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State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, April 25, 2011

The Senate was called to order at 12:05 o'clock P.M. by Hon. Joel T. Chaisson II, President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dorsey	Morrish
Adley	Erdey	Murray
Alario	Gautreaux	Nevers
Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Jackson	Riser
Broome	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Thompson
Claitor	Michot	Walsworth
Crowe	Mills	
Donahue	Morrell	
Total - 28		

ABSENT

Chabert	Marionneaux	Quinn
Heitmeier	McPherson	Smith
Kostelka	Mount	Willard-Lewis
LaFleur	Peterson	
Total - 11		

The President of the Senate announced there were 28 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Bishop Raymond W. Johnson, 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 Gautreaux, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of April 13, 2011, was adopted.

Rules Suspended

Senator Broome asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1
BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a Committee of six be appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is now duly convened and organized and prepared to transact such business as may be brought before it.

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

In compliance with the resolution the President of the Senate appointed the following Committee:

Senators Mills,
Peterson,
Martiny,
Perry,
Dorsey,
and Alario

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2
BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a Committee of six be appointed to act with such a Committee as the House of Representatives may appoint to notify the Governor that the Legislature is now duly convened and organized and prepared to receive such communication as he may desire to lay before it.

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

In compliance with the resolution the President of the Senate appointed the following Committee:

Senators McPherson,
Michot,
Gautreaux,
Adley,
Willard-Lewis,
and Morrell.

Reports of Committees

The Committee appointed to notify the Governor that the Senate had convened and was prepared to transact business reported it had performed that duty. The President of the Senate thanked the Committee and discharged it.

The Committee appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate had convened and was prepared to transact business reported it had performed that duty. The President of the Senate thanked the Committee and discharged it.

**Committee from the
House of Representatives**

A Committee from the House of Representatives appeared before the Bar of the Senate and informed the Senate that the House of Representatives was organized and ready to proceed with business.

**Introduction of Senate Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

Senator Adley asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to introduce and read Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time and refer them to committee.

SENATE BILL NO. 1—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:26.1 and to repeal R.S. 22:941(A)(5), relative to death and disability benefits for Louisiana National Guardsmen activated by the governor or the president; to remove authority for certain lump sum payments of death and permanent disability benefits for Louisiana National Guardsmen activated

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by the governor or the President of the United States; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 2—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2091(B) and (C), relative to the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide for membership of and election to the board of trustees; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 3—
BY SENATOR GAUTREAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11: 2174.2 and 2178(B)(1)(b), (C), and (I)(1), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide for changes to the existing defined benefit plan; to provide for calculation of benefits and retirement eligibility requirements for new hires; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 4—
BY SENATOR SHAW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2220(G), relative to the Municipal Police Employees Retirement System; to provide for employee and employer contributions under certain circumstances; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 5—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:416(A)(3)(a) and to enact R.S. 11:446(H), (I), and (J), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to allow for a change in beneficiary in certain circumstances and in relation to certain supplemental benefits; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 6—
BY SENATOR GAUTREAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:887.1, relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for payment of unfunded accrued liability by an employer that withdraws some or all of its employees from the retirement system; to provide for all other withdrawal liabilities of such employers; to provide for determination of amount of withdrawal liability payment and collection of same; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 7—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1402(6)(c) and (8)(a) and (b), 1404(A), 1411(D), 1444(C) and (D), 1451, 1457 (C), 1458(B)(1), (2)(a), (b), and (d), (3)(introductory paragraph), and (4), and (E)(2) and (5)(c), to enact 1402(6)(d), 1444(E)(3),

1445(G), 1455(C), and 1458(A)(3), and to repeal R.S. 11:1404(E), 1457(B), 1458(B)(2)(c) and (E)(5)(d) and (e), relative to the Assessors' Retirement Fund; to provide relative to compliance with applicable federal tax qualification requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn on April 12 prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 8—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:710(A)(4), relative to reemployment of retirees of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for reemployment of certain retirees without benefit suspension, subject to an earnings limitation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn on April 12 prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 9—
BY SENATOR GAUTREAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:429(B), relative to the purchase of service credit in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for the purchase of service credit and the use of such credit for the purposes of attaining eligibility for retirement; to provide relative to the payment of insurance premiums for individuals purchasing such service credit; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 10—
BY SENATOR SHAW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102.2(B)(4) and 883.1(A)(2)(a), (C)(4)(a)(introductory paragraph), (b)(introductory paragraph), and (c)(i), and (G), and to repeal R.S. 11:883.1(C)(4)(d) and (e), relative to application of excess investment earnings of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for post-retirement benefit increases funded from such earnings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 11—
BY SENATOR QUINN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:264.7(A)(5) and to enact R.S. 11:268, relative to certain public retirement or pension systems, funds, and plans; to provide regarding court authorization to award punitive damages in a breach of fiduciary duty lawsuit relative to certain public retirement or pension systems, funds, and plans; to provide relative to application of suspended or interrupted time limitations to public retirement systems that opt out of class action lawsuits; to provide relative to establishing venue in a lawsuit naming both a political subdivision of the state and a public retirement system as defendants; to provide relative to establishing recovery involving fraud in certain securities transactions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn on April 14 prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 12—
BY SENATOR GAUTREAU AND REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON

AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 4 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:381 - 392, relative to state and statewide retirement systems;

to provide for contributions, eligibility, and benefits; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 13—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:297.10(A), relative to income tax deductions; to authorize a deduction for the amount of certain tuition and fees paid to certain elementary and secondary schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 14—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:456.1, relative to the Housing Authority of New Orleans; to provide for the appointment, compensation, duties, and powers of its peace officers; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2402(3)(e) and 2405(B)(3), relative to the Peace Officer Standards and Training Law; to include certain Housing Authority of New Orleans' security personnel within the definition of "Peace officer"; to provide for supplemental pay; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 16—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4580(B)(1)(b) and (3), relative to the Vernon Parish Arena District; to provide relative to governance; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 17—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2541.1(B)(1), relative to the position of deputy chief of police for the city of Jennings; to provide for qualifications; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 18—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact 33:381(C)(31), relative to the town of Simmesport; to provide that the chief of police shall be appointed; to provide for the time of the initial appointment; to provide for the method of appointment and for the salary, term, duties, and supervision of the police chief; to provide for the qualifications of the police chief; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 19—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:3887.5, relative to Sewerage District No. 1 of Rapides Parish; to authorize an increase in the amount of per diem paid to members of the board of supervisors; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 20—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.22, relative to the town of Pearl River; to authorize the police chief to take certain personnel actions with respect to police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 21—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305(D)(1)(c), relative to exemptions from the sales and use taxes of the state and political subdivisions of the state; to provide an exemption for bottled water; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 22—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 3421, 3431, 3432 and 3434, relative to successions; to provide relative to small successions; to provide certain definitions, terms, procedures, conditions, requirements, and effects; to provide for conveyance of certain ownership interest in immovable property by a small succession; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 23—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:851.36(B), relative to motorboats and vessels; to provide for boating safety education; to exempt certain individuals from the boating safety education requirement; 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 Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 24—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:5166, relative to mortgages and vendor's liens; to provide relative to cancellation of mortgage and vendor's lien inscriptions; to create and authorize the use of a uniform cancellation affidavit for cancellation of mortgage and vendor's lien inscriptions; to provide for the contents and effects of such affidavit; to provide relative to liability; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements, and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 25—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(A)(4), relative to expungement of arrest records in misdemeanor and felony cases; to authorize the clerk of court to collect the expungement processing fee; to provide for an administrative fee; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn on April 8 prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 26—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1291.1, relative to out-of-state physician orders; to provide for an out-of-state physician to order diagnostic tests under certain conditions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 27—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.96(A)(2)(b)(i), relative to health care information; to provide for health care records; to provide for the persons who have the right to obtain a patient's medical records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 28—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6033(A) and (B)(1), relative to tax credits; to extend the applicability of the apprenticeship tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 29—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.9(C)(26) and to enact R.S. 47:305(J), relative to the sales and use tax of the state and its political subdivisions; to exempt the sale, use, and rental of certain materials, services, and supplies sold to certain non-profit organizations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 30—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact Subpart O of Part 1 of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.38, relative to donations of refunds; to provide for such donations to the Louisiana Bicentennial Commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 31—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:448(D), relative to mayor's courts; to increase authorized court costs for municipal ordinance violations in the mayor's court of the town of New Llano; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 32—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 116(12.1), 675(B)(3), 681, 1511, 1515(B) and 1516(B), and to enact Children's Code Articles 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724 and 1514(D), relative to guardianship; to define guardianship; to provide for dispositional alternatives; to provide for the purpose of guardianship; to provide for the guardian's rights and responsibilities; to provide for a home study report; to provide for certain procedures; to provide for a motion, hearing, and order for guardianship; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 33—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:8(A)(3), relative to textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide for the adoption of a list of approved textbooks and other instructional materials for use in foreign language immersion programs and schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 34—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1923(D)(1), relative to tax assessors; to provide relative to the payment of certain insurance premiums for certain retired assessors and assessors' employees in Catahoula Parish; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 35—
BY SENATOR DORSEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.1(F)(4) and (5), relative to school and district accountability; to delay implementation of a system to assign performance-based letter grades to public schools and school districts; to provide for a task force; to provide for a written report; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 36—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:512(1) and 17(b)(vi) and R.S. 37:212(A)(2)(d), relative to abstracts of title; to provide definitions; to provide relative to title insurance; to provide relative to abstracts of title and title examination and opinions; to provide relative to the practice of law; to provide definitions, terms, procedures, conditions, and requirements; 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 A.

