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FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

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Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, March 14, 2016

The Senate was called to order at 12:05 o'clock P.M. by Hon. John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Johns	Peacock
Appel	LaFleur	Perry
Boudreaux	Lambert	Riser
Brown	Long	Smith, G.
Carter	Luneau	Smith, J.
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Claitor	Milkovich	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Donahue	Mizell	White
Erdey	Morrell	
Fannin	Morrish	
Total - 31		

ABSENT

Allain	Colomb	Peterson
Barrow	Gatti	Tarver
Bishop	Hewitt	
Total - 8		

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

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Reverend M. Jeffery Bayhi, 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 Lambert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of March 9, 2016, was adopted.

Rules Suspended

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

Senator Long asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to introduce and read Senate Resolutions a first and second time and act upon them.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

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

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

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

Senators Appel,
Cortez,
Erdey,
Johns and
Long.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

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

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

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

Senators Claitor,
Donahue,
LaFleur,
Morrish and
John Smith.

Reports of Committees

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

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

**Committee from the
House of Representatives**

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

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable John Bel Edwards, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

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

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain	Bishop	Smith, J.
Appel	LaFleur	Tarver

Total - 6

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

Prefiled and Introduced Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions to be Referred

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1— BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 14 in Calcasieu Parish as the "Louisiana State Trooper Steven Vincent Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2— BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:542.2, 883.4, 1145.3, and 1332.1, to authorize payments funded by state retirement system experience accounts to certain retirees and beneficiaries; to provide qualifications for receipt of such payments; to provide relative to the amount of such 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 3— BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 11:2252, 2252(4), 2256(A), and 2257(K)(3)(a) and (b), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility, benefits, and accrual rates; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 4— BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:703, relative to the timing of board of trustees meetings at Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 5— BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(e), relative to projected noninvestment related administrative expenses for the state retirement systems; to provide for calculation of liabilities; to provide for funding of the liabilities; to provide for the determination of contributions required to fund the liabilities; to include certain administrative expenses in that determination; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 6— BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1149, relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to contributions of members out of service for five years; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 7— BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1137, relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to requirements for certain purchases of service credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 8— BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1152(G)(1), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to disbursements from deferred retirement option plan subaccounts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 9— BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1142(C) and to enact R.S. 11:1142(D), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for receipt of a retirement allowance after withdrawal from service; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 10—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(a), relative to the payment of certain administrative expenses at the Louisiana State Police Retirement System; to provide for calculation of the normal cost; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 11—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1925.13, relative to the assessor in the Beauregard Parish Assessment District; to authorize the assessor in such district to receive an automobile expense allowance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 12—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1345.7(B), to enact R.S. 11:1313(D) and 1345.7(D), and to repeal R.S. 11:211, relative to disability benefits for the Louisiana State Police Retirement System; to provide for technical changes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 13—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1821(B), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to the voting power of the board of trustees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 14—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:411(12), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for system membership; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:411(12), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for system membership; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 16—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2178(D)(4), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide for the death benefits of survivors of certain members; to provide for qualifications to receive death benefits; to provide for benefit calculations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 17—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:932, relative to the optional retirement plan; to provide for election to join the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for membership; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 18—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(1), (2), (3)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (d)(introductory paragraph), (i), (ii), (iii), and (iv), (4), and (5)(a) and (b), (C), and (D), 102.1(B)(4), (5), and (6) and (C)(2), (4), (5), and (6), 102.2(B)(4) and (5) and (C)(2), (4), (5), and (6), 102.3, 542, 883.1(A), (B), (C), (E), (F), and (G), 927(B)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (i) and (b)(i) and (3)(a), 1145.1, and 1332, to enact R.S. 11:102(E) and (F), 102.1(A)(4), (B)(3)(a)(iv), (C)(3)(d), and (D), 102.2(A)(4), (B)(3)(a)(iv), (C)(3)(d), and (D), 102.4, 102.5, 102.6, and 883.1(D), and to repeal R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(d)(v), (vi), (vii), and (viii) and 883.1(H), to provide for actuarial determinations and application of retirement system funds without allowing, authorizing, or granting benefit improvements; to provide for the determination of required employer contributions and application of investment earnings to certain debts and accounts; to prioritize excess return allocations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 19—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1530.1, 1530.2, and 1530.3, relative to the Clerks' of Court Retirement and Relief Fund; to provide for retirement options; to allow certain members to participate in a back-deferred retirement option program; to allow rescission of past participation in the deferred retirement option plan; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 20—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(1), (2), (3)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (d)(introductory paragraph), (i), (ii), (iii), and (iv), (4), and (5)(a) and (b), (C), and (D), 102.1(B)(4), (5), and (6) and (C)(2), (4), (5), and (6), 102.2(B)(4) and (5) and (C)(2), (4), (5), and (6), 102.3, 542(A), (B), (C), (E), and (F), 883.1(A), (B), (C), (E), and (F), 927(B)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (i) and (b)(i) and (3)(a), 1145.1(A), (B), (C), (D), and (E), and 1332(A), (B), (C), (D), (E), and (F), to enact R.S. 11:102(E) and (F), 102.1(A)(4), (B)(3)(a)(iv), (C)(3)(d), and (D), 102.2(A)(4), (B)(3)(a)(iv), (C)(3)(d), and (D), 102.4, 102.5, 102.6, 542(D), and 883.1(D), and to repeal R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(d)(v), (vi), (vii), and (viii), 542(G), 883.1(G) and (H), 1145.1(F), and 1332(G), to provide for actuarial determinations and application of retirement system funds without allowing, authorizing, or granting benefit improvements; to provide for the determination of required employer contributions and application of investment earnings to certain debts and accounts; to prioritize excess return allocations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 21—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2018.4(H), relative to the Louisiana Obesity Prevention and Management Commission; to provide for a termination date of the commission; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 22—

BY SENATOR CHABERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:508.4(A)(1), relative to the Multimodal Commerce Advisory Commission; to change the chair of the commission to the commissioner of multimodal commerce; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 23—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(3) and (5) and to enact R.S. 9:3411 and R.S. 12:1705, relative to business filings; to provide relative to the submission of certain information to the secretary of state; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for public records; to provide for certain exceptions; to provide for certain terms and conditions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 24—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(5), relative to parole; to provide for parole consideration for certain persons; to provide for certain ameliorative penalty provisions; to provide for certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 25—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to legislative sessions; to limit the length and provide for subject matter of regular sessions of the legislature; to provide for matters related to the conduct of such sessions; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 26—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Arts. 655 and 656, relative to servitudes; to provide relative to natural servitudes; to provide relative to natural drainage, obligations of owners, and dominant and servient estates; to provide certain terms and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 27—

BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1763(A) and 1766(A) and (B), relative to motor vehicle rental insurers; to provide with respect to limited licensing; to authorize employees and authorized agents to be licensed under a limited licensee's license when acting for or on behalf of a limited licensee; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 28—

BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:385.1(A), relative to qualifications of an elected chief of police; to provide relative to the town of Gueydan; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 29—

BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:921(A) and 922(A) and to enact Subpart C of Part VII of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:931 through 938, relative to the sale of milk; to authorize incidental sales of raw milk for human consumption; to provide for definitions; to provide for labeling; to provide for chemical, bacteriological, and temperature standards; to provide for sanitation standards; to provide for standards for bottling, packaging, and container filling; to provide for animal health standards; to provide for product recalls; to prohibit statements implying endorsement by the state Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 30—

BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 83 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to authorizing the Department of Agriculture and Forestry to exchange certain property in Beauregard Parish with the Cooper Cemetery Association; to provide for property descriptions; to provide for terms and descriptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 31—

BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:1452, 1453(A), (B), (C) and (E), 1454, 1455, and 1456, and to enact R.S. 34:1457, 1458 and 1459, relative to the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission; to provide for rights and powers of the commission; to provide relative to expropriation; to provide for general obligation and revenue bonds; to provide for a prescriptive period for the sale of bonds; to provide for economic and industrial development functions; to authorize the commission to enter cooperative endeavor agreements; to provide relative to existing contracts and agreements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 32—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.24.3, relative to municipal sales and use taxes; to authorize the governing authority for the city of Carencro to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax; to require voter approval; to provide for the use of the tax revenues; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 33—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:87.3, relative to the sale and transport of fetal organs and body parts; to prohibit the sale of fetal organs and body parts resulting from an induced abortion; to prohibit the transport of fetal organs and body parts with the intent to engage in a prohibited sale; to provide definitions; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 34—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1284.2, relative to motor vehicle insurance; to prohibit an increase in premium rates in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 35—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1472.3(F), relative to licensing a manufacturer, dealer-distributor, user, blaster, or handler of explosives; to provide for the requirement of liability insurance as a condition for obtaining a license; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 36—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1231.1(A)(13), (16), (21), (22), (23), and (D), relative to medical malpractice claims; to provide with respect to exemptions from medical malpractice application; to provide definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 37—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:827(B), (C), and (D) and to enact R.S. 28:827(E), relative to certain Medicaid waiver programs; to provide with respect to certain Medicaid waiver services for children of active duty military members in Louisiana; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 38—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:450.7, relative to Medicaid; to provide for reimbursement for nonemergency services provided to Medicaid recipients; to provide for definitions; to authorize the department

to promulgate rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 39—

BY SENATOR GATTI

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 20(A)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the amount of assessed valuation at which the homestead exemption applies; to increase the level of assessed valuation of property at which the homestead exemption applies; to provide for implementation; to provide for an effective date; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 40—

BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:120.37(B) and to enact R.S. 47:120.131(D), relative to donations of refunds; to provide for such donations to the Friends of Palmetto Island State Park, Inc.; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 41—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1666.1(A)(1) and (4)(a), 1667.1(A)(1) and (2)(a), 1667.7(B) and (G), and 1667.9, all relative to supplemental salaries for firefighters and law enforcement officers; to increase the amount of supplemental salaries of certain eligible firefighters and law enforcement officers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 42—

BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:455 and to repeal R.S. 13:1899(E) and 2115, relative to courts; to abolish the City Court of Winnsboro and the offices thereof; to establish the Mayor's Court for the City of Winnsboro; to provide effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 43—

BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2541.5 and 2541.6, relative to the city of Denham Springs; to provide relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide that the positions of chief of police and fire chief for the city of Denham Springs shall be in the unclassified service; to provide authority for selection, appointment, supervision, and discharge of such positions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 44—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1105, relative to workers' compensation; to provide for workers' compensation premiums; to provide for the recoupment of certain workers' compensation benefits from

