and December 31, 2019, ten percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(b) Between January 1, 2020, and December 31, 2020, twenty percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(c) Between January 1, 2021, and December 31, 2021, thirty percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(d) Between January 1, 2022, and December 31, 2022, forty percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(e) Between January 1, 2023, and December 31, 2023, fifty percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(f) Between January 1, 2024, and December 31, 2024, sixty percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(g) Between January 1, 2025, and December 31, 2025, seventy percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(h) Between January 1, 2026, and December 31, 2026, eighty percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(i) Between January 1, 2027, and December 31, 2027, ninety percent of the assessed valuation shall be exempt.

(j) On and after January 1, 2028, all goods held in inventory shall be exempt from ad valorem taxation.

(2) A taxing authority may collect, in any year in which this exemption results in a decrease in the total amount of ad valorem taxes collected by the taxing authority, a larger dollar amount of ad valorem taxes by levying additional or increased millages as provided by law or by placing additional property on the tax rolls. Increases in the millage rate in excess of the rates established by Section 23, Paragraph (B) of this Article above but not in excess of the prior year's maximum authorized millage rate may be levied by a majority vote of the total membership of a taxing authority without further voter approval but only after a public hearing held in accordance with the open meetings law. In addition to any other requirements of the open meetings law, public notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the hearing shall be published on two separate days no less than thirty days before the public hearing. The public notice shall be published in the official journal of the taxing authority, and in one other newspaper with a larger circulation than the official journal within the taxing authority, if there is one.

Section 2. Be it further resolved that this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state of Louisiana at the special election to be held on October 14, 2017, if authorized by law enacted at the 2017 Regular Session of the Legislature, or if not so

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authorized, at the statewide election to be held on November 6, 2018."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 26 through 29, and insert:

"Do you support an amendment to phase out property taxes on inventory over ten years and to limit the ability of the Board of Commerce and Industry to exempt businesses from the payment of school board property taxes under the industrial tax exemption program?"

(Amends Article VII, Section 21(F); adds Article VII, Section 21(N))"

Senator Allain moved the adoption of the amendments.

Senator Morrell objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Donahue Long
Allain Gatti Mizell
Appel Hewitt Peacock
Chabert Johns Thompson
Claitor LaFleur Walsworth
Cortez Lambert
Total - 17

NAYS

Barrow Luneau Riser
Bishop Milkovich Smith, G.
Boudreaux Mills Smith, J.
Carter Morrell Tarver
Colomb Morrish Ward
Erdey Perry White
Fannin Peterson
Total - 20

ABSENT

Martiny
Total - 1

The Chair declared the amendments were rejected.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barrow Erdey Peterson
Bishop LaFleur Smith, G.
Boudreaux Luneau Tarver
Carter Morrell
Colomb Morrish
Total - 13

NAYS

Mr. President Gatti Peacock
Allain Hewitt Perry
Appel Johns Riser
Chabert Lambart Smith, J.
Claitor Long Thompson
Cortez Milkovich Walsworth
Donahue Mills Ward
Fannin Mizell White
Total - 24

ABSENT

Martiny
Total - 1

The Chair declared the bill failed to pass for lack of receiving the required two-thirds vote.

Notice of Reconsideration

Senator Morrell moved to reconsider on the next Legislative Day the vote by which the bill failed to pass.

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SENATE BILL NO. 236— BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5217, R.S. 13:844, R.S. 44:40(A), (B), (C), and (E), 116(A) and (B), and 161, Civil Code Art. 3352(C), and Code of Civil Procedure Art. 258(A), and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 258(D) and 259, relative to clerks of court; to provide for fees for services rendered; to provide standards for documents to be recorded; to provide alternate means to maintain copies of recorded documents; to provide indexing standards; to require plans for recording electronic documents; to provide relative to redaction and contents of certain personal information in filings and recordings; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator LaFleur proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator LaFleur to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 236 by Senator LaFleur

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 9, delete lines 5 through 20, and insert the following

"Art. 259. Liability of clerk of court
The clerk of court shall not be liable for any damages caused by any third party to any information included in pleadings or documents filed of record by the clerk of court."

On motion of Senator LaFleur, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Milkovich proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Milkovich to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 236 by Senator LaFleur

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 26, change "ten" to "five"

On motion of Senator Milkovich, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Gatti Peterson
Allain Hewitt Riser

Barrow	Johns	Smith, G.
Bishop	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Boudreaux	Lambert	Tarver
Carter	Luneau	Thompson
Chabert	Milkovich	Walsworth
Colomb	Mizell	Ward
Cortez	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Erdey	Peacock	
Total - 31		

NAYS

Appel	Fannin	Mills
Claitor	Long	Perry
Total - 6		

ABSENT

Martiny  
Total - 1

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 2—**  
BY SENATORS MORRELL AND PETERSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 6-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:661 through 669, relative to equal pay; to provide with respect to public policy; to provide for definitions; to further prohibit pay discrimination; to provide for a complaint procedure, penalties, attorney fees, and damages; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Senator Long in the Chair**

**SENATE BILL NO. 6—**  
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:883(D), relative to the Office of Group Benefits; to provide relative to the quorum for the Group Benefits Policy and Planning Board; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator John Smith 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	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Carter	Lambert	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Luneau	Thompson
Colomb	Milkovich	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 36		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Martiny  
Total - 2  
Peterson

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 37—**  
BY SENATOR MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2353(C)(5), 2354(B)(1), 2356(A)(6), and 2359(C) and to enact R.S. 37:2354(B)(4) and (5), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists; to provide for authority to conduct hearings; to provide for hearing fees; to provide for informal resolution fees; to provide for experience substitutions; to provide for authority to withhold license; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 44—**  
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2313(A), relative to producers' authority to sell insurance policies issued by the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to provide for reciprocity for producers in other states; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator John Smith 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	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Carter	Lambert	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Luneau	Thompson
Colomb	Milkovich	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 36		

NAYS

Peterson  
Total - 1

ABSENT

Martiny  
Total - 1

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 45—**  
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2055(13) and to enact R.S. 22:46(19), relative to the definition of ocean marine insurance; and to provide for related matters.

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Floor Amendments

Senator Thompson 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. 45 by Senator John Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 25, following "as" and before "R.S." insert "that term is defined in"

On motion of Senator Thompson, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Martiny

Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 56—

BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1563(A), relative to reporting of administrative actions against an insurance producer; to provide with respect to the reporting of actions taken by a governmental or nongovernmental agency against an insurance producer; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 59—

BY SENATORS MILLS, JOHNS AND MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1741.1, relative to prescription drug price information; to provide for disclosure of certain information; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 63—

BY SENATORS GATTI, BISHOP AND CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2011(A) and (B), relative to occupational diseases; to provide with respect to the firefighters; to provide for the classification of certain types of cancer as occupational diseases or infirmities connected with the duties of a firefighter; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 80—

BY SENATOR BISHOP

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:398(N), relative to traffic accidents; to authorize a civilian traffic control officer to investigate a traffic accident in any parish with a population of not less than two hundred fifty-five thousand nor more than three hundred fifty thousand, based upon the latest federal decennial census; to provide for exceptions; to provide for qualifications and training; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 114—

BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:844.45.1, relative to advanced service; to provide advanced services in public airports; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 152—

BY SENATORS CARTER, CORTEZ AND GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405.5(D), to enact R.S. 32:412(O) and R.S. 40:1321(R), and to repeal R.S. 40:2405.5(F), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for identification of persons who need accommodation; to require law enforcement training regarding mental health; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 154—

BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:45, relative to traffic; to require posting notification of a mobile and fixed location speed camera; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 184—  
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:2062(A)(2)(c), relative to the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association; to provide with respect to the exhaustion of other coverage; to provide for the exclusion of a credit against uninsured and underinsured motorist policies upon the insolvency of the insurer; 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	Fannin	Peacock
Allain	Gatti	Perry
Appel	Hewitt	Peterson
Barrow	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Carter	Lambert	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Luneau	Walsworth
Colomb	Milkovich	Ward
Cortez	Mills	White
Donahue	Mizell	
Erdey	Morrish	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop	Morrell
Martiny	Tarver
Total - 4	

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. 193—  
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:844 and to enact R.S. 37:874(C) and (D), relative to embalming and funeral directing; to provide for certificate renewals; to provide for notice; to provide for a time frame for compliance; to provide for refunds of certain reinstatement fees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fannin	Peacock
Allain	Gatti	Perry
Appel	Hewitt	Peterson
Barrow	Johns	Riser
Boudreaux	LaFleur	Smith, G.

Carter	Lambert	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Luneau	Walsworth
Colomb	Milkovich	Ward
Cortez	Mills	White
Donahue	Mizell	
Erdey	Morrish	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop	Morrell
Martiny	Tarver
Total - 4	

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

SENATE BILL NO. 215—  
BY SENATORS TARVER AND LAFLEUR  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3991(C)(1)(c)(v), relative to the admission of children of teachers recruited from other nations to teach at a language immersion charter school; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator LaFleur submitted the following amendments on behalf of Senator Tarver.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Tarver to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 215 by Senator Tarver

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, delete "**when**", on line 2, delete "**determining the enrollment**" and insert "**to determine whether such enrollment exceeds the**"

On motion of Senator LaFleur, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Appel proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Appel to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 215 by Senator Tarver

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "enact" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 3, and insert "R.S. 17:3991(C)(1)(c)(v) and (vi), relative to charter school enrollment procedures; to allow direct enrollment of certain students; and to provide"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following "**(vi) Notwithstanding any provision of law or any process or policy adopted by a local education agency to the contrary, a charter school with a foreign immersion mission may modify its application and enrollment procedures and directly enroll the child of a foreign consular officer residing in Louisiana, provided**"

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the child meets all mission-related and academic admission requirements established for the school. No student admitted to a charter school pursuant to this Item shall be counted to determine whether such enrollment exceeds the enrollment capacity of a program, class, grade level, or school."

On motion of Senator Appel, the amendments were adopted.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Walsworth proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Walsworth to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 215 by Senator Tarver

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "relative to" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 3, and insert "charter school enrollment procedures; to allow direct enrollment of certain students; and to provide"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, after "**school**" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 14 through 17, and insert "**may modify its application and enrollment procedures and directly enroll the child of a faculty member, provided the child meets all admission requirements for the school. No student**"

On motion of Senator Walsworth, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrish
Allain	Fannin	Peacock
Appel	Gatti	Perry
Barrow	Hewitt	Riser
Bishop	Johns	Smith, G.
Boudreaux	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Carter	Lambert	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Luneau	Walsworth
Colomb	Milkovich	Ward
Cortez	Mills	White
Donahue	Mizell	
Total - 35		

**NAYS**

Peterson  
Total - 1

**ABSENT**

Martiny                      Morrell  
Total - 2

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

**Mr. President in the Chair**

**SENATE BILL NO. 216—**

BY SENATORS TARVER AND LAFLEUR  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:53(B)(1), (2)(a) and (b), and (F), relative to physicians assistants; to provide for authority to issue an emergency certificate; to provide with respect to certificate documentation; to provide authority to require transportation; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator LaFleur proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator LaFleur to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 216 by Senator Tarver

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 11 and 12, delete "**in collaboration with their supervising physician**" and insert "**when acting in accordance with their respective clinical practice guidelines**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, lines 16 and 17, delete "**in collaboration with their supervising physician**" and insert "**when acting in accordance with their respective clinical practice guidelines**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, lines 16 and 17, delete "**in collaboration with their supervising physician**" and insert "**when acting in accordance with their respective clinical practice guidelines**"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, lines 1 and 2, delete "**in collaboration with their supervising physician**" and insert "**when acting in accordance with their respective clinical practice guidelines**"

On motion of Senator LaFleur, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator LaFleur 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	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Carter	Lambert	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Luneau	Thompson
Colomb	Milkovich	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 36		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

ABSENT

Martiny Peterson
Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 217— BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2810(A) and (C)(2)(a), relative to chiropractors; to require

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fannin Peacock
Allain Gatti Perry
Appel Hewitt Peterson
Barrow Johns Riser
Bishop LaFleur Smith, G.
Boudreaux Lambert Smith, J.
Carter Long Tarver
Chabert Luneau Thompson
Claitor Milkovich Walsworth
Colomb Mills Ward
Cortez Mizell White
Donahue Morrell
Erdey Morrish
Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Martiny
Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 233— BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.1(G), relative to the school and district accountability system; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt a policy to award additional points to the school performance score of a school that offers a certified foreign language immersion program; and to provide for related matters.

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

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.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 254— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 235 by Senator Morrell)

BY SENATORS MORRELL AND GARY SMITH AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(1), (8), (11) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 129, (14), (16) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 141, (17) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 129, (21), (24), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6007(C)(1), R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(a) and (b), the introductory paragraphs of R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(c) and (4), R.S. 47:6007(C)(4)(f) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 129 and 134, R.S. 47:6007(D)(1)(a) and (2)(c)(i) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 141, (d), (D)(2)(e)(i) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 144, and (I), to enact R.S. 47:6007(B)(28), (29), (30), (31), (32), (D)(1)(d)(v) and (2)(a)(ii) and (e)(iv), and (J), and to repeal R.S. 47:6007(B)(4), (11) as amended by Acts 2015, Nos. 134 and 144, (16) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 134 and 412, (17)(c), (d), and (e) all as amended by Acts 2015, Nos. 134, 141, 142, 143, 144, and 412, (23), (C)(1)(d), (C)(4)(f) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 144, (D)(2)(c)(i) as amended by Acts 2015, No. 412, (D)(2)(e)(i) as amended by Acts 2015, Nos. 129, 141, and 412, relative to the motion picture production tax credit; to provide for definitions applicable to the credit; to provide for base investment credit enhancements; to provide for conditions required to earn the credit; to provide for payroll credits for qualified entertainment companies; to provide for credit caps, structured pay outs, and project size limitations; to remove duplicate provisions; to provide for a sunset date; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Morrell, the 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 Resolutions

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 97— BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 14 through 20, 2017, as "Tracheostomy Tube Awareness Week" in the state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 98— BY SENATOR PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Lillian Bernard LeBlanc on the occasion of her 100th birthday.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 99— BY SENATOR COLOMB

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Yvonne M. Walker.

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

May 9, 2017

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 86— BY SENATOR PERRY AND REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend North Vermilion High School Lady Patriots on winning the Class 3A girls' softball state championship title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87— BY SENATOR PERRY AND REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Vermilion Catholic High School Lady Eagles upon being state runner-up in the Division IV state softball championship tournament.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

May 9, 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 Bills and Joint Resolutions:

- HB No. 46 HB No. 58 HB No. 62
HB No. 70 HB No. 72 HB No. 87
HB No. 97 HB No. 114 HB No. 182
HB No. 190 HB No. 216 HB No. 232
HB No. 252 HB No. 260 HB No. 291
HB No. 297 HB No. 298 HB No. 309
HB No. 382 HB No. 431 HB No. 540
HB No. 576

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 46— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:423.17, relative to the Amite City Police Department; to provide that the police chief shall appoint, promote, discipline, and discharge police personnel subject to limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 58— BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4169(C), relative to Sewerage District No. 1 for Tangipahoa Parish; to provide relative to the collection of fees imposed by the district; to require certain water system operators to collect such fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 62— BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5554(FF), relative to payment of group insurance premiums for retirees from the Rapides Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for qualifications for and payment of certain insurance premiums; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 70— BY REPRESENTATIVE HORTON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2495.3(A) and to enact R.S. 33:2555.2, relative to the cities of Baton Rouge, Bossier City, and Lafayette and Fire Protection District No. 2 of Ward 4 of Calcasieu Parish; to provide relative to the classified fire service; to provide relative to persons selected for appointment to entry-level positions; to provide relative to the formal training of such persons; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 72— BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5554(N) and 5554.3(B), (C), (D), (E), and (F) and to repeal R.S. 13:5554.3(G), relative to the Plaquemines Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for the payment of certain group insurance premiums for retirees of the Plaquemines Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for the qualifications for payment of certain insurance premiums; to provide relative to the Plaquemines Parish Retired Employees' Insurance Fund; to provide for sheriff contributions; to provide for limitations on withdrawal; to provide for limitations on investments; to provide for membership and election of the advisory board; to provide relative to the requirement for the advisory board and certain positions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 87— BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2551(4)(b) and (8)(b), 2554(C)(2)(introductory paragraph), and 2558(B), relative to the city of Eunice; to provide relative to the classified police service; to provide relative to departmental and promotional seniority; to provide relative to the establishment and maintenance of employment lists; to provide relative to the certification and appointment of eligible persons; to provide relative to the abolition of classes of positions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 97—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405.8(B), relative to homicide investigator training; to provide an exception to homicide investigator training requirements for peace officers investigating vehicular homicide; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 114—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAD BROWN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:351(2)(a) and (4)(a), relative to alcoholic beverages; to provide relative to the sale and shipment of certain alcoholic beverages; to provide for container size limitations of certain alcoholic beverages; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 182—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JIMMY HARRIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9078(D) and (F)(2) and (4), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Kenilworth Improvement District; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to provide relative to the membership of the board; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed within the district; to provide relative to the maximum rate, expiration, and renewal of the fee; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 190—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 892(A) and (B)(2), relative to post-sentence statements by sheriffs; to provide relative to statements prepared by the sheriff indicating the amount of time a defendant has spent in custody prior to conviction; to provide for the cases in which such statements must be prepared; to provide with respect to the duties of the clerk of court relative to the sheriff's statement and other documents; to provide relative to the dissemination of the sheriff's statement and other documents; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 216—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2005(D), 2005.1(B), 2013(A), and 2488.77(B), relative to city courts; to provide for the city courts of Morgan City, New Iberia, Jeanerette, and Breaux Bridge; to provide relative to fees collected for purposes of indigent defense; to authorize a portion of those fees to be deposited into a special fund; to remove mandatory language; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 232—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:903 and 904(B), relative to the mislabeling of fresh fruits and vegetables; to clarify certain authority of the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 252—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:628(C)(1) and (E), relative to animal health and food safety for commercial feeds; to provide clarification regarding the regulation of commercial feeds; 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 REPRESENTATIVE TERRY BROWN  
AN ACT

To repeal Subpart B-6-A of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:130.161 through 130.169, relative to the Grant Parish Economic and Industrial Development District; to repeal provisions relative to the creation, powers, and governance of the district; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 291—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1053(C)(2)(d), relative to the Calcasieu Cameron Hospital Service District; to provide relative to the per diem paid to members of the board of commissioners of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 297—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1743(A), relative to membership on the Sweet Potato Advertising and Development Commission; to provide for a decrease in membership on the Sweet Potato Advertising and Development Commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 298—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3246(D)(3), relative to certification and licensing of agricultural consultants; to provide relative to a decrease in the amount of college credit required for certification and licensing of agricultural consultants; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 309—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1842, 1843, and 1844(A)(2)(b), (L), (M)(1) and (2), and (O) and to enact R.S. 46:1845 and 1845.1, relative to crime victims; to provide relative to eligibility; to provide relative to a return of property; to provide for notification of pardon or parole; to provide additional rights for victims of sexual assault; to provide for notification of rights; to provide for duties and responsibilities; to provide for a sexual assault advocate; to provide relative to the right to privacy; to provide procedures and requirements; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 382—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1305(F), relative to budget adoption procedures in certain municipalities; to limit the authority of the governing authorities of certain municipalities to amend a proposed budget; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 431—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:121, 124, and 125(1), relative to co-operative marketing associations; to provide for an expansion and clarification of the purposes of a co-operative marketing association; to provide for an expansion of the powers of a co-operative marketing association; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

To enact R.S. 33:423.27, relative to the Eunice police department; to provide that the board of aldermen may authorize the police chief to appoint, discipline, and discharge police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 576—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1053(V)(2), relative to Hospital Service District No. 1 of the parish of Pointe Coupee; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to provide relative to the membership of the board; to reduce the number of members of the governing authority of Pointe Coupee Parish who may serve on the board; 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 9, 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. 63

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions  
on First Reading**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Louisiana's pregnancy resource centers, adoption agencies, social services, pro-life organizations, and pro-life citizens, and to recognize Thursday, May 11, 2017, as Pro-Life Day at the state capitol.

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  
FINANCE**

Senator Eric LaFleur, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:

May 9, 2017

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 251—**  
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:91 and to enact Subpart F-2 of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:99.51 through 99.69, relative to the issuance of bonds to securitize the state's allocation of the economic damage settlement of the Deepwater Horizon oil spill economic damage litigation; to create the Louisiana Economic Financing Corporation; to provide for the qualifications of the members of the Louisiana Economic Financing Corporation; to provide for the authority of the Louisiana Economic Financing Corporation to issue bonds; to provide for the sale of certain assets of the state to the Louisiana Economic Financing Corporation; to provide for the deposit of the proceeds of the sale into the Deepwater Horizon Economic Damages Collection Fund; to authorize the financing, purchase, ownership, and management of payments from the Deepwater Horizon economic damage settlement; to provide for the security for the payment of the bonds; to provide for bond validation actions; to provide for tax exemptions; to provide for ancillary contracts and derivative instruments; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
ERIC LAFLEUR  
Chairman

**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:

May 9, 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 Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65—**

BY SENATORS PEACOCK AND GATTI  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the students, faculty, administrators, and alumni of Bossier High School on the occasion of its Centennial celebration and to pay tribute to the accomplishments of its many graduates.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66—**

BY SENATOR COLOMB AND REPRESENTATIVE SMITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the efforts of The Links, Incorporated and to designate Monday, May 8, 2017, as Louisiana Links Day at the state capitol.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68—**

BY SENATORS COLOMB, BARROW, HEWITT, MIZELL AND PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, CARPENTER, DAVIS, EMERSON, HILFERTY, HILL, HODGES, HORTON, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MARCELLE, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THOMAS AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Tamiko Terraz Stroud on being selected to receive a High School Women of Excellence Award and a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69—**

BY SENATORS COLOMB, BARROW, HEWITT, MIZELL AND PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, CARPENTER, DAVIS, EMERSON, HILFERTY, HILL, HODGES, HORTON, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MARCELLE, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THOMAS AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Kristen Blair Weimer on being selected to receive a High School Women of Excellence Award and a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 70—**

BY SENATORS COLOMB, BARROW, HEWITT, MIZELL AND PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, CARPENTER, EMERSON, HILFERTY, HILL, HODGES, HORTON, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MARCELLE, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THOMAS AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Shubhneet Warar on being selected to receive a High School Women of Excellence Award and a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—**

BY SENATORS COLOMB, BARROW, HEWITT, MIZELL AND PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, CARPENTER, DAVIS, EMERSON, HILFERTY, HILL, HODGES, HORTON, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MARCELLE, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THOMAS AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Courtney Lynn Lott on being selected to receive a Women of Excellence Award and a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

Respectfully submitted,  
KAREN CARTER PETERSON  
Chairman

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

**ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**

PRESENT

Mr. President	Fannin	Peacock
Allain	Gatti	Perry
Appel	Hewitt	Peterson
Barrow	Johns	Riser

Bishop	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith, J.
Carter	Long	Tarver
Chabert	Luneau	Thompson
Claitor	Milkovich	Walsworth
Colomb	Mills	Ward
Cortez	Mizell	White
Donahue	Morrell	
Erdey	Morrish	

Total - 37

ABSENT

Martiny  
Total - 1

**Leaves of Absence**

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Martiny 1 Day

**Announcements**

The following committee meetings for May 10, 2017, were announced:

Commerce	10:00 A.M.	Room E
Health and Welfare	10:00 A.M.	Hainkel Room
Insurance	10:00 A.M.	Room A
Senate and Gov't Affairs	10:00 A.M.	Room F

**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 5:45 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, May 10, 2017, 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