SENATE BILL NO. 37—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4752 and 4753(A), relative to proceeds recovered by injured persons; to provide with respect to the health care provider privilege; to provide that election to pursue and enforce health care provider privilege is not considered an

attempt to collect charges or fees from the injured person; to provide with respect to health and accident insurance being secondary to the health care provider privilege; to provide with respect to written notice; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn on April 14 prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 38—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S.42:808(E), relative to eligibility in group programs; to provide coverage for a developmentally disabled dependent of a classified or unclassified state civil service employee by life, health or other programs sponsored by the Office of Group Benefits under certain circumstances, and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 39—
BY SENATORS LAFLEUR AND RISER

AN ACT

To repeal Part III of Chapter 9 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:1801 through 1804, relative to the purchasing of certain weapons or ammunition; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 40—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6021(A), (B)(1), (D)(2)(a)(i) and (b)(i), H, the introductory paragraph of (I), (I)(6), and (J) and to enact R.S. 47:6021(B)(6), relative to income tax credits; to provide income tax credits for certain brownfields investors; to clarify the applicability of such credit to remediation of public lands; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 41—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:342(3)(b), relative to the occupational license tax; to define contractor for purposes of the occupational license tax in certain parishes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 42—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Paragraph (6) of Section 5 of Act No. 253 of the 1952 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 623 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature; Paragraph (15) of Section 5 of Act No. 253 of the 1952 Regular Session of the Legislature; and Section 6 of Act No. 253 of the 1952 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 623 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the city of Bastrop; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the city; to provide relative to restrictions; to provide relative to penalties for the violation of city ordinances; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 43—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3983(A)(4)(c) and (e), relative to charter schools; to allow a chartering authority to alter the time period within which a charter school must begin operation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 44—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:319, relative to Beaugard Parish; to increase the number of members of the board of commissioners for the Beaugard Parish Airport Board; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 45—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:1053(EE), relative to Hospital Service District Number Two of Beaugard Parish; to increase the membership of the board of commissioners; to provide relative to the terms of office of the members of the board of commissioners; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 46—
BY SENATORS SHAW AND LONG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:236.4, relative to the Louisiana Virtual School; to provide for enrollment of students; to provide for the adoption of policies; to provide relative to student access to and credit for courses taken through the virtual school; to require notification to students and parents of such virtual school option; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 47—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:581(3) and 621(A)(1), relative to the Election Code; to provide for the filling of a vacancy in the office of a judge when the officeholder has been elected to another elective office but remains in office until the term of the other elective office commences; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 48—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:359(L) and R.S. 38:3097.7 and to repeal Section 4 of Act No. 446 of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature and Section 5 of Act No. 49 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Ground Water Management Advisory Task Force; to provide for the membership of the task force; to provide powers, duties, terms and conditions; to provide for the meeting requirements of the task force; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 49—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.66 and 337.9(D)(30), and to repeal R.S. 47:337.10(K)(1), relative to sales and use tax imposed by the state or any political subdivision of the state; to provide an exemption from such tax for certain medical inhibitors and certain complex biologics; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 50—
BY SENATOR GAUTREAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3048.1(Y), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to the monetary amounts of awards granted pursuant to the program; to provide for maximum award amounts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 51—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.66 and 337.9(D)(31), relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for an exemption from the sales and use tax of the state and its political subdivisions for sales of certain property to the Fore!Kids Foundation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 52—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:98.1(A)(3), (B), (C), and (D) and 98.3(A), all relative to the Millennium Trust, the Health Excellence Fund, the Education Excellence Fund, and the TOPS Fund; to provide for the allocation of interest to the Health Excellence Fund, the Education Excellence Fund, and the TOPS Fund; to provide for the dedication of certain proceeds from the Settlement Agreement to the TOPS Fund; to provide for the deposit, transfer, or credit of certain Settlement Agreement proceeds received by the state to the TOPS Fund; to provide for the uses of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 53—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10.8(A)(1)(c), (A)(2), (3), and (4), and (C)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, all relative to the Millennium Trust, the Health Excellence Fund, the Education Excellence Fund, and the TOPS Fund; to provide for the allocation of interest to the Health Excellence Fund, the Education Excellence Fund, and the TOPS Fund; to provide for the dedication of certain proceeds from the Settlement Agreement to the TOPS Fund; to provide for the deposit, transfer, or credit of certain Settlement Agreement proceeds received by the state to the TOPS Fund; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 54—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1713, relative to ad valorem property tax; to authorize the prohibition of certain property from being considered exempt in certain parishes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 55—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:359(A), the introductory paragraph of (B)(1), and (B)(1)(h), relative to distribution of alcoholic beverages; to provide for direct shipment of certain alcoholic beverages to consumers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 56—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:835(F) and 835.1, relative to the dedication of a portion of the fire marshal tax receipts; to provide for the dedication of a portion of such receipts for fire protection at Camp Minden; to create the Camp Minden Fire Protection Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 57—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:5, relative to public records; to provide for the application of public records law to records of the office of the governor; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:490.22(C), relative to the United States Armed Forces military honor license plate; to remove the handling fee from such plate; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 59—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(5)(b) and to enact R.S. 17:416.21 and 3996(B)(28), relative to student behavior; to provide with respect to the appropriate use of seclusion and physical restraint in response to student behavior; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to rules, guidelines, and procedures; to provide relative to school employee training; to provide for reporting and documentation; to provide for parental notification; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 60—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1218, relative to the administration of certain immunizations; to provide for a pharmacist to administer certain immunizations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 61—
BY SENATOR MILLS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article XII, Section 16, of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize the legislature to determine limitations on liability damages in medical or health care liability claims and other claims against health care providers; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 62—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:165(A)(1) and (2), and (B)(1) and (2), relative to the Louisiana State Racing Commission; to provide for funds, purses and awards; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 63—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6019(C), relative to income and corporation franchise tax; to provide with respect to income and corporation franchise tax credits for costs associated with the rehabilitation of historic structures; to provide for certain taxable periods; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Nevers asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to advance to the order of:

Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable Bobby Jindal, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Morrish
Adley	Erdey	Murray
Alario	Gautreaux	Nevers
Amedee	Guillory	Perry

Appel
Broome
Chabert
Cheek
Claitor
Crowe
Donahue
Mills
Total - 31

Jackson
Kostelka
Long
Martiny
McPherson
Michot
Mills

Peterson
Riser
Smith
Thompson
Willard-Lewis

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Heitmeier
LaFleur
Marionneaux
Total - 8

Morrell
Mount
Quinn

Shaw
Walsworth

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

Motion

Senator Martiny moved that the Senate proceed to the House of Representatives to meet in Joint Session.

Joint Session of the Legislature

The joint session of the legislature was called to order at 1:00 P.M. by the Honorable Joel T. Chaisson II, President of the Senate.

On motion of Senator Broome, the calling of the roll on the part of the Senate was dispensed with.

On motion of Representative Robideaux, the calling of the roll on the part of the House was dispensed with.

The President of the Senate appointed the following special committee to escort the Honorable Bobby Jindal, Governor of the State of Louisiana, to the joint session.

On the part of the Senate: Senators Chabert, Smith, Adley, Alario, Mills, and Amedee.

On the part of the House: Representatives Katz, Jane Smith, Morris, Abramson, Downs, and Smiley.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Pastor Mark Foster of the Pentecostals of the Twin Cities.

Pledge of Allegiance

Jay Dardenne, Lieutenant Governor led the joint session in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

The President of the Senate introduced the Honorable Bobby Jindal, who addressed the joint session of the legislature.

On motion of Senator Broome, the Senate retired to its own chamber.

After Joint Session

ROLL CALL

The Senate was called to order by the President of the Senate with the following Senators present:

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dorsey	Murray
Alario	Erdey	Nevers

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Amedee	Jackson	Perry
Appel	Kostelka	Riser
Broome	Long	Shaw
Chabert	Martiny	Smith
Cheek	McPherson	Willard-Lewis
Claitor	Mills	
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 25		

ABSENT

Adeley	LaFleur	Peterson
Crowe	Marionneaux	Quinn
Gautreaux	Michot	Thompson
Guillory	Morrell	Walsworth
Heitmeier	Mount	
Total - 14		

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

Senate Business Resumed After Joint Session

Introduction of Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions, Resumed

SENATE BILL NO. 64—
BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:2120.56, relative to certified nurse aides; to remove certain work requirements which must be satisfied in order to maintain state certification as a certified nurse aide; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 65—
BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.53(C)(2), relative to nonlicensed persons and licensed ambulance personnel; to provide for an exemption to the prohibition on employing a nonlicensed person or licensed ambulance personnel when such person has been convicted of certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 66—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:998, relative to the verification of legal status of certain aliens prior to employment in public contract work; to provide for definitions; to provide for the scope of applicability; to provide for the cost of such verification; to provide relative to a de-funding of such federal program; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 67—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416(A)(1)(c)(iii) and (v), (2)(a) and (b), (3)(a)(i), (vii) and (xvi), and (C)(1), and to enact R.S. 17:416(A)(1)(c)(viii), relative to the discipline of students; to provide for certain disciplinary actions; to provide for the discipline of public school students upon removal from a classroom; to provide for implementation of certain disciplinary measures; to provide for the adoption of certain guidelines for the use of in-school and out-of-school suspensions; to require city, parish and other local public school boards to adopt certain

rules and definitions relative to suspensions; to provide relative to in-school and out-of-school suspensions for certain violations; to provide relative to expulsion hearings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 68—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2570, relative to the positions of fire chief and police chief in the city of Bogalusa; to provide that such positions are in the unclassified service; to provide relative to the appointment, supervision, and discharge of any person in any such position; to provide relative to qualifications; to provide relative to resignation from and return to the classified service; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 69—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217.1(A) and to enact R.S. 17:3230, relative to postsecondary education; to provide for the creation of the Northshore Technical Community College; to provide with respect to the management, supervision, and operation of the institution; to provide with respect to program offerings; to provide for the awarding of certificates, diplomas, and degrees; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the Board of Regents and the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to provide relative to accreditation; to provide reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 70—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 17:285.1, relative to the Louisiana Science Education Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 71—
BY SENATOR MICHOT AND REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 51:2461, relative to the Louisiana Quality Jobs Program; to repeal application deadlines; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 72—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2461, relative to the Louisiana Quality Jobs Program; to extend the deadline for applications to receive tax credits or rebates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 73—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:435.1.1(A), relative to oyster harvesting; to provide for oyster harvesting in Calcasieu Lake; to change the types of gear used for oyster harvesting; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 74—
BY SENATOR DORSEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:9002(4) and 9029(A)(3) and to enact Chapter 10 of Subtitle XI of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:9091, relative to instant lottery games; to provide for the creation of the "Ticket for the Cure" instant lottery game; to provide for the administration and operation of the instant lottery game; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 75—
BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:43, relative to traffic violations; to restrict local governing authorities of any parish or municipality use of any electronic vehicle speed enforcement system to enforce compliance with certain traffic laws; to regulate the imposition or collection of fees; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 76—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2211(A)(12) and to enact R.S. 38:2225.5, relative to contracts by public entities; to provide for certain restrictions; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

Senator Martiny moved as a substitute motion that the bill be referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

Senator McPherson objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called on the substitute motion with the following result:

YEAS

Alario	Erdey	Perry
Amedee	Kostelka	Riser
Appel	Long	Shaw
Chabert	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	Michot	Walsworth
Crowe	Mills	
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 19		

NAYS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Murray
Adley	Gautreaux	Nevers

Broome
Cheek
Total - 12

Jackson
McPherson

Peterson
Willard-Lewis

ABSENT

Guillory
Heitmeier
LaFleur
Total - 8

Marionneaux
Morrell
Mount

Quinn
Thompson

The Chair declared the bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 77—
BY SENATOR SHAW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:10(A)(2)(a)(i)(cc) and (dd) and 10(A)(2)(e) and to enact R.S. 30:10(A)(2)(a)(i)(ee), relative to drilling units; to provide for requirements of notice of drilling a unit well; to provide for recoupment of well costs and risk charge; to provide for payment of certain royalties from the nonparticipating owner's share of production; to limit the liability for certain payments; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 78—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:456.1, relative to the Housing Authority of New Orleans; to provide for the appointment, compensation, duties, and powers of its peace officers; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 79—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2402(3)(e) and 2405(B)(3), relative to the Peace Officer Standards and Training Law; to include certain Housing Authority of New Orleans' security personnel within the definition of "Peace officer"; to provide for supplemental pay; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 80—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:642(C)(1), 643, 645(A)(5), 646, 648, and 649, to repeal R.S. 17:23 and Chapter 34 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:3781 through 3784, and to repeal R.S. 36:647, relative to the Department of Education; to provide relative to the offices within the department and their functions; to provide relative to the titles of the officers of the department; to provide relative to the appointment and duties of the deputy superintendent of education; to remove provisions relative to the purposes and functions of certain offices; to remove duplicative and outdated provisions; to delete provisions relative to the establishment, governance, programs, and services of the regional education service centers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 81—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:266(23) and 284, relative to establishing a monetary incentive program to promote purchases of Louisiana agricultural products; to authorize the development and

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establishment of the Louisiana Buy Local Purchase Incentive Program Fund within the state treasury; to authorize an incentive payment for certain purchases of Louisiana agricultural products by certain restaurant establishments; to provide for the administration of the incentive payment; to provide with respect to financing; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain requirements and termination of the program and fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 82—
BY SENATOR DORSEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.66, relative to sales and use taxes; to provide that the state and local sales and use taxes shall not apply to purchases of breastfeeding items; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 83—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1554(E) and to enact Part IV-A of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:2271, and Subpart B-1 of Part III of Chapter 17 of Subtitle III of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:1598.1, and R.S. 39:1661(D) and 1671(H), relative to purchasing by certain public entities; to authorize the use of reverse auctions by certain public entities for the purchase of certain materials, supplies, services, products, or equipment; to provide for public notice; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 84—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:885(B), relative to cancellation by the insured; to provide for the calculation of any unearned premium to be returned to the insured; to authorize calculating the unearned premium based on a short-rate provision contained in the policy filed with the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 85—
BY SENATOR GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact Part XI of Title 19 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 19:361 through 368, relative to expropriation by St. Mary Parish; to authorize the governing authority of the parish to expropriate by a declaration of taking; to define terms; to provide for procedures; to provide for purposes of expropriation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 86—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 30:3(1), relative to minerals, oil, gas, and environmental quality; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 87—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 6:103(B)(17), relative to records of the Office of Financial Institutions; to provide for disclosure of certain information to certain state or federal agencies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 88—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 6:969.18(A)(7), relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Sales Finance Act; to provide for maximum charges allowed for documentation and compliance fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 89—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3406(A)(2), 3419(D) and 3423(D)(1), relative to the Agricultural Commodity Dealer and Warehouse Law; to provide relative to powers of the commissioner; to provide relative to records; to transfer the authority of determining the expenses of the Agricultural Commodity Dealers and Warehouse Fund from the commission to the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 90—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1615(A)(3) and (B)(1) and to enact R.S. 3:1615(A)(4), relative to the Boll Weevil Eradication Fund; to provide relative to monies received from assessments; to transfer unexpended monies received from assessments to the Louisiana Agricultural Finance Authority; to provide relative to expenses of the program; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 91—
BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE NOWLIN

AN ACT

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 92—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10.8(A)(1)(c), (A)(2), (3), and (4), and (C)(1) and to add Article VII, Section 10.8(C)(2)(d) of the Constitution of Louisiana, all relative to the Millennium Trust, the Health Excellence Fund, the Education Excellence Fund, and the TOPS Fund; to provide for the allocation of interest to the Health Excellence Fund, the Education Excellence Fund, and the TOPS Fund; to provide for the dedication of certain proceeds from the Settlement Agreement to the Health Excellence Fund; to provide for the deposit,

transfer, or credit of certain Settlement Agreement proceeds received by the state to the Health Excellence Fund; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 93—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1026.1 and 1026.6(B)(10) and to enact Part XLII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.21 through 1300.22, and to repeal R.S. 37:1026.9, relative to training programs for certified nurse aides; to provide for the medication attendant certification program for certified nurse aides; to provide for a clinical preceptor nurse aide training program maintained by the Louisiana Community and Technical College System for certified nurse aides; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 94—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2213.1, relative to public works; to provide for a preference for materials produced, manufactured, or fabricated in Louisiana used in public works; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 95—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1749.20(B)(2), (3) and (4), relative to underground utilities and facilities; to provide for violations and penalties; to reduce the time periods for escalation of monetary fines within the jurisdiction of the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 96—
BY SENATORS QUINN AND APPEL AND REPRESENTATIVES BILLIOT, CONNICK, HENRY, LIGI, LOPINTO, TEMPLET AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1567, relative to the purchase of commercial property and casualty insurance by certain entities; to provide for the compensation of an insurance producer for the placement of certain commercial property and casualty coverages; to authorize the negotiation of a combination of commission and fees or fees in lieu of commissions for the placement of coverages by an insurance producer; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 97—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2462(D), relative to the Oil Spill Prevention and Response Act; to provide relative to the use of dispersants in oil spill response and cleanup operations; to provide criteria for dispersants; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 98—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1300.291(B)(3), relative to the hospital prospective payment methodology; to provide for the criteria that must be met in order to be deemed a major teaching hospital; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 99—
BY SENATORS MORRELL AND ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6016(E)(2)(a), 6016(E)(2)(a)(iv), and (I) and to enact R.S. 47:6016(E)(2)(a)(v), (vi), and (7) and (8), relative to the new markets tax credit; to provide for the allocation and allowance of tax credits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 100—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2295(C), relative to letting of public contracts; to provide for plans and specifications; to increase the number of working days prior to the opening of bids within which a potential supplier must submit a request for approval of a product other than that specified in the contract documents for public works projects of the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 101—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1749.12(4), relative to underground utilities and facilities; to define emergency; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 102—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:93(E) and 290(E), relative to the alcoholic beverage control law; to provide for suspension of permits; to provide for emergency procedure; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 103—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:5(B), relative to public records; to provide relative to the application of public records laws to certain budget-related records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 104—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:273.2, relative to the teaching of foreign languages in elementary and secondary schools; to provide with respect to a program to recognize excellence in foreign language immersion education; to provide for minimum criteria; to

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provide for rules; 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 Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 105—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4080(A), relative to the sewerage system in the city of New Orleans; to provide for the shifting of high voltage electric lines and certain wires, at the owner's expense, to accommodate public system projects; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 106—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1(Q), relative to the Vermilion Parish Tourist Commission; to provide for the levy, collection, and use of certain taxes collected for the benefit of the commission; to provide for the allocation and use of certain tax monies collected; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 107—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1749.18(C), relative to underground utilities and facilities; to require the expedited certification for certain regional notification centers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 108—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(F), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide that local tax elections can only be held at the same time as statewide and congressional primary elections; to provide a limitation on the number of emergency tax elections that can be held; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 109—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1053(L)(2), relative to the Vermilion Parish Hospital Service District No. 2; to provide for the amount and limitation on the payment of per diem to members of the board of commissioners of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 110—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1925.11, relative to the Vermilion Parish Assessment District; to authorize the tax assessor of Vermilion Parish to receive an automobile expense allowance; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 111—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:22(7), relative to elementary and secondary education; to provide with respect to the condition, progress, and needs of public elementary and secondary schools; to provide with respect to the annual report the superintendent is required to submit to specified entities; to provide for a submission date for such report; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 112—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.66, relative to the sales and use tax of the state; to exempt the state sale and use tax of parish councils on aging; to provide for definitions; to require the secretary of the Department of Revenue to provide rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 113—
BY SENATOR CROWE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10(F)(2)(a) and (b) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the expenditure of state funds; to authorize the limited redirection and transfer of funds supporting appropriations or allocations from the state general fund and dedicated funds, including those constitutionally protected or mandated, to be used for other nonmandatory purposes under certain circumstances; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 114—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:75(A)(1), (B), and the introductory paragraph of (E), relative to the expenditure of state funds; to authorize the limited redirection and transfer of funds supporting appropriations or allocations from the state general fund and dedicated funds, including those constitutionally protected or mandated, to be used for other nonmandatory purposes under certain circumstances; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 115—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:80(H) and 280(H), relative to alcohol permits; to require spouses of persons submitting alcohol permit applications to submit their fingerprints in their spouses application; to require partners, stockholders and members of limited liability companies and their spouses to submit their fingerprints with the alcohol permit applicant's application; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 116—
BY SENATOR DORSEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.12, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Spanish Town Security District; to provide for the purpose, boundaries, governance, powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition of a parcel 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 117—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 934(3), relative to definitions; to change the definition of convicted; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 118—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.40, relative to St. Martin Parish; to create the St. Martinville Downtown Development District within the parish; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to levy taxes; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 119—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1216, relative to leases of public lands; to provide for certain provisions regarding leases on public lands; to exempt lands administered, controlled or managed by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries from certain restrictions on public leases; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 120—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part V of Chapter 16 of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and R.S. 25:796, 797(A)(5) and (B), 798(1) and (3), 799(A)(1), (B), (C)(1)(b), (g), (j), and (k), (D)(2)(b), (F), (I), and (K)(2) and to repeal R.S. 25:799(J)(3), relative to the French Quarter-Marigny Historic Area Management District; to provide relative to the name, boundaries, purpose, powers, governance, and funding of the district; to remove authority for special ad valorem tax and parcel fee; to provide for the creation of subdistricts; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 121—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1533, relative to unemployment compensation experience rating records; to provide for an exception for unemployment caused by acts or omissions of third parties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 122—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1236(30)(b)(i), (iii), (iv), and (vi), relative to the powers of local governing authorities; to authorize the governing authority of Ascension Parish to require and compel property owners to remove debris, wrecked or used motor vehicles, or any other discarded or abandoned items on their property; to authorize the governing authority to adopt ordinances placing any cost incurred for removal of such debris or items on the ad valorem tax bills of the parish; to authorize a collection fee for the sheriff of such parish; to provide relative to any action brought to contest the placing of such costs on the tax bills; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 123—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6022(A), (C)(4)(c)(i), (5), (10)(b), and (14), (D)(2), and (E) through (J), and to repeal R.S. 47:6022(K), relative to tax credits; to provide for the name and applicability of the digital interactive media producer tax credit; to provide for a refundable tax credit; to provide for rebates of tax credits under certain circumstances; to provide for definitions, limitations, and program administration; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 124—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236(66), relative to the Ouachita Parish Police Jury; to authorize the prohibition of certain sales; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 125—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3-G of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:600.81, relative to coordination of housing and transportation planning; to create the Housing and Transportation Planning and Coordinating Commission; to provide for its membership, operation, powers, and duties; to provide for the responsibilities of the office of community development; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 126—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1266, relative to presidential electors; to enter the state of Louisiana into an interstate compact titled the "Agreement Among the States to Elect the President by National Popular Vote"; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 127—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to provide for the acceptance of certain property by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries or the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; to provide for the property

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descriptions; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 128—
BY SENATOR DORSEY

AN ACT

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 5(A), the introductory paragraph of Section 5(D), Section 5(D)(3), (4) and (5), and Section 7.1(A) all of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the authority of the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to provide for exclusive authority of the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges over programs of public postsecondary vocational-technical training and institutions of higher education offering associate degrees but not baccalaureate degrees; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 129—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2.1(A), (C)(1), and (P) of Act No. 180 of the 1984 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 562 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 1214 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 682 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Act No. 178 of the 2007 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the St. Tammany Parish Hospital District No. 2; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners; to provide for residency requirements of the board of commissioners; to provide that members of the board of commissioners who are physicians may contract or accept employment with Slidell Memorial Hospital upon expiration of service as a member of the board; to provide for retroactive effect; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 130—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1798(A)(1)(a) and 1866(A)(1)(a), relative to pawnbrokers and secondhand dealers; to provide for means of reporting; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 131—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:75(C)(2)(b), relative to avoidance of budget deficits; to provide for an increase in the authority of the governor to reduce certain appropriations or allocations; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 132—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:261(A)(2) and 756(A)(1) and to repeal R.S. 48:756(A)(4), to add application of the latest federal decennial census to determine population relative to contracts for maintenance work and distribution of monies in the Parish Transportation Fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 133—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1300.256(A)(5) and to repeal R.S. 40:1300.256(B)(5), (8) and (13), relative to prohibiting smoking in certain places; to provide for restrictions; to provide relative to exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 134—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the title to Part VI of Chapter 39 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 51:2352(3) and 2353 through 2356, relative to the Technology Commercialization Credit and Jobs Program; to extend the program; to change the program benefit from a tax credit to a rebate; to provide for a limitation on the receipt of other tax benefits and incentives; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 135—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6015, relative to tax credits; to change the research and development tax credit to a rebate and make certain changes in its calculation and administration; to provide for a limitation on the receipt of other tax benefits and incentives; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 136—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 4(D) and (F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the legislature; to provide for a temporary successor to fill a vacancy in the legislature; to provide for the filling of vacancies by temporary successor under certain circumstances; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 137—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:75(C)(2)(f) and (F), relative to avoidance of budget deficits; to provide for the use of interest earnings from certain statutorily dedicated funds to reduce a mid-year budget deficit; to provide for additional avoidance measures relative to the occurrence of a budget deficit in the next fiscal year; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 138—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 20-G of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, by enacting Part I of such Chapter, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3048, by designating R.S. 17:3048.1 and 3048.2 as Part II of such Chapter, by designating R.S. 17:3048.3 through 3048.7 as Part III of such Chapter, by enacting Part IV of such Chapter, to be comprised of R.S.

17:3048.11 and 3048.12, and by enacting Part V of such Chapter, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3048.21 through 3048.26, relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to retain effectiveness of student eligibility and continuation requirements for awards made to high school graduates through the 2010-2011 school year; to reestablish the program as a loan program beginning with the high school graduates of the 2011-2012 school year; to provide for the adoption of rules; to provide relative to repayment; to provide for forgiveness of the loan for any student upon completion of eligibility or college graduation; to create the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students Loan Fund in the state treasury; to require students to sign a promissory note agreeing to the terms of the loan before accepting a TOPS-Tech, Opportunity, Performance, or Honors loan; to provide relative to collection and garnishment proceedings; to require an annual report to the legislature; to provide for appropriations for loan operations; to provide for effectiveness; to continue payment of monies for books and other instructional materials for those eligible persons serving in the Louisiana National Guard and participating in the tuition exemption program; to retain the program requirements and implementation of the TOPS-Tech Early Start Award; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 139—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:83, relative to motor vehicles and traffic regulations; to prohibit certain trucks from using the far left lane on certain highways; to provide for exceptions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 140—

BY SENATOR APPEL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article IV, Section 22(A), Article VII, Sections 10.1(C)(1) and (3) and (D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and 10.4(B)(1), (3), and (4), and Article VIII, Sections 5 and 16, to add Part IV of Article XIV, to be comprised of Section 41, and to repeal Article VIII, Sections 6, 7, 7.1, 8(B), and 12 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the governance of public postsecondary education; to create the Louisiana Postsecondary Education Board of Trustees; to abolish the Board of Regents and the postsecondary education management boards and transfer their powers, duties, and responsibilities to the board of trustees; to provide relative to the operation and management of public hospitals by the board of trustees; to provide relative to the procedures by which changes are to be made in the structure and organization of postsecondary education institutions and governance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 141—

BY SENATORS QUINN AND APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:405(A)(2), and to enact R.S. 29:405(A)(4), relative to compensation under the Military Service Relief Act; to provide for payment of supplemental pay during active duty service; to clarify that supplemental pay shall be maintained and shall not be denied under certain circumstances; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 142—

BY SENATOR QUINN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3983(A)(4)(d), relative to charter schools; to provide relative to the chartering process; to provide relative to the withdrawal, revision and resubmission of a charter proposal; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 143—

BY SENATOR QUINN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 23:1021 and to enact R.S. 22:1452(C)(15.1) and R.S. 23:1021(11.1) and (12)(h), relative to workers' compensation; to exclude certain unanticipated bonuses that are paid by an employer from the determination of wage and average weekly wage and payroll when the bonuses are beyond the contract of employment; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 144—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:308.5, relative to the state treasury; to sunset and abolish certain funds and statutory dedications; to provide for certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 145—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:1 and 2, and to enact R.S. 49:3.1, relative to the gulfward boundary and coastline of Louisiana; to provide for such gulfward boundary and coastline; to provide relative to state ownership and sovereignty; to provide certain definitions, terms, conditions, and requirements; to provide relative to legislative intent and purpose; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 146—

BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:4(L), 84(A)(3) and 86(D)(7) and (E)(7), relative to oilfield sites or exploration and production sites; to provide for the jurisdiction, duties, and powers of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the Department of Natural Resources; to provide for the funding and uses of the Oilfield Site Restoration Fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 147—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.3(C)(5) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Budget Stabilization Fund; to provide for deposits into the Budget Stabilization Fund in certain circumstances; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 148—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Sections 2(A)(1), 16(A) and (E), Article IV, Sections 5(G)(2) and 9, Article VII, Sections 10(B) and (C)(1), 10.1(C)(1), 10.4(A), 10.5(C), 10.8(A)(2), (3), and (4), (C)(1) and (3)(b), 10.10(D)(1), 11(A) and (C), and (27)(B), Article VIII, Section 13(B), Article X, Section 13(A), Article XII, Section 6(A)(1), and Article XIV, Section 10 and to repeal Article III, Section 2(A)(3) and (4) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to legislative sessions; to provide that the legislature shall meet biennially in regular session in even-numbered years; to remove certain references to annual regular sessions and to regular sessions in other years; to provide relative to biennial budgeting; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 149—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4752 and 4753(A) and to enact R.S. 9:4751(5), relative to proceeds recovered by injured persons; to provide with respect to the health care provider privilege; to provide that election to pursue and enforce a health care provider privilege is not considered an attempt to collect charges or fees from the injured person; to provide for definitions; to provide for the enforcement of a privilege; to provide with respect to health and accident insurance being secondary to the health care provider privilege; to provide with respect to written notice; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 150—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(A)(4), relative to expungement of arrest records in misdemeanor and felony cases; to authorize the clerk of court to collect the expungement processing fee; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 151—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:98.1(A)(3), (B), (C), and (D) and 98.3(A) and to enact R.S. 39:98.3(B)(4), all relative to the Millennium Trust, the Health Excellence Fund, the Education Excellence Fund, and the TOPS Fund; to provide for the allocation of interest to the Health Excellence Fund, the Education Excellence Fund, and the TOPS Fund; to provide for the dedication of certain proceeds from the Tobacco Settlement Agreement to the Health Excellence Fund; to provide for the deposit, transfer, or credit of certain Settlement Agreement proceeds received by the state to the Health Excellence Fund; to provide for the uses of monies in the Health Excellence Fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 152—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1285(A)(32), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for advertisement requirements by physicians; to provide for causes for which the board may refuse to issue, or may suspend or revoke, any

license or permit, or impose probationary or other restrictions on the license of a physician; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 153—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(8), relative to the letting of public contracts by the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board; to provide for advertisement and letting of lowest responsible bidder; to provide for inclusion of addenda containing pricing information; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 154—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1053(A), relative to the requirement for coverage of step therapy or fail first protocols; to provide with respect to any coverage plan which includes prescription benefits as part of its policy or contract; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 155—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1187 and 1188(C) and to enact R.S. 40:73(E), relative to adoptions; to provide for accessing original birth certificates under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 156—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2022, relative to health care information; to require hospitals to provide certain health care information to certain patients; to provide for the development and dissemination of the health care information by the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 157—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact Subpart K of Part VI of Chapter 1 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:300.33, relative to the Lamar-Dixon Expo Center in Ascension Parish; to provide relative to corporate sponsorship and revenue generation; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 158—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2492(F), 2499, 2500.1(C), 2500.2, 2500.3(C) and (D), and 2501, to enact R.S. 13:2495.1 and 2496.4, and to repeal R.S. 13:2501.1(M), relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to the Municipal Court of New Orleans; to provide relative to the senior and administrative judge; to provide for a judicial administrator and judicial expense fund; to provide relative to the payment of

certain operating expenses and costs; to provide relative to the collection and remitting of certain costs, amounts, sums and funds; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 159—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6036(G), relative to tax credits; to extend the Ports of Louisiana investor tax credit; to provide for a termination date; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 160—

BY SENATORS MICHOT, SMITH AND MORRISH AND REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD, GUINN, DOVE, CORTEZ, LANDRY AND ROBIDEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part VIII of Chapter 6 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1486.1 and 1486.2, relative to monitoring the transportation of offshore oil platform workers; to provide for purpose; to provide for state participation in and promotion of the safe transportation over-water of oil and gas workers and others involved in the offshore oil and gas industry; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 161—
BY SENATOR QUINN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.21 and 1138, and Section 1 of Act No. 873 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature, and to repeal R.S. 13:1139(A), relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to district courts and district court judges; to dedicate certain judgeships in certain judicial districts and provide for divisions with certain limited or specialized subject matter jurisdiction; to provide for compensation of such judges; to provide for elections and terms of office; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; to provide certain effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 162—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1861(C) and 1864(C), relative to secondhand dealers; to provide for an exception to the definition of secondhand dealer; to provide for record requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 163—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:378.2(H), relative to motor vehicles and ignition interlock devices; to provide that a manufacturer report monthly on monitored ignition interlock devices electronically; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 164—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:402 (B)(1)(a)(ii)(aa), 402.1(A)(1),(B) and (C), and 407(A)(3), and R.S. 40:1461(A), (C), and (E) and to enact R.S. 40:1461(F) and (G), relative to driver education; to provide relative to licensing of private training and driving instructor schools; to provide relative to the on-road driving skills test; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 165—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact 17:3351.16, relative to community and technical colleges; to provide relative to increasing the availability and use of electronic textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to the purchase of electronic textbooks and other instructional materials and content; to provide for rules; to provide relative to fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 166—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:1401(A) and (B), and to enact R.S. 34:1402(C), relative to membership on the commission; to provide for residency requirements and removal of commissioners failing to attend the required number of regular meetings; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 167—
BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2589.1, relative to the city of Shreveport; to provide for the creation of the position of chief of fire support staff; to provide for the appointment, powers, qualifications, and responsibilities of such position; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 168—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 345 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to sales and use taxes; to provide relative to the state sales and use tax exclusion for certain alternative substances used as fuel by manufacturers; to extend the effectiveness of the exclusion; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 169—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1891, relative to automobile liability coverage; to provide for payment of medical payment coverage and claims to the insured or his authorized representative; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 170—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:35 and to repeal R.S. 24:35.1, relative to legislative redistricting; to provide for the redistricting of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 171—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:94(C)(4)(b), relative to the Budget Stabilization Fund; to provide for deposits into the Budget Stabilization Fund in certain circumstances; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 172—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:1687(12), relative to state parks; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism to sell certain state park lands and use the proceeds to create a new and improved state park within the boundaries of the political subdivision where the state park sold was located, and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 173—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:978(E), relative to group, family group, blanket, and association health and accident insurance; to provide with respect to notice required for certain premium increase, cancellation, or nonrenewal; to provide for the release of claims data, and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 174—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:64(A)(7), relative to dual officeholding and dual employment; to provide that certain compensated employment by a compensated employee of the office of a district attorney is incompatible with such employment; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 175—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1041(C)(2)(e), 1042(B), 1050(B), and 1055, relative to the practice of optometry; to provide for definitions; to provide for the Louisiana State Board of Optometry Examiners; to provide for application requirements; to provide for recording of the certificate of practice; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 176—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact Part LXX of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.331, relative to Medicaid; to provide for an upper payment limit financing mechanism for certain health care providers; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 177—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297.13, relative to individual income tax; to provide a credit for interest paid on certain education loans which pay higher education expenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 178—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact Part XL-A of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.8.1 through 1300.8.2, relative to a scholarship or loan program for certain students who enroll in certain out-of-state medical education programs which are not offered in the state; to provide for the creation and uses of a medical and Allied Health Professional Education Scholarship and Loan Fund; to provide for administration of the fund; to provide for qualifications and requirements of the applicants for the scholarship or loan; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 179—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:504(A)(9) and 508.2(A) and R.S. 48:1101.1(A), and to enact R.S. 36:509(W) and 801.24, and Part VI-E of Chapter 1 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 48:110.1 through 110.4, and to repeal R.S. 47:820.5.3, relative to the Crescent City Connection Division of the Department of Transportation and Development; to create a board to administer, operate, and manage all matters related to the operation of the Crescent City Connection Division of the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for membership, powers, and duties of the board; to abolish the Crescent City Connection Oversight Authority; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 180—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:86.1, relative to unclaimed cash bail bonds being deposited in Plaquemines Parish; to provide relative to the liability for such bonds; to provide for the return to the owner of an unclaimed cash bail bond; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 181—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:402(C)(4), relative to motor vehicles; to provide licensing exception to certain operators of a mobile command post vehicle; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 182—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:833.3, relative to the duties of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to prohibit any inmate incarcerated in a correctional institution operated by the department to establish an account on any Internet-based social networking website; to prohibit any other person to establish such accounts for incarcerated inmates; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 183—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217 and to enact Part III-A of Chapter 26 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3241 through 3251, relative to postsecondary education; to provide for the creation of a comprehensive, integrated postsecondary education delivery system for the New Orleans region; to provide for the transfer of Southern University at New Orleans and the University of New Orleans to the University of Louisiana System; to provide relative to the transfer of facilities, resources, funds, obligations and functions of these institutions; to provide for the consolidation of Southern University at New Orleans and the University of New Orleans into a newly created postsecondary institution; to provide for the creation of such new postsecondary educational institution; to provide for the transition responsibilities of the individual institutions and the postsecondary education boards; to provide for cooperative agreements; to provide for the creation of a branch campus of Delgado Community College; to provide relative to accreditation issues; to provide relative to student enrollment, program completion, and the awarding of diplomas; to provide for an advisory committee; to provide for reporting; 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 Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 184—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 1 of Code Title XXIV of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:5826 and 5827, relative to the effect of obligations during certain emergencies and disasters; to provide relative to suspension of certain prescription and preemptive periods; to provide relative to the extension of certain prescription and preemptive periods; to provide relative to circumstances related to the Deepwater Horizon oil spill and effects; to provide for retroactive application; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 185—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:541(17.1) and (17.2), 542.1.5(H) and 542.1.8, relative to registered sex offenders; to require the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information to create a

data base of certain information related to registered sex offenders; to require Internet service providers to perform certain duties related to registered sex offenders; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 186—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1428, relative to unfair trade practices and consumer protection; to prohibit kickbacks, unearned fees, and required use of settlement service providers in residential real estate transactions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 187—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6026(E)(1), relative to the Cane River Heritage Area Development Zone; to extend the tax credit provided within the zone to January 1, 2014; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 188—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:2911(B)(21), relative to the Council on the Status of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren; to provide for the membership of the council; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 189—

BY SENATORS CHEEK, DONAHUE, JACKSON, MICHOT, MOUNT AND NEVERS AND REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD, AUSTIN BADON, BROSSETT, HARRISON, HENRY, KATZ, LIGI, LORUSSO, MONTOUCET, SCHRODER, SIMON AND ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To enact Part XXXVII-A of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1299.181 through 1299.185, relative to concussions and head injuries; to provide for definitions; to provide for concussion education requirements; to provide for the removal of youth athletes from competition upon sustaining a concussion; to provide for requirements which must be satisfied for a youth athlete to return to play after sustaining a concussion or head injury; to provide for the dissemination of concussion information by the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 190—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:32.2, relative to the crime of first degree vehicular homicide; to provide for the elements of the crime; to provide penalties for conviction of the crime; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 191—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:100.22, relative to the dedication of state funds; to provide for the creation of the Fiscal Year 2012 Overcollections Fund; to provide for the dedication and appropriation of monies in the fund; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 192—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact Subpart R of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle 1 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.131, relative to the dedication of state funds; to provide for the creation of the Driving by 2012 Fund; to provide for the dedication and appropriation of monies in the fund; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 193—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1276.1 and to repeal R.S. 18:1276, relative to congressional districts; to provide for the redistricting of Louisiana's seven congressional districts into six congressional districts; to provide relative to the terms of members of congress serving on the effective date of the Act; to provide for the filling of vacancies; to provide relative to positions and offices, other than congressional, that are based upon congressional districts; to provide for the effectiveness of the Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 194—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(N), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for pro rata reductions in award amounts in the event of insufficient funding to fully fund awards to all qualifying students; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 195—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(2)(c), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide relative to candidacy for public office; to provide that a person with an outstanding ethics fine cannot qualify for public office unless the fine has been paid in full; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 196—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2251.2, relative to public contracts; to provide a preference for steel pipe manufactured in this state; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 197—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297.13, relative to the individual income tax; phases in an exemption of capital gains income of certain persons from state income taxation; to provide with respect to terms and definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 198—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297.13, relative to the individual income tax; to exempt investment income for certain persons from state income taxation; to provide a phase-in for the exemption of investment income over a period of five years; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 199—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR AND REPRESENTATIVE GREENE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.12, relative to crime prevention districts; to create the Jefferson Place/Bocage Crime Prevention District in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for the powers and duties of the district and its board of commissioners; to provide for a parcel fee; to provide with respect to termination of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 200—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2.1 and to repeal R.S. 17:2.2, relative to redistricting; to provide for election districts for the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for election of members; 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 Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 201—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.1(F)(4) and (5), relative to school and district accountability; to delay implementation of a system to assign performance-based letter grades to public schools and school districts; to provide for a task force; to provide for a written report; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 202—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.1(A) and (F), 572.2, 574.1, and 574.2(D)(4) and to enact R.S. 15:572.1(G) and 574.2(A)(5) and (H), relative to the Board of Pardons and the Board of Parole; to provide relative to the membership of the Board of Pardons; to provide for an ex officio, nonvoting member of the Board of Pardons; to provide relative to the duties and obligations of the Board of Parole; to require training for the members of the Board of Parole; to require annual reporting by the Board of Parole; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 203—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact Subpart BB of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.96, relative to state individual income tax return checkoffs for certain donations; to provide for a method for individuals to donate a portion of any refund due to them to the Louisiana Food Bank Association; to provide for the disposition of such donated monies; to establish the Louisiana Food Bank Association Fund as a special escrow fund in the state treasury; to provide for the administration and use of monies in the fund; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Revenue to make certain deposits into the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters

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

SENATE BILL NO. 204—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.3(A), (D)(1)(a), (E), (F), (H), (I), (J), (K) and (L) and to repeal R.S. 33:2740.3(M), relative to the Downtown Development District of the city of New Orleans; to designate the district as a political subdivision of the state; to provide for its authority and powers; to repeal the requirement that the district must purchase certain services through the city of New Orleans; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 205—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1226.3, relative to the prescription drugs; to provide relative to charitable pharmacies; to provide for exchanges and re-dispensing in pharmacies under the authority of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for the authority to promulgate rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 206—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact Part LXX of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.331 through 1300.340, relative to the Health Care Compact; to provide for definitions; to provide for the regulation of health care by the state; to provide for powers of the state; to provide for the Interstate Advisory Health Care Commission; to provide for congressional consent; to provide for the methods of amendment of the compact; to provide for withdrawal from the compact; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 207—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact Part XLII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.21 through 1300.22, relative to Medicaid; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit an annual report to the legislature on the Coordinated Care Network Medicaid initiative; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 208—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 19:201, relative to expropriation; to provide relative to expropriation suits; to provide relative to attorney fees; to provide relative to attorney fees for unsuccessful or abandoned suits; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 209—
BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:578 (G), relative to criminal identification and information; to provide for private agencies to monitor the criminal justice information system; to provide for certain procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 210—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:854, relative to the intent and purposes of the tax on tobacco; to exempt certain tobacco products sampled at certain meetings, conventions, and trade shows from the purposes of such tax; to provide for the taxable periods in which the exemption applies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 211—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part IV of Chapter 3-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and to enact R.S. 23:331, relative to employment discrimination; to provide additional protected classes; to provide for definitions; to allow for dress and appearance requirements; to provide with respect to discrimination by the state and state agencies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 212—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part IV of Chapter 4 of Title 4 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 4:251, 251.1, and 252, relative to horse racing; to provide for horsemen's insurance programs; to provide for horsemen's workers' compensation insurance programs; to provide for horsemen's self-help pension fund; 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 Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 213—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact Subpart E of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:17 through 20, relative to governmental portal services; to establish the Louisiana Enhanced Governmental Access Portal within the division of administration; to provide for the duties and functions of the commissioner of administration relative to the governmental portal; to provide for outsourcing of certain portal services; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 214—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:5.3, relative to the unitization of ultra deep oil and gas structures; to authorize such unitization under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the authority of the commissioner of conservation; to provide terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 215—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:222(B)(3) and R.S. 51:2365(B), (D)(1), and (E), and to enact R.S. 51:2365(F)(3) and (H), relative to special funds; to provide for the allocation and deposit of certain fees collected from certain filings to the LA Mega-Project Development Fund; to provide financial assistance for certain Louisiana-based businesses from the fund; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; to provide rulemaking authority; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 216—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1990(I) and (J), relative to the Recovery School District; to provide for the creation of community advisory boards for schools within the district; to provide relative to the membership, duties, and functions of such boards; to prohibit the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education from approving a charter school within the district for which there is not more than one applicant; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 217—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:342(B)(3)(c) through (i), 352(A) and (B)(2)(b), 380.141(A), 380.142(A), (C), and (E), 380.143(B)(4) and (C)(2), 380.144, 380.145(A), (B), (C)(2)(a) and (b)(iii), 380.146, and to enact R.S. 25:380.147, R.S. 36:744(DD) and 801.21, and to repeal R.S. 25:380.143(C)(3) and R.S. 36:209(W)(2) and (Y), relative to the Louisiana Political Museum and Hall of Fame; to transfer all powers, duties, employees, and responsibilities from the jurisdiction of the office of state museums in the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism to the Department of State; to provide relative to the governing authority of the museum, including its composition, powers, duties, responsibilities, meetings, employees, and officers; to provide for the adoption of rules, regulations and fees; to provide for receipt and use of funds, property, and self-generated revenue; to provide relative to the authority of the museum with respect to the museum; to provide relative to personnel and budgets of the museum; 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 Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 218—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1800.4(C)(3), relative to state and local correctional facilities; to provide for pre-paid leases of certain state correctional facilities; to provide for certain terms of pre-paid

leases of state correctional facilities; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 219—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:337.11.2, relative to exemption from the sales and use taxes of political subdivisions; to create the Acadiana Cultural and Entertainment Special District and authorize certain parishes within the district to provide a certain exemption from their sales and use taxes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 220—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(4), relative to parole eligibility; to provide for eligibility for parole consideration for certain offenders; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 221—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:51(E), relative to the state operating budget; to require the inclusion of certain tax exemption information as a line item in the General Appropriations Bill; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 222—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:270(A) and 271(A)(2) and R.S. 32:402.1(A)(1) and (2), 402.2, and 408(A)(1) and (3); and to enact R.S. 32:402.1(A)(3)(c), relative to requiring driver education courses, training programs, and preclicensing training courses for children and adults to include teaching the economic effects of littering; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 223—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:978(A) and (B) and R.S. 46:2622(17) and to enact R.S. 40:978(D), relative to electronic prescribing; to allow for the electronic prescribing of certain controlled dangerous substances; to provide for definition of prescription for the purposes of the Louisiana Medical Assistance trust fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 224—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1703.2, relative to the homestead exemption; to provide for the means of transmitting certain claims and notifications concerning the homestead exemption; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 225—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5557, relative to collateral mortgages and vendor's privileges; to provide for obligation to grant releases of mortgages; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 226—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:1143, R.S. 13:3715.1(J) and 3715.3(G)(1)(a), R.S. 15:560.2(B)(1), R.S. 17:2048.51(O)(1)(c), R.S. 23:1371.1(6), R.S. 36:259(E)(10), R.S. 37:1103(3), 1104, 1105, 1360.52(4), 1360.55(B)(1), 1360.57(1), 1744(A)(1), 1745(A)(1), 1745.13(8), 2351, 2352(2), 2353, 2354(A), R.S. 40:2114(B), and R.S. 44:4(29), to enact Chapter 28 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2721 through 2726, and to repeal R.S. 36:259(EE), relative to boards and commissions; to create and establish the Louisiana Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board; to consolidate the powers and duties of the Louisiana Licensed Professional Counselors Board of Examiners and the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists into the Louisiana Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board; to provide for definitions; to provide for organization, membership, compensation, domicile, meetings, quorum, and powers and duties of the Louisiana Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board; to provide for an annual report to be submitted by Louisiana Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board; to provide for the prohibition on receipt or expenditure of state funds by the Louisiana Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board; to provide for the transfer of assets, liabilities, and obligations; to provide for the transfer of documents; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 227—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1800.8, relative to state correctional facilities; to provide with respect to state correctional facilities and contracts for private management of such facilities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 228—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:100.22, relative to the dedication of state funds; to provide for the creation of the Fiscal Year 2012 Overcollections Fund; to provide for the dedication and appropriation of monies in the fund; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 229—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2218.8(B) and (G), relative to supplemental pay for deputy sheriffs; to increase the amount of monthly compensation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 230—
BY SENATORS KOSTELKA AND JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2.1 and to repeal R.S. 17:2.2, relative to redistricting; to provide for election districts for the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for election of members; 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 Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 231—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 345 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to sales and use taxes; to provide relative to the state sales and use tax exclusion for certain alternative substances used as fuel by manufacturers; to extend the effectiveness of the exclusion; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 232—
BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:544 (D)(1), (2), (3)(e), (4)(a) and (b) and to enact R.S. 15:544.1 and Chapter 3-C of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 to be comprised of R.S. 15:555 and 556; relative to sex offenses; to provide for notification and registration of offenders; to create a sexual assault task force and provide for the membership, and powers, duties, and functions of the task force; to provide for a termination date of the task force; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 233—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 17-G of Subtitle III of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:1800.51 through 1800.59, relative to the Louisiana Infrastructure Bank; to create the Louisiana Infrastructure Bank and provide for a board of directors to govern the bank; to provide for the adoption of bylaws, rules, and regulations by the board; to provide for the capitalization, investment, and disposition of the funds of the bank; to authorize the infrastructure bank to incur debt and issue bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness and to guarantee the debt of other entities; to provide for the manner by which evidences of indebtedness, guarantees, and pledges shall be authorized, issued, executed, and delivered; to authorize loans from the bank to governmental units; to exempt evidences of indebtedness issued by the bank from taxation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 234—
BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6038, relative to tax credits; to provide for an income and corporation franchise tax credit for sales taxes paid by a contractor for material and supplies purchased in Louisiana to be used on a public work, and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 235—

BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:297.6(A)(1), relative to reductions to taxes due for rehabilitation of certain residential structures; to include structures damaged by named storms and structures in economically depressed areas; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 236—

BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:158.8, relative to school transportation; to provide relative to the establishment of school bus routes to schools in the Recovery School District; to provide for the safety of school children transported to such schools; to provide for the maximum travel time for students on a school bus traveling to and from a district school; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 237—

BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9039(4), relative to special taxing districts; to remove sales tax authority for plaza districts; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 238—

BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R. S. 39:136, relative to the deposit and expenditure of federal funds; to provide for legislative approval and allow legislative modification of any Action Plan or Proposed Action Plan Amendment relative hurricane recovery; to require legislative approval of certain contracts executed pursuant to an Action Plan or Action Plan Amendment; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 239—

BY SENATOR DORSEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.65, relative to special taxing districts for cooperative economic development purposes; to create the Innovation Park Development District as a political subdivision of the state of Louisiana; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the authority, powers, duties, and function of the governing body; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes and special assessments within the district; to provide for the authority to create subdistricts within the district; to authorize the district to issue and sell bonds; to authorize the district to engage in tax increment financing; to provide for the duration of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 240—

BY SENATOR CHABERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:423(A) and (B)(1), and to enact R.S. 56:428(D) and Subsections D and E of Section 2 of Act No. 808 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to oyster leases; to provide for substitution for oyster leases under certain

circumstances; to provide relative to liability under certain circumstances; to provide a procedure for ownership claims to certain oyster leases; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 241—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3139(B), (C)(3) and (5)(introductory paragraph) and (i), (D), (F)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (5), and (G)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph) and (iii), and (3), and 3386(E), and to enact R.S. 17:3139(C)(1)(e) and (5)(j) and (G)(4), relative to the Louisiana Granting Resources and Autonomy for Diplomas Act; to provide for additional operational autonomies to be granted to public postsecondary education institutions including but not limited to authority and exemptions relative to budgetary management, capital outlay, and procurement; to provide relative to required reporting by public postsecondary education institutions and certain cost data to be included in such reports; to provide relative to renewal periods of institutions' performance agreements by the Board of Regents; to require the Board of Regents to report on the standardization of student tracking and records systems and the performance of institutions relative thereto; to provide relative to the retention of certain unused funds by certain institutions; 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 Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 242—

BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:141 and R.S. 39:126, to enact R.S. 38:2222 and R.S. 39:1557.1, and to repeal R.S. 38:2196.1, relative to public contracts; to provide for prohibited splitting of profits, fees, and commissions; to provide with respect to recordation of certain change orders to public contracts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 243—

BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 895(A)(13)(a), relative to probation; to authorize post certified law enforcement officers to search defendants on probation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 244—

BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.3(C)(13) and to enact R.S. 40:1379.3.2, relative to firearms; to provide relative to statewide permits for concealed handguns; to provide for court proceeding for firearm deficiencies; to provide for reporting of mental health adjudications or commitments to authorities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 245—

BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6038, relative to tax credits; to provide an income tax credit in the amount of sales taxes paid by homeowners for green materials and supplies purchased in Louisiana to be used to build, rebuild, or remodel; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 246—

BY SENATOR RISER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:832.1 and Chapter 55 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:312 through 3131, relative to the Louisiana Entrepreneurial Assistance and Development Program (LEAD); to create the program; to provide for a tax reduction for insurers who make investments of eligible capital under the program; to provide for approval of LEAD funds by the department of economic development and to establish criteria for such approval; to provide criteria for issuers in which investments will be made; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 247—

BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS
AN ACT

To enact Section 6 of Subpart A of Part VI of Title 14 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 14:100.21, relative to offenses affecting the public safety; to create the crime of illegal disposal of waste; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 248—

BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.5(F) and 10.7(E), relative to school and district accountability; to require the Recovery School District to return certain schools to the transferring school system; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 249—

BY SENATOR RISER AND REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3-G of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:600.86 through R.S. 600.110, and R.S. 42:1124.2, and to repeal R.S. 36:769(J), Chapter 3-A of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:600.1 through 600.25.1, and Chapter 3-E of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:600.61 through 600.68, relative to housing authorities; to create the Louisiana Housing Corporation and provide for its powers, functions, and duties; to provide for the abolishment of certain programs or agencies, the consolidation of housing programs and the transfer of certain programs or agencies; to provide for the filing of certain financial disclosure

statements relative to certain boards and commissions; to provide terms, conditions, definitions, procedures, and effects; 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 Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 250—

BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212.10 and R.S. 39:2193, relative to procurement; to allow for the prohibition of certain entities from participating in the contract and procurement process; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 251—

BY SENATOR APPEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:651(D) and to enact Chapter 5-C of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:1891 through 1899.12, relative to the management of public postsecondary education in Louisiana; to create the Louisiana Postsecondary Education Board of Trustees and to abolish the Board of Regents, the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors of the Community and Technical Colleges and the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System; to provide for the powers and duties of the Louisiana Postsecondary Education Board of Trustees; to provide for implementation and transition; and to provide for related matters.

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3—

BY SENATOR DONAHUE
A RESOLUTION

To commend St. Paul's School in Covington, Louisiana, upon celebrating its one hundredth year anniversary.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR
A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Senate Rule 7.6(E) and 10.9(A) of the Rules of Order of the Senate to provide relative to the procedure applicable to the adoption of resolutions.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY SENATOR MICHOT
A RESOLUTION

To designate April, 2011, as Esophageal Cancer Awareness Month.

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

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Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2— BY SENATOR LONG A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Virginia Burkett on being honored for her efforts in science by the National Wildlife Federation's Conservation Achievement Awards at its seventy-fifth Anniversary Gala.

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 Dorsey Murray
Alario Erdey Nevers
Appel Guillory Perry
Broome Jackson Peterson
Chabert Kostelka Riser
Cheek Long Smith
Claitor Martiny Thompson
Crowe Mills Walsworth
Donahue Morrish

Total - 26

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley Marionneaux Quinn
Amedee McPherson Shaw
Gautreaux Michot Willard-Lewis
Heitmeier Morrell
LaFleur Mount

Total - 13

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3— BY SENATORS NEVERS AND LONG A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact laws to establish, implement, and ensure that universal communication is at all times and at all places available to warn the American people of imminent and impending dangers.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4— BY SENATOR NEVERS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to revise Section 2509 of Bulletin 119 - Louisiana School Transportation Specifications and Procedures - to establish uniform requirements relative to the purchase of used school buses for all school bus owners/operators.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5— BY SENATOR MORRISH AND REPRESENTATIVE DOVE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the fiscal year 2011-2012 annual plan for integrated coastal protection, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6— BY SENATOR CLAITOR A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Episcopal High School of Baton Rouge boys' cross country track team and Coach Claney Duplechin for sustained and continuing athletic excellence.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Guillory Nevers
Adley Jackson Perry
Alario Kostelka Peterson
Broome Long Riser
Chabert Martiny Shaw
Cheek McPherson Smith
Claitor Mills Thompson
Donahue Morrish Walsworth
Dorsey Murray

Total - 26

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee Heitmeier Mount
Appel LaFleur Quinn
Crowe Marionneaux Willard-Lewis
Erdey Michot
Gautreaux Morrell

Total - 13

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7— BY SENATOR CLAITOR AND REPRESENTATIVE CARTER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Y.A. Tittle on being selected to receive an LSU College of Education Alumni Distinction Award.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Nevers
Adley Guillory Perry
Alario Jackson Peterson
Appel Kostelka Riser
Broome Long Shaw
Chabert Martiny Smith

Cheek	McPherson	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	
Dorsey	Murray	
Total - 28		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Mount
Crowe	Marionneaux	Quinn
Gautreaux	Michot	Willard-Lewis
Heitmeier	Morrell	
Total - 11		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY SENATORS MORRELL AND MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVE BROSSETT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East to establish a twenty-five million dollar fund for the purpose of indemnification of claims arising from activities or projects approved by the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East to be performed on certain property.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of United States Army Staff Sergeant Quadi S. Hudgins.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 25, 2011

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. 5	HCR No. 6	HCR No. 7
HCR No. 8	HCR No. 9	HCR No. 10
HCR No. 11	HCR No. 14	HCR No. 17
HCR No. 18	HCR No. 20	HCR No. 21
HCR No. 23	HCR No. 24	HCR No. 25
HCR No. 26	HCR No. 27	HCR No. 29
HCR No. 30	HCR No. 32	HCR No. 33

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

House Concurrent Resolutions

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, HENRY, AND LORUSSO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Eric Walker Bussey of Jesuit High School in New Orleans upon being named Louisiana's Middle School Student of the Year.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Guillory	Perry
Alario	Jackson	Peterson
Appel	Kostelka	Riser
Broome	Long	Shaw
Chabert	Martiny	Smith
Cheek	McPherson	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Dorsey	Murray	
Total - 29		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Mount
Crowe	Marionneaux	Quinn
Gautreaux	Michot	
Heitmeier	Morrell	
Total - 10		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, AUSTIN BADON, BISHOP, BROSSETT, MORENO, AND STIAES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Doris R. Hicks for being awarded the Leo B. Marsh Award at the Forty-First National Salute to Black Achievers in Industry Gala.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Guillory	Perry
Alario	Jackson	Peterson
Appel	Kostelka	Riser
Broome	Long	Shaw
Chabert	Martiny	Smith
Cheek	McPherson	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Dorsey	Murray	
Total - 29		

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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Mount
Crowe	Marionneaux	Quinn
Gautreaux	Michot	
Heitmeier	Morrell	

Total - 10

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 11, 2011, as Elmer's Candy Day in the state of Louisiana.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Alario	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Jackson	Riser
Broome	Kostelka	Shaw
Chabert	Long	Smith
Cheek	Martiny	Thompson
Claitor	McPherson	Walsworth
Crowe	Mills	Willard-Lewis
Donahue	Morrish	

Total - 29

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	Marionneaux	Peterson
Gautreaux	Michot	Quinn
Heitmeier	Morrell	
LaFleur	Mount	

Total - 10

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Louisiana Irish Week in March in celebration of the state's rich Irish heritage.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Guillory	Perry
Alario	Jackson	Peterson
Appel	Kostelka	Riser
Broome	Long	Shaw

Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Dorsey	Murray	

Total - 29

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Mount
Chabert	Marionneaux	Quinn
Gautreaux	Michot	
Heitmeier	Morrell	

Total - 10

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY REPRESENTATIVE NOWLIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the first weekend in June annually as the Cookin' on the Cane Barbeque Competition and Festival in Natchitoches, Louisiana.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Perry
Alario	Guillory	Peterson
Appel	Jackson	Riser
Broome	Kostelka	Shaw
Chabert	Long	Smith
Cheek	McPherson	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Donahue	Murray	
Dorsey	Nevers	

Total - 28

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	LaFleur	Morrell
Amedee	Marionneaux	Mount
Gautreaux	Martiny	Quinn
Heitmeier	Michot	

Total - 11

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX AND SENATOR MICHOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Lynn Sanders-Bustle of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette on being named the 2011 National Higher Education Art Educator of the Year by the National Art Education Association.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Alario	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Jackson	Peterson
Broome	Kostelka	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Dorsey	Murray	
Total - 29		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	LaFleur	Mount
Amedee	Marionneaux	Quinn
Gautreaux	Michot	
Heitmeier	Morrell	
Total - 10		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to provide proper funding for the Regional Counterdrug Training Academy which provides counterdrug training to law enforcement agencies in the southern coastal region.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSALIND JONES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to install a traffic light at the intersection of Orange Street and Louisiana Highway 529 (Millhaven Road) in Ouachita Parish.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Perry
Alario	Guillory	Peterson
Appel	Jackson	Riser
Broome	Kostelka	Shaw
Chabert	Long	Smith
Cheek	Martiny	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Donahue	Murray	
Dorsey	Nevers	
Total - 28		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	LaFleur	Morrell
Amedee	Marionneaux	Mount
Gautreaux	McPherson	Quinn
Heitmeier	Michot	
Total - 11		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARMODY AND GARY SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express condolences upon the death of Lucille Long Reed.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Alario	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Jackson	Peterson
Broome	Kostelka	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Total - 30		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Morrell
Gautreaux	Marionneaux	Mount
Heitmeier	Michot	Quinn
Total - 9		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Louisiana State Trooper Justin Martin of Troop I in Lafayette for his dedication to serving and protecting the public trust.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Alario	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Jackson	Peterson
Broome	Kostelka	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith

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Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Total - 30		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Morrell
Gautreaux	Marionneaux	Mount
Heitmeier	Michot	Quinn
Total - 9		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Clyde "Rock" Gisclair for his many years of service as St. Charles Parish Assessor.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Alario	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Jackson	Peterson
Broome	Kostelka	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Total - 30		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Morrell
Gautreaux	Marionneaux	Mount
Heitmeier	Michot	Quinn
Total - 9		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY AND SENATOR SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Starks High School girls' basketball team upon winning the 2011 Class C state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Nevers
Adley	Erdey	Perry
Alario	Jackson	Peterson

Appel	Kostelka	Riser
Broome	Long	Shaw
Chabert	Martiny	Smith
Cheek	McPherson	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 29		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Mount
Gautreaux	Marionneaux	Quinn
Guillory	Michot	
Heitmeier	Morrell	
Total - 10		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents and the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study jointly the source, nature, and amount of funding allocated to various units of public secondary and postsecondary education related to dual enrollment initiatives, to determine the appropriateness of such funding, and to determine the impact of such initiatives and to submit a written report of their findings and conclusions, including any recommendations for legislation relative to the issue, to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to add rifles capable of firing .35 Whelen ammunition to the list of firearms authorized to use during the special deer hunting season for primitive firearms.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study issues related to the assessment of foreign exchange students and to submit a written report of its findings and conclusions, including any recommendations for legislation relative to the issue, to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize April of 2011 as Sarcoidosis Awareness Month in Louisiana and to commend the Sarcoidosis Awareness Support Group of Greater Baton Rouge.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Nevers
Adley	Erdey	Perry
Alario	Jackson	Peterson
Appel	Kostelka	Riser
Broome	Long	Shaw
Chabert	Martiny	Smith
Cheek	McPherson	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Donahue	Murray	

Total - 29

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Mount
Gautreaux	Marionneaux	Quinn
Guillory	Michot	
Heitmeier	Morrell	

Total - 10

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, April 28, 2011, as Workers Memorial Day in recognition of workers killed, injured, and disabled on the job.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Alario	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Jackson	Peterson
Broome	Kostelka	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	Willard-Lewis

Total - 30

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	LaFleur	Morrell
Gautreaux	Marionneaux	Mount
Heitmeier	Michot	Quinn

Total - 9

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to evaluate the feasibility and practicality of transferring a portion of the money generated by work release programs to the Louisiana school where the offender last attended and to report its findings to the legislature prior to the convening of the 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—

BY REPRESENTATIVE AUSTIN BADON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents to study the provision of public postsecondary educational opportunities throughout the state, to establish the appropriate role, scope, and mission of each public postsecondary education institution, and to formulate a plan that will make optimal use of all available academic, fiscal, and physical resources, recognize the unique nature of each institution, and allow each institution's students to successfully and efficiently pursue their chosen academic path and to submit a written report of findings and conclusions, including any recommendations for legislation relative to the issue, to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVES AUSTIN BADON AND STIAES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the Recovery School District to study jointly the feasibility of building a high school at the site of the former Alfred Lawless High School in the Lower Ninth Ward of the city of New Orleans and to submit jointly a written report of findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to beginning of the 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMILEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of former state representative Emery Lewis Villar.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Alario	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Jackson	Peterson
Broome	Kostelka	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith

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Claitor
Crowe
Donahue
Total - 30

McPherson
Mills
Morrish

NAYS

Thompson
Walsworth
Willard-Lewis

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee
Gautreaux
Heitmeier
Total - 9

LaFleur
Marionneaux
Michot

Morrell
Mount
Quinn

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

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 25, 2011

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATOR BROOME**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable Bobby Jindal, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

Reported without amendments.

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

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President
Adley
Alario
Amedee
Appel
Broome
Chabert
Cheek
Claitor
Crowe
Donahue
Dorsey
Total - 34

Erdey
Gautreaux
Guillory
Jackson
Kostelka
Long
Martiny
McPherson
Michot
Mills
Morrell
Morrish

Murray
Nevers
Perry
Peterson
Riser
Shaw
Smith
Thompson
Walsworth
Willard-Lewis

ABSENT

Heitmeier
LaFleur
Total - 5

Marionneaux
Mount
Quinn

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Heitmeier 1 Day LaFleur 1 Day
Marionneaux 1 Day Mount 1 Day
Quinn 1 Day

Announcements

The following committee meetings for April 26, 2011, were announced:

Retirement 8:30 A.M. Room E

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 3:25 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, April 26, 2011, at 3:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 3:00 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, April 26, 2011.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk