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**SENATE**  
OF THE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA

**TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Thirty-Seventh Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, June 13, 2011

The Senate was called to order at 1:15 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	Kostelka	Nevers
Alario	LaFleur	Perry
Appel	Long	Peterson
Broome	Martiny	Shaw
Cheek	Michot	Thompson
Donahue	Mills	Walsworth
Erdey	Morrish	
Jackson	Murray	
Total - 22		

**ABSENT**

Adley	Gautreaux	Mount
Amedee	Guillory	Quinn
Chabert	Heitmeier	Riser
Claitor	Marionneaux	Smith
Crowe	McPherson	Willard-Lewis
Dorsey	Morrell	
Total - 17		

The President of the Senate announced there were 22 Senators present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Father Asare Dankwah, 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 Alario, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of June 9, 2011, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and  
Communications**

The following petitions, memorials and communications were received and read:

**SECRETARY OF STATE**

June 8, 2011

The Honorable Joel T. Chaisson II  
President  
Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Chaisson and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with R.S. 18:18(B), I have appointed Ms. Angie Rogers as Commissioner of Elections.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of State and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS  
(Effective December 28, 2010)  
Ms. Angie Rogers  
P. O. Box 94125  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain  
Very truly yours,  
TOM SCHEDLER  
Secretary of State

**Privilege Report of the  
Legislative Bureau**

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following bills are approved as to construction and duplication. We advise and suggest the following amendments to the engrossed and reengrossed bills.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 103—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(a)(i), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to except employment by a local school board of special education related services professionals from the nepotism prohibition of the code; to provide limitations, procedures, and penalties for certain violations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 133—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS  
AN ACT

To enact Part I-B of Chapter 2 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:501, relative to warranty claims; to require claims to be approved or disapproved within thirty days; to require payment of approved claims within thirty days; to require notice of disapproval and the grounds for the disapproval; to provide for claims not disapproved within thirty days; to provide for claims submitted

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after the termination of a contract; to provide for compensation for work performed by a dealer; to provide for excluded expenses; to provide for compensation for parts; to provide for a supplier's right to adjust for errors; to authorize a dealer to accept a manufacturer's reimbursement terms; to define "dealer"; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 178—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRÖDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:460.21(A)(2), relative to transfer of funds for representation of children and indigent parents in child protection proceedings; to authorize certain functions of the Department of Children and Family Services relating to child protection proceedings; to delete references to certain entities which provide representation of children and indigent parents; to repeal a requirement for priority in funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 271—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.23(F) and 1730.24(C), relative to the state uniform construction code; to require municipalities and parishes to provide a list of registered certified building inspectors; to prohibit municipalities and parishes from imposing a fee for inspections not performed by the municipality or parish; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 276—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2442(6)(introductory paragraph), 2446.1(C), 2449(B), and 2449.1(B)(4), (C)(1) and (2), and (E), 2449.2(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), and 2449.3(A) and to enact R.S. 37:2444.1 and 2444.2, relative to hearing aid dealers; to provide for definitions; to establish a testing period for hearing aids; to establish a three-day cooling off period for the purchase of a hearing aid; to provide for continuing education requirements; to provide for temporary training permits; to provide for guidelines for training of temporary training permit holders; to establish sponsor and co-sponsor requirements; to provide for authority of temporary training permit holders; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 381—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE AND SENATOR MICHOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2453(1) and (6), 2455(A), and 2457(A)(2)(a), (b), and (f), relative to tax rebates; to provide with respect to the Louisiana Quality Jobs Program; to provide for definitions; to specify that the value of health insurance benefits offered to employees shall be included in the consideration of the value of a new direct job; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 381 by Representative Greene

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 23, following "shall" and before "to" change "only be applicable" to "be applicable only"

**HOUSE BILL NO. 418—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1374, relative to the Louisiana State Plumbing Board; to authorize the board to fine any person performing plumbing work without a license; to provide for dispensation of the monies collected; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 449—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:17(A)(1), relative to open meetings; to provide relative to exceptions and executive sessions; to provide relative to discussions regarding awarding of public contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 462—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCVEA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1000(A)(1)(a)(vi) and (2), 1003(A) and (C), and 1003.1(A)(1) and (C), relative to health insurance; to provide with respect to coverage of dependent children and grandchildren; to provide relative to conditions for such coverage for certain benefits; to provide with respect to rating of such dependents; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 462 by Representative McVea

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 22 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 462 and adopted by the Senate on June 9, 2011, on page 2, line 28, following "shall" and before "as" change "only be made" to "be made only"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 22 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 462 and adopted by the Senate on June 9, 2011, on page 2, line 30, following "insurer" change ";" to "." and delete line 31

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 2, after "and (C)," and before "1003.1(A)(1)" delete "and"

**HOUSE BILL NO. 469—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:439, relative to surplus lines insurance; to provide with respect to the tax on premiums paid for such insurance, including provisions relative to its receipt, collection, and distribution; to conform state law with federal law; to require the commissioner of insurance to enter into a multistate agreement authorizing a clearinghouse for such taxes and assessment of a clearinghouse fee payable by brokers or independently procuring insureds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 501—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:963 and to repeal R.S. 34:950, 951, 952, 954, and 965, relative to bar pilots; to authorize bar pilots to form corporations or limited liability companies; to repeal

certain provisions relative to bar pilots for the Port of New Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 607— (Substitute for House Bill No. 183 by Representative Arnold)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3530(F), relative to consumer credit transactions; to authorize a lender to charge a fee for electronic lien and title services or E.L.T. fee; to prohibit an E.L.T. fee from being considered as interest or being included in the calculation of interest; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 635— (Substitute for House Bill No. 168 by Representative Thibaut)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:861(A)(3), 863(A)(3)(a) and (B), and 863.2(A)(6), (E)(1), and (2) and to enact R.S. 22:885(E), relative to the cancellation of automobile insurance by the insured; to provide for notification by the office of motor vehicles to insureds relative to cancellation fees; to provide for the surrender of a vehicle's license plates upon cancellation of liability coverage; to limit the circumstances under which a vehicle owner will not be charged a fee upon cancellation of automobile liability coverage; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 635 by Representative Thibaut

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 635 and adopted by the Senate on June 9, 2011, on line 8, following "and" and before """" insert "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 635 and adopted by the Senate on June 9, 2011, on line 10, change "line 20" to "lines 19 and 20"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 635 and adopted by the Senate on June 9, 2011, on line 17, following "date" and before "notice" insert "that"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 635 and adopted by the Senate on June 9, 2011, on line 22, following "date" and before "notice" insert "that"

Respectfully submitted,  
ROB MARIONNEAUX  
Chairman

**Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report**

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

**Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 88—**

BY SENATOR CHAISSON  
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Honorable B. L. "Buddy" Shaw for his leadership during many years of service in the Legislature of Louisiana and to recognize his many significant achievements and contributions to the legislative institution, his country, his district, and the people of the state of Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 89—**

BY SENATOR CHAISSON  
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Honorable Julie Quinn and to express enduring gratitude for her outstanding contributions to the people of Senate District 6 and the state of Louisiana, particularly during her tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana Legislature.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 90—**

BY SENATOR CHAISSON  
A RESOLUTION

To commend the Honorable Willie L. Mount and to express enduring gratitude for her outstanding contributions to the City of Lake Charles, the parish of Calcasieu, and the state of Louisiana, particularly during her tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana Senate.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 91—**

BY SENATOR CHAISSON  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Senator D.A. "Butch" Gautreaux and to express sincere appreciation for his distinguished service to the people of Louisiana, particularly to the citizens of Senate District No. 21, as a member of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 92—**

BY SENATOR CHAISSON  
A RESOLUTION

To honor and commend the Honorable Robert "Rob" M. Marionneaux, Jr., for his dedicated service and outstanding contributions to the citizens of the parishes of Iberville, Pointe Coupee, West Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, West Feliciana, and St. Helena, and to the state of Louisiana during his sixteen years of noble leadership in the Louisiana Legislature, and to express eternal gratitude for making Louisiana a better place for all citizens of this state.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 93—**

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend the honorable Mike Michot, state senator for the parish of Lafayette, for his many outstanding contributions to the betterment of the state of Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 94—**

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend the Honorable William Joseph "Joe" McPherson, Jr., and express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to the parish of Rapides and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana Senate.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 95—**

BY SENATOR BROOME

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend the honorable Joel T. Chaisson II, Senate President, for two decades of dedicated legislative service to constituents from the parishes of St. Charles, Lafourche, and St. John the Baptist and the state of Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 96—**

BY SENATOR PERRY

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Tom Voinche for fifty years in broadcasting.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 97—**

BY SENATOR MILLS

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to meet and function as a joint committee to study the effects of local sales taxes on complex biologics administered in a physician's office, infusion clinic, or outpatient setting have on local revenue and health care access.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 98—**

BY SENATOR MICHOT

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Board of Regents and the Louisiana Community and Technical College System Board of Supervisors to study the feasibility of merging Acadiana Technical College and South Louisiana Community College in order to more adequately address the educational needs of students and the economic and workforce development needs of the greater Lafayette area.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 99—**

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Susan G. Komen for the Cure and its Louisiana affiliates for improvement in the quality of life in local

communities through its endeavors in the fields of health care and cancer awareness and to recognize June 15, 2011, as Susan G. Komen for the Cure Day at the legislature.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 100—**

BY SENATOR MOUNT

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request BrightStart, Louisiana's Early Childhood Advisory Council, to study the merits of, and possible plans for, expansion of the evidence-based Positive Parenting Program (Triple P) and to report to the Senate and House committees on health and welfare prior to January 31, 2012.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 101—**

BY SENATOR RISER

**A RESOLUTION**

To declare Wednesday, June 15, 2011, as "Asthma Awareness Day" at the Louisiana Senate.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 102—**

BY SENATOR RISER

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend James "Buster" Couhig, student at Bains Elementary School in West Feliciana Parish, upon his winning third place in the Ninth Environmental Awareness Art and Language Arts Contest, in language arts for students ages five to seven from throughout Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 103—**

BY SENATOR RISER

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Owen Brouillette, student at Bains Elementary School in West Feliciana Parish, upon his winning second place in the Ninth Environmental Awareness Art and Language Arts Contest, in language arts for students ages five to seven from throughout Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 104—**

BY SENATOR RISER

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend the graduates of Block High School Class of 1961 on the fiftieth anniversary of their graduation.

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

**Introduction of  
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—**

BY SENATOR BROOME

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To authorize, create, and provide for the Housing and Transportation Planning and Coordinating Commission as an advisory committee in the office of community development.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—**  
BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE NOWLIN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Trecey Rew of Northwestern State University upon winning the women's discus national title at the 2011 NCAA Outdoor Track and Field Championships.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—**  
BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the memory of the passing of Dwight Zack Bluford, Jr.

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

**Senate Resolutions on  
Second Reading**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 87—**  
BY SENATOR PERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend Ronald Menard on the occasion of his retirement having worked forty-two years at Kaplan State Bank.

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

**Senate Resolutions on  
Second Reading, Subject to Call**

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Peterson asked that Senate Resolution No. 79 be called from the Calendar.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 79—**  
BY SENATOR PETERSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend the service and contributions of The Links, Incorporated and to recognize Wednesday, June 8, 2011, as Louisiana Links Day at the State Capitol.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on  
Second Reading**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73—**  
BY SENATOR GAUTREAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents to work with the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges to study the two-year college services offered to the greater south central Louisiana area, and to determine how the state can best meet the educational needs of students and the economic and workforce development needs of this region of the state.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—**  
BY SENATOR MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE MONTTOUCET  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mrs. LouAnn Gerard, Director of Patient Relations at LSU University Medical Center, on the occasion of her retirement.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Kostelka	Murray
Adley	LaFleur	Nevers
Alario	Long	Perry
Broome	Martiny	Peterson
Cheek	McPherson	Riser
Crowe	Michot	Shaw
Donahue	Mills	Thompson
Dorsey	Morrell	Walsworth
Erdey	Morrish	Willard-Lewis
Jackson	Mount	
Total - 29		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee	Gautreaux	Quinn
Appel	Guillory	Smith
Chabert	Heitmeier	
Claitor	Marionneaux	
Total - 10		

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

**Message from the House**

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

June 9, 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 Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HB No. 303	HB No. 425	HB No. 143
HB No. 313	HB No. 376	HB No. 382
HB No. 435	HB No. 404	HB No. 497
HB No. 158	HB No. 100	HB No. 215
HB No. 306	HB No. 322	HB No. 334
HB No. 335	HB No. 364	HB No. 475
HB No. 495	HB No. 500	HB No. 502
HB No. 516	HB No. 569	HB No. 571
HB No. 572	HB No. 573	HB No. 629
HB No. 646	HB No. 377	

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions**

Senator Mount asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read House Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time by title and refer them to committee.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 100—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CARTER, AUBERT, CARMODY, CHANDLER,  
CHANEY, EDWARDS, HOFMANN, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE,  
SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, AND PATRICIA SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:391.11, relative to school readiness assessment; to provide relative to school readiness tests; to provide relative to the selection, type, and content of such tests; to provide relative to the reporting of the results of such tests; to provide relative to terminology; to provide relative to implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 143—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1211, to enact R.S. 29:26.1, and to repeal R.S. 22:941(A)(5), relative to the Louisiana National Guard; to provide for death benefits; to provide for disability benefits; to provide definitions; to provide for eligibility of benefits; to provide for exceptions; to provide for rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 158—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:3363(H), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to provide with respect to compliance of benefit payments with the Internal Revenue Code; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 215—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMILEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:342(A) and 343(A), relative to classifications of municipalities based upon population; to authorize a municipality under certain circumstances to retain its classification when population changes would otherwise change its classification; to provide procedures; to provide relative to the designation of the governing authority; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 303—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:152, 182, 183, 184(2)(f) and (g), 187, 191, 192, 213, 214, 215(B), 233, and 251(A) and to repeal R.S. 23:253 and 254, relative to the employment of minors; to provide for hours during which minors may work; to provide for limitations in employment; to provide technical changes; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 306—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHARD, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE,  
BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, CARMODY, CONNICK,  
GREENE, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HENRY, HINES,  
HOWARD, HUTTER, LABRUZZO, LANDRY, LOPINTO, LORUSSO,  
MORRIS, NOWLIN, PEARSON, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SMILEY,  
GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, TALBOT, TEMPLET, AND TUCKER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:84.2, relative to reducing employment in the executive branch of state government; to require the abolition of positions by certain units of government; to require certain reductions in personnel expenditures and to provide for the

executive budget and supporting document to provide for such reductions; to provide definitions and procedures; to provide for implementation and rules; to provide for legislative oversight and reports; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 313—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SIMON AND BARROW  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart D-1 of Part VII of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:148.4.1, relative to certain public buildings; to provide for suitable accommodation for breastfeeding and lactation; to provide specifications for design features; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 322—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4570.1, relative to the Recreation and Park Commission for the Parish of East Baton Rouge; to provide relative to membership on the commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 334—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAMPAGNE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(AA)(1) and (2) and to enact R.S. 38:291(CC), relative to levee districts; to remove Vermilion Parish from the limits of the Chenier Plain Coastal Restoration and Protection Authority; to create the Vermilion Parish Levee, Hurricane Protection, and Conservation District; to provide for jurisdictional limits; to provide for a board of commissioners; to provide for appointment of commissioners, terms of office, and determination of domicile; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 335—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROSSETT, ABRAMSON, ARNOLD, AUSTIN,  
BADON, BISHOP, HENDERSON, HINES, LEGER, MORENO, AND STIAES  
AND SENATOR MORRELL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2161, relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to property sold at tax sales in the city; to provide relative to improvements made to abandoned or blighted property by a tax sale purchaser prior to redemption; to require a person redeeming property to reimburse a tax sale purchaser for the costs of improvements required to bring the property into compliance with one or more municipal code ordinances; to provide relative to the maximum amount of reimbursement; to provide relative to the right of redemption if the tax sale purchaser is not reimbursed; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 364—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROY  
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, relative to health and safety of students who participate in school-sanctioned athletics; to provide for a sports injury management program; to authorize promulgation of rules; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 376—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE NOWLIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 43:111(C)(5), relative to state advertisements; to provide additional purposes for which any public institution of higher education, any management board thereof, and the Board of Regents may expend public funds for advertising; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 377—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:164(B) and 191(A) and R.S. 24:36(A) and to enact R.S. 11:191(C), relative to state and statewide retirement systems; to prohibit certain earnings from being included in the calculation of benefits for certain members elected to the legislature; to provide with respect to service credit for such members; to provide with respect to contributions; to provide with respect to benefit calculation for certain members elected to the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:437.3(6), 438.3(B) and (C), 438.6(C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (a), 438.7(introductory paragraph), 439.1(D), (E), (F), and (G), 439.2(A) and (B)(1), and 439.4(A)(2) and (3) and (D), to enact R.S. 46:437.3(29) and (30) and 438.6(C)(3), and to repeal R.S. 46:439.1(H) and (I) and 439.2(C), relative to the Medical Assistance Programs Integrity Law; to provide definitions; to provide for false or fraudulent claims; to provide qui tam actions; to provide for recovery awarded; to comply with the Federal Social Security Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 404—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:428, relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for purchase of service credit for certain federal service; to provide for the purchase price of 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 425—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES STIAES, ABRAMSON, ARNOLD, AUSTIN, BADON, BISHOP, HENDERSON, LEGER, AND MORENO AND SENATORS MORRELL AND WILLARD-LEWIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3821(B), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (D) and to enact R.S. 11:3821(E), relative to the Employees' Retirement System of the Sewerage and Water Board of the city of New Orleans, provides for governance of such system; to grant the board of trustees of such system jurisdiction, control, and management of the system; to provide with respect to membership of the board of trustees; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 435—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON AND SENATOR GAUTREAU  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:54(B), relative to nonrecurring revenue; to provide for allowable uses of nonrecurring revenue; to provide for the payment of unfunded accrued liabilities; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 475—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(R)(1) and (Y)(1)(a), 330.12(B)(2), and 330.12.1(C)(1) as added by Acts 2010, No. 1014, Section 2, of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature and as amended by Acts 2010, No. 1014, Section 4 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature and to enact R.S. 38:291(Y)(7), relative to levee districts; to provide relative to the territorial jurisdiction of the West Jefferson Levee District and the Lafitte Area Independent Levee District; to provide relative to the proceeds from the sale of non-flood assets; to provide for membership of the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 495—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON AND SENATOR GAUTREAU  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 11:102(D), relative to certain state retirement systems; to provide relative to employer contributions; to provide for direct appropriation of certain amortization payments; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 497—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:66, relative to the crime of extortion; to provide additional types of threats sufficient to constitute extortion; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 500—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS, ARMES, AUSTIN, BADON, BALDONE, BARRAS, BURFORD, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANDLER, CHANEY, DIXON, DOERGE, FOIL, GUINN, HARDY, HARRISON, HILL, HOWARD, GIROD JACKSON, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LABRUZZO, LANDRY, LEGER, LITTLE, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MCVEA, MONICA, NOWLIN, POPE, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROY, SEABAUGH, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TEMPLET, THIERRY, AND WILLIAMS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351(E), relative to the powers, duties, and functions of public postsecondary education management boards; to provide for the award of educational credits to a student at a public college or university who is also a veteran for courses that are part of the student's military training or service and that meet certain academic standards; to provide definitions; to provide for implementation, including for the adoption of certain policies and necessary rules, regulations, and procedures; 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 Education.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 502—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1377(G), relative to workers compensation; to provide with respect to the Second Injury Fund; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 516—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, ABRAMSON, ARNOLD, AUSTIN, BADON, BISHOP, BROSSETT, HENDERSON, HINES, MORENO, AND STIAES AND SENATORS MORRELL AND WILLARD-LEWIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:247 and 270(A)(3)(a), relative to the casino support services contract; to provide for the funding of such contract; to establish the Casino Support Services Fund as a special treasury 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 569—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:141, 142(A), 143(A)(1), 144(A), 144.1, 145(A), 148(A)(1) and (B), 155, 171, 185(C), 3682, 3683, 3684, 3685, 3685.1(A)(2) and (B)(2)(a), 3685.2(B) and (C), 3686, 3687, 3688(A)(8), (9), (10), and (11), (B), (C), and (D), 3689, 3690, 3690.2, 3691, 3692, 3693, and 3695, to enact R.S. 11:158(B)(15), 173(A)(14), 174(B)(18), 185(D), 3684.1, 3685.2(D) and (E), 3688(A)(12) and (E), 3696, 3697, and 3698, and to repeal R.S. 11:3694, relative to the Harbor Police Retirement System for the Port of New Orleans; to provide with respect to transfers, reciprocal recognition of service, contributions, service credit, membership, benefits, purchase of service credit, reporting requirements, the board of trustees, definitions, disability benefits, governance, administration, and unfunded liability; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 571—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62(4), 203(B)(1), 471.1(C), 613, 614, 616, 620(A), (B), (C), and (D), 621(B) and (C)(1), 783(A)(3)(a), 786(A), 1002(6)(b) and (c), 1141(A) and (C)(1)(a), 1144(B)(4), 1147(C)(2)(a)(ii) and (iii) and (b), 1151(A), 1151.1(A) and (C), 1152(A), 1323(C), and 1345.9 and to enact R.S. 11:618(D), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana, the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System, and the State Police Pension and Retirement System; to make certain technical, remedial, and substantive changes to provisions of the law affected by Act No. 992 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature and other provisions of law to conform with such Act; to provide with respect to benefits, survivors' benefits, disability benefits, membership, retirement eligibility, Deferred Retirement Option Plan participation, retirement options, transfers, and the Hazardous Duty Services Plan; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 572—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:295.3.1, relative to motor vehicles; to permit day care centers to have a child safety alarm installed in vehicles they use to transport children; to require that an owner or

director of a day care center ensure proper maintenance and good working order of child safety alarms; to provide definitions; to require the Department of Children and Family Services to promulgate rules and procedures requiring the installation of child safety alarms in vehicles owned and operated by a day care center and used to transport children; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 573—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLMOTT, ABRAMSON, BALDONE, BILLIOT, CHANEY, GUINN, HARDY, HINES, LABRUZZO, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, GARY SMITH, AND TEMPLET  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1595.7, relative to procurement; to provide for a preference for the purchase of items manufactured in 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 629—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON  
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. 51:3111 through 3117, relative to tax credits; to establish the Louisiana Entrepreneurial Assistance and Development Program to provide a credit against insurance premium tax for certain venture capital investors; to provide for administration of the program by the Department of Economic Development; to provide for applications and to establish criteria for approval; to establish criteria for investments; to provide for reporting; to provide for other requirements and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 646— (Substitute for House Bill No. 175 by Representative Talbot)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:995, relative to the verification of citizenship and authorization for employment; to provide with respect to civil penalties for violations; to require the suspension of permits or licenses for violations; to provide for defenses; 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.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

Senator Ben W. Nevers, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

June 9, 2011

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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



**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 145—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request all members of city, parish, and other local public school boards to voluntarily substitute teach in a public elementary or secondary school located in their respective school systems.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 150—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS AND SENATOR NEVERS

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request that the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education work in collaboration with the State Library of Louisiana and LOUIS: The Louisiana Library Network to ensure the funding of library research databases and to negotiate the most advantageous prices for school libraries in Louisiana.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 79—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217.1(C)(1), the heading of Chapter 41 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and 3951(A) and R.S. 36:651(G)(2), relative to secondary education; to provide relative to the name of the High School Redesign Commission; to provide relative to high school redesign with respect to vocational and technical education; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 95—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:221(K), relative to compulsory school attendance; to exempt from the compulsory school attendance law and other related provisions certain students who are at least seventeen years of age and have been issued a Louisiana high school equivalency diploma; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 232—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LORUSSO AND BISHOP

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:36.1(G), relative to members of the Louisiana National Guard; to provide with respect to the tuition exemption for family members of a member of the Louisiana National Guard; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 368—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 41:905, relative to the Orleans Parish School Board; to provide for the sale of unused immovable school property to public bodies without the necessity of procedures otherwise provided by law; to provide that the sale shall be for not less than the property's appraised value; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 421—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:3991.1, relative to charter schools; to provide relative to corporate donations to charter schools; to provide for

enrollment preferences and membership on the governing or management board of a charter school for certain major corporate donors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 454—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:500.2(A)(1), 1176, 1202(A)(1), and 1206.2(A)(1), relative to the granting of certain types of leave by a city, parish, or other local public school board; to provide relative to the requirement that the board grant certain sabbatical leave requests; to provide relative to the requirement that the board permit certain employees to take extended sick leave; to provide exceptions to such requirements; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 517—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:652(E) and to enact R.S. 25:652(F), relative to the Council for the Development of French in Louisiana; to provide relative to compensation of council members; to authorize members to receive a per diem and certain expense reimbursements; to provide for membership; to authorize certain elected officials to serve as nonvoting council members; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 526—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBIDEAUX, CARMODY, CARTER, DOERGE, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HARDY, HENDERSON, HENSGENS, PATRICIA SMITH, AND ST. GERMAIN

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:3351(A)(5)(b)(iii)(cc), to authorize the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges to increase tuition and mandatory fee amounts at institutions under its supervision and management; to provide limitations; to provide applicability; to provide for implementation, including provisions for the uniform imposition of tuition and mandatory fee amounts on a per-credit-hour basis; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 537—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER AND SENATOR APPEL

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217, to enact R.S. 17:3230 and Part III-A of Chapter 26 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3241, and to repeal R.S. 17:3215(2), relative to postsecondary education; to provide for the transfer of the University of New Orleans to the University of Louisiana System; to provide relative to the transfer of the facilities, resources, funds, obligations, and functions of the institution and related foundations; to provide for the transition responsibilities of the impacted institution and management boards and the division of administration; to provide for cooperative agreements; to provide relative to accreditation issues; to provide relative to funding; to provide relative to employees; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 549—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, ANDERS, ARNOLD, BOBBY BADON, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CONNICK, DOVE, DOWNS, EDWARDS, FOIL, GREENE, GUILLORY, HARDY, HARRISON, HOFFMANN, HUTTER, KATZ, LIGI, LITTLE, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, NOWLIN, PEARSON, PONTI, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, TEMPLET, THIBAUT, AND WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3139(B), (C)(3)(a) and (5)(introductory paragraph) and (i), (D), (F)(introductory paragraph), (4), and (5), and (G)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph) and (iii), and (3)(introductory paragraph), and 3386(E), to enact R.S. 17:3139(C)(1)(e) and (5)(j) and (G)(4) and (5), and to repeal R.S. 17:3139(F)(6), 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 achievement of certain standards for retention of first-year students; 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 direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate certain statutory provisions; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 559—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSALIND JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:81(W) and 3996(B)(13), relative to governing authorities of public elementary and secondary schools; to require such governing authorities to publish certain information on their websites; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 589—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CHANEY AND DOWNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(e)(viii) and (x), relative to academic standards for a Taylor Opportunity Program for Students award; to provide relative to the high school core curriculum requirements for certain students to be eligible for an Opportunity, Performance, or Honors award; to provide applicability; to provide effectiveness; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 628—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, ELLINGTON, AND KATZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351.11(D), relative to tuition and fees at the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Centers; to authorize the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College to increase tuition and fee amounts for specified schools of the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Centers; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
BEN W. NEVERS  
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

FINANCE

Senator Michael J. "Mike" Michot, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:

June 11, 2011

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 229—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2002(A)(1) and (4)(a), 2218.2(A)(1) and (2)(a), 2218.8(B) and (G) and 2218.10 and to enact Subpart F of Part III of Chapter 6 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1460.3, relative to additional pay for certain law enforcement officers; to increase the amount of monthly compensation; and to provide for related matters.

Reported by substitute.

Respectfully submitted,  
MICHAEL J. "MIKE" MICHOT  
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

Senator A. G. Crowe, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 9, 2011

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 113—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BISHOP AND STIAES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that Louisiana Specific Services Sign Program signs be placed in New Orleans to notify the motoring public of the locations of restaurants, gas stations, hotels, and other services.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 98—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD

AN ACT

To repeal Article VI, Section 29 of the Constitution of 1921, continued as a statute by Article XIV, Section 19 of the Constitution of 1974, Article XIV, Sections 24, 24.2 through 24.9, 24.11 through 24.23, and 31.7, continued as statutes by Article XIV, Section 16(A) of the Constitution of 1974, and Article XVI, Section 6 of the Constitution of 1921, continued as a statute by Article XIV, Sections 16(A) and 32 of the Constitution of 1974 and Part VI of Chapter 2 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:1271 through 1285, relative to revision of local government laws pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 218 of the 2009 Regular Session of the Legislature; including provisions to repeal certain constitution ancillaries that are no longer effective, including but not limited to provisions superseded by later constitutional provisions or legislative enactments, to repeal provisions for the parish commission form of government, and to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate certain provisions of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to judicial branch functions and local sales taxes to Titles 13 and 47 of the Louisiana

Revised Statutes of 1950 respectively; to provide for redesignation of statutes and citations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 160—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SAM JONES  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:103(C)(1)(m) and 4780.46.1, relative to the parish of St. Mary; to provide relative to the planning and zoning commission and to the board of adjustment; to authorize the parish governing authority to pay a per diem to members of the commission and the board; to provide for the rate of per diem and the number of meetings for which per diem is to be paid; to require the governing authority to pay per diem from parish funds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 315—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ROY AND HAZEL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574.5(E), relative to the Alexandria/Pineville Area Convention and Visitors Bureau; to authorize the bureau to use certain revenues for certain purposes; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 324—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2575.4, relative to the city of Central; to provide relative to administrative adjudication of certain ordinance violations; to provide definitions for certain violations; to provide relative to the types of violations subject to administrative adjudication procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 327—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ROY AND HAZEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.46(B)(2), relative to the city of Alexandria; to provide relative to the Alexandria Central Economic Development District; to extend the boundaries of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 328—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:283, relative to the Lafayette Parish Law Library Commission; to provide for revenues of the Lafayette Parish Law Library Commission; to increase fees collected for the library; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 333—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1994(B), relative to the city of Lake Charles; to provide relative to the maximum work hours required of certain employees of the city's fire department in a certain time period; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 336—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4581(B), relative to the boundaries of the Flyway Byway Commission; to add territory in Cameron Parish to the district; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 353—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1095(B)(1) and to reenact R.S. 46:1095(C), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Parish Hospital Service District for the parish of Orleans; to provide relative to the membership of the governing boards of the two areas of the district; to reenact provisions relative to such governing boards; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 356—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROSETT AND LEGER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4530(A), relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the Public Belt Railroad Commission for the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the appointment and terms of commission members; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 374—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423(C), relative to municipal police chiefs; to provide relative to the powers granted to an elected police chief in any municipality governed by the Lawrason Act; to authorize the police chief to effect disciplinary action, dismiss police personnel, and to make provisional appointments to fill vacancies in the police department; to provide limitations and exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1053(M)(2) and (3)(a) and to enact R.S. 46:1053(M)(3)(c), relative to Terrebonne Parish; to provide relative to Hospital Service District No. 1; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to provide relative to the terms of board members; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 504—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(S), relative to cooperative endeavor agreements for the use of funds received from a parish tourist commission; to authorize such agreements between local school boards and certain municipalities relative to youth recreation; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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

To amend and reenact the heading of Chapter 27-E of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 33:9039.61, 9039.62, 9039.65(3), 9039.66(A)(1) and (J), and 9039.68(B)(1)

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and (2), relative to the Greater New Orleans Biosciences Economic Development District; to change the name of the Greater New Orleans Biosciences Economic Development District to the BioDistrict New Orleans; to provide for definitions; to change the composition of the board of commissioners and the advisory committee for the BioDistrict New Orleans; to modify certain subdistrict designations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 613—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2738.86, relative to Caddo Parish; to provide relative to the North Caddo Hospital Service District; to authorize the governing authority of the district to levy a sales and use tax, subject to voter approval; to provide for the use of tax proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
A. G. CROWE  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**

**TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS AND  
PUBLIC WORKS**

Senator William Joseph McPherson, Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, submitted the following report:

June 9, 2011

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 119—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, BARROW, AND THIBAUT AND  
SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to revert lane adjustments that were implemented as part of the ongoing I-10 Mississippi River Bridge, otherwise known as the Horace A. Wilkinson Bridge, signing and striping project.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 140—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request members of the United States Congress to oppose any legislation allowing an increase in truck weight and size.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 34—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROSSETT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:726.3, relative to the Louisiana Homeland Security and Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act; to provide for the development, operation, and maintenance of a critical incident planning and mapping system; to provide for responsibilities of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency

Preparedness; to require that certain entities provide critical information to be included in the system; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 70—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 33:1418(B), relative to hybrid or alternative fuel vehicles and to the use of such vehicles by agencies of political subdivisions; to repeal an exemption from the authority to use such vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 182—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GIROD JACKSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2225.2.1(A)(3), relative to public contracts; to extend the time relative to the utilization of design-build contracts under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 243—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:365(A)(1), relative to equipment of motor vehicles; restricts the use or installation of a television receiver, screen, or other means of visually receiving a television broadcast or video signal in a motor vehicle; removes the requirement for a television receiver or screen to be located behind the driver's seat; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 249—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:127.1, relative to highway right-of-way crossings; to authorize golf carts to cross Louisiana Highway 90 and Louisiana Highway 99 in the town of Welsh; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 342—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS, ARMES, BALDONE, HENRY BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CHANDLER, DIXON, DOERGE, DOWNS, ELLINGTON, GISCLAIR, GUILLOREY, HARDY, HENRY, HILL, HINES, HOFMANN, HOWARD, JOHNSON, SAM JONES, KATZ, LANDRY, LEBAS, LIGI, LITTLE, LORUSSO, MCVEA, MONTOUCET, POPE, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, TALBOT, TEMPLET, WHITE, WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212.10, relative to public contracts; to provide for the verification of employees engaged in public contract work; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 365—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOWARD AND DOWNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(b)(ii)(aa) and (bb) and (3)(c)(ii) and to enact R.S. 38:2212(T), relative to the public bid law; to make changes to requirements for the bid form; to specify what prices are utilized for the construction of a building in conjunction with public bid; to require who shall submit other documentation in addition to a bid form and when that documentation shall be submitted; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 378—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2191, relative to public contracts; to provide for progressive stage payments made under public contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 513—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLIAMS, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BARROW, BILLIOT, HENRY BURNS, BURRELL, DIXON, DOWNS, GALLOT, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HOWARD, LOPINTO, MONTOUCET, SIMON, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND WOOTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1(4), (4.2), (13), and (65), 212(A), and 232(1)(a) and (b) and R.S. 47:463.148(B), (C), and (D)(1), to enact R.S. 32:74(C) and 329.1, and to repeal R.S. 32:197(B) and 329, relative to bicycles and traffic; to amend, enact, and repeal provisions relative to bicycles and traffic; to amend provisions for the "Share the Road" license plate; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 534—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1457(A)(2), R.S. 32:402(B)(1)(a)(ii)(bb), 402.1(A)(introductory paragraph), (1), (2)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (g), 407(A)(2)(a), (4), and (6), 408(A)(4)(a), 408.1(introductory paragraph) and (2), 416, 417(A), 422, 422.1, R.S. 40:1461(A) and (C), R.S. 47:305.26 and 479.1 and to repeal R.S. 17:270, 271, and 271.1, R.S. 32:402.1(A)(2)(h) and (3)(a) and (b), (B), and (C) and 402.2, relative to driver's education programs; to consolidate all driver's education programs and instruction under the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services; to remove all driver's education programs and instruction from the Department of Education; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 583—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:334, relative to motor vehicle lamps; to prohibit operation of a motor vehicle with certain lamps; to prohibit installation of certain lamps on a motor vehicle; to prohibit issuance of an official certificate of inspection; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 637— (Substitute for House Bill No. 252 by Representative Doerge)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:1948.5(52) and (53), relative to Louisiana Byways designations; to delete the Bienville Trace I and Bienville Trace II byway designations; to designate a section of certain highways as the Boom or Bust Byway; to designate a section of certain highways as the Dixie Overland Byway; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 640— (Substitute for House Bill No. 430 by Representative Billiot)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:213, 225(A)(1)(a) and (2) and (D), and 226 and to enact R.S. 38:321.1, relative to levee districts and flood control structures; to restrict access upon a levee or flood control structure in certain circumstances; to provide for penalties; to provide exceptions for access upon public levees or flood control structures; to provide relative to the obstruction of

levees; to provide for the authority for a board or commission having jurisdiction over a levee to issue or renew permits or letters of no objection; to authorize a levee district or levee drainage district to purchase certain items through an existing public contract of another political subdivision; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
JOE MCPHERSON,  
Chairman

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

**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 responsibilities of school governing authorities; 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; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 46 by Senator Shaw

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 3, and insert the following:  
**"C.(1) The governing authority of each"**

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 4, change **"shall"** to **"may"**

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 18, change **"not limit"** to **"make every effort to provide"**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 265—**

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. 51:3121 through 3133, relative to the Louisiana Entrepreneurial Assistance and Development program (LEAD); to create the program; to provide for a tax reduction for investors 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 for the recovery of certain administrative costs; to provide criteria for issuers in which investments will be made; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 265 by Senator Riser

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 7, insert the following: "provide for the recovery of certain administrative costs; to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, change "investment is made" to "legislative auditor provides written certification to the secretary of the Louisiana Department of Economic Development that the investment has achieved revenue neutrality"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, between lines 18 and 19, insert: "(7) 'Revenue neutrality' means that the legislative auditor provides written certification to the secretary that the cost to the state of the premium tax credit provided to the investor pursuant to R.S. 22:832.1 will be offset by the revenue to be received by the state from the investments made in eligible businesses by the LEAD fund which received such investor's investment as provided for in the revenue impact assessment filed with the LEAD fund's application as provided for in R.S. 51:3125(A)(6)."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, line 19, change "(7)" to "(8)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 24, after "R.S. 22:832.1" and before the period "." insert "in the year when the legislative auditor provides written certification to the secretary that the investment will achieve revenue neutrality"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 5, line 25, change "the year of investment of eligible capital" to "such year"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, delete lines 5 and 6

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, line 7, change "(3)" to "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, line 9, change "(4)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 6, line 11, change "(5)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 6, line 19, change "(6)" to "(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, line 28, change "(7)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 8, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following: "D. Any applicant who receives an allocation of eligible capital shall bear any cost, not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars per fiscal year for each applicant, which is allocated to it by the secretary to ensure that all costs of the Louisiana Department of Economic Development associated with administering the program are reimbursed. The secretary shall allocate such costs based upon the proportion that the applicant's allocation of eligible capital bears to the total amount of eligible capital allocated. The amounts collected by the secretary shall be appropriated to the Louisiana Department of Economic Development."

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 13, line 27, change "value" to "revenue"

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Chaisson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 1 from the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1— BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN AN ACT

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

On motion of Senator Chaisson, House Bill No. 1 was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Rules Suspended

Senator Morrell asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Concurrent Resolution No. 163 from the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 163— BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress and the President of the United States to take such actions as are necessary to provide adequate funding for essential dredging activities on the Lower Mississippi River.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent, Present. Lists names like Amedee, Chabert, etc.

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

Senator Broome in the Chair

Rules Suspended

Senator Thompson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall Senate Resolution No. 83 from the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 83—**

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the LSU Health Sciences Center-Shreveport and the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the healthcare needs of the Northeast Louisiana Delta region and to make recommendations to the legislature which would increase the provision of healthcare in that area of the state.

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

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Chaisson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to pass over Special Order No. 1.

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

**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. Senator Chaisson moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Donahue	Mills
Alario	Erdey	Morrish
Amedee	Heitmeier	Mount
Appel	LaFleur	Nevers
Chabert	Long	Perry
Cheek	Marionneaux	Riser
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Crowe	Michot	Walsworth
Total - 24		

NAYS

Adley	Jackson	Murray
Broome	Kostelka	Peterson
Dorsey	McPherson	Shaw
Guillory	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Total - 12		

ABSENT

Gautreaux	Quinn	Smith
Total - 3		

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 57—**

BY SENATOR ADLEY AND REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

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.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Marionneaux sent up floor amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 57 by Senator Adley

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 21, change "**impair**" to "**endanger**"

On motion of Senator Marionneaux, the amendments were adopted.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Adley proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Adley to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 57 by Senator Adley

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 19, change "**term of**" to "**service in that**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 3, line 21, between "**exemption**" and "**granted**" insert "**from disclosure**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 3, line 26, after "E." add "**(1)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 4, line 2, between "**exemption**" and "**granted**" insert "**from disclosure**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 4, line 3, change "**After the lapse of ten years, the**" to "**In any event, after the lapse of ten years of the receipt of the records of the office of the governor pursuant to Subsection D, all**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 4, between line 6 and 7, insert the following:  
**"(2) All time limitations established by law applicable to the initiation of proceedings for a violation of the Code of Governmental Ethics or a criminal offense that is evidenced by or in a record subject to an exemption from disclosure granted by this Section shall not commence to run until the record becomes a public record."**

On motion of Senator Adley, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adley	Jackson	Mount
Broome	LaFleur	Murray
Claitor	Marionneaux	Peterson
Dorsey	McPherson	Willard-Lewis
Gautreaux	Morrish	
Total - 14		

NAYS

Alario	Guillory	Perry
Amedee	Heitmeier	Riser
Appel	Kostelka	Shaw

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Chabert	Long	Smith
Cheek	Martiny	Thompson
Crowe	Michot	Walsworth
Donahue	Mills	
Erdey	Nevers	
Total - 22		

ABSENT

Mr. President	Morrell	Quinn
Total - 3		

The Chair declared the amended bill failed to pass.

**Notice of Reconsideration**

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 270— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 247 by Senator Willard-Lewis)**

BY SENATOR WILLARD-LEWIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2531.1 (D), relative to offenses affecting the public safety; to provide for statewide litter reduction; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Marionneaux sent up floor amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 270 by Senator Willard-Lewis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, following "To" change "enact" to "amend and reenact"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, following "hereby" change "enacted" to "amended and reenacted"

On motion of Senator Marionneaux, the amendments were adopted.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Willard-Lewis proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Willard-Lewis to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 270 by Senator Willard-Lewis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 21, after "agency," and before "percent" change "twenty" to "ten"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 22, after "board," and before "twenty" insert the following: "ten percent for the towing fees associated with towing of the stolen vehicle,"

On motion of Senator Willard-Lewis, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Willard-Lewis moved the final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Crowe	Murray
Adley	Donahue	Perry
Appel	Dorsey	Peterson
Broome	Guillory	Shaw
Cheek	Mills	Willard-Lewis
Total - 15		

NAYS

Alario	Long	Smith
Amedee	McPherson	Thompson
Chabert	Morrish	Walsworth
Claitor	Nevers	
Kostelka	Riser	
Total - 13		

ABSENT

Erdey	LaFleur	Morrell
Gautreaux	Marionneaux	Mount
Heitmeier	Martiny	Quinn
Jackson	Michot	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the amended bill failed to pass.

**Notice of Reconsideration**

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

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

**Bagneris Rule**

Senator Thompson moved to suspend the rules to temporarily pass over controversial House Bills on Third Reading and Final Passage with the intention of taking them up later, in their regular order, and to specifically start with House Bill No. 31.

Without objection, so ordered.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 31—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, CARMODY, CARTER, DOWNS, EDWARDS, AND SCHRODER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:176(B) and (C), relative to standards for student participation in interscholastic athletics; to establish minimum academic eligibility requirements for participation by certain students in interscholastic athletics; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt a policy relative to such eligibility requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Gautreaux	Mount
Adley	Guillory	Murray



Alario	Heitmeier	Nevers
Amedee	Jackson	Perry
Appel	Kostelka	Peterson
Broome	LaFleur	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Michot	Walsworth
Donahue	Mills	Willard-Lewis
Dorsey	Morrell	
Erdey	Morrish	

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Marionneaux	Quinn
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Total - 2

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 37—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE NOWLIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2060, relative to the transmission of tax collection information by local tax collectors; to change the time period within which certain tax collection information must be transmitted; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Marionneaux	Peterson
Michot	Quinn

Total - 4

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 76—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:387(B)(2) and to repeal R.S. 32:387.2, 387.3, 387.13, 387.15, and 387.18, relative to oversized vehicles; to provide authority to the Department of Transportation and Development to issue permits for oversized loads or vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Marionneaux	Quinn
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Total - 2

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

**Mr. President in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 78—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:10.6(G), relative to school and district accountability; to provide relative to the auditing of a school system which is academically in crisis; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Gautreaux	Morrish
Adley	Guillory	Mount
Alario	Heitmeier	Murray
Amedee	Jackson	Nevers
Appel	Kostelka	Perry
Broome	LaFleur	Peterson
Chabert	Martiny	Riser
Cheek	McPherson	Shaw
Claitor	Michot	Smith
Dorsey	Mills	Thompson
Erdey	Morrell	Walsworth

Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Crowe	Long	Quinn
Donahue	Marionneaux	Willard-Lewis

Total - 6

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 87—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS AN ACT

To rename and designate the Jefferson Street bridge on Louisiana Highway 3156 in Iberia Parish as the "Joe Daigre Memorial Bridge"; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Morrish
Adley Gautreaux Mount
Alario Guillory Murray
Amedee Heitmeier Nevers
Appel Jackson Perry
Broome Kostelka Peterson
Chabert LaFleur Riser
Cheek Long Shaw
Claitor Martiny Smith
Crowe Michot Thompson
Donahue Mills Walsworth
Dorsey Morrell
Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Marionneaux Quinn
McPherson Willard-Lewis
Total - 4

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 104—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1837(G), relative to hearings of the Louisiana Tax Commission; to require certain hearings of the commission to be held at the state capitol; to provide relative to the duties of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Gautreaux Mount
Adley Guillory Murray
Alario Heitmeier Nevers
Amedee Jackson Perry
Appel Kostelka Peterson
Broome LaFleur Riser
Chabert Long Shaw
Cheek Martiny Smith
Claitor McPherson Thompson
Crowe Michot Walsworth
Donahue Mills Willard-Lewis

Dorsey Morrell
Erdey Morrish
Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Marionneaux Quinn
Total - 2

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 135—

BY REPRESENTATIVES NOWLIN, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, AUBERT, BALDONE, BARRAS, BARROW, BILLIOT, BROSSETT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CORTEZ, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, ELLINGTON, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GEYMAN, GREENE, GUINN, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HENRY, HOFFMANN, HONORE, HUTTER, GIROD JACKSON, ROSALIND JONES, SAM JONES, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LEBAS, LIGL, LITTLE, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MCVEA, MONICA, MONTOUCET, MORRIS, PONTI, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TEMPLET, THIBAUT, THIERRY, WHITE, WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, CHABERT, CHEEK, CROWE, DONAHUE, ERDEY, GAUTREAUX, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MICHOT, MILLS, MORRISH, MOUNT, NEVERS, PERRY, QUINN, SMITH, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, AND WILLARD-LEWIS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 2.3 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the authority to tax; to prohibit the state or any political subdivision from levying a new tax or fee upon the sale or transfer of immovable property; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Mount
Adley Gautreaux Murray
Alario Guillory Nevers
Amedee Heitmeier Perry
Appel Kostelka Peterson
Broome LaFleur Riser
Chabert Long Shaw
Cheek Martiny Smith
Claitor McPherson Thompson
Crowe Michot Walsworth
Donahue Mills
Dorsey Morrish
Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Jackson Morrell Willard-Lewis
Marionneaux Quinn
Total - 5

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 149—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(33)(a)(viii), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to exclude certain employees of the Louisiana High School Athletic Association from membership in such system; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Erdey	Mount
Adley	Gautreaux	Murray
Alario	Guillory	Nevers
Amedee	Heitmeier	Perry
Appel	Kostelka	Peterson
Broome	LaFleur	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Crowe	McPherson	Thompson
Donahue	Michot	Walsworth
Dorsey	Morrell	Willard-Lewis
Total - 33		

**NAYS**

Claitor  
Total - 1

**ABSENT**

Jackson	Mills	Quinn
Marionneaux	Morrish	
Total - 5		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 162—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE AUSTIN BADON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9091.18, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the Pressburg East Neighborhood Improvement and Security District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition of a parcel fee and for the use thereof; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Willard-Lewis moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Erdey	Murray
Adley	Gautreaux	Perry
Alario	Heitmeier	Peterson
Amedee	Kostelka	Riser
Appel	LaFleur	Shaw
Broome	Long	Smith
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Cheek	Michot	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Willard-Lewis

Donahue  
Dorsey  
Total - 31

Morrish  
Mount  
  
NAYS

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Claitor  
Guillory  
Jackson  
Total - 8

Marionneaux  
McPherson  
Mills  
Nevers  
Quinn

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it returned to the House. Senator Willard-Lewis moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 166—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOFFMANN, ANDERS, BALDONE, HENRY BURNS, CARMODY, CHANEY, CONNICK, DOWNS, GISCLAIR, HARDY, HENDERSON, HENRY, HOWARD, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LAFONTA, LITTLE, LOPINTO, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, SEABAUGH, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, STIAES, THIERRY, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To designate portions of Louisiana highways to honor public service of Louisiana citizens; to designate Louisiana Highway 34 from Louisiana Highway 546 to Kings Lake Road as the "Corporal J.R. Searcy Memorial Highway"; to designate the section of United States Highway 51 from the intersection of Louisiana Highway 38 to the Mississippi state line as the "Trooper Rudolph H. Miller Memorial Highway"; to designate the section of Louisiana Highway 118 from Florien to Kisatchie as the "Louisiana Maneuvers and Purple Heart Memorial Highway"; to designate the section of Louisiana Highway 749 from the intersection of West Martin Luther King Drive to the intersection of Louisiana Highway 167 as the "Griffin Pat Miller Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Gautreaux	Morrish
Adley	Guillory	Mount
Alario	Heitmeier	Murray
Amedee	Jackson	Perry
Appel	Kostelka	Peterson
Broome	LaFleur	Riser
Cheek	Long	Shaw
Claitor	Martiny	Smith
Crowe	McPherson	Thompson
Donahue	Michot	Walsworth
Dorsey	Mills	Willard-Lewis
Erdey	Morrell	
Total - 35		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Chabert  
Marionneaux  
Total - 4

Nevers  
Quinn

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 174—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:408(B)(7), relative to commercial driver's licenses; to provide for a waiver of certain requirements for certain commercial drivers; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Adley, Alario, Amedee, Appel, Broome, Chabert, Cheek, Claitor, Crowe, Donahue, Dorsey, Erdey, Gautreaux, Guillory, Heitmeier, Jackson, Kostelka, LaFleur, Long, Martiny, McPherson, Mills, Morrell, Morrish, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Perry, Peterson, Riser, Shaw, Thompson, Walsworth, Willard-Lewis.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns of names: Marionneaux, Michot, Quinn, Smith.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 214—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2220(B)(2)(c), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to allow a member to designate a trustee for survivor benefits payable to a child; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Adley, Alario, Amedee, Appel, Broome, Chabert, Cheek, Crowe, Donahue, Dorsey, Erdey, Gautreaux, Guillory, Heitmeier, Jackson, Kostelka, LaFleur, Long, Martiny, McPherson, Michot, Mills, Morrell, Morrish, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Perry, Peterson, Riser, Shaw, Smith, Thompson, Walsworth, Willard-Lewis.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Claitor, Marionneaux, Quinn.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 250—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:501(C)(1), 502(A) and (B), 508(A), 508.1(A), (B), (E), and (F) and to repeal R.S. 36:508.3, relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; to rename the office of planning and programming within the Department of Transportation and Development; to eliminate the office of public works and intermodal transportation within the Department of Transportation and Development; to reassign duties of offices within the Department of Transportation and Development; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Broome proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Broome to Engrossed House Bill No. 250 by Representative Morris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, between "(F)" and "and" insert ", to enact R.S. 36:509(I) and Chapter 3-G of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, composed of R.S. 40:600.81,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, between "Development;" and "and" insert "to create and provide for the Housing and Transportation Planning and Coordinating Commission;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, between "reenacted" and "to" insert "and R.S. 36:509(I) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:
"\$509. Transfer of agencies to Department of Transportation and Development

I. The Housing and Transportation Planning and Coordinating Commission (R.S. 40:600.81) is placed within the Department of Transportation and Development and shall perform and exercise its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities in the manner provided for agencies transferred in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 36:801.

Section 2. Chapter 3-G of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, consisting of R.S. 40:600.81, is hereby enacted to read as follows:

"CHAPTER 3-G. HOUSING AND TRANSPORTATION PLANNING AND COORDINATING COMMISSION
\$600.81. Housing and transportation coordination
A. The Housing and Transportation Planning and Coordinating Commission is hereby established as an advisory committee within the Department of Transportation and Development. The primary purpose of the commission shall be to advise the department and the office of community development in the division of administration in coordinating the integration of planning and spending by local governments, parish governing authorities, redevelopment authorities, and the

department on housing and transportation needs. The commission shall recommend multiple modes of transportation and multiple types of housing developments to be planned so as to provide planned recreational growth, more fully integrated and livable communities, and effective spending of public funds for the betterment of life for Louisiana citizens.

B. The commission shall be comprised of the following members:

(1) The secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development, or his designee.

(2) The secretary of the Department of Children and Family Services, or her designee.

(3) The executive director of the office of community development, or his designee.

(4) One member appointed by the commissioner of administration to represent the office of facility planning and control.

(5) The president of the Louisiana Housing Alliance, or his designee.

(6) One member appointed by the National Association of Regional Councils from their Louisiana chapter.

(7) One member appointed by the Louisiana chapter of the Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations.

(8) One member appointed by the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Organization from their Louisiana Chapter.

(9) One member appointed by the Center for Planning Excellence.

(10) Two members of nonprofit housing development organizations appointed by the office of community development.

(11) One member appointed by the Louisiana Housing Council.

(12) One member appointed by the Policy Jury Association of Louisiana.

(13) One member appointed by the Louisiana Municipal Association.

(14) One member appointed by the Louisiana chapter of the American Planning Association.

C. Appointed members of the commission shall serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

D. A vacancy in the office of a member shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment.

E. The commission shall elect a chairman and such other officers as it deems necessary from among its members.

F. Member of the commission shall not receive any salary or reimbursement of expenses for performing their duties as members other than compensation or reimbursement provided by their individual employers.

G. The commission shall create a statewide housing plan for state agencies and conduct a parish-by-parish assessment of housing. The assessment shall be conducted once every five years and the statewide housing plan shall be updated based on the most recent assessment. All parish governing authorities, local governments, and redevelopment authorities shall cooperate with the commission.

(1) The assessments shall document the overall supply of housing including single-family, multi-family, special needs, and institutional housing; conditions of the housing stock; housing cost burden in each parish; and access to transit and job centers in each parish or metropolitan planning area.

(2) As part of its assessment, the commission shall hold not fewer than three public hearings in each region of the state to provide for citizens participation in the development of the plan. In each region, each such hearing shall be held at a different time of day and on a different day of the week from the other meetings in that region in order to maximize the opportunity for citizen participation. Members of the commission shall be invited guests to the public hearings.

(3) The commission, at regular intervals and in public meetings, shall update the department and the office of community development on the progress of the development of the statewide housing plan and maintenance thereof or any updates thereto. The commission shall also submit the developed plan, or once the plan is developed any recommended updates to

such plan, to the department and the office of community development for approval, approval with comments, or rejection at a schedule determined by the department or the office of community development. Any plan or update which is rejected by the department or the office of community development shall not be incorporated into the statewide housing plan.

H. The commission shall advise and provide recommendations to the department and the office of community development in the following areas:

(1) Planning and housing regions of the state.

(2) Public and alternative transportation needs. Such recommendation may include alternative modes of transportation including public transit, bus rapid transit, and rail and bicycle paths.

(3) Estimates on low and moderate income housing needs.

(4) Criteria and guidelines for parishes and municipalities to determine and address their local affordable housing needs, to promote consistency and uniformity in the information obtained and reported.

(5) Criteria and guidelines for parish, municipalities, and redevelopment authorities, and metropolitan planning organizations to coordinate and address local and regional transportation needs, to promote consistency and uniformity in the information obtained and reported.

(6) Schedule and establish criteria to review housing and transportation plans for parishes and municipalities, and provide technical assistance to those parishes and municipalities unable to develop plans consistent with the established criteria and guidelines to determine consistency with established criteria and guidelines to address local affordable housing and transportation needs.

I. The commission shall be staffed by the staff of the department and the office of community development."

On motion of Senator Broome, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Senator Walsworth, the amended bill was read by title and returned to its regular order on Third Reading and Final Passage.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 254—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRIS  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 48:1(19) and 204, relative to scheduled purchasing; to repeal provisions relating to scheduled purchasing by the Department of Transportation and Development; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

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

Total - 36

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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Marionneaux Morrell Quinn
Total - 3

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 281— BY REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1923(D)(1), relative to tax assessors; to require the payment by an assessor of premiums for group insurance for coverage of certain retirees of the office of the assessor in certain parishes; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Morrish
Adley Guillory Mount
Alario Heitmeier Murray
Amedee Jackson Nevers
Appel Kostelka Perry
Broome LaFleur Peterson
Chabert Long Riser
Cheek Martiny Shaw
Claitor McPherson Smith
Crowe Michot Thompson
Donahue Mills Walsworth
Dorsey Morrell Willard-Lewis
Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux Marionneaux Quinn
Total - 3

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 311— BY REPRESENTATIVE LABRUZZO AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:16 and 3996(B)(28), relative to public school employees; to require a school employee to report his arrest for certain sexual offenses involving minors, other crimes, and instances of child abuse or neglect; to provide relative to guidelines, procedures, and time lines for such reporting; to provide relative to administration; to provide definitions; to provide applicability; to provide relative to the failure of the employee to report; to provide effectiveness; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Gautreaux Morrish
Adley Guillory Mount
Alario Heitmeier Murray
Amedee Jackson Nevers
Appel Kostelka Perry
Broome LaFleur Peterson
Chabert Long Riser
Cheek Martiny Shaw
Claitor McPherson Smith
Donahue Michot Thompson
Dorsey Mills Walsworth
Erdey Morrell Willard-Lewis
Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Crowe Marionneaux Quinn
Total - 3

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 191— BY REPRESENTATIVES AUSTIN BADON, MORENO, AND THIBAUT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3141.2(5)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 17:3141.2(5)(o), relative to the definition of a proprietary school; to provide exceptions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Gautreaux Mount
Adley Guillory Murray
Alario Heitmeier Nevers
Amedee Jackson Perry
Appel Kostelka Peterson
Broome LaFleur Riser
Chabert Long Shaw
Cheek Martiny Smith
Claitor McPherson Thompson
Crowe Michot Walsworth
Donahue Mills Willard-Lewis
Dorsey Morrell
Erdey Morrish
Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Marionneaux Quinn
Total - 2

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 323—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES SEABAUGH, AUSTIN BADON, CARMODY,  
 DOWNS, HARDY, RICHARDSON, AND RITCHIE  
 AN ACT

To authorize the Caddo Parish School Board to name the football field at Youree Drive Middle AP Magnet School in honor of Coach Tom Knox; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Gautreaux	Mount
Adley	Guillory	Murray
Alario	Heitmeier	Nevers
Amedee	Jackson	Perry
Appel	Kostelka	Peterson
Broome	LaFleur	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Michot	Walsworth
Donahue	Mills	Willard-Lewis
Dorsey	Morrell	
Erdey	Morrish	
Total - 37		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Marionneaux	Quinn
Total - 2	

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 373—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.8 and 222(C), relative to prekindergarten programs at nonpublic elementary schools; to authorize certain nonpublic schools to develop and offer prekindergarten instruction; to provide for the minimum age at which children enter prekindergarten at nonpublic schools; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Gautreaux	Mount
Adley	Guillory	Murray
Alario	Heitmeier	Nevers
Amedee	Jackson	Perry
Appel	Kostelka	Peterson
Broome	LaFleur	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Michot	Walsworth
Donahue	Mills	Willard-Lewis

Dorsey	Morrell
Erdey	Morrish
Total - 37	

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Marionneaux	Quinn
Total - 2	

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 424—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES MONTOUCET, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE,  
 BARRAS, BISHOP, BROSSETT, CHAMPAGNE, CONNICK, CORTEZ,  
 DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, EDWARDS, ELLINGTON, GISCLAIR,  
 GUILLORY, GUINN, HARDY, HARRISON, HENRY, HUVAL, SAM  
 JONES, LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LOPINTO, PONTI, RITCHIE,  
 ROBIDEAUX, ST. GERMAIN, TEMPLET, AND TUCKER  
 AN ACT

To enact Chapter 14 of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:671 through 674, to provide for the Louisiana French Language Services Program; to provide for identification of employees in state departments who can provide services in French or assist employees in providing services to French-speaking persons; to provide for development and implementation of the program by the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism in concert with the Council for the Development of French in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Gautreaux	Mount
Adley	Guillory	Murray
Alario	Heitmeier	Nevers
Amedee	Jackson	Perry
Appel	Kostelka	Peterson
Broome	LaFleur	Riser
Chabert	Long	Shaw
Cheek	Martiny	Smith
Claitor	McPherson	Thompson
Crowe	Michot	Walsworth
Donahue	Mills	Willard-Lewis
Dorsey	Morrell	
Erdey	Morrish	
Total - 37		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Marionneaux	Quinn
Total - 2	

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

**Senator Broome in the Chair**

**Rules Suspended**

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

Message from the House
PASSED SENATE BILLS AND
JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 13, 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 the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions:

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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 145—
BY SENATORS CLAITOR, ADLEY, AMEDEE, CHABERT, MICHOT, MORRISH, SMITH, ALARIO, APPEL, DONAHUE, ERDEY, GAUTREAU, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MCPHERSON, MILLS, MORRELL, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERRY, SHAW, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH AND WILLARD-LEWIS
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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 121—
BY SENATOR RISER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1533 and 1552(E), 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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 166—
BY SENATORS WALSWORTH AND THOMPSON
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 Greater Ouachita Port 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.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 252—
BY SENATOR ERDEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:1805.1, relative to gravity drainage districts; to authorize the Livingston Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 6 to levy a sales and use tax; to require voter approval of such tax; to provide for the purposes of such tax; to authorize the issuance of bonds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 18—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 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.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATORS ADLEY, ERDEY, HEITMEIER, MCPHERSON, MOUNT, SHAW, ALARIO, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, CHABERT, CHAISSON, CHEEK, GUILLORY, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERRY, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH AND WILLARD-LEWIS AND REPRESENTATIVES BILLIOT, HENRY BURNS, DOERGE, DOWNS, FRANKLIN, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HONORE, HOWARD, NORTON, POPE AND ST. GERMAIN
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.

Reported without amendments.



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.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 100—

BY SENATORS MURRAY, HEITMEIER, MORRELL AND WILLARD-LEWIS AND REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD, AUSTIN BADON, BISHOP, BROSSETT, HENDERSON, LEGER, MORENO AND STIAES

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.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 112—

BY SENATORS ADLEY, NEVERS AND WALSWORTH

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.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

CONCURRING IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 13, 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. 69—

BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE NOWLIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana School for Math, Science, and the Arts upon being named one of the "Public Elite High Schools" in America by The Washington Post.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—

BY SENATOR MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVE BROSSETT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Martha Grand Chapter, Order of Eastern Star in honor of their annual Grand Session to be held on June 26 through June 30, 2011, in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—  
BY SENATOR MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mrs. LouAnn Gerard, Director of Patient Relations at LSU University Medical Center, on the occasion of her retirement.

Reported without amendments.

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 105—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Richard E. D'Aquin upon the occasion of his retirement from the Louisiana Board of Regents and to recognize his years of service to the board and to the state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 106—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors to design and implement a reverse auction pilot program to be utilized by state hospitals which are managed by the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors.

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

Introduction of  
Senate Concurrent Resolutions

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—

BY SENATOR ERDEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the members of the Louisiana delegation to the United States Congress, the governor, and the director of the Louisiana Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness (GOHSEP) to assist Livingston Parish in successfully resolving outstanding administrative appeals filed with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for reimbursement of costs incurred in association with debris removal in the aftermath of Hurricane Gustav.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East to limit travel expenses payable to travel only between a board member's permanent residence and the location of a board meeting, and to prohibit the payment of rental car expenses for a board member who does not reside within ninety miles of the board meeting location.

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

June 13, 2011

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 13, 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 Bills and Joint Resolutions:

- HB No. 3 HB No. 121 HB No. 151
HB No. 203 HB No. 248 HB No. 316
HB No. 460 HB No. 467

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions

Senator Mount asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read House Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time by title and refer them to committee.

HOUSE BILL NO. 3— BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE AN ACT

To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2011, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 121— BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTON AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895.1(C) and R.S. 15:574.4.2(A)(2)(o), relative to fees for probation and parole supervision; to provide for an increase in the fees which may be charged to defray the costs of probation and parole supervision; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 151— BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:710(A)(4), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to allow certain reemployed retirees to receive benefits during reemployment; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 203— BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:85.1, relative to compensation of state officials and employees; to require legislative approval for a state official or employee to receive compensation in excess of a certain limitation; to provide for approval procedures and effectiveness; to provide exceptions; to provide for approval of compensation when the legislature is not in session; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 248— BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 316— BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(F), relative to illegal carrying of weapons; to provide with respect to prior offenses; to authorize the use of convictions of ordinances as predicate offenses for the purpose of increased penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 460— BY REPRESENTATIVE LABRUZZO AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:460.11 and Subpart BB of Part I of Chapter I of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.95, relative to funds for drug testing and treatment of adult recipients of certain public assistance; to create the Family Independence Temporary Assistance Program Drug Testing and Treatment Fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for a refund checkoff on individual state income tax returns for 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 Judiciary B.

HOUSE BILL NO. 467— BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part VI of Chapter 39 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and 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.

Rules Suspended

Senator Claitor asked for a suspension of the rules to recommit a bill.

Senator Murray objected.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Alario	Crowe	Long
Appel	Erdey	Nevers
Claitor	Gautreaux	Shaw
Total - 9		

**NAYS**

Broome	Martiny	Peterson
Chabert	Michot	Smith
Donahue	Mills	Thompson
Dorsey	Morrish	Walsworth
Heitmeier	Mount	Willard-Lewis
Jackson	Murray	
LaFleur	Perry	
Total - 19		

**ABSENT**

Mr. President	Guillory	Morrell
Adley	Kostelka	Quinn
Amedee	Marionneaux	Riser
Cheek	McPherson	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the Senate refused to suspend the rules.

**Message from the House**

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 13, 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. 164	HCR No. 165	HCR No. 166
HCR No. 167	HCR No. 168	HCR No. 169
HCR No. 170	HCR No. 171	

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions**

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 164—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KATZ  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the health impacts and fiscal benefits to this state of implementing a Medicaid 1115 demonstration waiver to expand services to pre-disabled people living with HIV and to report the results of such study to the House Committee on Health and Welfare, the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, the House Committee on Appropriations, and the Senate Committee on Finance 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 Health and Welfare.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 165—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT AND SENATOR WALSWORTH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend James Trellis and Nellie Simmons Taylor of Haynesville upon the celebration of their sixtieth wedding anniversary.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 166—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBIDEAUX AND HARDY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Lafayette Little League Challenger Team in its effort to travel to the Little League World Series.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 167—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources, in consultation with the office of conservation, the attorney general, and the Department of Environmental Quality, to study the remediation of "legacy" and orphaned exploration and production oilfield sites and to report to the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources no later than February 1, 2012.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 168—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Natural Resources, in conjunction with the Pointe Coupee Parish Police Jury, to assume the role of lead local project sponsor for the False River Aquatic Resources Ecosystem Restoration Project.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 169—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Roastin' with Rosie Barbeque Festival in Jefferson Davis Parish and to recognize it as an official state championship barbeque contest.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 170—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to ensure that no reductions are made to benefits for Social Security recipients.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 171—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the members of the Louisiana delegation to the United States Congress, the governor, and the director of the Louisiana Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness (GOHSEP) to assist Livingston Parish in successfully resolving outstanding administrative appeals filed with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

for reimbursement of costs incurred in association with debris removal in the aftermath of Hurricane Gustav.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS

Senator Robert M. Marionneau, Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 13, 2011

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSALIND JONES A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Association of Tax Administrators to conduct a survey of local governmental taxing authorities regarding the collection of sales and use tax on transactions occurring over the Internet.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 207— BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.18.5, relative to taxing authority of municipalities; to authorize certain municipalities, subject to voter approval, to levy and collect a hotel occupancy tax; to provide relative to collection and use of proceeds of the tax; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 209— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1541(B) and to enact R.S. 47:1541(D) and 1601(A)(2)(e), relative to the Department of Revenue; to provide relative to the audit of taxpayer records by the department; to provide the purposes for which sampling audits may be utilized; to authorize the use of managed audits at the secretary's discretion under certain circumstances; to authorize agreements regarding managed audits; to provide for definitions; to provide for limitations; to authorize the discretionary waiver of interest; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 247— BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.14(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:301(10)(hh) and (14)(k), relative to sales and use tax imposed by the state and certain other political subdivisions; to exclude certain sales of tangible personal property and services sold at certain events sponsored by a tax exempt nonprofit organization; to exclude certain sales of tangible personal property and services sold at certain events sponsored by a tax

exempt nonprofit organization when the organization has contracted for certain services associated with the event; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 348— BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, ABRAMSON, ARNOLD, AUSTIN, BADONE, BALDONE, BARRAS, BROSSETT, BURRELL, CHANDLER, GREENE, HENDERSON, HINES, GIROD JACKSON, MORENO, NOWLIN, STIAES, AND TEMPLET AND SENATORS HEITMEIER, MORRELL, AND WILLARD-LEWIS AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 479 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 188 of the 2007 Regular Session of the Legislature, and R.S. 47:297.6(A)(1), relative to individual income tax credits; to decrease the amount of rehabilitation costs which qualify for the tax credit; to increase the amount of the tax credit for the rehabilitation of certain residential structures; to extend the taxable periods in which the tax credit shall be applicable; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 349— BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, ABRAMSON, ARNOLD, AUSTIN, BADONE, BALDONE, BARRAS, BISHOP, BROSSETT, BURRELL, CARTER, CHANDLER, GREENE, HENDERSON, HINES, HOFFMANN, GIROD JACKSON, MORENO, RICHARD, SIMON, JANE SMITH, STIAES, AND TALBOT AND SENATORS HEITMEIER, MORRELL, AND WILLARD-LEWIS AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 60 of the 2002 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 12 of the 2004 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature and Act No. 182 of the 2007 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits; to provide relative to the income and franchise tax credits for costs associated with the rehabilitation of certain historic structures; to extend the taxable periods in which the credit shall be applicable; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 491— BY REPRESENTATIVE MICHAEL JACKSON AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1517(F), relative to the tax exemption budget; to require hearings of the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs on the tax exemption budget; to authorize certain reports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 508— BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.66, relative to state sales and use tax; to authorize an exemption from state sales and use tax for the purchase of certain motor vehicles which have been or will be modified for use by a person with an orthopedic disability; to provide for requirements; to authorize the payment of rebates; to authorize rulemaking; to provide for applicability and an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 550— BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON 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. 47:120.95, 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 Make-A-Wish Foundation of the Texas Gulf Coast and Louisiana for the purpose of granting wishes to children in

Louisiana who have life-threatening medical conditions; to provide for the disposition of such donated monies; to establish the Make-A-Wish Foundation of the Texas Gulf Coast and Louisiana 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 reporting; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 595—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LABRUZZO, BALDONE, BARRAS, CHANDLER, GREENE, HOFFMANN, RICHARD, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, JANE SMITH, AND TEMPLET

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(B)(1), relative to tax credits; to provide relative to the tax credit for wind or solar energy systems; to authorize the state tax credit in addition to federal grants for the same system; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 619—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-46 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.841 through 130.848, relative to economic and community development in Orleans Parish; to create the Louisiana Sports and Entertainment District as a political subdivision of the state; to provide for the boundaries and governance of the district; to provide for the board of commissioners and its authority, powers, duties, and functions; to provide for the imposition of fees on the use or occupancy of properties in the district; to provide for the authority to create subdistricts within the district; to authorize the district to issue and sell bonds and other debt obligations and to finance debt by the pledge of tax increments; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 632—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.95(K) and 606(A)(1)(e), relative to corporation income and franchise tax; to provide for the method of determining certain taxable revenue from broadcasting film or radio programming which is attributable to activity in Louisiana; to provide for definitions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBERT M. MARIONNEAUX, JR.  
Chairman

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

Senator Erdey asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions just reported by Committees.

**SENATE BILL NO. 229—**

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2002(A)(1) and (4)(a), 2218.2(A)(1) and (2)(a), 2218.8(B) and (G) and 2218.10 and to enact Subpart F of Part III of Chapter 6 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1460.3, relative to additional pay for certain law enforcement officers; to increase

the amount of monthly compensation; and to provide for related matters.

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Finance. The bill was read by title; the committee substitute bill was read.

**SENATE BILL NO. — (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 229 by Senator Marionneaux)**

BY SENATORS MARIONNEAUX, ALARIO, CHEEK, DONAHUE, ERDEY, JACKSON, LAFLEUR, LONG, MICHOT, MURRAY AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2201(B)(20), relative to law enforcement; to include state employees engaged in an investigation, serving a subpoena, or collecting evidence of a possible violation of state law as law enforcement officers for whom certain benefits are provided to surviving spouses and children in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

AN ACT

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 33:2201(B)(20) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2201. Financial security for surviving spouses and children of law enforcement officers in certain cases

\* \* \*

B. Law enforcement officers, within the meaning of this Section, shall include:

\* \* \*

**(20) On and after January 1, 2011, all state employees conducting investigations, serving subpoenas, or collecting evidence concerning the affairs of a person upon a reasonable belief that the person has engaged in, or is engaging in, an act or practice that violates state law.**

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Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

On motion of Senator Jackson, the committee substitute bill was adopted and becomes Senate Bill No. 271 by Senator Marionneaux, substitute for Senate Bill No. 229 by Senator Marionneaux.

**SENATE BILL NO. 271— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 229 by Senator Marionneaux)**

BY SENATORS MARIONNEAUX, ALARIO, CHEEK, DONAHUE, ERDEY, JACKSON, LAFLEUR, LONG, MICHOT, MURRAY AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2201(B)(20), relative to law enforcement; to include state employees engaged in an investigation, serving a subpoena, or collecting evidence of a possible violation of state law as law enforcement officers for whom certain benefits are provided to surviving spouses and children in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Dorsey asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to allow the Senate Committee on Judiciary C to hear House Bill No. 497 without the required 24-hour notice.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

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

June 13, 2011

June 10, 2011

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 65— BY SENATOR DORSEY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Reverend Thomas N. Bessix on being named the President of the Fourth District's Congress of Christian Education.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 69— BY SENATOR MOUNT

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, June 2, 2011, as March of Dimes Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 70— BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Tunica-Biloxi Tribe of Louisiana for its many contributions made to the state with its history, culture, and people, and to proclaim Monday, June 6, 2011, as Tunica-Biloxi Day at the Senate.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 71— BY SENATOR MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Breaux Bridge High School football coaches, Paul Broussard, Brent Angelle, Kevin Bonhomme, John Muder, and Rickey Poulan for their emergency planning, training, preparedness, and actions which saved the life of football player, Tedrick Lewis.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 72— BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend Courtney Lynn Mumphrey on being selected as a member of the Tiger Twelve Class of 2011.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 73— BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Dr. Doyle Roach Hamilton, Jr.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 67— BY SENATOR PETERSON

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, June 2, 2011, as Red and White Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 68— BY SENATORS MOUNT AND ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and extend enduring gratitude to the United Methodist Committee on Relief and the Louisiana Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church for their leadership across our state and their assistance in the recovery from the challenges this state has faced as a result of recent natural disasters and proclaims June 8, 2011, as "Louisiana Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church" and "United Methodist Committee on Relief" day in Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 74— BY SENATORS MCPHERSON, ADLEY, ALARIO, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, CHABERT, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CLAITOR, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY, ERDEY, GAUTREAUX, GULLORY, HEITMEIER, JACKSON, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MICHOT, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERRY, PETERSON, QUINN, RISER, SHAW, SMITH, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH AND WILLARD-LEWIS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Michael Howard Madison on his retirement from Cleco Corporation.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 75— BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Eric B. Taylor.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 76— BY SENATOR MOUNT

A RESOLUTION

To proclaim Tuesday, June 7, 2011, as Nurse-Family Partnership Day at the Louisiana Senate.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 77— BY SENATOR MOUNT

A RESOLUTION

To proclaim Tuesday, June 7, 2011, as "Girl Scouts of the USA Day" at the Louisiana Senate and commend Girl Scouts of the USA for its many contributions and continued dedication to girls in the United States and around the world.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 80— BY SENATOR ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, June 7, 2011, as "Louisiana Industry for Film and Entertainment Day" in the state of Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 78— BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To commend Toni Hawkins-Bailey, Renee Chatelain, and Greg Williams, Jr., for their contributions to the performing arts in the African American community.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 82— BY SENATOR JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, June 8, 2011, as Children's Defense Fund Day and to commend the Children's Defense Fund.

Respectfully submitted, ROBERT W. "BOB" KOSTELKA Chairman

The foregoing Senate Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate and presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary on June 10, 2011.

Message to the Secretary of State

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 10, 2011

To the Honorable Secretary of State:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42— BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE NOWLIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the St. Mary's High School of Natchitoches baseball team for winning the 2011 Class 1A State Championship.

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**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43—**  
BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE NOWLIN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Northwestern State University of Louisiana "Spirit of Northwestern Demon Marching Band" on its one hundredth anniversary.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—**  
BY SENATOR ERDEY AND REPRESENTATIVE POPE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of state parks to study the use of golf carts by certain individuals within Louisiana state parks.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 48—**  
BY SENATOR MOUNT  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the St. Louis High School baseball team on winning the 2011 Class 4A state championship.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—**  
BY SENATOR MOUNT  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Children's Miracle Network of Southwest Louisiana and to congratulate Taylor Oliver on her selection as a Champion by the Children's Miracle Network Hospitals.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—**  
BY SENATORS PERRY AND WALSWORTH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the organizers of the Louisiana Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership seminars and to recognize June 3, 2011, as Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Day in the state of Louisiana.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—**  
BY SENATOR LONG  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Dr. Harry Briggs on the momentous occasion of his ninetieth birthday and celebrating his third year in a row, swimming two miles in Kincaid Lake and on his lifetime of commitment and devotion to his family, friends and to education in Louisiana.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54—**  
BY SENATOR DORSEY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Baton Rouge Magnet High School graduate, David Michael Holmes, upon being selected as the 2011 Louisiana Student of the Year and to recognize his extraordinary accomplishments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—**  
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR AND REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the people of Evangeline Parish and the Evangeline Centennial Project, to recognize the One Hundredth Anniversary of Evangeline Parish, and to celebrate those efforts made to encourage historic preservation of the rich cultural heritage of Acadiana.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—**  
BY SENATOR BROOME  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the black pioneers of nursing at Baton Rouge General Hospital and to recognize the special place they hold in the history of the state of Louisiana.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—**  
BY SENATOR CHEEK  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Seth Irby upon selection as a member of the Louisiana State University Tiger Twelve Class of 2011 and for his many academic accomplishments and community service efforts.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—**  
BY SENATOR MOUNT AND REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Sam Houston High School on winning the Class 4A Girls High School State Softball Championship.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60—**  
BY SENATOR MILLS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Workforce Commission to establish a website to provide relevant and current information to the oilfield workers of Louisiana.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61—**  
BY SENATORS THOMPSON, KOSTELKA, RISER AND WALSWORTH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents to work with the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges to study the two-year college services offered to the greater northeast Louisiana area, and to determine how the state can best meet the educational needs of students and the economic and workforce development needs of this region of the state.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64—**  
BY SENATOR PERRY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend LSU Eunice Lady Bengals softball team on winning the NJCAA Division II National Championship.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 67—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study possible methods which would increase the provision of graduate medical education in central Louisiana by designating certain hospitals which enter into public/private partnerships with Huey P. Long Medical Center as major teaching hospitals for purposes of Medicaid reimbursement.

Respectfully submitted,  
GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions were presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary on June 10, 2011.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on  
Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

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

June 13, 2011

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—**  
BY SENATOR GAUTREUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to review and consider eliminating provisions of federal law, which reduce Social Security benefits for those receiving pension benefits from federal, state, or local government retirement or pension systems, plans, or funds.

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—  
BY SENATOR PERRY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request United States Postal Service to keep the post office in the Village of Maurice open.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66—  
BY SENATOR CROWE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Army Corps of Engineers and the United States Coast Guard to gather the information learned during the 2011 Mississippi River floods, report their findings to the legislature, and incorporate such findings into updated plans for possible future flooding conditions on the lower Mississippi River.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 72—  
BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Thursday, June 9, 2011, as University of New Orleans Day at the Louisiana Legislature and to commend the university for its significant and lasting contributions to the state of Louisiana.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBERT W. "BOB" KOSTELKA  
Chairman

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

Message from the House  
SIGNED HOUSE BILLS AND  
JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 13, 2011

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2185, relative to sheriff and deputy sheriffs; to authorize a sheriff or a deputy sheriff to purchase his firearm upon retirement; to provide for certain criteria; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 28—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS, AUBERT, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BILLIOT, BROSSETT, BURRELL, CARTER, CHANDLER, CHANEY, DIXON, FANNIN, GALLOT, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, HARRISON, HENRY, HILL, HINES, HOFFMANN, ROSALIND JONES, LEGER, LORUSSO, MONTOU CET, POPE, RICHARDSON, RITCHE, GARY SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STIAES, TALBOT, TEMPLET, AND WILLIAMS AND SENATORS ADLEY, MARIONNEAUX, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:784(A)(8)(d), (e), and (f), relative to the Veterans' Honor Medal Program; to provide relative to the application for Honor Medals; to provide for methods of distribution of Honor Medals; to require delivery of medals within a specified period of time in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 33—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1448(H)(1) and to enact R.S. 33:1448(H)(3), relative to payment of group insurance premiums for persons retired from the Assumption Parish Sheriff's Office; to require service with the Assumption Parish Sheriff's Office for a specified number of years after a specified date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2575.4, relative to ordinance violations in West Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for administrative adjudications; to provide for definitions; to provide for violations subject to administrative adjudication procedures; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 55—  
BY REPRESENTATIVES THIERRY, ARNOLD, BILLIOT, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, CARMODY, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, EDWARDS, GREENE, GUINN, HAZEL, HENRY, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, HUTTER, KATZ, LANDRY, LEBAS, MORENO, PONTI, POPE, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, ROY, SEABAUGH, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THIBAUT, AND WILLIAMS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:91.5, relative to sex offenders; to create the crime of unlawful use or access of social media; to prohibit certain convicted sex offenders from using or accessing social networking websites, chat rooms, and peer-to-peer networks; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 64—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOBBY BADON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:116.1(C)(2)(c), relative to taking nuisance animals; to add to the list of nuisance animals; to provide for additional methods to take nuisance animals that are destroying crawfish in commercial ponds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 91—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROY  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:1496.14, relative to fire protection districts; to abolish the Rapides Parish Tri Fire Protection District.

HOUSE BILL NO. 93—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1496(B)(5), relative to fire protection districts; to provide for additional members of the board of commissioners of Caddo Parish Fire District Number One; to provide relative to the appointment and terms of the additional members; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 113—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
AN ACT

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 169—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY AND SENATOR CHEEK  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:116.1(D)(3), relative to hunting; to authorize the use of sound suppressors when taking nongame nuisance quadrupeds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 187—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOBBY BADON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1321(H), relative to sex offenders; to prohibit certain sex offenders from obtaining a special identification card without charge; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 192—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(f)(iii) and (iv) and 2212.1(B)(4)(c) and (d) and to enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(f)(vi) and (vii) and 2212.1(B)(4)(f), relative to public contracts; to provide an exception for electronic bidding in certain parishes;



to authorize public entities to require electronic bidding; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 208—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SAM JONES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:321, relative to the Morgan City Harbor and Terminal District; to expand the territorial limits of the Morgan City Harbor and Terminal District; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 228—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:462(B)(3)(a) and (6) and (C), 475, and 508(F), relative to truck registration taxes or fees; to modify registration tax or fee schedule for trucks of certain weights; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 229—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:93.3(C), relative to cruelty to the infirmed; to amend the definition of "aged person"; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 241—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2590.1(A)(1), relative to justice of the peace courts; to provide for the appointment of a clerk of court in certain parishes; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 253—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAMPAGNE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:415.1(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), (c), and (f), relative to driver's license suspensions and revocations; to provide for economic and medical hardship license application procedures; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 261—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1254(A)(19) and (E)(9)(d), 1261(6)(a), and 1262(B)(1) and (4) and to enact R.S. 32:1262(B)(5) through (7), relative to the sale and distribution of motor vehicles; to exclude nonresident exhibitors from licensure by the Motor Vehicle Commission; to exempt recreational products dealers from certain licensure, franchise modification, and warranty requirements under certain circumstances; to provide for certain prohibited acts involving franchise agreements; to provide guidelines for audits of dealer records; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 262—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHARDSON AND TIM BURNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2636(5), relative to authentic evidence for executory proceedings; to provide for certain documentary evidence deemed to be authentic; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 284—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLMOTT, BILLIOT, CONNICK, HENRY, LABRUZZO, LIGI, AND LOPINTO AND SENATORS APPEL, MARTINY, AND QUINN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:21.1, relative to public records; to provide a public records exemption for certain records in the custody of the Jefferson Parish Personnel Department; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 294—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES THIBAUT, ANDERS, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BILLIOT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, CARMODY, CHANDLER, CHANEY, DOWNS, EDWARDS, ELLINGTON, FANNIN, GALLOT, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HILL, LEBAS, LITTLE, MONTOUCET, NOWLIN, GARY SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, AND WOOTON AND SENATOR CHEEK  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:116.1(D), relative to hunting; to provide for the trapping of outlaw quadrupeds, nutria, or beaver; to provide for trapping of feral hogs; to provide for the method of such taking on private property; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 331—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LIGI, BILLIOT, CONNICK, HENRY, LABRUZZO, LIGI, LOPINTO, TEMPLET, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS APPEL, MARTINY, MORRELL, AND QUINN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9612.1, relative to certain local governmental subdivisions; to authorize certain local governmental subdivisions to adopt and enforce local codes of conduct or ethics ordinances; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 355—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROSETT, ABRAMSON, ARNOLD, AUSTIN, BADON, BISHOP, HENDERSON, LIGI, MORENO, AND STIAES AND SENATORS HEITMEIER, MORRELL, AND WILLARD-LEWIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4071(B) and to enact R.S. 33:4071(A)(3), relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the sewerage and water board of the city; to provide relative to the authority of the mayor to designate a person to attend meetings of the board in his absence; to provide relative to the qualifications and powers and duties of any such person; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 402—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL AND SENATOR MILLS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(F), relative to city courts; to provide relative to city court jurisdiction; to increase the jurisdictional amount in dispute for the City Court of Breaux Bridge; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 466—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:2212, relative to Calcasieu Parish; to provide relative to the sale of adjudicated property by the parish; to authorize the governing authority of the parish to sell such property without notification to political subdivisions created by the parish, subject to limitations; to provide relative to the cancellation of tax liens, assessments, penalties, or other charges; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 492—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HENDERSON AND ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1083(16) and 1087(E)(9) and to enact R.S. 6:1087(E)(10) and (11) and (F)(11), relative to residential mortgage lenders; to establish an exemption from licensure as a residential mortgage loan originator; to delete provisions defining an employee of a registered mortgage loan originator; to provide for severability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 599—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:851.27(B)(8), relative to the operation of watercraft; to authorize the parish of St. Tammany to regulate or prohibit the operation of watercraft; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

The House Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Message from the House**

**SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 13, 2011

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 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.

**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.

**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.

**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.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—**  
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 U.S. Highway 165 and Richwood Road No. 2 in Ouachita Parish.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance (LOSFA) to study the feasibility, including potential costs and savings, of requiring repayment of the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students (TOPS) by a student for any particular semester during the first two award years if the student does not make academic progress or fails to maintain full-time standing.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents, the Department of Revenue, and the Louisiana Workforce Commission to continue to work cooperatively relative to the reporting and sharing of certain information and data, including but not limited to information and data related to the success of Louisiana's postsecondary graduates in the workforce, and to submit jointly a written report of further progress relative to such cooperation and any recommendations for related legislation 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.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 70—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE 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, as well as an account of the use of hurricane recovery funds with respect to the repair and reconstruction of schools in the Lower Ninth Ward, 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.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHRODER, BARRAS, BURFORD, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, DANAHAY, HARRISON, HENRY, HOFFMANN, LIGI, LORUSSO, NOWLIN, PEARSON, PUGH, RICHARD, SEABAUGH, AND TALBOT AND SENATOR NEVERS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents to study alternative uses of underutilized facilities at public postsecondary education institutions.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 92—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study and encourage the presence of chapters of Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD) in schools throughout the state and to submit a written report of findings, conclusions, and progress 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.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 110—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER AND SENATOR NEVERS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents to study the disparity in tuition charged at public four-year universities as compared to their Southern Regional Education Board peers, to develop a proposal for amending the GRAD Act in a way that will mitigate the disparity, and to submit the proposal to the legislature.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 120—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE AND SENATOR BROOME  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Juvenile Justice Reform Act Implementation Commission to commission a study to assess the current state of the juvenile justice system, to evaluate the improvements made to the system in the preceding five years, to issue recommendations for a five-year plan for juvenile justice reform, and to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the legislature no later than thirty days prior to the convening of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 157—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend John Peterson of Louisiana State University upon winning the 2011 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Men's Golf Championship.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 158—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Austin Ernst of Louisiana State University upon winning the 2011 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Women's Golf Championship.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 159—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN AND SENATOR MORRISH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Jennings High School track and field team upon being recognized by the Louisiana High School Athletic Association as the rightful winner of the Class 4A state championship in the boys 4x100 meter relay event.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study agreements to voluntarily extend liberative prescriptive periods and to make specific recommendations for authorizing agreements to extend liberative prescriptive periods.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to study adding revolvers with a cylinder capacity of no more than six cartridges, either single or double action, .44 caliber minimum of a type manufactured prior to 1900 to the list of firearms authorized to use during the special deer hunting season for primitive firearms.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRIS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to begin the process to designate Caddo Lake as a National Heritage Area.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to study the deer bag limits established in its hunting rules and regulations.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 97—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to study the creel limits on freshwater fish established in its fishing rules and regulations.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 138—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the black pioneers of nursing at Baton Rouge General Hospital and to recognize the special place they hold in the history of the state of Louisiana.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 139—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, June 2, 2011, as Red and White Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 141—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize August 11, 2011, as Fibromyalgia Awareness Day in Louisiana.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 142—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to dedicate a portion of marine and fishery product import tariffs to a national seafood marketing fund for the promotion of Louisiana seafood.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 151—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CHAMPAGNE, BALDONE, AND LEGER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Monday, June 6, 2011, as Coastal Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the secretaries of the Department of Health and Hospitals and the Department of Children and Family Services to study the consolidation of the two departments into one department and to present a report on the findings and conclusions of such study to the legislature.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON AND SENATORS CHEEK,  
GAUTREAUX, MILLS, MOUNT, AND NEVERS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Office of Group Benefits to conduct a study on the financial benefits of establishing a program to address the high rate of obesity in Louisiana and to report the findings to the Legislature of Louisiana no later than January 1, 2012.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 147—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana State University School of Veterinary Medicine on its accomplishments and contributions and to request that it continue to increase the percentage of Louisiana resident students in each class, especially Louisiana residents interested in large animal studies, and that it report to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education by October first each year regarding its progress in implementing this policy.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 148—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MONICA AND GARY SMITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Leroy D. Williams, president of the St. John the Baptist Parish Library Board of Control, for forty-five years of outstanding service.

June 13, 2011

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 149—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MONICA AND GARY SMITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Norris J. Millet, vice president of the St. John the Baptist Parish Library Board of Control, for forty-five years of outstanding service.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 153—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Charles J. Oubre for his many years of service as St. Charles Parish Clerk of Court.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 154—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize November 2011 as Lung Cancer Awareness Month.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 155—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES KATZ, BARROW, CHAMPAGNE, DOERGE, HILL, HUTTER, ROSALIND JONES, LANDRY, MORENO, NORTON, JANÉ SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STIAES, AND THIERRY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, June 15, 2011, as Capitol Day for the Cure and commend Susan G. Komen for the Cure® for its unwavering dedication to the fight against breast cancer.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 156—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES ANDERS, BISHOP, ELLINGTON, PUGH, PATRICIA SMITH, AND STIAES  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize November 9, 2011, as Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy (DPN) Awareness Day in Louisiana.

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

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

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

**ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**

PRESENT

Mr. President	Gautreaux	Morrish
Adley	Guillory	Mount
Alario	Heitmeier	Murray
Amedee	Jackson	Nevers
Appel	Kostelka	Perry
Broome	LaFleur	Peterson
Chabert	Long	Riser
Cheek	Marionneaux	Shaw
Claitor	Martiny	Smith
Crowe	McPherson	Thompson
Donahue	Michot	Walsworth
Dorsey	Mills	Willard-Lewis
Erdey	Morrell	
Total - 38		

ABSENT

Quinn  
Total - 1

**Leaves of Absence**

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Quinn 1 Day

**Announcements**

The following committee meetings for June 14, 2011, were announced:

Agriculture	11:00 A.M.	Room C
Environmental Qual.	10:00 A.M.	Room F
Judiciary A	9:00 A.M.	Hainkel Room
Judiciary B	9:30 A.M.	Room E
Judiciary C	11:30 A.M.	Room F
Retirement	9:00 A.M.	Room C

**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 6:20 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, June 14, 2011, at 1:00 o'clock P.M.

The President Pro Tempore of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 1:00 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, June 14, 2011.

GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN  
Journal Clerk