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certain third persons; to provide for a reduction in workers' compensation premiums for certain employers; to provide for penalties; to provide for attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 45—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To designate the interchange of Interstate 10 (Exit 54) with Louisiana Highway 99 in Welsh, Louisiana, in Jefferson Davis Parish, as the "SP4 Donald C. Gillett Memorial Interchange"; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 46—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:95(L), relative to illegal carrying of weapons; to exempt certain Louisiana residents from the crime of illegal carrying of weapons if the firearm is a handgun; to provide applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 47—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2593(A), (B), (C), and (E), relative to legal representation by the attorney general; to provide for representation of deputy constables; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 48—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4562.4, relative to St. Mary Parish; to authorize the governing authorities for the parish of St. Mary, the town of Berwick and Recreational District No. 3 of St. Mary Parish to enter contracts for certain services; to provide relative to taxes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 49—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:84(D) and to enact R.S. 39:84(H), relative to budget controls on personnel; to require the approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget before certain performance adjustments or other salary increases are effective in the executive branch of state government in the last ninety days of the last year of the term of office of a governor; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 50—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1(1.1), 190(D), 401(2), and 408(C)(3), relative to autocycles; to amend the definition of autocycle applicable to operators and passengers for a helmet exemption; to amend the definition of autocycle applicable for an exemption for certain driver's license endorsements for operators; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 51—
BY SENATORS JOHNS AND MORRISH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 34:219, relative to funding the maintenance of the Calcasieu River and Pass Project; to authorize the board of commissioners to levy additional mills of ad valorem tax for maintenance of the Calcasieu River and Pass Project; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 52—
BY SENATOR MILLS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:153.3(B)(2)(a), relative to the Medicaid pharmacy program; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 53—
BY SENATOR BROWN
AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 3 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:295.1 through 295.7, to create the Louisiana Secure Choice Savings Plan; to specify the purpose of the Plan; to establish a board of trustees; to provide for employer and employee rights and responsibilities under the Plan; to provide for provider selection; to provide for timing, amount, and methods of benefit 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 Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 54—
BY SENATORS JOHNS AND GATTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(19) and to enact Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:46, relative to motor vehicles and traffic regulation; to create the Statewide Motor Vehicle Theft and Uninsured Motorists Identification Program; to provide relative to a pilot program using automatic license plate recognition systems to identify stolen vehicles and uninsured motorists; to provide definitions; to provide penalties; to provide certain prohibitions; to provide an exemption from the Public Records Law; to provide relative to reporting; to provide a termination date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 55—
BY SENATOR JOHNS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article III, Section 21 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the legislative branch; to establish and provide for the Louisiana Governmental Reorganization Commission; to provide for the membership of the commission, the selection and terms of the members, the compensation of the members, the term and termination of the commission, the legislative authority of the commission, the jurisdiction of the commission, the duties of the commission, and the procedural requirements for legislative consideration of a proposal of the commission; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 56—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1006(G), relative to the state prescription monitoring program; to provide for rulemaking regarding standards for prescription monitoring information; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 57—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:201.2, relative to the office of the governor; to provide that certain salary increases are prohibited unless approved by the joint legislative committee on the budget; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 51:3143(A)(4) and (5), relative to home service contracts; to repeal certain requirements for the submission of documentation to the secretary of state.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 59—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:695.1, relative to engineers; to provide for powers and duties of the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board; to provide for qualifications; to provide for waivers of certain requirements; to provide certain procedures and conditions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 60—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:67.25(A)(1) and (4), relative to the crime of organized retail theft; to add merchandise credit that is the product of a theft to the definition of "stolen retail property"; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 61—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(F), relative to parole eligibility; to provide for eligibility for persons eligible for relief under certain other provisions of law; to provide criteria for eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 62—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:144(C), relative to parking; to provide for parking in a residence district; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 63—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 5-N of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.111 and 380.114 through 380.116, relative to the Chennault Aviation and Military Museum of Louisiana; to repeal certain laws in order to transfer the museum from the Department of State to the Ouachita Parish School Board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 64—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1123(44), relative to ethics; to provide for an exception to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to permit an attorney who is a member of a civil service commission to represent certain clients; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 65—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:455, relative to mayor's courts; to establish the Mayor's Court of the village of Creola; to provide for the territorial jurisdiction of the court; to provide for the powers and authority of the mayor as magistrate of the court and other officers of the court; to provide relative to subject matter jurisdiction of the court; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 66—
BY SENATOR APPEL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Section 10 and add Section 10.1 of Article I of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the right to vote; to provide for the right to vote; to prohibit convicted felons from seeking or holding public office within a certain time period; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 67—
BY SENATOR APPEL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article IV, Section 22(A), Article VII, Sections 10.1(C)(1) and (3) and (D)(1)(introductory paragraph) and 10.4(B)(1), (3), and (4), and Article VIII, Sections 5 and 16, to add Part IV of Article XIV, to be comprised of Section 41, and to repeal Article VIII, Sections 6, 7, 7.1, 8(B) and (D), and 12 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the governance of public postsecondary education; to create the Board of Trustees for Postsecondary Education; to abolish the Board of Regents and the postsecondary education management boards and transfer their powers, duties, and responsibilities to the board of trustees; to provide relative to the operation and management of public hospitals by the board of trustees; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 68—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 24:973.1(B) and R.S. 24:973.1(B)(1)(a) and (b) and (3), (E)(5), and (F)(1) and (2), relative to the Legislative Youth Advisory Council; to provide for council membership and for advisors to the council; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 69—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Section 10 and add Section 10.1 of Article I of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the right to vote; to provide for the right to vote; to prohibit convicted felons from seeking or holding public office within a certain time period; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 70—

BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:553(C), (D), (E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 15:553(G), relative to sex offenders; to prohibit registered sex offenders from soliciting any type of business door to door; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 71—

BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:44, relative to the crime of aggravated kidnapping; to provide for reduced penalties where the kidnapping victim was released without physical injury or sexual abuse; to provide for retroactive application of reduced penalty provisions under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 72—

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact Part VII of Chapter 9 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:1001, relative to employment of veterans; to provide for legislative intent; to authorize certain private employers to provide preferences in employment for certain veterans; to provide for policy; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 73—

BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:108(B)(1)(e), relative to the crime of resisting an officer; to add intentional crossing of a police cordon to the definition of "obstruction of" an officer; to provide additional definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 74—

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4721(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 3:4722, relative to the logo for state products; to expand logo eligibility; to authorize the commissioner of agriculture and forestry to impose civil penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 75—

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 20-A of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 3:3396.1 through 3396.6, relative to the Pest Control Compact; to repeal the compact and the Pest Control Insurance Fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 76—

BY SENATOR GATTI

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article X, Section 9 and Section 47, and to repeal Article X, Section 20 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to permissible political activity for civil service employees; to provide for political activities; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 77—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:308.3, relative to statutory dedications; to abolish statutory dedication of funds; to provide for exceptions; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to make recommendations regarding statutory dedications; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 78—

BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1231.2(B)(1) and 1231.3(D), the introductory paragraph of (F), and (F)(2), (3), (6) and (7), and to enact R.S. 40:1231.3(K), relative to medical malpractice; to provide relative to limitations of recovery for certain injuries; to provide relative to payments for medical care and related benefits; to provide certain terms, conditions, exceptions, requirements, definitions, and procedures; to provide relative to brain injuries to a child; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 79—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5002(A), (B), and (D) and 5024(B)(1)(a), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide with respect to the monetary amounts for awards granted pursuant to the program; to provide relative to future increases in award amounts; to provide relative to the minimum ACT score required for eligibility for the Opportunity Award; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 80—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VIII, Section 7.2 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to postsecondary education; to authorize certain postsecondary education management boards to establish the tuition and mandatory fee amounts charged by the institutions under their supervision and management; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 81—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5002(A), (B), and (D), relative to the monetary amounts of awards granted pursuant to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for maximum award amounts; to provide for future adjustments of maximum award amounts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 82—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 52 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 34:5201 through 5205, and to repeal Chapters 31 and 32 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 34:2501 through 2506 and R.S. 34:2551 through 2556, relative to port, harbor, and terminal districts; to create the Cameron Parish Port, Harbor, and Terminal District; to create the Cameron Parish Port Commission to administer such district; to provide for its members, duties, and powers, including its authority to levy taxes and to issue bonds; to terminate the East Cameron Port, Harbor and Terminal District and the East Cameron Port Commission; to terminate the West Cameron Port, Harbor and Terminal District and the West Cameron Port Commission; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 83—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 3492 and 3493, relative to liberative prescription; to provide that delictual actions shall prescribe in two years; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 84—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2454(A), 2504(A) and 2564(A), and to repeal R.S. 33:2452(3)(h), and R.S. 42:1382, relative to civil service; to provide permissible political activity for civil service employees; to end the prohibition on certain prohibited political activities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 85—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:51.1, relative to civil service; to provide duties for supervisors in state agencies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 86—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:978(G), relative to prescription drugs; to provide for an exception from pharmacist dispensing limits on certain drugs; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 87—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To designate the interchange of Interstate 10 with United States Highway 171 in Calcasieu Parish as the "Louisiana State Master Trooper Stephen H. Gray Memorial Interchange"; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 88—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5024(A)(1)(a), and to enact R.S. 17:5024.1, and to repeal R.S. 17:5024(A)(2) and (3)(b), (B)(2), and (C), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to eligibility requirements for program awards; to provide for recodification of certain provisions of present law; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 89—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5024(B)(1)(a), to enact R.S. 17:5024.1, and to repeal R.S. 17:5024(A)(2) and (3)(b), (B)(2), and (C), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to eligibility requirements for program awards; to provide for recodification of certain provisions of present law; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 90—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:46.2(B)(3) and 46.3(A)(1) and (3) and (C)(1), (D)(1)(c) and (2), relative to trafficking; to amend the age of the victim for certain enhanced penalty provisions and elements of the crimes regarding the offenses of human trafficking and trafficking of children for sexual purposes; 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 C.

SENATE BILL NO. 91—
BY SENATOR COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:300.5(C)(1) and (2), 300.6(C)(1) and (2), 300.7(E)(1)(a) and (b), and 300.8(D)(2)(a) and (b), relative to the prohibition against using wireless communications

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devices for text messaging and social networking while driving; to increase the penalties for violations of this prohibition by the general public, by holders of certain special licenses, by minors, and in school zones; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 92—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:410(E) and R.S. 40:1321(O) and to repeal Act No. 807 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature and Act No. 151 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the issuance of driver's licenses and special identification cards in compliance with the REAL ID Act of 2005; to provide for implementation of the REAL ID Act; to provide for exceptions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 93—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:90(D) and 90.3(J), relative to gambling; to provide an exception to the crimes of gambling and gambling by computer; to provide an exception for certain fantasy or simulation games under certain circumstances; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 94—
BY SENATOR COLOMB
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 10(A)(3) and (4) and 4556 and to enact Chapter 24 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:4251.101 through 4251.505, relative to adults in need of care; to provide relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to jurisdiction and procedures for actions brought pursuant to the Louisiana Uniform Adult Guardianship Protective Proceedings Jurisdiction Act; to provide for ancillary interdiction procedures for protected persons; to provide a short title for the Louisiana Uniform Adult Guardianship and Protective Proceedings Jurisdiction Act; to provide certain definitions, terms, procedures, conditions, requirements and effects; to provide for international application of the Chapter; to provide for communication between Louisiana courts and courts of other states; to provide for cooperation between Louisiana courts and courts of other states; to provide for taking testimony in another state; to provide for exclusive basis; to provide for jurisdiction; to provide for special jurisdiction; to provide for exclusive and continuing jurisdiction; to provide for appropriate forums; to provide for jurisdiction declined by reason of conduct; to provide for notice of proceedings; to provide for proceedings in more than one state; to provide for transfer of guardianship or conservatorship proceedings to another state; to provide for accepting guardianship or conservatorship proceedings transferred from another state; to provide for registration of guardianship orders; to provide for registration of protective orders; to provide for the effect of the registration of such orders; to provide for uniformity of application and construction; to provide relative to the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act; to provide for transitional provision; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 95—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:863.1(A) and to enact R.S. 32:863.1.1, relative to evidence of compulsory motor vehicle liability security contained in a vehicle; to prohibit a citation resulting in a penalty or fee for failure to have a document that evidences proof of compulsory motor vehicle liability contained in a motor vehicle at the time of a traffic stop when there is electronic verification of coverage; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 96—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 13:847(E)(1)(c) and (d), relative to fees in criminal cases; to repeal certain fees charged for certain felony expungement proceedings; to repeal certain fees charged for certain misdemeanor expungement proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 97—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(A)(1), (2), (3), and (4)(a), and to enact R.S. 14:95(A)(4)(b)(iii), relative to illegal carrying of weapons; to provide an exception for automatic knives to holders of concealed handgun permits; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 98—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:153.4, relative to the purchase of flags, to provide for specific manufacturing; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 99—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(1) and to enact R.S. 47:360(H), relative to sales by minors; to exempt sales by minors from sales taxes; to exempt minors from occupational license taxes; to provide for certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 100—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:402.1(A)(1)(a) and (2)(b), 407(A)(2)(a), and 408(A)(1), relative to driver education; to provide for education and knowledge of trailer safety; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 101—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:91(B) and R.S. 46:2691(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B)(1), relative to the deposit of certain economic damages payments into the Deepwater

Horizon Economic Damages Collection Fund; to provide for the deposit of certain economic damages payments into the state general fund; to provide for the uses of monies in the Medical Trust Fund for the Elderly; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 102—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.6(A) and (E), relative to firearm-free zones; to provide that signs or other markings designating a firearm-free zone are to include language that law enforcement weapons are permitted in the zone; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 103—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:51, relative to notification to the commissioner of insurance of breaches of data security; to provide for reporting by regulated persons; to provide for the information to be reported; to provide for exceptions; to provide for penalties; to provide for corrective actions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 104—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:651(A), 652, and 661, relative to credits for reinsurance; to provide for specific additional requirements relative to the valuation of assets or reserve credits, for the amount and forms of security supporting reinsurance arrangements, and the circumstances pursuant to which credit will be reduced or eliminated; to provide specific authority to promulgate regulations that conform to National Association of Insurance Commissioners model regulations relative to reinsurance for certain health, life, and annuity products; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 105—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:383(C) and to enact R.S. 32:383(D), relative to loads on motor vehicles; to require loads of certain commodities on motor vehicles to be covered on highways with a maximum speed limit of sixty-five miles per hour or greater; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 106—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:39.1(A)(1) and (B)(1) and 46(C) and to repeal R.S. 40:39 and 40(1), relative to vital records; to provide for elimination of the short-form birth certificate; to provide for repeal of the fee for the short-form birth certificate; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 107—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:251(A), (B), and (C)(1), to enact R.S. 49:191(9)(b), and to repeal R.S. 49:191(6)(d), relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for the name change of the department to the Department of Health; to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Health and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 108—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3578.4.1(G)(2)(a), relative to deferred presentment and small loans; to provide for the extended payment plan process; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 109—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:407.29, relative to early childhood programs; to provide relative to confidentiality of applications and client case records for child care assistance clients; to provide for exceptions; to provide for waiver of confidentiality; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 110—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(8.1)(a) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(6)(b), relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 111—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.28, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Parkwood Terrace Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, boundaries, 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 and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 112—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:563(11), (12), (13), and (14), 589(A), 590(A)(1), and 599(A)(2)(f) and to enact R.S. 37:563(15), and 591.1, relative to the practice of cosmetology; to provide relative to mobile salons; to provide relative to certain definitions, terms, procedures, requirement, effects, certificates

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of registration, and fees; to provide for the promulgation and adoption of administrative rules; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 113—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1512(B) and to enact R.S. 32:1512(E) and 1520(C), relative to the transportation of hazardous substances; to authorize consideration of measurable harm in the assessment of civil penalties; to prohibit the imposition of a civil penalty on a person who transports hazardous materials in certain circumstances; to prohibit the issuance of a citation for careless handling of hazardous materials in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 114—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:254(L), relative to the powers and duties of the secretary; to provide for approval for salary adjustments or cost of living adjustments; to provide for covered management boards; to provide for covered human services districts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 115—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3995.1, relative to the operation of charter schools; to require charter schools in certain parishes to adhere to the student holiday schedule established by the parish school board; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 116—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3126, relative to postsecondary education; to provide relative to the regional distribution of postsecondary educational institutions within the state; to provide relative to the evaluation and use of instructional and physical resources within each region; to provide for a report of findings and recommendations; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 117—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:153.3(B)(2)(a)(iv), the introductory paragraph of (D)(2), (D)(2)(c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (k), and (p), and (D)(5)(b) and (c) and to repeal R.S. 46:153.3(B)(1)(b), (c), (d), and (e), (B)(2)(d), (B)(3) and (4), (C)(2) and (3), and (D)(5)(d) and (e), relative to the Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee; to remove legislative intent and expired implementation restrictions; to remove references to committees that no longer exist; to remove provisions that have been sunset by subsequent legislation; to change the Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee membership selection criteria; to change terminology; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 118—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To repeal Subpart B-44 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:130.811 through 130.814, relative to sustainable energy financing districts; to remove authority for creating districts; to remove powers and rights conferred to districts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 119—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:1749.12 and (6) and 1749.13(B)(1) and (4), relative to the administration and regulation of underground utilities and facilities; to provide relative to the definition of excavate; to enumerate certain holidays; 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 Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 120—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:51, relative to certain judicial salaries; to provide for salary increases for judges of the courts of appeal as recommended by the Judicial Compensation Commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 121—
BY SENATORS COLOMB AND BARROW AND REPRESENTATIVES HORTON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, MORENO, REYNOLDS AND SMITH

AN ACT

To enact Subpart C of Part II of Chapter 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2115.31 through 2115.37, relative to hospital discharge planning; to provide for designation of a family caregiver; to provide for notice and instruction; to provide for exceptions and immunity; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 122—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:411(A), relative to advertisements; to provide for untrue or misleading advertisements; to prohibit certain forms of untrue or misleading advertisements; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 123—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title VIII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to be comprised of Articles 311 through 342, R.S. 15:85, and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 22:1441(A) and (A)(1) through (5), the introductory paragraph of (C)(2) and (C)(2)(a) through (e), and (D), and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 327.1, 330.1, 330.2, 330.3, 334.1, 334.2, 334.3, 334.4, 334.5,

334.6, 335.1, 335.2, 336.1, 336.2, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 349.1, 349.2, 349.3, 349.4, 349.5, 349.6, 349.7, 349.8, and 349.9, relative to bail; to provide for the revision and reorganization of bail law; to provide for definitions; to provide for the right to bail; to provide for bail hearings and detention without bail; to provide for the authority to fix bail; to provide schedules of bail and factors in fixing bail; to provide for modification of bail; to provide for conditions, types, and restrictions of bail; to provide for bail with and without surety; to provide for cash deposits; to provide the requirements of the bail undertaking; to provide for notice of required appearance; to provide for discharge of the bail obligation; to provide relative to a defendant's failure to appear and issuance and notice of arrest warrant; to provide for the filing of a rule to show cause; to provide for nonforfeiture situations; to provide for notice and recordation of judgment; to provide for appeals; to provide for enforcement of judgment; to provide relative to failure to satisfy a judgment of bond forfeiture or claim under a criminal bond contract; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 124—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:63.1, relative to criminal trespass; to create the crime of criminal trespass by unmanned aircraft; to provide that the operation of an unmanned aircraft within the air space over immovable property constitutes criminal trespass under certain circumstances; to provide definitions; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 125—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(1)(a) and (c), relative to the Louisiana Competency-Based Education Program; to provide relative to state content standards and related assessments; to provide relative to the implementation and administration of Louisiana Educational Assessment Program tests; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 126—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:314(A) and 766.1(A), relative to payable on death accounts; to provide for acts under private signature; to provide for certain procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 127—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(F), relative to parole eligibility; to provide parole eligibility for juveniles sentenced to life imprisonment for certain homicide offenses; to provide for conditions of parole eligibility; to provide for parole hearings and findings of fact; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 128—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4757(5) and 4759(3), (4), (5), (8), (9), (10), and (11) and to enact R.S. 9:4757(6), (7), and (8), and 4759(12), (13), and (14), relative to self-service storage facilities; to provide for definitions; to provide for liens and privileges; to provide for notices; to provide for advertisements; to provide relative to late fees and reasonable charges; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 129—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:1749.18(B) and (B)(4) and to enact R.S. 40:1749.18(B)(5), relative to underground utilities and facilities damage prevention; to provide for an additional requirement for certification as a regional notification center; 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 Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 130—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3863 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 224.1, relative to public officers; to provide certain prohibitions concerning writs directed to public officers; to prohibit the holding of a public officer in contempt under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 131—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1165, relative to the practice of pharmacy; to provide for pharmacist communication with patients; to provide for immunity; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 132—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1040(C), relative to coverage for dental procedures; to require coverage for the treatment of temporal mandibular joint (TMJ) disorders; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 133—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1165, relative to prescription drug access; to provide for access to a pharmacy of the patient's choice; to ensure patient access to a drug if it is routinely available; to prohibit use of certain terminology; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 134—
BY SENATOR CHABERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.5.1, relative to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board; to provide for its membership; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 135—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9682, relative to political subdivisions; to authorize a political subdivision to open proceedings with a voluntary prayer; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 136—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:262(B) and (D) and R.S. 49:259(A) and (C)(2), and to repeal R.S. 49:259(D), relative to the employment of special attorneys or counsel; to provide relative to the deposit of certain proceeds recovered by the attorney general; to provide certain terms, conditions, exceptions, requirements, definitions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 137—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.67(B) and (C)(1)(j), relative to Baton Rouge North Economic Development; to provide relative to the boundaries and membership of the board; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House

CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable John Bel Edwards, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

Reported without amendments.

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

Motion

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

Joint Session of the Legislature

The joint session of the legislature was called to order at 1:00 P.M. by the Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate.

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

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

The President of the Senate appointed the following special committee to escort the Honorable John Bel Edwards, Governor of the State of Louisiana, to the joint session.

On the part of the Senate: Senators Mills, Perry, Thompson, Walsworth, and White.

On the part of the House: Representatives Carmody, Cromer, LeBas, Davis, and Dustin Miller.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Reverend Rodney Wood.

Pledge of Allegiance

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate, led the joint session in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Miss Louisiana, April Nelson, sang "The National Anthem".

The President of the Senate introduced the Honorable John Bel Edwards, who addressed the joint session of the legislature.

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

After Joint Session

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Hewitt	Peacock
Appel	Johns	Perry
Boudreaux	Lambert	Peterson
Carter	Long	Riser
Chabert	Luneau	Smith, G.
Claitor	Martiny	Smith, J.
Colomb	Milkovich	Thompson
Donahue	Mills	Ward
Erdey	Mizell	White
Fannin	Morrell	
Gatti	Morrish	
Total - 31		

ABSENT

Allain	Brown	Tarver
Barrow	Cortez	Walsworth
Bishop	LaFleur	
Total - 8		

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

**Senate Business Resumed
After Joint Session**

**Prefiled and Introduced
Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
to be Referred, Resumed**

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

SENATE BILL NO. 138—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4013(2)(a), relative to the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program; to provide with respect to eligibility of students entering kindergarten in the voucher program; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 139—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 5-S of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.161 through 380.167, and to repeal R.S. 36:744(CC) and 801.23, relative to the Schepis Museum; to remove the museum from the jurisdiction of the Department of State and to delete all statutory provisions relative to the museum and its advisory board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 140—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:231(C)(1), to enact R.S. 36:238(C) and R.S. 30:2011(C)(1)(b), and to repeal R.S. 30:2011(D)(26), relative to the offices of the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for the purposes of the offices within the Department of Environmental Quality; to create the office of environmental assessment; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 141—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

o amend and reenact R.S. 14:63(B) and (C), relative to criminal trespass; to provide that surveillance by unmanned aircraft constitutes criminal trespass under certain circumstances; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 142—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 143—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 6:1041.1, relative to money transmission; to provide for safety measures at business locations; to provide certain requirements, conditions, and procedures; to provide for license revocation; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 144—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:243(B)(1) and (2)(a) and (b), relative to immovable property; to provide for the accounting for immovable property held by a state bank; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 145—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 6:1054(G)(4), relative to the Sale of Checks and Money Transmissions Act; to repeal provisions regarding certain persons previously exempted from having to give notice and receive approval for certain transactions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 146—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:122(A) and to enact R.S. 39:104(D), relative to capital outlay projects to be undertaken by or on the campus of a state college, university, or higher education facility; to prohibit the construction or purchase of buildings or other facilities until all deferred maintenance projects are undertaken and completed by each public postsecondary educational institution; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 147—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3995(K), relative to charter school funding; to provide for the calculation of the proportionate unfunded accrued liability contribution to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for payment of the proportionate contribution; to provide for application of such payment; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 148—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1110(B) and (C), and to repeal R.S. 15:1110(D), R.S. 38:291(J), R.S. 17:31 through 33, R.S. 17:1519.12, R.S. 25:941, R.S. 30:2062, R.S. 34:1101 through 1106, R.S. 34:1851 through 1857, R.S. 40:2191, R.S. 46:2801, R.S. 48:1811.2 through 1811.6, and R.S. 49:1212 and 1213, relative to boards, commissions, authorities, districts, and like

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entities; to provide relative to the functional organization of state government by abolishing certain boards, commissions, councils, authorities, districts, and like entities; to remove references to certain abolished entities; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Task Force on Juvenile Detention Standards and Licensing, the North Bossier Levee and Drainage District, the State Advisory Commission on Teacher Education and Certification, the Medical Education Commission, Louisiana Historic Cemetery Trust Advisory Board, Louisiana Small Business Compliance Advisory Panel, the Board of Morgan City, Berwick Port Pilot Commissioners and Examiners, Concordia Parish Port Commission, Advisory Committee on Hospice Care, the Child Poverty Prevention Council for Louisiana, Interstate 10-12 Corridor District and Commission, and Louisiana Council on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 149—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3995(A)(7), relative to funding for charter schools; to provide relative to the allocation of minimum foundation program funding to virtual charter schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 150—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 330.4, relative to bail and bail hearings; to require the detention of a noncitizen defendant pending a bail hearing; to provide relative to bail hearing procedures; to provide relative to conditions of bail; to provide relative to revocation of bail and issuance of arrest warrants; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 151—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 42:261(E), relative to public officials; to repeal provisions providing liability for attorney fees on a party who files certain types of legal actions against a public official when the party is unsuccessful; to delete provisions providing a right to the defendant public official to require the plaintiff party to file a bond to cover such attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 152—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 14:95.4, relative to alcohol beverage outlets; to remove provisions providing that persons entering alcoholic beverage outlets consent to a search upon entering; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 153—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1788(B), relative to firearms; to provide regarding an identification number or other mark on a firearm; to delete provisions relative to a presumption of guilt

against a defendant in possession of a firearm with an identification number or mark that has been removed or altered; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 154—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 13:5105(C), relative to courts and judicial procedure; to repeal certain provisions relative to jury trials that were declared unconstitutional; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 155—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:91(B)(1) and (2) and (C)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 39:91(B)(4), relative to the deposit of certain funds into the Deepwater Horizon Economic Damages Collection Fund; to provide for the allocation of a certain portion of the funds; to provide for the use of such monies; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 156—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To repeal Subpart D-2 of Part III of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:286.1 through 286.7, relative to the Balanced Treatment for Creation-Science Act; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 157—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:1973(A)(1) and (2) and (D)(1), and to repeal R.S. 37:1970(C)(1)(k) and 1977, relative to scrap metal recyclers; to increase certain monetary prohibitions on payments for copper and aluminum-copper air conditioning coils and other metals; to allow the purchase of certain materials; to remove the expiration date; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 158—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1252(27), relative to marine products; to provide relative to the definition of marine product; to exclude certain motors; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 159—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:2078(A), relative to the Louisiana Transportation Authority; to authorize the authority to undertake certain projects in the Louisiana Statewide Transportation Plan; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 160—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:250.3(I), relative to design-build contracts; to authorize the Department of Transportation and Development to conduct Request for Qualifications and Request for Proposal bid processes concurrently; to authorize DOTD to issue a single Request for Qualifications for multiple projects; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 161—
BY SENATOR CHABERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:306.1(B)(6), relative to retail seafood dealer's licenses; to provide for exceptions for restaurants and retail grocers from the retail seafood dealer's license requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 162—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact Code of Evidence Articles 412.4 and 412.5 and to amend and reenact R.S. 9:291, relative to criminal and civil actions against spouses and other family members; to provide relative to evidence of similar crimes, wrongs, or acts in domestic abuse cases and in certain civil cases; to provide relative to interspousal immunity; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 163—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to legislative sessions; to limit the length and provide for subject matter of regular sessions of the legislature; to provide for matters related to the conduct of such sessions; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 164—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1303(B), relative to voting; to provide that any qualified voter may vote absentee; to remove other requirements for voting absentee; to provide for the distribution of absentee ballots to accommodate the absentee voting period; to remove special provisions for absentee voting; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 165—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:91(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 30:28(J), relative to the commissioner of conservation; to require notification to certain landowners; to provide for orphaned oilfield sites; to provide for requirements of drilling permits; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 166—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:1 and to enact Chapter 10-B of Title 8 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 8:691 through 697, relative to pet remains; to authorize the burial of pet remains with human remains; to provide for definitions; to require written authorization; to provide relative to liability; to provide for a warranty; to require the promulgation of rules; to require certain records be kept; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 167—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:407.23(B)(3), relative to the early childhood care and education network; to provide relative to the implementation of the uniform assessment and accountability system for publicly funded early childhood education programs; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to submit a report relative to such implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 168—
BY SENATOR APPEL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 5(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the management of public postsecondary education; to provide relative to the respective authority and powers of the Board of Regents and the public postsecondary education management boards; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 169—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5027(B), to enact R.S. 17:5002.1, and to repeal R.S. 17:5002(B)(2) and (3) and R.S. 17:5027(D), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to the definition of "eligible college or university"; to remove certain postsecondary institutions as eligible colleges and universities; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 170—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3981(2) and 3983(A)(3)(b), relative to charter schools; to provide relative to the approval of proposed charter schools by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for prohibitions and conditions relative to such approval; to require the state board to prepare and publish an academic and fiscal needs assessment and a written response relative to certain proposed charter schools; to provide for public testimony with regard to such needs assessment; 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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SENATE BILL NO. 171—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:39.3, creating the crime of infliction of serious injury or death on a public road user; to provide elements of the crime; to provide definitions; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 172—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.4(M), relative to motor vehicles; to provide relative to the definition of a "medical examiner" for issuance of special license plates or hang tags for mobility impaired persons; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 173—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2564.3, relative to parish court judges; to provide for legal representation by the attorney general; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 174—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5002(A), (B) and (D), and 5024(B)(1)(a), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to the minimum American College Test score required for eligibility for the Opportunity award; to provide with respect to the monetary amounts for awards granted pursuant to the program; to provide relative to future increases in award amounts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 175—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:968(B)(24)(a), relative to the review of agency rules or fees; to provide for the review of rules when the fiscal impact exceeds a certain threshold; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 176—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 27(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Transportation Trust Fund; to remove authority to appropriate or dedicate monies in the trust fund to state police for traffic control purposes; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 177—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:82.1, relative to special treasury funds and dedicated money; to provide for specific reports to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; to provide for the review

and reporting of special funds and statutory dedications, including the means of financing, specifically funds whose primary source of financing is the state general fund, the purpose and use of the monies; and the status and balances of the special funds and dedicated monies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 178—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:54(B), (C), and (D) and to enact R.S. 39:54(A)(3) and the introductory paragraph of (E), relative to certain appropriations; to provide for requirements relative to certain appropriations; to provide for the use of monies that are nonrecurring; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 179—
BY SENATOR RISER
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 21-B of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:951 through 959, relative to the Louisiana Human Remains Protection and Control Act; to provide relative to the control and management of human remains; to provide relative to legislative intent; to provide definitions; to provide penalties; to provide exemptions; to provide relative to enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 180—
BY SENATOR MILLS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:966(I), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to provide an exemption from prosecution under the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law for a person lawfully in possession of medical marijuana; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 181—
BY SENATOR LONG
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1019.2(A) and 1019.3(B) and to enact R.S. 22:1019.1(D)(21), relative to network adequacy; to provide for the definition of rural hospital; to provide with respect to an independent review by the commissioner upon the submission of a formal complaint by a rural hospital; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 182—
BY SENATOR WARD
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 28 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to revenue and finance; to require the deposit of certain mineral revenue into the Transportation Trust Fund; to provide for appropriation and use of the revenue; to provide an effective date; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 183—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:563(6), (8), and (10), 589(A), 594(B)(10), and 600(A)(12), and to repeal R.S. 37:588, relative to the Louisiana Cosmetology Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for registration for managers; to provide for application for school certificate of registration; to provide for denial, suspension, summary suspension, revocation or inactivity of certificate of registration; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 184—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1923(2)(n), relative to insurance fraud; to provide with respect to the definition of a fraudulent insurance act; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 185—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3550(B), relative to insurance premium finance companies; to provide with respect to premium finance agreements which may also include a loan agreement with the policyholder for wind mitigation retrofits to the insured property; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 186—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:799.2, 799.3(A)(4) and (D), the introductory paragraph of 799.5, and 799.6, and to repeal R.S. 56:799.4, relative to the White Lake Property Advisory Board; to discontinue the board; to remove references to the board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 187—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:913(3)(a)(vii) and (ix), (8), and the introductory paragraph of (9), and to enact Part V of Chapter 11 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1018.1, relative to advanced practice registered nursing; to provide relative to collaborative practice agreement requirements for advanced practice registered nurses; to establish an exemption to such requirements for certain nurses; to provide for qualifications for the exemption; to provide for certification and grounds for revocation of the exemption; to provide for duties and powers of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing; to provide for definitions; to provide for administrative rulemaking; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 188—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:707(F)(3), 732(A), (B), (C), (D), the introductory paragraph of (E), and (G), and 739(A) and (F), relative to the Charitable Raffles, Bingo, and Keno Licensing law; to provide for progressive mega jackpot bingo; to provide

for licensing exceptions; to provide for the use of Electric Bingo Card Dabber Devices; to provide for contributions to jackpots; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations; to provide for compliance with agency rules and regulations; to allow the use of an Electric Bingo Card Dabber Device system; to allow for the tracking of accounts and credits through certain systems; to provide for accounting functions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 189—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:978(E)(3), relative to prescription drugs; to provide for an exception from pharmacist dispensing limits on certain drugs; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 190—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:411(D) and (E) and to enact R.S. 51:411(F), relative to advertising; to provide relative to false advertisements; to provide for certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 191—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:90(A)(17) and 286(A)(17), relative to the sale of alcoholic beverages; to prohibit persons under the age of twenty-one from exposing themselves in alcoholic beverage establishments; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 192—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1927, relative to the division of insurance fraud of the Department of Insurance; to provide for confidential treatment of the papers, documents, reports, or evidence relative to the subject of an insurance fraud investigation, and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 193—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1019.1(D), 1019.2, and 1019.3(A) and to enact R.S. 22:1019.3(E), relative to the network adequacy act; to provide definitions; to provide with respect to the adequacy of networks utilized by health insurance issuers for the provision of health care services; to provide with respect to enforcement, penalties, and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 194—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2236, relative to trusts; to provide relative to mediation or arbitration provisions in a trust instrument; to provide certain terms, procedures, conditions, requirements and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 195—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2318.1(B) and to enact R.S. 48:250.4, relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; to authorize the use of public-private partnership contracts by the department for certain transportation projects; to provide for procedure; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 196—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 893.3(H), relative to sentences imposed for certain offenses involving the possession, use, or discharge of a firearm; to provide that sentences prescribed for certain offenses and conditions of those sentences are to be considered mandatory; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 197—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1595(B)(5)(a) and to enact R.S. 39:1595(B)(13), relative to competitive sealed proposals; to require the use of a standard procurement process for certain solicitations between the state and nonpublic parties for contracts in the amount of one million dollars or more; to provide for the procedures; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 198—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3981(2) and 3983(A)(3)(b) and (c), relative to charter schools; to provide relative to the approval of proposed charter schools by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for prohibitions and conditions relative to such approval; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 199—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:76 and 264.1, relative to the mergers of domestic insurers and health maintenance organizations; to provide for approval by the commissioner of insurance prior to the merger of a domestic insurer or health maintenance organization with any other person; to provide for the written request for approval; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 200—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:18(A), relative to the authority of the commissioner of insurance; to authorize the commissioner to address violations of rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to the Louisiana Insurance Code; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 201—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10(F)(2)(b) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to eliminating deficits in an ensuing fiscal year; to revise the circumstances that would allow the reduction of constitutionally protected expenditures and reductions to eliminate a projected deficit in an ensuing fiscal year; to provide and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 202—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1379.3.2, relative to concealed handgun permits; to authorize the temporary carrying of a concealed handgun without a permit for persons who have obtained a domestic abuse protective order; to provide for applicability; to provide for civil penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 203—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:213.1 relative to the unauthorized practice of law; to provide certain terms, conditions, requirements, definitions and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 204—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:164.2(A), and to repeal R.S. 17:164.2(C), relative to occupant restraint systems on school buses; to require use of occupant restraint systems on certain school buses; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 205—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:901(34), relative to the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide for the definition of tobacco wholesale dealers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 206—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:913(3)(a)(vii) and (ix), (8), and the introductory paragraph of (9), and to enact Part V of Chapter 11 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1018.1, relative to advanced practice

registered nursing; to provide relative to collaborative practice agreement requirements for advanced practice registered nurses; to establish an exemption to such requirements for certain nurses; to provide for qualifications for the exemption; to provide for certification and grounds for revocation of the exemption; to provide for duties and powers of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing; to provide for definitions; to provide for administrative rulemaking; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 207—
BY SENATOR COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1303(C), 1309(A) and (C), and to enact R.S. 39:1302(4) and (5), 1305(F), and 1310(C), relative to the Louisiana Local Government Budget Act; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 208—
BY SENATOR COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2801(3)(a), relative to the practice of chiropractic; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 209—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:36(E)(1)(aa), relative to provisional licenses for offenders; to provide an exemption for the Louisiana Licensed Professional Counselors Board of Examiners; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 210—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 211—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:753(A), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry; to provide relative to the practice of dentistry; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 212—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:643, relative to employment; to provide for certain minimum, earned, paid sick leave benefits; to provide for certain minimum, earned, unpaid sick leave benefits; to provide for the number of hours of sick leave benefits; to provide for the permitted uses of the benefits; to prohibit retaliation; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 213—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 3(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to require that all sales and use taxes levied by any political subdivision of the state be collected by the state Department of Revenue; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 214—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4.1, 10(F)(2)(a) and (b) and (4)(d) and 11, Article VIII, Section 13(B), and Article XII, Section 6(A)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana and to repeal Article VII, Sections 4(D)(4)(b), 10(F)(4)(e), (f), and (g), 10-A, 10.1, 10.3, 10.4, 10.5, 10.6, 10.7, 10.8, 10.9, 10.10, 10.11, 10.12, 10.13, 10.14, and 26, and Article IX, Sections 9 and 10, all relative to certain dedications of monies and special treasury funds; to amend certain provisions relative to a projected deficit; to repeal or abolish certain constitutional dedications or funds; to direct the state treasurer, after paying any outstanding obligations associated with such dedications or funds, to deposit any monies remaining after the abolition of such dedications or funds into the state general fund; to provide for the disposition of any property or other assets associated with dedications which are abolished or repealed; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 215—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:920(B) and (C), relative to the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide for the procedure for appeal of tobacco dealers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 216—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:2364(D)(11) and 2366, relative to animal shelters; to create the Louisiana Animal Shelter Registry; to provide relative to the duties of the Louisiana Animal Welfare Commission; to require registration of animal shelters; to provide for definitions; to provide for registration form requirements; to require certain records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 217—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:2045, relative to insurance receiverships; to provide for the confidential treatment of documents disclosed to the commissioner of insurance by an insurance receivership; to provide for the confidential treatment of documents disclosed by the commissioner of insurance to an insurance receivership; to provide for an exemption to the Public Records Law for such documents; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 218—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:281(A)(2), relative to student health; to authorize the Department of Education and the Department of Health and Hospitals to survey students about risk behavior associated with chronic health conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 219—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.11(A)(1)(a), the introductory paragraph of (A)(2), and the introductory paragraph of (L), relative to bail; to provide relative to the disposition of fines and bail bond forfeitures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 220—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:1333(A) and (D), relative to powers of estate of a deceased or incompetent member; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, requirements, and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 221—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2451, relative to separate writings identifying bequests of corporeal movable property; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, requirements, and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 222—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:4(51), relative to public records; to provide for the application of the public records law; to provide exceptions from the public records law for certain security issues; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 223—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2659.1, relative to the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology; to provide for the powers and duties of the board; to provide definitions; to require the board to request and obtain certain state and national criminal history record information for eligibility determination; to provide for confidentiality of certain information; to provide for a compliance hearing; to provide terms, conditions, requirements, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 224—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 17:1803, relative to parking violations on public college and university campuses; to eliminate provisions of law governing certain fines that have been ruled unconstitutional; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 225—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:51(D), relative to legislative and judicial budgets; to provide for public distribution; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 226—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:513(D)(4), relative to performance audits; to provide for the duties of the legislative auditor; to provide for audits of statutory dedications which include a fee for service; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 227—
BY SENATOR COLOMB

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:410(E) and R.S. 40:1321(O) and to repeal Act No. 807 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature and Act No. 151 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the issuance of drivers' licenses and special identification cards in compliance with the REAL ID Act of 2005; to provide for implementation of the REAL ID Act; to provide for exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 228—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1301(D), relative to the Louisiana Tax Free Shopping Program; to extend the program through July 1, 2021; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 229—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:21(B)(1)(d)(xiv) and (xxi) and to repeal R.S. 30:21(B)(1)(d)(xvi), relative to fees collected by the commissioner of conservation; to provide for application, compliance, and fees; to decrease certain fees; to repeal after-hours disposal of exploration and production waste fee; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 230—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:3051, 3051(1) and (3), 3052(6), (7) and (8), 3053(A), (B)(3), (6), (C) and (G), 3055(10), 3056(A)(1) and (H), and 3058, and R.S. 36:259(B) and to repeal R.S. 17:3052(4) and 3055(9), relative to the Health Education Authority of Louisiana; to provide for clarification to statement of purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for updates to the authority membership; to provide for powers and duties; to provide with respect to bonds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 231—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1271(A), 1272(A), (B), and (C), 1273, and 1276 and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:39.1(A) and (D), 41(B)(1), 73(B), 77(B) and (D), and 79(A)(4) and to enact Children's Code Articles 1271(D), 1272(E), and 1272.1 and R.S. 40:80, relative to birth records; to provide procedures for a birth parent to file a contact preference form and updated statement of family history; to authorize birth parents to prohibit the release of certain identifying information; to provide procedures for an adult adoptee to obtain a noncertified copy of his original birth certificate and statement of family history; to authorize the state registrar to promulgate rules for the issuance of a noncertified copy of a birth certificate in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 232—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(14)(a), relative to sales tax; to provide relative to definitions of sales of services; to provide for services furnishing sleeping rooms, cottages or cabins; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 233—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:965(C)(2) and 966.1(A)(3), relative to the Additional Default Remedies Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for requirements of the appropriate official; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 234—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:966.1(B), relative to the Additional Default Remedies Act; to provide relative to additional default remedies by certain debtors under certain secured transactions; to provide for the "Notice of Repossession"; to provide that no additional fees may be assessed for filing of the "Notice of Repossession"; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 235—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.27(K), relative to the Algiers Development District in Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to the status of private entities that contract with the district; to provide relative to the audit of private entities that contract with the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 236—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 28:53(G)(7) and (7)(c)(i), relative to mental health law; to provide relative to examination, admission, commitment, and treatment of persons suffering from mental illness and substance abuse; to provide with respect to admission by emergency certificate; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 237—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.23(J) and (K), relative to the State Uniform Construction Code; to provide for enforcement of building codes by municipalities and parishes; to authorize municipalities and parishes to modify or approve alternatives to provisions of certain building codes; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 238—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2009.10.1, relative to investigations by the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for provider communication opportunities; to provide for notice; to provide for time limitations on violation issuance; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 239—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 61 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:4000, relative to professions and occupations; to provide for proper venue for administrative hearings for regulated professions and occupations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 240—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 34:3524, relative to the taxing authority of certain waterway commissions; to allow additional taxing authority for certain waterway commissions; to provide certain requirements for tax increases; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 241—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5713(J), relative to duty to hold autopsies and investigations; to provide relative to autopsy records, writings, and documents and coroner reports; to provide relative to persons authorized to receive autopsy records, writings, and documents and coroner reports; to provide with respect to authorization of family members and next of kin to receive autopsy records, writings, and documents and coroner reports; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 242—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1636.1, relative to contradictory hearings in civil cases; to provide for the right to present oral arguments; to provide with respect to waiver of oral argument and nullity of a judgment when oral argument is not allowed; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 243—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:34.1(A) and (C), relative to second degree battery; to provide that second degree battery is committed when two or more offenders jointly commit a battery and inflict any injury upon the victim; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 244—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:116.1(D)(2), relative to taking of outlaw quadrupeds, nutria, and beaver; to allow the nighttime taking of feral hogs and coyotes at any time throughout the year; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 245—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact introductory paragraph of R.S. 18:402(F), (F)(2), and (F)(3), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide that local tax elections can only be held at the same time as statewide and congressional elections; to provide a limitation on the number of emergency tax elections that can be held; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 246—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:1242, 1243(B)(3), and 1244, and R.S. 36:919.6, to enact R.S. 36:651(DD), and to repeal R.S. 25:1245 and 1246 and R.S. 36:744(Q), relative to the Eddie G. Robinson Museum; to transfer the jurisdiction over the museum from the Department of State to the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 247—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:380.91, 380.92, 380.93(B)(5), 380.94, and 380.95(A) and R.S. 36:801.16, to enact R.S. 36:209(B)(4), and to repeal R.S. 36:744(W), relative to the Mansfield Female College Museum; to provide for the transfer of jurisdiction of the museum from the Department of State to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 248—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 5-E of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.21 through 380.26, Chapter 5-G of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.41 through 380.46, Chapter 5-H of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.51 through 380.56, Chapter 5-I of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.61 through 380.66, Chapter 5-J of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.71 through 380.76, Chapter 5-K of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.81 through 380.86, Chapter 5-M of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.101 through 380.106, Chapter 5-O of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.121 through 380.126, Chapter 5-P of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.131 through 380.136, and R.S. 36:744(N), (P), (S), (T), (U), (V), (X), (Z), and (AA), 801.9, 801.11, 801.12, 801.13, 801.15, 801.17, 801.19, and 801.20, relative to museums; to remove certain museums from the jurisdiction of the Department of State and to delete all statutory provisions relative to such museums and their governing boards; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 249—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:379, 379.1, 379.2(B)(5), 379.3(B), 379.4 and 379.5(A), and R.S. 36:801.6, to enact R.S. 36:209(B)(4), and to repeal R.S. 36:744(I) and (J), relative to the Louisiana State Exhibit Museum; to provide for the transfer of jurisdiction over the museum from the Department of State to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 250—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 5-R of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:380.151 through 380.156, and to repeal R.S. 36:744(BB) and 801.22, relative to the Germantown Colony Museum; to remove the museum from the jurisdiction of the Department of State and to delete all statutory provisions relative to the museum and its governing board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 251—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8-L of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:844.74 and 844.75, relative to communications; to prohibit the interference or blocking of certain communications and wireless connections; to provide certain terms, conditions, requirements, procedures, penalties and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 252—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:100.22, relative to special treasury funds; to establish the 2016 Overcollections and Deficit Management Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the transfer, dedication, use, investment, and appropriation of the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 253—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1517(D)(5) and (6), relative to limitations on certain appropriations to the LSU Health Sciences Center at Shreveport; to provide for the responsibility for the monies appropriated for certain legacy costs associated with the privatization of the hospitals that are a part of the LSU Health Sciences Center at Shreveport; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 254—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 255—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:802(A)(4) and to enact R.S. 26:802(A)(15) and 813, relative to alcoholic beverages; to provide for business relations of wholesalers and suppliers; to provide for obligations of successors; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 256—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:1608(G), relative to senior centers; to provide for funding to nationally certified senior centers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 257—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2194(B)(1), (3) and (6), 2194.1, 2195(C), (E), (F)(1), and the introductory paragraph of (3), and (3)(d), 2195.2(A)(1)(c)(ii), (2), (3), and (5), 2195.3(A)(1)(b), (6), and (10), 2195.4(A)(2) and (3) and (B)(1) and (C), 2195.8(A) and (C), 2195.9(A) and (B), 2195.10(C), 2195.12(A), and to enact R.S. 30:2194(B)(8)(c), 2195(F)(3)(f), 2195.4(A)(4), and 2195.12(E), relative to underground storage tanks; to provide certain prohibitions; to provide for monies deposited in the Tank Trust Fund; to provide certain reporting requirements; to provide for monies received from certain payments; to provide for certain third party claims; to require the maintaining of certain documents and records; to provide for the membership of the Motor Fuels Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund Advisory Board; to provide for certain reimbursement eligibility requirements; to provide for the issuance of grants or loans relative to the delivery of motor fuels; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 258—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:997.1, relative to the refilling of topical ophthalmic prescriptions; to require coverage for refills under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 259—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1433, 1435(C)(1) and (2), (D)-(F) and (H), 1436, 1437, 1437.1, 1437.2, 1437.3, 1438, 1439, 1441, 1443(1)(f), (3)(g) and (4), 1446, 1449, 1451, 1465, 1466(F); and to repeal R.S. 37:1435(C)(3) and 1443(3)(g), relative to the licensing of real estate brokers, timeshare interest salespersons, real estate schools and vendors, and real estate instructors; to provide for commission power to grant certain licenses, registrations, and certifications; to provide prohibitions for individual licenses, registrations, and certificates; to provide for the activities of partnerships, limited liability companies, associations, corporations, and other legal entities with regard to the transactions of real estate; to prohibit certain real estate activities without the proper license, registration, or certification; to provide for active and inactive licenses; to provide with regard to timeshare interest salespersons; to provide regarding the dissolution of any legal entity engaged in the activities of real estate; to provide specific guidelines for unlicensed entities not bound by the real estate licensing law; to provide relative to timeshare salespersons registrants and timeshare developers; to provide for a fee schedule, including active and inactive licenses; to provide certain terms, conditions and procedures; and to provide for responsibilities of the commission in the instance of the death of a sponsoring broker; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 260—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3973(2)(a) and (3), 3982(B)(1) and (2)(a), 3983(A)(4)(a) and (d) and (B)(2), 3991(H), the introductory paragraph of 3995(A)(1) and (c), (3)(b), and (4)(a)(i) and (H), 3996(G), and 4001(A) and (C)(1) and (2) and to repeal R.S. 17:3973(2)(b)(vi) and (4), 3974(A), 3981.1, 3981.2, and 3983(A)(2)(d), (D)(2), and (E)(3), relative to charter schools; to revise the definition of a chartering authority; to remove the authority of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to certify certain entities as local charter authorizers; to remove the authority of local charter authorizers to approve charter proposals and to enter into charters; to eliminate certain types of charter schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 261—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:721 and 722(A), relative to parish game and fish preserves; to authorize two or more parish governing authorities to establish a game and fish preserve when the preserve is located in multiple adjoining parishes; to provide for terms, conditions, requirements, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 262—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(1)(g), (h) and (i), relative to statewide content standards and assessments for required subjects; to provide for the use of such results and information for specified purposes including for purposes of distributing school and district letter grades, teacher evaluations, and pupil progression; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 263—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2928(B)(2), relative to dual enrollment courses; to provide with respect to course examinations and the state's accountability system; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 264—

BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1061.6(A), relative to prohibitions on use of certain funds; to provide for prohibitions on use of federal and state funds for certain grants or contracts; to provide for exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 265—

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2451, relative to testaments; to provide relative to mediation or arbitration provisions in a testament instrument; to provide certain terms, procedures, conditions, requirements and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 266—

BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1664(C)(2), 1665(D) and (E), 1669, 1671 (A), (D), (E), (F), and (G), and 1672(A), to enact R.S. 22:1665(F) and 1671(H), and to repeal R.S. 22:1662(13), relative to the licensing of insurance claims adjusters; to provide for licensing requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 267—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:129, relative to capital outlay; to provide requirements for certain entities and organizations receiving capital outlay funding; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 268—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:513.2, relative to motor vehicles; to provide a fixed period for registration and inspection of motor vehicles of new residents; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 269—

BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 6-B of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:671 through 674, relative to minimum wage; to establish a state minimum wage; to provide for an annual increase of the minimum wage; to provide for enforcement; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 270—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3914(L), relative to student information; to require the Department of Education to provide public school systems with certain student information; to provide for the confidentiality of such information; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 271—

BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1046, relative to medical marijuana; to provide for physician requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide for rulemaking requirements; to provide for

responsibilities of certain licensing boards and agencies; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 272—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:91(B) and R.S. 46:2691(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B)(1), relative to the deposit of certain economic damages payments into the Deepwater Horizon Economic Damages Collection Fund; to provide for the deposit of certain economic damages payments into the state general fund; to provide for the use of monies in the Medical Trust Fund for the Elderly; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 273—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To enact Paragraph (8) of Section 1 and Sections 4.1 and 12.2 of Act No. 762 of the 1986 Regular Session, as amended by Act No. 875 of the 1988 Regular Session, Act No. 1227 of the 1995 Regular Session, Act No. 855 of the 1997 Regular Session, and Act No. 1469 of the 1997 Regular Session, relative to the Greater New Orleans Expressway Commission; to authorize the Greater New Orleans Expressway Commission to issue additional toll bonds to finance the costs of construction of improvements and betterments to the Greater New Orleans Expressway; to provide with respect to surplus funds; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 274—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:29(A), 32(E)(3) and (7), and 36(B)(1)(c), (6), and (8), relative to budgets; to provide for the budget office under the direction of the division of administration to produce a standstill budget; to define and describe the elements of the standstill budget; to provide for the utilization of the standstill budget in the executive budget contents; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 275—
BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:266, relative to required courses of instruction; to require that cursive writing be taught in public schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 276—
BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 4-C of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:331 through 335, and R.S. 36:309(AA), relative to the creation of the Louisiana Heritage Protection Commission; to provide for the board of commissioners; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain protections and exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 277—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:204(B)(8), relative to the authority of the secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to authorize the employment of law enforcement officers for state museums; to provide relative to police powers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 278—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 15:574.4(E)(1), to enact R.S. 15:574.4(E)(4) and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 878.1, relative to parole eligibility; to provide relative to certain offenders convicted of certain crimes who were juveniles at the time of commission of the offense; to repeal judicial determination of parole eligibility; 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 C.

SENATE BILL NO. 279—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3881(A), 3886(A), 3902(B)(5), and 3997(D)(1) and (2), relative to the evaluation of public school teachers and administrators; to require that such evaluations include multiple quantitative measures of student achievement; to provide relative to the percentage of such evaluations based upon value-added data; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 280—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:2762, relative to the Medical Assistance Program; to provide for uncompensated care costs for hospital inpatient acute care services; to require a methodology for reimbursing uncompensated care costs; to provide for legislative oversight; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 281—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1441, relative to bail bond forfeiture proceedings; to provide for forfeiture hearings before the Division of Administrative Law; to provide for notice by mail; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 282—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1518(A)(2), 1518.1(A)(2) and 1519.1(12), relative to the definition of "medically indigent" in the context of the provision of health care services; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 283—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3651(A)(1) relative to professions and occupations; to provide for trained military personnel applying for certification as a professional engineer; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 284—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2702 and 2703, and to enact R.S. 46:2704(A)(4), relative to the Children's Product Safety Act; to provide for definitions; to prohibit the sale of certain unsafe children's products; to provide criteria for unsafe children's products; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 285—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:17(A)(10), relative to exceptions to open meetings; to provide for attorney-client privilege; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 286—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4545.4 and 4545.4.2, relative to the State Power Authority Act; to provide relative to the board of directors; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 287—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:134(C)(3) and R.S. 40:2405(J), relative to peace officers; to provide for penalties; to provide for revocation of P.O.S.T. qualification; to provide for a conviction of malfeasance in office; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 288—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2211.1 and to repeal R.S. 38:2225.1(B)(2), relative to public contracts; to provide relative to the awarding and performance of contracts for public works; to provide for preemption of state law; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 289—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:541(24)(a) and to enact R.S. 14:134.4, relative to unlawful conduct by law enforcement officers; to provide for malfeasance in office by law enforcement officers involving sexual conduct; to provide certain offenses as sex

offenses requiring registry and notification; to provide penalties; to provide for effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 290—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1577(E), relative to tax liens; to provide for the cancellation of prescribed state tax liens; to provide certain procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 291—
BY SENATORS MILLS AND DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2418(B) and to repeal R.S. 37:2418(C) and (D), relative to the practice of physical therapy; to authorize implementation of physical therapy services in certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 292—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:863.1.1, relative to motor vehicle liability security; to provide relative to failure to have a document that evidences motor vehicle liability security contained in a motor vehicle operated on the public highways of this state; to limit the amount of penalty and fee for failure to have a document that evidences proof of compulsory motor vehicle liability contained in a motor vehicle at the time of a traffic stop; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 293—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3995(A)(1)(b)(ii) and to repeal R.S. 17:3995(A)(1)(c), relative to charter school funding; to provide relative to the use of certain local revenues for computing the per pupil amount provided to all charter schools; to provide exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 294—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3914(H) and to enact R.S. 17:3914(C)(2)(f), relative to the release of student information in certain emergency situations; to require local school boards to adopt policies for that purpose; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 295—
BY SENATORS PETERSON, APPEL, CHABERT, JOHNS, MARTINY AND TARVER AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, BAGNERIS, BOUIE, GARY CARTER, JIMMY HARRIS, HAZEL, TERRY LANDRY, LOPINTO, MORENO AND TALBOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:248, relative to the land-based casino; to promote non-gaming economic development; to provide for personnel and total operating force; to provide for third-party tenants; to

provide for compensation; to provide for reporting; to provide for definitions; to provide for credits; to provide for methods of calculation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 296—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state rights and property in Orleans Parish; to provide for the applicable property descriptions; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; 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 Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 297—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:431(A)(1)(a) and 431(B)(1) and (5) and to enact R.S. 18:431(A)(1)(d), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide requirements for serving as a commissioner; to provide requirements for serving as a commissioner-in-charge; to provide for the duties of the commissioners; to provide for the duties of the commissioners-in-charge; to provide policies and procedures for commissioners duties of the clerk of court; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 298—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(12) and to enact Chapter 6-B of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:671 through 687, relative to the payment of family and medical leave; to provide for the payment of family and medical leave benefits; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility; to provide for duration of benefits; to provide for the calculation of benefits; to provide for payroll taxes; to provide for leave and employment protections; to prohibit discrimination; to provide for coordination of benefits; to provide for enforcement; to provide for elective coverage for self-employed individuals; to provide for administration of the program; to provide for a fund to be established in the treasury; to provide for legislative oversight; to provide for public outreach; to provide for the sharing of technology; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for an exception to the public records law; 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 Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 299—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:8(A)(1), (2), and (3), and (B), 57.1, 863(A)(3)(a) and (4), and (D)(1), 863.1(C)(1), (2), (5), (6), and (7), and (I)(3), to enact R.S. 32:863.1(G)(5), and to repeal R.S. 32:8(C) and 863(D)(5), relative to motor vehicles; to reduce certain fees, charges, penalties, and fines for certain traffic violations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 300—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2136(D), relative to staffing standards at ambulatory surgical centers; to provide for regulation restrictions; to provide for staffing patterns; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 301—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1087 and Children's Code Arts. 815, 898, 900(A), and 1509.1(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 15:1084(E) and Part V-A of Chapter 7 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:931 through 945, relative juvenile justice; to provide for compilation and reporting of data as to accountability and cost effectiveness of the juvenile justice system; to provide for program evaluation and funding of the juvenile justice system; to provide for certain periods of detention in juvenile facilities under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 302—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 412(C), 905, 906(A) and (B), and 908(A) and (C)(2), and R.S. 15:905(A) and (B), and to enact Children's Code Arts. 412(D)(12) and 908(C)(5), and Part III of Code Title XIV of Chapter 1 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:186.1 through 186.6; to provide relative to juvenile justice; to provide with regard to the release of records, reports or other information on juveniles in custody; to provide for the costs of production of records, reports and information; to provide for presumptions of indigence; to require periodic presentation of juveniles in custody to committing court; to provide relative to the representation of juveniles in custody and their return to the community; to create and provide for the Safe Return Program; to provide for the collection of data and periodic reporting of expenditures and funds by public defenders on the program; to develop and require standards and guidelines in representing indigents; to create the Safe Return Representation Program fund; to provide relative to access by defense counsel to juveniles in custody; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 303—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 908, R.S. 15:905(A), (B), and (C), and R.S. 17:24.4(A)(3) and (G)(1), 3911(B)(1) and (3) and (C)(2), and 3912 (A), and to enact R.S. 17:10.9, 100.1(D) and 3911(E), relative to educational programs in juvenile justice facilities; to require oversight, accountability and control of the educational services delivered in juvenile justice facilities; to provide for injunctive relief; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 304—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact Title XXXV of the Code of Criminal Procedure, comprised of Articles 1001 through 1010, relative to firearms; to provide for concealed handgun permits; to authorize the temporary carrying of a concealed handgun without a permit for persons

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who have obtained a domestic abuse protective order; to provide for applicability; to provide for civil penalties; to provide for the transferring of firearms by persons prohibited from possessing firearms due to convictions or restraining orders regarding domestic violence; to provide for time periods for the transfer of firearms; to provide definitions; to provide for a transfer of firearms hearing; to provide for designated law enforcement agencies to serve as repository for transferred firearms; to provide for procedures for the return of firearms which have been transferred; to provide for applicability; to provide for exceptions; to provide for the adoption of policies by law enforcement agencies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 305—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:308.7, relative to the review of certain special treasury funds; to create the Fund Review Commission and provide for the membership, powers, duties, and functions of the commission; to provide for staff to support the commission; to provide for recommendations of the commission; to provide for the disposition of the special treasury funds reviewed; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 306—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:335(A)(2)(b), relative to joint custody of children; to provide relative to a joint custody decree and implementation order; to provide that physical custody of children shall be shared equally in a joint custody decree; to provide with respect to factors in determining a child's best interest; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 307—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3021, the introductory paragraph of 3023(A) and (B), and 3093(A) and (B), and to repeal R.S. 17:3022, relative to the Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission and the Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority; to abolish the commission and transfer the powers, duties, and functions of the commission and the trust authority to the Board of Regents; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 308—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(5), relative to public elementary and secondary education; to provide relative to the school and district accountability program; to limit the amount of instructional time devoted to state and district level tests and assessments; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 309—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3387.1(A) and 3387.2(A), relative to supervision requirements for certain addictive disorder counselors in certain custodial environments; to provide that the requirement for supervision of certified addictive disorder

counselors and registered addictive disorder counselors is waived in certain custodial environments; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 310—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(2)(f)(iii) and 3911(B)(1)(k), and to enact R.S. 17:3911(B)(1)(l) and (B)(4), relative to the collection and reporting of certain student data; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 311—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3578.4(C), relative to loans; to provide relative to deferred presentment and small loans; to provide certain procedures and conditions for deferred presentment and small loans; to provide certain terms, requirements, and effects; to provide relative to certain unauthorized charges; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 312—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3534.5, 3578.6(C) and 3579.5 and R.S. 45:844.18, relative to telemarketing calls; to prohibit solicitation calls by certain credit access businesses; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 313—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:4(B)(8), to enact R.S. 46:2605.1 through 2605.3, and to repeal R.S. 36:478(L) and R.S. 46:2911 through 2913, relative to the Council on the Status of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren; to provide for the transfer of this council from the Department of Children and Family Services to the office of the governor; to provide for the council's membership, responsibilities and duties, and its fund; to provide terms, conditions, requirements, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 314—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:481, relative to motor vehicle fees and taxes; to provide relative to the distribution of fees and taxes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 315—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:54(E), relative to limitations on certain appropriations; to provide a limitation on mineral revenues generated from the price of oil in excess of forty dollars per

barrel; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 316—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1882, relative to noncontracted facility-based physicians providing covered health care services rendered in an in-network health care facility; to provide with respect to reimbursement of such physicians by health insurance issuers; to provide relative to balance billing by such physicians; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 317—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:252(A)(2)(h) and 416.21(A)(3)(b), (K), (M) and (N), to enact R.S. 17:253, and to repeal R.S. 17:416.21(L), relative to student behavior and discipline; to provide with respect to school master plans for student behavior and discipline; to create and provide with respect to the Advisory Council on Student Behavior and Discipline and its membership, duties, and responsibilities; to provide with respect to the appropriate use of seclusion and physical restraint to address the behavior of students with exceptionalities; to provide for the collection and reporting of certain data regarding incidents of seclusion and physical restraint; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 318—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 39:2(15.1), 24.1(A) and (E)(3), 34(A), 51(A)(2), and 56(A) and to enact R.S. 39:36(A)(7), relative to budgetary procedures; to define incentive expenditures; to provide for inclusion in the executive budget, the general appropriation bill, other appropriation bills, and the state budget of incentive expenditures; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 319—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3141.2(5)(p), relative to education; to provide an exception to the definition of proprietary schools for advanced police and service dog training programs; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 320—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1844(G), relative to rights of crime victims and witnesses; to provide for the rights of family of crime victims; to provide for designated courtroom seating; to provide for separation of certain individuals; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 321—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact Part VI of Chapter 5-D of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1190, 1190.1, and 1190.2, relative to hospital funding; to provide legislative intent; to establish a program; to create a fund and provide for legislative appropriation; to provide rulemaking authority; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 322—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:443(B)(1)(a)(ii) and (b)(iii), relative to penalties for certain violations of the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide with respect to the revocation or suspension of a license for certain violations; to provide for a hearing; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 323—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:416(C), relative to the operation of video draw poker devices at qualified truck stop facilities; to provide with respect to the calculation of fuel sales; to provide for exceptions regarding the fuel sales requirements at certain facilities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 324—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 305(A)(2), 306(D), and 804(1) and to enact R.S. 15:1441 through 1443, relative to juvenile jurisdiction; to provide for a child who commits a delinquent act before a certain age; to provide for transfer of juveniles to adult detention centers pending trial; to create the Juvenile Jurisdiction Planning and Implementation Council and provide for its membership, authority, duties, and responsibilities, including the power to issue subpoenas; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 325—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:992.1(A) and (C)(4), relative to the Judicial Building Fund; to provide for the application of certain court costs and service charges in the Nineteenth Judicial District; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 326—
BY SENATORS CLAITOR, BARROW AND COLOMB AND REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:403(A)(1)(b) and to enact Children's Code Article 610(H), relative to the reporting of child abuse and neglect; to add starvation and malnutrition to the definition of "serious bodily injury"; to require an annual report to the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 327—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 21 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:4501 through 4517, relative to false claims; to provide for certain terms, definitions, language, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 328—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1271(B)(2)(b), R.S. 40:1223.3(5) and 1223.4(A) and to enact R.S. 40:1223.5, relative to the practice of telemedicine; to provide for physician practice requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide for rulemaking standards; to provide for venue; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 329—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5024(A), relative to the academic requirements for the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to increase the minimum cumulative grade point average required for certain awards; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 330—

BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.4(E)(7), relative to state content standards and related assessments; to allow each public school governing authority to determine the content standards and assessments to be used in the schools under its jurisdiction; to prohibit the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the state Department of Education from mandating the use of state-adopted standards and assessments; to provide for a process whereby the people can decide which content standards and assessments will be used in public schools; to provide relative to the school and district accountability plan, teacher evaluations, and pupil progression plans; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 331—

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:437.12(A) and R.S. 51:137 and to enact R.S. 38:2197, and R.S. 46:437.12(A)(12), relative to public contracts; to require the assignment of anti-trust claims of state vendors and contractors; to require provisions authorizing the assignment be in requests for proposals, contracts and subcontracts and provider agreements; to provide for the state; to provide for the rights of direct and indirect purchasers; to provide for recovery of damages; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 332—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:193(B), R.S. 9:3583, R.S. 12:1041, R.S. 14:107.2(A) and 326(C), R.S. 15:1204.2(B)(4) and 1402(A), R.S. 17:111, 158(F), 1676(D), 2053(D)(3), 3402(A), and 3991(B)(3), R.S. 22:1452(C)(25), 1454(A), and 1964(7)(f), R.S. 23:332 and 2043(B)(1), R.S. 27:27.2(B) and 27.4, R.S. 37:1025(B), 1107(C), 1360.23(H), 1437(D), 1455(A)(28), 2654(C)(1), 2719, 3425(C), and 3447(C), R.S. 38:2315, R.S. 39:1411, R.S. 40:1133.1(C), 2113.4(A), 2113.6(A)(1) and (B), 2120.35(B)(5), 2125(B), 2403(H)(1), and 2504, R.S. 46:437.11(A), 1104, 1134, 1154, the introductory paragraph of 1407(B)(1)(e) and (F), 1995, and 2205, R.S. 47:37(C) and 287.755(C), R.S. 48:274.1(C), R.S. 49:145 and 146(A)(1), and R.S. 51:2231(A), 2232(3), 2235(16)(a), 2236(A), 2237(2), 2247, 2248, 2254(1) and (2), the introductory paragraph of 2255(A), 2602(A), 2606(A)(1) through (5), 2607(A) and (C), and 2608 and to enact R.S. 23:302(9) and (10), relative to discrimination; to expand the application of various provisions relative to discrimination by adding additional criteria; to provide for definitions; to remove certain activities from provisions for the attorney general to institute civil proceedings against certain corporations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 333—

BY SENATOR COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:7 and to enact R.S. 24:7.1, relative to the legislature; to provide relative to committee meetings and chamber sessions; to allow committee meetings and chamber sessions to be conducted by video conference; to allow each house of the legislature to adopt rules to facilitate meetings and sessions by video conference; to authorize voting in absentia; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 334—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 413(B) and 414(B), and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 412 and 414(C), relative to grand juries; to provide for jury venire and subpoena; to provide for impaneling of grand juries; to provide for time for impaneling grand juries; to provide for removal of unconstitutional provisions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 335—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3991(6) relative to charter schools; to prohibit a charter school from requiring disclosure of certain student information; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 336—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150.1(2), (4)(a), (5), (6), (7), (8)(a), (9), (10), (11), (12) and (13), 2152(B)(3) and (4), 2154(A)(2) and (5), 2155(A), (B), (C), and (D), 2156 (G), the introductory paragraph of 2156.1(A), 2156.1(C), the introductory paragraph of (D)(1), (D)(1)(c), and (D)(2), the introductory paragraph of 2157(A), 2159(C), 2162(L), 2167, 2170(A)(2), 2171.1, 2171.2(B), the introductory paragraph of 2175.1(A),

2175.1(A)(1), (2), (4)(a), (7), (B) and (D), 2175.3(A)(1), (2), (3), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9) and (10) and (B), 2175.4, and 2175.6 and to enact R.S. 37:2150.1(14), (15) and (16)(a), 2156.1(D)(4) and (5) and (M)(4), 2158(A)(12), 2167.2, 2167.3, and 2170(A)(4), (5), (6), and (7) and to repeal R.S. 37:2171, 2175.2, 2175.3(11), and 2175.5, relative to the State Licensing Board for Contractors; to provide certain definitions, terms, procedures, conditions, and effects; to provide relative to board composition and procedure; to provide relative to license issuance; to provide certain requirements and exceptions; to provide relative to residential contracting; to provide certain sanctions and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 337—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact Part VIII of Chapter 17 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:2511, relative to retail pet stores; to provide relative to the sale of dogs and cats by retail pet stores; to prohibit the sale of certain dogs and cats in retail pet stores; to require certain signs, reports and records; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 338—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:725 through 725.6, relative to trade and commerce; to provide certain protections for vulnerable adults from financial exploitation; to provide definitions, terms, conditions, requirements and procedures; to provide with regard to governmental disclosures and immunity; to provide for third party disclosures and immunity; to provide for receipt of notice; to provide with regard to record-keeping; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 339—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:418(C), relative to the operation of a restaurant at a qualified truck stop facility; to provide relative to restaurant closures during certain legal holidays; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 340—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(34) and to enact Chapter 6 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:351 through 357, relative to privatization contracts; to create and provide for the Privatization Review Act; to provide for certain requirements and procedures for certain privatization contracts; to provide for duties of executive branch agencies and agency heads relative to privatization contracts; to provide for the duties of the legislative auditor relative to certain privatization contracts; to provide procedures for legislative review and approval of privatization contracts; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain prohibitions; to provide for the voidability of privatization contracts; to provide

relative to the records related to privatization contracts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 341—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3552(10), 3553(C), 3555(A)(2) and (B), 3556(A)(2) and (3) and (B), 3556.1 and 3561(A) and to enact R.S. 37:3555(A)(6), 3556(A)(7) and (F), 3564(C), and 3567(C), relative to the Louisiana Massage Therapists and Massage Establishments Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for duties of the Louisiana Massage Therapy Board; to provide for licensing requirements; to provide for reciprocity and licensure by transfer or endorsement; to provide relative to advertisements; to provide for local regulations; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 342—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3881(A), 3886(A), 3902(B)(5), and 3997(D)(1) and (2), relative to the evaluation of public school teachers and administrators; to require that such evaluations include multiple quantitative measures of student achievement; to provide relative to the percentage of such evaluations based upon value-added data; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 343—
BY SENATOR GATTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:15, relative to private letter rulings; to provide authority, definitions, and requirements for private letter rulings; to provide for an exemption from disclosure pursuant to the Public Records Law; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 344—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Subpart E-4 of Part II of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:321 through 327, relative to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to establish a workforce and training initiative; to provide for reporting; to provide for federal approval; to provide for an effective date and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 345—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:610(B)(13) and R.S. 56:144, relative to the Feral Hog Task Force; to establish the Feral Hog Task Force; to provide for its membership; to provide for its powers, duties, responsibilities, and voting requirements; to provide for open meetings and public records; to provide terms, conditions, requirements, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 346—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:308.2 and to repeal R.S. 49:308.3, relative to special funds and dedications of money; to provide for the abolition of certain special treasury funds and dedications; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 347—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 23:642, relative to the setting of local wages and benefits; to repeal the prohibition that bars local governmental subdivisions from establishing a local minimum wage rate which a private employer would be required to pay or grant employees; to repeal the prohibition that bars local governmental subdivisions from establishing local mandatory, minimum number of vacation or sick leave days, whether paid or unpaid; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 348—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:410(E) and R.S. 40:1321(O) and to repeal Act No. 807 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature and Act No. 151 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the issuance of driver's licenses and special identification cards in compliance with the REAL ID Act of 2005; to provide for implementation of the REAL ID Act; to provide for exceptions; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 349—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:402.1(A)(1)(a) and (2)(a), relative to driver's education; to require the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, to adopt rules relative to fees and payment methods available to students for driver education courses; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 350—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:39.1(B), relative to vital records; to provide for issuance of long-form birth records or death certificates; to provide for payment of fees for these certificates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 351—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3452, 3453.1(A) and (C), and 3454, and to repeal R.S. 17:3453, relative to the Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium for Research and Education; to repeal the executive board and transfer all duties and functions of the executive board to the Board of Regents; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 352—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact Part II of Chapter 4 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:261 through 277, relative to public contracts; to provide for actions against false claims; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for settlements; to provide for injunctive relief; to provide for disclosures; to provide for forfeiture of property; to provide for venue; to provide for privilege; to provide for nondischarge ability; to provide for civil actions; to provide for false claims; to provide for recovery; to provide for civil fines; to provide for the burden of proof; to provide for recovery; to provide for qui tam actions and procedures; to provide for damages; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 353—
BY SENATOR BISHOP AND REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:221.7 and 3996(B)(42), relative to dropout prevention programs for high school students; to provide for the Louisiana Expectant and Parenting Students Act; to provide for a purpose for the Act; to require public high school governing authorities to adopt policies that support expectant and parenting students; to provide for reporting requirements and criteria; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 354—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 48:251.8, 252(B)(7)(b) and 256.4, to enact R.S. 48:251.8(3), and to repeal R.S. 48:251.5(B)(3), relative to contracts of the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide relative to plan changes, partial acceptance, and attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 355—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:81(A)(7), relative to the powers of local public school boards; to provide for local school board policies and procedures; to provide relative to contracting authority; to require contracts to comply with local public school board policy; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 356—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2195.2(C), relative to certain special treasury funds; to provide for transfer of monies from the Tank Trust Fund into the state general fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 357—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:44, relative to red light cameras; to require notification of red light camera locations; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 358—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2211(A), 2212(2), 2213(D) and (F), and 2215(A); and to repeal R.S. 36:651(CC) and 802.23 and R.S. 51:2214 (A) through (F), relative to the MediFund; to repeal the fund's governing board and transfer all duties and obligations of the board to the Board of Regents; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 359—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:24.1(A), (D), and (E)(3) and to enact R.S. 39:24.2, relative to the incentive expenditure forecast; to require the budgeting and appropriating of certain rebates and refundable tax credits or related transferable tax credits before they are paid or granted; 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.

Rules Suspended

Senator Colomb asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recommit a bill.

SENATE BILL NO. 91—
BY SENATOR COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:300.5(C)(1) and (2), 300.6(C)(1) and (2), 300.7(E)(1)(a) and (b), and 300.8(D)(2)(a) and (b), relative to the prohibition against using wireless communications devices for text messaging and social networking while driving; to increase the penalties for violations of this prohibition by the general public, by holders of certain special licenses, by minors, and in school zones; and to provide for related matters.

Senator Colomb moved to recommit the bill from the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to the Committee on Judiciary C.

Without objection, so ordered.

Rules Suspended

Senator Martiny asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recommit a bill.

SENATE BILL NO. 24—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(5), relative to parole; to provide for parole consideration for certain persons; to provide for certain ameliorative penalty provisions; to provide for certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Senator Martiny moved to recommit the bill from the Committee on Judiciary B to the Committee on Judiciary C.

Without objection, so ordered.

Rules Suspended

Senator Martiny asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recommit a bill.

SENATE BILL NO. 61—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(F), relative to parole eligibility; to provide for eligibility for persons eligible for relief under certain other provisions of law; to provide criteria for eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

Senator Martiny moved to recommit the bill from the Committee on Judiciary B to the Committee on Judiciary C.

Without objection, so ordered.

Rules Suspended

Senator Martiny asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recommit a bill.

SENATE BILL NO. 127—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(F), relative to parole eligibility; to provide parole eligibility for juveniles sentenced to life imprisonment for certain homicide offenses; to provide for conditions of parole eligibility; to provide for parole hearings and findings of fact; and to provide for related matters.

Senator Martiny moved to recommit the bill from the Committee on Judiciary B to the Committee on Judiciary C.

Without objection, so ordered.

Rules Suspended

Senator Thompson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time:

Introduction of Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions

SENATE BILL NO. 360—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1155.2(8), relative to the Louisiana Physician Order for Scope of Treatment; to provide for definitions; to provide for form modifications; to provide for specific language to be utilized on the form; to provide for mandatory fields; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

A RESOLUTION

To commend former Senator David R. Heitmeier on being named the 2015 Optometrist of the Year by the American Optometric Association.

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

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4—
BY SENATOR WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request Governor John Bel Edwards to issue an executive order directing state agencies and local governments to continue to support the Louisiana State Use Program, managed by Employment Development Services.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5—
BY SENATOR MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Luke Corona of New Iberia on being named a top youth volunteer in Louisiana at the twenty-first annual Prudential Spirit of Community Awards.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6—
BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Health and Hospitals to evaluate and report on funding solutions for in-home support providers.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend the graduating parent and student leaders of the 2016 Family Leadership Training Institute of New Orleans (FLTI NOLA) on their amazing accomplishment in becoming trained civic advocates in New Orleans.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Russell J. Stutes Sr.

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

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—
BY SENATOR WARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the Atchafalaya Basin Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2016-2017, as adopted by the Atchafalaya Basin Research and Promotion Board and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3—
BY SENATORS MILLS, PERRY AND GARY SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit a report by May 1, 2016, on the health benefits and healthcare costs associated with adding Adrenoleukodystrophy (ALD) to the newborn screening panel and to add ALD to the newborn screening panel no later than January 1, 2017.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—
BY SENATOR BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and provide with respect to the task force to study health services delivery and financing in the Baton Rouge region created by House Concurrent Resolution No. 129 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology to evaluate and report on licensing requirements and procedures that may need to be updated in current law.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the intent of the Louisiana Legislature relative to enforcement of fishing harvest gear laws and restrictions in state and federal waters off the coast of Louisiana.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Alexis Bauer upon being chosen as a recipient of the 2016 Young Heroes Award.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dylan Alvarez upon being chosen as a recipient of the 2016 Young Heroes Award.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY SENATOR MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Department of Health and Hospitals to evaluate and report on the number of Bayou Health plans that are necessary and appropriate before releasing another RFP to procure such plans.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite Madame Chief Justice Bernette Johnson of the Louisiana Supreme Court to address a joint session of the legislature.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrish
Allain	Fannin	Peacock
Appel	Hewitt	Peterson
Barrow	LaFleur	Riser
Boudreaux	Long	Smith, G.
Carter	Luneau	Smith, J.
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Claitor	Milkovich	Walsworth
Cortez	Mizell	Ward
Donahue	Morrell	White
Total - 30		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop	Gatti	Mills
Brown	Johns	Perry
Colomb	Lambert	Tarver
Total - 9		

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 CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

March 14, 2016

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HCR No. 5

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

House Concurrent Resolutions

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite Chief Justice Bernette Joshua Johnson of the Louisiana Supreme Court to address a joint session of the legislature.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Carter	Luneau	Thompson
Chabert	Martiny	Walsworth
Claitor	Milkovich	Ward
Cortez	Mizell	White
Donahue	Morrell	
Erdey	Morrish	
Total - 31		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop	Gatti	Perry
Brown	Lambert	Tarver
Colomb	Mills	
Total - 8		

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Peterson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recommit a bill.

SENATE BILL NO. 276—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 4-C of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:331 through 335, and R.S. 36:309(AA), relative to the creation of the Louisiana Heritage Protection Commission; to provide for the board of commissioners; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain protections and exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Senator Peterson moved to recommit the bill from the Committee on Education to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

Without objection, so ordered.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

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

ABSENT

Bishop	Tarver
Total - 2	

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Bishop	1 Day	Tarver	1 Day
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Announcements

The following committee meetings for March 15, 2016, were announced:

Retirement 2:00 P.M. Room E

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 3:10 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, March 15, 2016, at 9:30 o'clock A.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk