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Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, May 5, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 2:20 o'clock P.M. by Hon. Patrick Page Cortez, President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Johns	Reese
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith
Bouie	Luneau	Talbot
Carter	McMath	Tarver
Cathey	Milligan	Ward
Cloud	Mills, F.	Womack
Connick	Mills, R.	
Fields	Mizell	
Total - 34		

ABSENT

Fesi	Jackson	White
Henry	Peterson	
Total - 5		

The President of the Senate announced there were 34 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Dr. Charles J. Southall III, 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 Reese, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 4, 2021, was adopted.

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 4, 2021

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. 35—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Ann Theresa "Nancy" Mellody Valluzzo.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Colonel Bernard H. McLaughlin Jr.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37—

BY SENATORS JOHNS, ABRAHAM AND REESE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend former district attorney of the Fourteenth Judicial District, John F. DeRosier, for his many years of outstanding public service to the city of Lake Charles, the parish of Calcasieu, and the state of Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY SENATOR CATHEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize The North Face as an "Extraordinary Customer" of the Louisiana oil and gas and petrochemical industries.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
MICHELLE D. FONTENOT
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Privileged Report of the
Legislative Bureau**

May 5, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following instruments are approved as to construction and duplication. We advise and suggest the following amendments:

HOUSE BILL NO. 199—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, BAGLEY, BISHOP, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARRIER, COUSSAN, DAVIS, DEVILLIER, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, FARNUM, FREEMAN, GADBERRY, GLOVER, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HARRIS, HILFERTY, HORTON, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, KERNER, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, MCKNIGHT, MCMAHEN, MOORE, NELSON, NEWELL, ORGERON, PIERRE, PRESSLY, ROMERO, SELDERS, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, THOMAS, VILLIO, WHEAT, WHITE, AND WRIGHT

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 3.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to sales and use tax collection; to create the State and Local Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Commission; to authorize the legislature to provide by law for the streamlined electronic collection of sales and use taxes; to provide for commission membership; to provide for commission duties and responsibilities; to provide for commission officers; to provide for the administration of sales and use taxes; to provide for the transfer of powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers and the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board; to provide for funding; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 199 by Representative Schexnayder

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 1, following "Subsubparagraphs" and before "(1)(e)" delete "(B)"

Respectfully submitted,
FRED MILLS
Chairman

Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 57—

BY SENATORS CORTEZ AND FOIL
A RESOLUTION

To commend Kim Mulkey on being named head coach of the Louisiana State University womens basketball program.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 58—

BY SENATOR CLOUD
A RESOLUTION

To commend Pine Prairie High School in Evangeline Parish upon being named a National ESEA Distinguished School in 2020.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 59—

BY SENATOR CATHEY
A RESOLUTION

To designate May 26, 2021, as 4-H Day at the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana and commend the state 4-H officers.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 60—

BY SENATOR CATHEY
A RESOLUTION

To designate May 25, 2021, as FFA Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and to commend the state officers of the Louisiana FFA Association.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 61—

BY SENATOR BERNARD
A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate former Louisiana State University head track and field coach Pat Henry upon his induction into the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame and for his distinguished seventeen-year career during which he established an exemplary track and field program at Louisiana State University.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 62—

BY SENATOR BERNARD
A RESOLUTION

To commend Rickie Weeks Jr., international pro baseball star, upon the occasion of his induction into the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 63—

BY SENATOR BERNARD
A RESOLUTION

To commend Ronnie Coleman on being inducted into the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 64—

BY SENATOR BERNARD
A RESOLUTION

To commend Nick Saban, former national champion LSU head football coach, upon the occasion of his induction into the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 65—

BY SENATOR BERNARD
A RESOLUTION

To commend Joan Cronan upon being named the 2020 recipient of the Dave Dixon Louisiana Sports Leadership Award presented by the Louisiana Sports Writers Association.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 66—

BY SENATOR CORTEZ
A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Senator and Congressman-elect Troy A. Carter upon his election to the United States Congress, representing Louisiana's Second Congressional District.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 67—

BY SENATOR TALBOT
A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Frank Brigtsen, co-owner and chef of Brigtsen's Restaurant for more than thirty years of culinary excellence and for his contributions to the city of New Orleans and the state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 68—

BY SENATOR CLOUD
A RESOLUTION

To commend the dedicated work of the Center for Development and Learning and to recognize Thursday, May 6, 2021, as Literacy Day at the state capitol.

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

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47—

BY SENATOR PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 5, 2021, as Louisiana Municipal Association (LMA) Municipal Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Johns	Reese
Boudreaux	Lambert	Smith
Bouie	Luneau	Talbot
Carter	McMath	Tarver
Cathey	Milligan	White
Cloud	Mills, F.	Womack
Connick	Mills, R.	
Fields	Mizell	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fesi	Jackson	Ward
Henry	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 48—

BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Tommy Little for his volunteer work and for being named a 2021 Champion of Service by Volunteer Louisiana.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—

BY SENATOR TALBOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Revenue and state Department of Education to jointly provide a report to the legislature by October 31, 2021, regarding the income tax credits provided for donations to school tuition organizations (STO).

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

**Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 49—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Neil Graham Odenwald.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 50—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Richard Sanders Morris Sr.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 51—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 5, 2021, as Louisiana Chamber of Commerce Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 52—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Bridget Elaine Holmes.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 53—

BY SENATOR TALBOT

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Restaurant Association on the occasion of its seventy-fifth anniversary.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 54—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Dr. Katherine Lindley Spaht Dodson.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 55—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Percival Lange LeBlanc.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 56—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 5, 2021, as Tourism Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

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Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38— BY SENATOR MIZELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize January 22, 2022, as the Day of Tears in Louisiana and to encourage Louisiana citizens to lower their flags to half-staff to mourn the innocent, pre-born children who have lost their lives due to abortion.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Boudreaux Bouie Cathey Cloud Connick Fields Total - 32

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter Fesi Harris Total - 7

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39— BY SENATOR MIZELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Bradley Dewayne Cryer, assistant legislative auditor.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Boudreaux Bouie Cathey Cloud Connick Fields Total - 32

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter Fesi Harris Jackson Mills, R. Peterson Ward Total - 7

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40— BY SENATOR MIZELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Tanya Lea Crowe for being crowned Miss Louisiana USA 2021.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Boudreaux Bouie Cathey Cloud Connick Fields Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter Fesi Jackson Mills, R. Peterson Ward Total - 6

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41— BY SENATOR MIZELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize September 19-25, 2021, as National Surgical Technologists Week and to commend the Louisiana Assembly of the Association of Surgical Technologists for their outstanding skill in maintaining hospital surgery safety in Louisiana, ensuring that surgical teams adhere to aseptic and sterile techniques, and for training other hospital health care providers in patient care sterilization procedures during the COVID-19 pandemic.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Peacock
Allain	Henry	Pope
Barrow	Hensgens	Price
Bernard	Hewitt	Reese
Boudreaux	Jackson	Smith
Bouie	Johns	Talbot
Carter	Lambert	Tarver
Cathey	McMath	White
Cloud	Milligan	Womack
Connick	Mills, F.	
Fields	Mizell	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fesi	Mills, R.	Ward
Luneau	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend DeVonta Versean Smith on his accomplishments as the recipient of the 2020 Heisman Trophy and numerous awards and accolades.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Bernard	Hewitt	Price
Boudreaux	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Carter	Lambert	Talbot
Cathey	Luneau	Tarver
Cloud	McMath	White
Connick	Milligan	Womack
Fields	Mills, F.	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fesi	Peterson
Mills, R.	Ward
Total - 4	

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize April 2021 as Second Chance Month and honors the work of communities, governmental institutions, nonprofits, congregations, employers, and individuals to remove unnecessary legal and societal barriers that prevent individuals with a criminal record from becoming productive members of society.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Peacock
Allain	Henry	Pope
Barrow	Hensgens	Price
Bernard	Hewitt	Reese
Boudreaux	Johns	Smith
Bouie	Lambert	Talbot
Carter	Luneau	Tarver
Cathey	McMath	White
Cloud	Milligan	Womack
Connick	Mills, F.	
Fields	Mizell	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fesi	Mills, R.	Ward
Jackson	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 44—

BY SENATOR HENSGENS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Risk Charge Commission to study and make recommendations regarding the costs and risks in drilling a well in a compulsory unit created by the office of conservation.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—

BY SENATOR MCMATH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Survivor Informed Task Force to study the link between trauma, abuse, and subsequent incarceration, including secondary survivors of domestic or intimate partner violence, and to make recommendations to the legislature.

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

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 46—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Louisiana congressional delegation and the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to rename the United States Department of Veterans Affairs' Lafayette Community Based Outpatient Clinic in honor of Rodney C. Hamilton Sr.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fields, Foil, Harris, Henry, Hensgens, Hewitt, Jackson, Johns, Lambert, Luneau, McMath, Milligan, Mills, F., Mills, R., Mizell, Morris, Peacock, Pope, Price, Reese, Smith, Talbot, Tarver, White, Womack.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent. Lists Fesi, Peterson, Ward.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

May 4, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

Table with 3 columns: HB No. 20, HB No. 77, HB No. 86, HB No. 168, HB No. 232, HB No. 285, HB No. 378, HB No. 422, HB No. 570, HB No. 48, HB No. 50, HB No. 156, HB No. 174, HB No. 176, HB No. 187, HB No. 240, HB No. 256, HB No. 306, HB No. 211, HB No. 84, HB No. 38

Table with 3 columns: HB No. 46, HB No. 118, HB No. 170, HB No. 270, HB No. 437, HB No. 560, HB No. 573, HB No. 577

Respectfully submitted, MICHELLE D. FONTENOT Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 20— BY REPRESENTATIVES MIGUEZ AND HODGES AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1400.10, relative to the funding of elections and related expenses; to prohibit public officials and agencies from using private donations to pay costs related to conducting elections; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 38— BY REPRESENTATIVES EDMONDS, AMEDEE, BACALA, CREWS, ECHOLS, EDMONSTON, FIRMENT, FRIEMAN, GAROFALO, IVEY, MCFARLAND, MIGUEZ, AND CHARLES OWEN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:16.1(2) and (4), 16.2, 16.3(A)(1) and (3)(introductory paragraph) and (D), 16.4(A), (B)(1) and (2), and (C)(2)(f), 16.5(A)(2), 16.6(A)(2) and (C)(7), 16.7(A)(2), (B), and (C)(10), 16.9(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), and (C)(introductory paragraph), (1), (3), (4), and (5), 16.13(A), (B), (D), and (E), and 16.14 and to enact R.S. 17:3996(B)(59) and R.S. 39:16.10(D), relative to reporting of public fiscal information; to provide relative to the Louisiana Fiscal Transparency Website; to require public school governing authorities to comply with the reporting and disclosure requirements for the website; to provide relative to the duties and authority of the commissioner of administration relative to such requirements; to provide relative to the duties and authority of the legislative auditor relative to such requirements; to provide for compliance and investigative audits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 46— BY REPRESENTATIVES JAMES AND JORDAN AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 701(B)(1)(a), relative to pretrial motions for speedy trial; to provide relative to a defendant in continued custody; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 48— BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.3(D)(2) and to enact R.S. 40:1379.3(D)(1)(j), relative to concealed handgun permits; to provide relative to the required safety and training for applicants; to provide relative to the certification of instructors of the required safety and training courses; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 50—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(7)(m), 302(BB)(114), 321(P)(115), 321.1(I)(115), and 331(V)(115), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide for a state sales and use tax exclusion for certain leases or rentals of items of tangible personal property; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 77—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARINO, JONES, LANDRY, AND MARCELLE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 893(B), relative to suspension of sentences in felony cases; to provide relative to fourth or subsequent convictions; to provide relative to the consent of the district attorney; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 84—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 401(A)(introductory paragraph) and (5), relative to qualifications of jurors; to provide relative to the authority of certain persons under indictment or order of imprisonment or on probation or parole to serve on a jury; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 86—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:444(G), relative to a parish executive committee of a recognized political party in Lafayette Parish; to provide relative to membership on such a committee; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 118—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FRIEMAN, BEAULLIEU, CREWS, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMINT, GADBERRY, HODGES, HORTON, IVEY, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MIGUEZ, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, AND SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 9 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1813 through 1817, relative to enforcement of federal firearm laws; to provide relative to infringements on a citizen's right to keep and bear arms; to enact the Louisiana Firearm Protection Act; to prohibit enforcement of federal firearm laws; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to application; to provide relative to a right of action; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 156—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(33)(a)(ii)(aa), R.S. 14:403.1(B)(6), R.S. 15:1134(A), R.S. 17:7(27)(a)(ii)(aa), 7.2(A)(4), 24.1(K), 46(A)(1)(b), 392.1(E), 414.2(A), 416.8(A)(1)(a)(iii), 1170, 1200(A) and (B), 2926(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B)(1), the title of Chapter

19 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, 3002(A), (B), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (D)(1) and (3), 3003, 3004, 3005(A), (B), (C)(introductory paragraph), (D), and (E), 3006(A), 3162(C)(8), 3166(section heading) and 3602(7), R.S. 18:116(A)(2)(a), and R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(a)(iv), relative to school employees; to provide for technical changes with respect to the terms "guidance counselor" and "school counselor"; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 168—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:491(B), relative to objections to candidacy for elective office; to provide relative to review of evidence by a district attorney; to provide relative to filing of objections by a district attorney; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 170—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:392.1(F), relative to students with dyslexia; to require public school governing authorities to report to the state Department of Education and to require the state Department of Education to report to the legislature regarding such students; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 174—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4546.21, relative to the Louisiana Municipal Natural Gas Purchasing and Distribution Authority; to provide for the authority to require contractors and subcontractors to be prequalified as part of the public bidding process for pipeline facilities; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 176—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1124.4(A)(3), (B)(2), and (C) and 1157(A)(1)(a) and (4), relative to ethics; to provide relative to certain fees and penalties assessed by the Board of Ethics; to reduce the per-day penalty to be assessed against certain filers of required financial disclosure statements; to provide for a maximum amount to be assessed against certain filers; to give discretion to the board and its staff regarding the assessment of certain penalties against certain filers of required financial disclosure statements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 187—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116.31(B) and 2116.34(A)(1), (7), and (10)(c) through (f), relative to home health services; to define authorized healthcare provider; to authorize nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, and physician assistants to order home health services; to provide rules and regulations for nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, and physician assistants; to provide for administrators of home health

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 211—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4035.1(C) through (E) and to enact R.S. 17:4035.1(F) and (G), relative to public school choice; to provide relative to school funding; to provide relative to the applicability of school and district accountability; to provide for an appeals process for public school choice enrollment denials; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 232—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARINO AND JAMES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894(B)(2), relative to suspension and deferral of sentence and probation in misdemeanor cases; to provide relative to discharge and dismissal of prosecutions; to remove the restriction that discharge and dismissal may occur only once during a five-year period; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 240—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.1.4(D), relative to the carrying of concealed weapons by qualified retired law enforcement officers; to require the issuance of the required identification to qualified individuals by certain persons; to provide for prospective and retroactive application; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 256—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TARVER
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 17:438(D), relative to permitted withholdings from a school employee's paycheck; to authorize employees of certain school boards to have dues for an organization withheld from their paychecks; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 270—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MAGEE, BAGLEY, HUGHES, DUSTIN MILLER, AND TURNER AND SENATOR FRED MILLS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1262(4) and 1291(6) and R.S. 40:1223.3(6)(a) and to enact R.S. 37:1291(7), relative to telemedicine and telehealth; to revise the definitions of those terms; to exempt certain activity from laws pertaining to the practice of medicine; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 285—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:563(C)(1) and 1309(E)(4)(a), relative to voting; to provide for the amount of time a voter may remain in a voting machine; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 306—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(a)(vi), relative to nepotism; to provide an exception to allow an immediate family member of a school board member or superintendent to be employed as a bus operator; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 378—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:102(A)(1)(b), 171(A), (B), and (C), 171.1(A)(1), and 176(A)(1), (2), and (3)(b) and to enact R.S. 18:102(C), relative to registration and voting; to provide relative to registration and voting by a person with a felony conviction; to provide relative to the suspension of registration and voting rights of such a person; to provide relative to reports to election officials concerning such persons; to provide relative to the duties of registrars of voters and officials in the Department of State and in the Department of Public Safety and Corrections relative to such reports; to provide for the information required to be reported; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 422—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1199.4(O), relative to the Reentry Advisory Council; to provide relative to the membership of the Reentry Advisory Council; to provide relative to the disqualification of members for missing a certain number of meetings; to provide for certain notification to the nominating authority of the disqualified member; to provide for the appointment of a member to replace the disqualified member; to prohibit the disqualified member from being reappointed for a certain period of time; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 437—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GADBERRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.23(J), relative to enforcement of the state uniform construction code; to provide for inspections of commercial and residential structures; to prohibit remote virtual inspections of such structures; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 560—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 211, relative to summons by an officer instead of arrest and booking; provides for issuance of a citation in lieu of arrest for persons committing certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 570—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS

AN ACT

To enact Part VI of Chapter 5-E of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1257.1 through 1257.4, relative to nonemergency, non-ambulance medical transportation providers enrolled in the state Medicaid program; to provide for enhanced monthly payments to such providers by the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for the calculation of, and to set limits on, such monthly payment amounts; to make the payments contingent upon federal approval; to provide for administrative rulemaking; to provide for a termination date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 573—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1402(D)(2), (3)(introductory paragraph), and (5), 1403(B)(6)(c), 1407(3) and (7), 1418(4)(b) and (c), 1431(B), 1432(A), 1436(B), 1437(A), 1439(C), 1856(D)(2) and (3) and (G), 1857(B)(1), 1989(C), 1998(A)(1)(a) and (b)(i) and (D), 2132(D), 2134(B)(3), (D), and (E)(1), and 2327, to enact R.S. 47:1402(D)(3)(h) and (i), 1418(4)(d), 1431(F), 1432(B), 1856(H), 1857(B)(3), 1992(B)(3), and 1998(H) and (I), and to repeal R.S. 47:1432(D), relative to ad valorem taxes; to provide for the qualifications of members of the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for the membership and qualifications of the Local Tax Division Nominating Committee; to provide for administrative matters for the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for the jurisdiction of the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for definitions; to provide for the administration, review, and appeal of ad valorem tax assessments; to provide for actions related to the legality or correctness of certain assessments; to provide for actions related to payment of taxes under protest; to provide for actions for the recovery of taxes paid under protest; to provide for actions related to the assessment of public service properties by the commission; to provide for review of certain cases by the Louisiana Tax Commission; to provide for the refund of certain taxes; to provide for actions related to the payment of an assessment under protest; to provide for limitations and requirements in actions related to ad valorem tax assessments; to provide for a public records exception; to require that notice be afforded to certain parties for certain proceedings; to require annual reporting under certain circumstances; to authorize the promulgation of rules; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 577—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCKNIGHT AND JORDAN

AN ACT

To enact Subpart D-1 of Part IV of Chapter 4 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1341 through 1346, relative to residential flood coverage; to provide for notice to applicants; to provide for types of residential flood insurance policies; to provide for definitions; to provide for an alternative rate filing process; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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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 passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HCR No. 16 HCR No. 20 HCR No. 22

Respectfully submitted,
MICHELLE D. FONTENOT
Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUGHES AND DUPLESSIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study the impact of COVID-19 on the public sector workforce of this state and to report findings of the study to the legislature.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUGHES, BRASS, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, HILFERTY, JEFFERSON, CHARLES OWEN, AND PHELPS AND SENATOR BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request Governor John Bel Edwards to appoint additional women to the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System, the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, and the Board of Regents with the goal that women will comprise at least fifty percent of the membership of each board by July 1, 2023.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to require public school governing authorities to post certain fiscal information on their websites.

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 146—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILFERTY, BUTLER, FARNUM, MCMAHEN, MOORE, RISER, WHITE, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297.15, relative to income tax credits; to establish an income tax credit for an individual who delivers a stillborn child; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for applicability; 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 Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 327—
BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:563(introductory paragraph) and (8), 582(A)(introductory paragraph), (B)(introductory paragraph), and (C)(introductory paragraph), 583(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), (C)(introductory paragraph) and (3), and 595(B)(3) and to enact R.S. 37:563(18) and (19), 582(B)(4), 583(C)(4), 588, and 588.1, relative to the practice of advanced esthetics; to provide definitions; to provide for a certificate of registration for an advanced esthetician; to prohibit engaging in services that cause pinpoint bleeding; to provide for a certificate as a registered teacher of advanced esthetics; to provide for training and technical instruction in advanced esthetics; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 374—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3258.1, relative to residential leases; to provide for notice to applicants by certain lessors of residential properties; to provide for exceptions; to provide for personal hardship statements after a declared disaster or emergency; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 383—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 603(4), relative to child in need of care proceedings; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 391—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1046(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 40:1046(A)(5) and (C)(2)(l), relative to recommendation by physicians of marijuana for therapeutic use, known also as medical marijuana; to provide for forms of medical marijuana which a physician may recommend; to establish limitations on dispensing of certain forms of medical marijuana; to provide for rules and regulations of the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy relative to medical marijuana; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 397—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part XIV of Chapter 11 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and to enact R.S. 40:2200.7.1 and 2200.7.2, relative to Alzheimer's disease and other dementia diseases; to provide for education concerning and awareness of such diseases; to provide for the early detection of such diseases; to provide for the promulgation of rules by the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for the designation and organization of certain laws by the Louisiana State Law Institute; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 443—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BEAULLIEU AND BRYANT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6301(A)(1) and (3), (B)(1)(c)(v) and (ix) and (2)(a)(ii), and (C)(1)(c), relative to the donations to school tuition organization tax credit; to provide for an amount of the tax credit; to provide for the use of the donations; to provide for administration of scholarship payments; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for requirements of qualified schools; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 461—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUGHES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1430(A)(1), relative to certain facilities licensed by the Department of Children and Family Services to provide out-of-home care for children; to revise certain provisions of the Specialized Provider Licensing Act; to provide relative to entities that violate regulations adopted pursuant to such law; to provide with respect to violations related to state central registry clearances; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 511—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCFARLAND, AMEDEE, BACALA, DAVIS, EDMONDS, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FREIBERG, GADBERRY, HARRIS, HORTON, MCKNIGHT, MIGUEZ, CHARLES OWEN, AND SCHAMERHORN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:77 and to enact R.S. 48:71, 72, and 229.2, relative to budgetary operations and funding for the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for audits; to repeal the dedication of certain revenues to the Transportation Trust Fund; to dedicate certain revenues to the Construction Subfund of the Transportation Trust Fund; to require an online platform for Highway Priority Program information; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 522—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SELDERS
AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Article 612(A)(5) and (6), relative to child abuse; to provide for child abuse or neglect reporting and investigation; to provide with respect to the administrative procedure of completing a preliminary investigation or assessment; to provide for services to families in instances when reports are denied; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 544—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES AND SENATOR WHITE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:1855(P)(1)(introductory paragraph), relative to the Louisiana Scenic Rivers Act; to extend the period for which the Comite River is exempt from certain statutory requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 545—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUGHES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:196(C) and 224.1(A) and to enact R.S. 48:752(3), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development and the State Highway Improvement Fund; to provide for the expenditure of money in road transfer agreements; to provide for funds to be credited to the Parish Transportation Fund; 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 Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 549—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCORMICK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2363(7) and (13), relative to the reporting of hazardous material releases; to provide for definitions; to provide for the applicability of reporting requirements under the Hazardous Materials Information Development, Preparedness, and Response Act and laws regarding hazardous materials transportation and motor carrier safety; to provide relative to natural gas pipelines; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 558—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LARVADAIN
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in East Baton Rouge Parish and St. Landry Parish; to provide for property descriptions; to provide for the reservation of mineral rights; to provide for the proceeds; to provide relative to 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 562—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.102(B)(3) and (5), (I)(1) and (3), and (K), and 340(A) and (E)(5), 1402(E)(1) and (2), 1404, 1406, and 1418(7)(d), to enact R.S. 47:338.223 and 1483(A)(2) and (3), and to repeal R.S. 47:340(I), relative to the administration and adjudication of state and local sales and use taxes; to provide relative to sales and use tax administration; to provide relative to the membership of the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board; to provide for the selection of officers of the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board; to provide for the funding of Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board; to provide for a strategic plan for the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board; to provide for dedications related to the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers; to provide for agreements relative to funding for the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers; to provide for membership and qualifications of the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for employees of the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for certain Board of Tax Appeals employee salaries; to provide for expenditures for the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for definitions; to provide for the collection of occupancy taxes; to provide for the payment of Board of Tax Appeals judgments; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 566—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:439(A)(1), relative to premium taxes on insurance coverage; to provide for disposition of the avails of the premium tax on surplus lines insurance coverage; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 590—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3076(A)(14), relative to the Capital Area Groundwater Conservation District; to provide for the powers of the board; to provide for the assessment of fees for capitol expenditures; to provide for the assessment of late fees for non-payment; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 600—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GOUDEAU
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1338(A)(2)(b), relative to the transfer of public property; to provide relative to restrictions on the transfer of public property acquired by the state and political subdivisions; to exempt property of Lafayette or Lafayette Parish from third party transfer requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 618—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUSTIN MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:197(12) and (15) and 198(G)(introductory paragraph) and (I)(introductory paragraph), (1), (5), and (9) and to enact R.S. 39:197(19), relative to procurement of fiscal intermediary services contracts; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to multi-state procurement; to provide with respect to procurement processes and requirements; to provide with respect to terms of such contracts; to provide with respect to requirements of such contracts relative to contract extensions; to provide for technical changes; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to make certain technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 627—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in St. Martin Parish; to provide for the property descriptions; to provide terms and conditions; to provide for the reservation of mineral interests; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 638—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILFERTY AND DUPLESSIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:406 and 412.1(B), and to enact R.S. 40:1321(S) and R.S. 47:472(C), relative to driver's license transactions; to provide relative to the issuance of Class "D" and "E" driver's license transactions for a change of address; to authorize a licensee to update their permanent address in person, by mail, or online; to exempt certain driver's license handling

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fees; to provide relative to the issuance of a Real ID compliant license; to exempt certain duplicate certificate of registration 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 646— BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the interest in and use of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in East Baton Rouge Parish; to authorize the state to enter into agreements regarding the dedicated property; to provide for 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.

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18— BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to conduct a study of processes used to collect, investigate, track, monitor, and disclose complaints and deficiencies relative to child care providers and to submit a written report of findings and conclusions, including any recommendations for related legislation, to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2022 Regular Session of the Legislature.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34— BY REPRESENTATIVES BUTLER, CARRIER, EDMONSTON, MIKE JOHNSON, KERNER, LANDRY, NEWELL, AND VILLIO A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study potential means of financing dental care for adult residents of intermediate care facilities for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities and to report findings of the study to the House Committee on Appropriations, the Senate Committee on Finance, and the legislative committees on health and welfare.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58— BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Wednesday, May 19, 2021, as CODOFIL Day at the state capitol.

Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 58 by Representative Huval

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 2, line 1, after "that the" delete the remainder of the line

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Henry, Mizell; Abraham, Hensgens, Morris; Allain, Hewitt, Peacock; Barrow, Jackson, Pope; Bernard, Johns, Reese; Carter, Lambert, Smith; Cathey, Luneau, Talbot; Cloud, McMath, Tarver; Connick, Milligan, White; Fields, Mills, F., Womack; Foil, Mills, R.

Total - 32

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Boudreaux, Harris, Ward; Bouie, Peterson; Fesi, Price

Total - 7

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Senator Ronnie Johns, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs, submitted the following report:

May 5, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 43— BY SENATOR PEACOCK AN ACT

To enact Chapter 62 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3221 through 3223, relative to unfair and deceptive acts or practices; to provide relative to advertisement for legal services relating to prescription drugs or medical devices; to provide relative to the use of certain health information for the purpose of soliciting legal services; to provide for requirements and disclosures in an advertisement; to provide for definitions, terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 64—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:391(A)(3), relative to solicitations; to prohibit solicitations with misleading connections to the secretary of state; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 385—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3259.3 and Code of Civil Procedure Article 4912(A)(3), relative to privileges on certain movable property; to provide for a privilege on certain abandoned movable property; to provide for possession and sale of abandoned movable property; to provide procedures for enforcement of the privilege; to provide for notice; to provide for court approval; to provide for redemption by the lessee; to provide for recognition of the judgment of ownership; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 450—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(a), R.S. 51:911.24(I)(1), (2), and (J)(1), 912.3(1), 912.5(A), and 912.27(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(k), R.S. 51:911.22(14), 911.24(I)(3), and 912.21(14), relative to the Louisiana Manufactured Housing Commission; to provide for the collection of criminal history record information on applicants for licensure; to provide for the suspension of continuing education requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide for technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 465—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:725.4 and to enact Chapter 12-A of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1371 through 1376, relative to the 4.9 GHz band; to provide for authority; to provide definitions; to provide a policy for leasing; to provide parameters on auctioning; to exempt certain parishes; to require reporting; to create task forces; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 689— (Substitute for House Bill No. 466 by Representative Jordan)

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:649(A)(2) and (C), relative to credit unions; to allow for compensation; to provide for the payment of insurance premiums; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
RONNIE JOHNS
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

INSURANCE

Senator Kirk Talbot, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Insurance, submitted the following report:

May 5, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 94—

BY SENATOR HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1641(8) and to enact R.S. 22:976.1, relative to prohibitions on certain health insurance cost-sharing practices; to provide for definitions; to provide for fairness in enrollee cost-sharing; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 65—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:526, relative to mandatory audits of title insurance producers by title insurers; to provide for periodic audits; to provide for audit requirements; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 74—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRIEMAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:337(A)(17) and R.S. 23:1161.1(A) and to enact R.S. 23:1161.1(E), relative to workers' compensation insurers; to require insurers issuing workers' compensation policies in Louisiana to maintain a claims office in Louisiana; to remove the requirement that Louisiana licensed claims adjusters retained by foreign and alien insurers be domiciled independently; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 179—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:41.3, relative to officers and directors of domestic regulated entities; to provide definitions for certain terms; to provide for the requirements for officers and directors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 182—

BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:91 and 119, relative to annual meetings of domestic insurance companies; to provide for annual meetings by remote means; to provide for minimum requirements for policyholder voting rights; to provide for reasonable classification of policyholders; to provide for additional votes based on a reasonable classification of policyholders; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 236—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2084(6) and (7) and 2099, relative to the Louisiana Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association; to remove past date references; to modify relative to prospective application; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 283—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to repeal R.S. 22:1290.1, relative to commercial automobile insurance; to repeal the requirement for automobile insurers to submit annual data to the commissioner of insurance; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 436—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG
AN ACT

To repeal Part IV of Chapter 13 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:2261, relative to a central database on life insurance policies; to provide for an effective date; and to repeal provisions regarding a central database on life insurance policies.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 462—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:439(A)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph), and (3) and (B) and 440 and to enact R.S. 22:439(E), relative to the tax on surplus lines and unauthorized insurance; to provide for a tax on the direct placement of unauthorized insurance; to provide for direct placement tax reports; to provide for a penalty for the failure to pay the tax or to file the required report; to provide for the waiver of the penalty; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
KIRK TALBOT
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

HEALTH AND WELFARE

Senator Fred H. Mills Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Health and Welfare, submitted the following report:

May 5, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Health and Welfare to submit the following report:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY SENATOR BARROW
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To re-create and continue the work of the task force to study health services delivery and financing in the Baton Rouge region, and to require the task force to report findings and recommendations to the legislative committees on health and welfare.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 108—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1648.1, relative to contracts with Medicaid managed care organizations; to provide for minimum requirements; to provide for staff requirements; to provide for certain health care provider audits; to provide for penalties; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 151—

BY SENATOR BARROW AND REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN,
MARCELLE AND MOORE
AN ACT

To enact Subpart D-1A of Part II of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:286.16, relative to youth in foster care; to create the Foster Youth's Bill of Rights; to provide for rights of youth in foster care; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED H. MILLS JR.
Chairman

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SENATE BILL NO. 85—

BY SENATOR ABRAHAM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.3(B)(2)(a) and (c), relative to diminution of sentence for good behavior; to provide that all prisoners convicted of certain offenses earn "good time" at the same rate regardless of the date the offense was committed or the date of conviction; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 85 by Senator Abraham

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after "conviction;" insert "to provide certain conditions for prisoners convicted before November 1, 2017;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 7 and insert the following:

"(c) ~~The~~ **(i) Except as provided in Item (ii) of this Subparagraph, the** provisions of this Paragraph shall apply only to offenders who commit an offense or whose probation or parole is revoked on or after November 1, 2017.

(ii) The provisions of this Paragraph shall apply to an offender who committed an offense or whose probation or parole was revoked prior to November 1, 2017, if all of the following conditions are met:

(aa) The offender has not committed more than three disciplinary offenses, as identified by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections in the Disciplinary Rules and Procedures for Adult Offenders, during his incarceration.

(bb) The offender has completed a certified treatment and rehabilitation program, as provided for by R.S. 15:828, that is specifically related to the offense for which the offender has been incarcerated.

(cc) The offender has either:

(1) Completed a one hundred hour standardized pre-release orientation program, as provided for by R.S. 15:827.1.

(2) The offender has voluntarily participated in community service work with charities outside of the correctional facility.

(dd)The offender has an excellent performance record in institutional jobs or work while incarcerated."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 204—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:147(1) and 158(B)(2), relative to horse racing; to require the Louisiana State Racing Commission to assign dates for race meetings at a particular track; to require the commission to set the minimum number of races per day; to provide relative to the authority of the commission regarding applications for race meetings; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Original Senate Bill No. 204 by Senator Cortez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 21, after "**commission may**" change "**deny**" to "**amend**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 23, delete the period "." and insert the following: "**including but not limited to the following:**

(i) Reducing and adding to the number of race days specified in the application by up to ten percent.

(ii) Making every effort to reduce conflicting or overlapping live race meeting dates for the tracks in this state."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 209—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:166.7, relative to horse racing; to provide relative to pari-mutuel wagering; to provide for exotic wagering; to provide for allocation of proceeds during and for a race meeting; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees****HOUSE BILL NO. 32—**
BY REPRESENTATIVES SELDERS AND JAMES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:828(E) and (F), relative to diminution of sentence; to provide relative to diminution of sentence for the earning of a bachelor's degree or master's degree; to increase the total number of credits upon earning a bachelor's degree or master's degree; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 37—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BAGLEY, BOURRIAQUE, BRYANT, CORMIER, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DEVILLIER, DUPLESSIS, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, FREIBERG, GADBERRY, GREEN, HILFERTY, HODGES, HORTON, HUGHES, ILLG, JAMES, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MARCELLE, MCCORMICK, MCKNIGHT, GREGORY MILLER, MOORE, CHARLES OWEN, PRESSLY, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, STAGNI, THOMAS, THOMPSON, VILLIO, WHITE, AND WRIGHT AND SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1213(A) and (B), 1233, and 1235 and to enact Children's Code Articles 1213(D), 1217.1, and 1239.1, relative to adoptions; to provide for post-placement functions for agency and private adoptions; to provide for visits prior to finalization; to provide for assistance to the families and children; to provide for reporting and statistical requirements; to provide relative to a final decree of private adoption; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Reengrossed House Bill No. 37 by Representative Bacala

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 16, and insert the following: "**ensure that all of the prerequisites for adoption that are listed in this Paragraph are completed. The licensed private adoption agency or the department shall complete the list of prerequisites by utilizing a social worker in the employ of**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 20, after "**designee**" insert a "."(period) and delete the rest of the line and insert "**The prerequisites that must be completed are all of the following:**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete line 25 and 26, and insert the following:
"**(2) Conduct an in-home visit with one adoptive parent at least once every month after the visits provided for in Subparagraph (1) of this Paragraph are completed. The child**"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 6, after "**(5)**" delete the rest of the line and insert "**Prepare a report that documents information obtained from the visits conducted pursuant to**" and, on line 7, after "**Paragraph**" insert "**which shall contain all of the following**"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, on line 19, after "**(6)**" delete "**At**" and insert "**Conduct at**"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 22, after "**(7)**" delete "**Observations**" and insert "**Report observations**" and after "**visits**" insert "**which**"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, delete lines 7 and 8, and insert the following:
"**A. For each adopted child, the court shall ensure that the department receives all of the following information:**
(1) Whether either of the adopted parents are related to the child.
(2) The age of the child at placement."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 9, change "**(1)**" to "**(3)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 10, change "**(2)**" to "**(4)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 11, change "**(3)**" to "**(5)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, line 12, change "(4)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 4, line 13, change "(5)" to "(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 4, line 15, after "adoptions" insert "and placements" and, on line 16, after "Louisiana" delete "and placement of those children"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, delete line 15 and insert the following: "shall ensure that all of the prerequisites for adoption listed in this Paragraph are completed. The list shall be completed by utilizing a social worker in the"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, line 18, after "therapist" delete the ":"(colon) insert a "."(period) The prerequisites that must be completed are all of the following:"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 5, delete line 23 and 24, and insert the following:
"(2) Conduct an in-home visit with one adoptive parent at least once every month after the visits provided for in Subparagraph (1) of this Paragraph are completed. The child"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, delete line 3, and insert "(5) Prepare a report that documents information obtained from the visits conducted pursuant to"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 6, line 4, after "Paragraph" insert "which shall contain all of the following"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 6, line 16, after "(6)" delete "At" and insert "Conduct at"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 6, line 19, delete "Observations" and insert "Report observations" and after "visits" insert "which"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 6, line 22, after "(8)" delete the "The" and insert "Ensure that the"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 6, line 25, after "(9)" delete the "The" and insert "Ensure that the"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 6, line 27, after "(10)" delete the "A" and insert "Prepare a" and, on line 28, delete "must be presented" and insert "and present the report"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 7, line 5, after "A," delete the rest of the line and delete line 6, and insert the following: "For each adopted child, the court shall ensure that the department receives all of the following information:"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 7, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:
"(1) Whether either of the adopted parents are related to the child."

(2) The age of the child at placement."

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 7, line 7, change "(1)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 7, line 8, change "(2)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 7, line 9, change "(3)" to "(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 7, line 10, change "(4)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 7, line 11, change "(5)" to "(7)"

On motion of Senator Peacock, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 125—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.1.9(C), relative to indispensable parties when the Department of Children and Family Services is providing support enforcement services; to require the department to be served as an indispensable party in paternity and support proceedings; to require certification of the receipt of support enforcement services in certain actions; to provide for the failure to provide notice; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Engrossed House Bill No. 125 by Representative Mike Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "(1)" delete the remainder of the line and on line 13 replace "shall be an indispensable party to any proceeding involving" with "In any proceeding concerning"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, between "owed" and the period "." insert "the department shall be an indispensable party when providing support enforcement services on behalf of a child involved in the proceeding"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 17, change "any of the following:" to "to accomplish any of the following:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 4, delete "under this Subpart"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 8, change "the action" to "an action described in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 9, between "services" and "both" remove the "," and insert "then"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 9, change "and the court shall" to "and the plaintiff shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 13, change "the action" to "an action described in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:
"(4) "Support enforcement services" shall have the same meaning as provided in R.S. 46:236.1.1."

On motion of Senator Peacock, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1165.1(A)(2)(b)(i), relative to medical records of a patient; to provide for persons who may have access to a patient's medical records; to authorize access to medical records by certain insurance companies or their counsel for underwriting purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 227—BY REPRESENTATIVE WHEAT
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 732.2, relative to subpoenas; to authorize the use of administrative subpoenas for the production of information in investigations of human trafficking offenses; to provide for the types of information which may be disclosed pursuant to an administrative subpoena; to provide for information which may not be disclosed pursuant to an administrative subpoena; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 264—BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2331, relative to judicial sales; to provide for writs of fieri facias, to provide for advertisement and legal notices; to provide for rescheduled sales; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Reengrossed House Bill No. 264 by Representative Seabaugh

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, change "Section" and insert "Article"

On motion of Senator Peacock, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 295—BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 3431(A) and 3434(C)(1) and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Article 3421(B), relative to immovable property in successions; to provide relative to the definition of small succession; to provide relative to the small succession affidavit; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 307—BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHAMERHORN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:191.4(E), (F), (G), and (H) and to repeal R.S. 35:191.4(I), relative to notaries public; to provide relative to notary examination study course providers; to repeal the semiannual report requirement; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 375—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN, CARPENTER, LANDRY, MOORE, AND WHITE AND SENATORS BARROW, JACKSON, MIZELL, AND PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES BUTLER, NEWELL, PHELPS, ADAMS, BRYANT, GARY CARTER, CORMIER, COX, ECHOLS, GLOVER, GREEN, HORTON, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, AND WILLARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3261.2, relative to residential leases; to provide relative to sexual assault victims as parties to certain residential lease agreements; to provide certain definitions, terms, procedures, conditions, and requirements; to provide relative to certain actions by lessors and lessees; to provide for termination of leases under certain circumstances; to provide relative to certification of sexual assault victim status; to provide relative to certain civil proceedings; to provide for immunity from liability in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 400—BY REPRESENTATIVE COUSSAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 811 and Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4607, 4622, 4624, and 4625, relative to property; to provide for partitions by private sale; to provide relative to absentee or non-consenting co-owners; to provide for petition requirements; to provide for sale requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Reconsideration

The vote by which Senate Bill No. 196 failed to pass on Tuesday, May 4, 2021, was reconsidered.

SENATE BILL NO. 196—BY SENATOR MORRIS
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 15 of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:1701 through 1704, relative to social media; to provide relative to social media speech; to provide certain definitions, prohibitions, procedures, and requirements; to authorize certain actions and damages for violations; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rules Suspended

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

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Third Reading and Final Passage,
Subject to Call****Called from the Calendar**

Senator Bernard asked that Senate Bill No. 41 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 41—BY SENATOR BERNARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:801 and 802 and to repeal R.S. 22:145, 171, 254(A), (B), (D), (E), and (F), 257(A)(9), 332(A)(13), 333(B) and (C), 341(C), 804, 807, and 808, relative to deposits by insurers; to provide for authority to receive and hold insurer deposits; to provide for release of funds deposited

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under certain conditions; to provide for the terms and conditions of making and maintaining deposits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Bernard Bouie Cathey Cloud Foil Total - 24 Henry Hensgens Hewitt Johns McMath Milligan Mills, R. Mizell Morris Peacock Pope Reese Talbot Ward White Womack

NAYS

Barrow Boudreaux Carter Connick Fields Total - 13 Harris Jackson Lambert Luneau Mills, F. Price Smith Tarver

ABSENT

Fesi Total - 2 Peterson

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Allain asked that Senate Bill No. 122 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 122— BY SENATORS ALLAIN, HENSGENS, HEWITT AND FRED MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.36(E), (J), and (O)(2), relative to the Coastal Zone Management Program; to provide for enforcement actions; to provide for the imposition of civil liability, the assessment of damages, and court orders; to provide for distribution of monies collected; to provide for the use of funds; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Lambert proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Lambert to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 122 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 2, line 5, delete "by the state"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 2, line 29, after "collected" delete the remainder of the line and on page 3, delete line 1, and at the beginning of line 2, delete "under the provision of this Section."

Senator Lambert moved the adoption of the amendments.

Senator Allain objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abraham Boudreaux Bouie Connick Foil Total - 14 Harris Lambert Luneau Morris Pope Price Smith Ward Womack

NAYS

Mr. President Allain Barrow Bernard Cathey Cloud Henry Total - 20 Hensgens Hewitt Jackson McMath Milligan Mills, F. Mizell Peacock Reese Talbot Tarver White

ABSENT

Carter Fesi Total - 5 Fields Johns Peterson

The Chair declared the amendments were rejected.

Floor Amendments

Senator Ward proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ward to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 122 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, after line 27, insert the following: "Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall not apply to monies collected or any other relief arising from any action or claim asserted on or before June 1, 2021."

Senator Ward moved the adoption of the amendments.

Senator Allain objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abraham Boudreaux Bouie Connick Foil Harris Total - 16 Jackson Lambert Luneau Mizell Morris Pope Price Smith Tarver Ward

NAYS

Mr. President Allain Barrow Bernard Cathey Cloud Total - 18 Henry Hensgens Hewitt McMath Milligan Mills, F. Mizell Peacock Reese Talbot White Womack

ABSENT

Carter	Fields	Peterson
Fesi	Johns	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the amendments were rejected.

Explanation of Vote

Senator Carter stated he appeared as absent on the vote on the amendment by Senator Ward to Senate Bill No. 122. He intended to vote yea on the amendment and asked that the Official Journal so state.

Floor Amendments

Senator Connick proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Connick to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 122 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 5, and insert:

"J. The monies collected by the state secretary, the attorney general, an appropriate district attorney, or a local government with an approved program under the provisions of this Section"

Senator Connick moved the adoption of the amendments.

Senator Allain objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abraham	Foil	Morris
Barrow	Harris	Pope
Bouie	Jackson	Price
Carter	Lambert	Tarver
Connick	Luneau	Ward
Total - 15		

NAYS

Mr. President	Hensgens	Peacock
Allain	Hewitt	Reese
Bernard	McMath	Smith
Boudreaux	Milligan	Talbot
Cathey	Mills, F.	White
Cloud	Mills, R.	Womack
Henry	Mizell	
Total - 20		

ABSENT

Fesi	Johns
Fields	Peterson
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the amendments were rejected.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Hewitt	Peacock
Abraham	Jackson	Pope
Allain	Luneau	Reese
Barrow	McMath	Smith
Bernard	Milligan	Talbot
Cathey	Mills, F.	Tarver
Cloud	Mills, R.	Ward
Henry	Mizell	White
Hensgens	Morris	Womack
Total - 27		

NAYS

Boudreaux	Connick	Lambert
Bouie	Foil	Price
Carter	Harris	
Total - 8		

ABSENT

Fesi	Johns
Fields	Peterson
Total - 4	

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Abraham asked that Senate Bill No. 29 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 29—
BY SENATORS ABRAHAM AND JOHNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:11(C), relative to the commissioner of insurance; to authorize the commissioner to take certain emergency actions related to insurance; to provide for limitations on these emergency actions; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Abraham proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Abraham to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 29 by Senator Abraham

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 3, after "commissioner may" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 4, and insert the following: "implement a grace period for a period not to exceed sixty days during which the commissioner shall be strictly limited to requiring health insurers to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 6, after "nonrenewed" and before the period "." insert "at the end of the grace period"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the end of line 7, add the following: "In the event arrearages are not corrected within the duration of the grace period and the product is permissibly cancelled or nonrenewed, a health care provider may seek payment for any medical services that were rendered by the health care provider but pended by the insurer directly from the insured."

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 12, delete "this Part." and insert the following: "Paragraph (1) of this Subsection."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 18, after "Any" delete "grace period or"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 19, change "Subparagraphs (1)(b) and (c)" to "Subparagraph (1)(c)"

On motion of Senator Abraham, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Henry, Morris. Includes Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Bernard, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Foil, Harris, Total - 26.

NAYS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Fields, Smith. Includes Barrow, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Total - 10.

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Johns, Peterson. Includes Fesi, Total - 3.

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

Senate Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 18— BY SENATOR JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To establish a task force to study crime and crime prevention in Morehouse Parish and to require the task force to make recommendations.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C.

The resolution was read by title. On motion of Senator Jackson, the Senate Resolution was adopted.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 24— BY SENATOR JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To establish a task force to study crime and crime prevention in Ouachita Parish and to require the task force to make recommendations to the Senate.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C.

The resolution was read by title. On motion of Senator Jackson, the Senate Resolution was adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31— BY SENATOR HENRY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Revenue, office of alcohol and tobacco control, to amend administrative rules Title 55, Part VII, Chapter 3, Section 317(C)(2)(a)(ii) and (b)(iii) of the Louisiana Administrative Code to provide relative to equipment and product displays that an alcoholic beverage manufacturer may furnish, or cause to be furnished, to a retail dealer in order to provide for the storage, display, proper dispensing, and advertisement of the manufacturer's products.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 31 by Senator Henry

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, change "has" to "have"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 25, after "sold to" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 26 and insert "a retailer by a manufacturer at a price no less than the cost to the manufacturer."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 4, after "coolers" and before the comma "," insert "that are furnished by manufacturers"

On motion of Senator Smith, the committee amendment was adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Foil, Mizell. Includes Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fields, Total - 36.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Johns, Peterson. Includes Fesi, Total - 3.

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

SENATE BILL NO. 5—
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3100.5(A)(1) and R.S. 47:297.11 and to enact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xx), 297.10(C), and 297.12(C), relative to the Louisiana Student Tuition Assistance and Revenue Trust Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve Program; to provide relative to education savings accounts; to provide certain definitions; to provide relative to earnings enhancements; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Bernard	Hewitt	Price
Boudreaux	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Lambert	Smith
Carter	Luneau	Talbot
Cathey	McMath	Tarver
Cloud	Milligan	Ward
Connick	Mills, F.	White
Fields	Mills, R.	Womack
Total - 36		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fesi	Johns	Peterson
Total - 3		

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

SENATE BILL NO. 27—
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3138.5(A), (B)(1), the introductory paragraph of (B)(2), (B)(2)(a), and (D)(4), and 3165.2(A), (B), (C)(1)(b), and (E), relative to postsecondary education; to expand the eligibility for designation as military and veteran friendly campus to all postsecondary education institutions in Louisiana; to provide for the transfer of academic and workforce credits earned by military members and their spouses to Louisiana's public postsecondary education institutions; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 27 by Senator Foil

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 5, following "provided in" and before "**(B)(2)(a)**" change "**Paragraph**" to "**Subparagraph**"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Bernard	Hewitt	Price
Boudreaux	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Lambert	Smith
Carter	Luneau	Talbot
Cathey	McMath	Tarver
Cloud	Milligan	Ward
Connick	Mills, F.	White
Fields	Mills, R.	Womack
Total - 36		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fesi	Johns	Peterson
Total - 3		

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

SENATE BILL NO. 28—

BY SENATORS HENRY AND HARRIS AND REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD

AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Orleans 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. Senator Henry moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Bernard	Hewitt	Price
Boudreaux	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Lambert	Smith
Carter	Luneau	Talbot
Cathey	McMath	Tarver
Cloud	Milligan	Ward
Connick	Mills, F.	White
Fields	Mills, R.	Womack
Total - 36		

NAYS

Total - 0

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ABSENT

Fesi Johns Peterson
Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 45— BY SENATOR HARRIS AND REPRESENTATIVE HUGHES AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6036(G), relative to Ports of Louisiana tax credits; to extend the sunset of the tax credits; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Foil Mizell
Abraham Harris Morris
Allain Henry Peacock
Barrow Hensgens Pope
Bernard Hewitt Price
Boudreaux Jackson Reese
Bouie Lambert Smith
Carter Luneau Talbot
Cathey McMath Tarver
Cloud Milligan Ward
Connick Mills, F. White
Fields Mills, R. Womack
Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fesi Johns Peterson
Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 87— BY SENATOR CONNICK A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VI, Section 39 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to taxing authority of levee districts; to provide for the millage limits on certain levee districts; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 88— BY SENATOR CONNICK AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.3(A)(1)(c), and to enact R.S. 38:330.3(B)(4) and 330.8(D), relative to levee districts; to authorize the use of funds generated from one or more levee districts for projects that benefit all participating districts; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Foil Mizell
Abraham Harris Morris
Allain Henry Peacock
Barrow Hensgens Pope
Bernard Hewitt Price
Boudreaux Jackson Reese
Bouie Lambert Smith
Carter Luneau Talbot
Cathey McMath Tarver
Cloud Milligan Ward
Connick Mills, F. White
Fields Mills, R. Womack
Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fesi Johns Peterson
Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 95— BY SENATORS BOUIE, CARTER AND HARRIS AND REPRESENTATIVES GARY CARTER, DUPLESSIS, HUGHES, LANDRY, NEWELL AND WILLARD AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:10.7.1(F)(1), relative to the return of certain schools from the Recovery School District to the transferring school system; to provide relative to the duties and responsibilities of the local school superintendent with respect to charter schools; to provide relative to board action on certain charter-related recommendations; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Henry Peacock
Abraham Hensgens Pope
Barrow Hewitt Price
Bernard Jackson Reese
Boudreaux Lambert Smith
Bouie Luneau Talbot
Carter McMath Tarver
Cathey Milligan Ward
Cloud Mills, F. White
Connick Mills, R. Womack
Fields Mizell
Foil Morris
Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain Harris Peterson
Fesi Johns
Total - 5

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

SENATE BILL NO. 148—

BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BOUDREAU, CLOUD, FIELDS, HARRIS, HENRY, JOHNS, TARVER, WHITE AND WOMACK AND REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 20-G of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3047 through 3047.7, relative to the M.J. Foster Promise Program; to establish the program; to provide for program awards including establishing eligibility requirements and award amount limitations; to provide for funding and administration of the program; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 148 by Senator Cortez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 7, following "(2)(a) The" delete "payment of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, line 9, following "agency," and before "shall" change "Continuous enrollment" to "Continuous enrollment"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 8, line 21, following "by the" and before ":" change "Legislature" to "legislature"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Cortez proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cortez to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 148 by Senator Cortez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 15, change "transfer" to "transferable"

On motion of Senator Cortez, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Foil, Mizell; Abraham, Harris, Morris; Allain, Henry, Peacock; Barrow, Hensgens, Pope; Bernard, Hewitt, Price; Boudreaux, Jackson, Reese; Bouie, Lambert, Smith

Table with 3 columns: Carter, Luneau, Talbot; Cathey, McMath, Tarver; Cloud, Milligan, Ward; Connick, Mills, F., White; Fields, Mills, R., Womack

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Fesi, Johns, Peterson

Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 156—

BY SENATOR MIZELL AND REPRESENTATIVES EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, HODGES AND VILLIO

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 7-A of Title 4 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 4:441 through 446, relative to athletic activities; to require that schools designate intercollegiate, interscholastic, or intramural athletic teams according to the biological sex of the team members; to provide that teams designated for females are not open to participation by biological males; to provide immunity protections for schools from certain adverse actions; to provide for causes of action; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for remedies; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Mizell proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Mizell to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 156 by Senator Mizell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 27, change "sex" to "[S]ex"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 28 and 29 and insert the following: "used to compensate women "for particular economic disabilities [they have] suffered," Califano v. Webster, 430 U. S. 313, 320 (1977) (per curiam), to "promot[e] equal employment opportunity," see California Fed. Sav. & Loan Assn. v. Guerra, 479 U. S. 272, 289 (1987), to advance full development of"

On motion of Senator Mizell, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Hensgens, Peacock; Abraham, Hewitt, Pope; Allain, Jackson, Reese; Barrow, Lambert, Smith; Bernard, McMath, Talbot

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Cathey	Milligan	Tarver
Cloud	Mills, F.	Ward
Connick	Mills, R.	White
Foil	Mizell	Womack
Henry	Morris	
Total - 29		

NAYS

Boudreaux	Fields	Luneau
Carter	Harris	Price
Total - 6		

ABSENT

Bouie	Johns
Fesi	Peterson
Total - 4	

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

Rules Suspended

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

May 5, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HB No. 368	HB No. 491	HB No. 13
HB No. 19	HB No. 41	HB No. 49
HB No. 53	HB No. 63	HB No. 66
HB No. 87	HB No. 104	HB No. 109

Respectfully submitted, MICHELLE D. FONTENOT Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 13— BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2091(B)(5), relative to the board of trustees of the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide for qualifications of member trustees; to provide for limits on service by member trustees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 19— BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:471(D)(introductory paragraph) and 471.1(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 11:471(F) and 471.1(I), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to the selection of benefit options; to provide for

survivors' benefits for members and members' families; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 41— BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:3813(C)(7), relative to the Livingston Parish Ward Two Water District; to provide relative to the membership of the governing board of the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 49— BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4622(B)(1) through (3), (C), and (E), relative to fee increases; to provide for commercial weighing and measuring device registration fees; to provide for the weighmaster license fee; to provide for service person registration fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 53— BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574(F)(11), relative to the Livingston Parish Convention and Visitors' Bureau; to provide for changes to the tourist commission's board of directors; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 63— BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1498(J), relative to the Ward Five Fire Protection District of Evangeline Parish; to provide relative to the per diem paid to members of the governing board of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 66— BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4712(H), relative to the sale of public property by municipalities; to provide relative to the sale of police dogs; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 87— BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2575.8, relative to the city of Monroe; to provide relative to administrative adjudication of certain ordinance violations; to provide definitions for certain violations; to provide relative to the types of violations subject to administrative adjudication procedures; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 104—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WHEAT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2091(B)(12) and 2131, relative to the composition and regulatory authority of the Louisiana Board of Animal Health; to provide for composition of the board; to provide for disposal of livestock animal carcasses; to provide relative to a definition; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 109—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2575.8, relative to ordinance violations in Tangipahoa Parish; to provide for administrative adjudications; to provide for definitions; to provide for violations subject to administrative adjudication procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 368—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:154(A)(3), relative to instruction in elementary and secondary schools; to require instruction on the health risks of vapor products; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 491—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GADBERRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1123(34), relative to ethics; to allow certain municipal and parochial elected and appointed officials and related persons and legal entities to enter into certain transactions regarding specified property under certain circumstances; to remove existing limitations on certain elected officials and related persons and legal entities regarding such transactions; to require certain written notice of such transactions; to require recusal of and prohibit participation by the public servant; and to provide for related matters.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

SENATE AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

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

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY SENATOR JACKSON
A RESOLUTION

To create a study group to study the voting rights of persons who are incarcerated prior to trial and the procedures available to those persons to cast their ballots.

Reported favorably.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To adopt Joint Rule No. 21 of the Joint Rules of Order of the Senate and House of Representatives to limit the dollar amount of general obligation bond projects in Priorities 1 through 4 appropriated in the annual capital outlay act and any supplemental appropriation act to no more than the annual new general obligation bond cash line of credit capacity limit, unless the limit is raised by a favorable vote of two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU AND REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the federal Office of Management and Budget to retain the 2010 Standards for Delineating Metropolitan and Micropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA's) with a minimum population of fifty thousand.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 105—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAU
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:150.1(C), (D), (E)(2), (F), the introductory paragraph of (G), and the introductory paragraph of (H)(1) and to enact R.S. 49:150.1(I), relative to the State Capitol Complex; to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a monument honoring African-American service members; to provide for terminology and other technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 224—

BY SENATOR CLOUD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1308(B) relative to absentee by mail and early voting ballots; to prohibit the use of drop boxes; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:992(D)(5) and to repeal R.S. 37:21.1 and 23.2 and R.S. 49:992.2, relative to licensing boards and commissions; to remove from the statutes certain expiring provisions and references thereto relative to adjudications applicable to certain licensing boards and commissions; to remove the reporting and notice requirements regarding complaints about actions and procedures applicable to certain licensing boards and commissions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 139—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GADBERRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:423(B), relative to parish boards of election supervisors; to provide for training of members of parish boards of election supervisors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 141—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1462.1, relative to electioneering around polling places; to provide relative to registration of persons conducting exit polling in or near polling places; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 167—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON, AMEDEE, CARRIER, CREWS, EDMONDS, FARNUM, FIRMENT, MIGUEZ, ORGERON, RISER, SEABAUGH, AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:173, relative to voter registration rolls; to provide relative to removal of deceased persons from such rolls; to provide relative to Department of State and registrar of voter responsibilities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 214—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CORMIER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:54, relative to registrars of voters; to provide for training of new registrars of voters; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 260—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:732(A) and 2054(A), R.S. 17:2048.61(B), R.S. 23:1294(A)(1), R.S. 25:379(A), 379.2(B)(4), 380(A), 380.2(B)(4), 380.21(A), 380.23(B)(6), 380.51(A), 380.53(B)(6), 380.81(A), 380.83(B)(6), 380.91(A), 380.93(B)(6), 380.151(A), 380.153(B)(6), R.S. 36:4.1(C), (D), and (E), 109, 209, 309, 509, 629, 651, 686, 744, 801(introductory paragraph), 801.1(A), 802(introductory paragraph), 803(A)(1), 851(A), 901(A), and 921(A), R.S. 42:808(A)(6), R.S. 51:1253(3), and Section 3 of Act No. 180 of the 2020 Regular Session of the Legislature, to enact R.S. 36:4.1(B), and to repeal R.S. 36:4.1(F) and (G), 801.2, 801.5, 801.6, 801.7, 801.9, 801.12, 801.15, 801.16, 801.22, 802.1, 802.2, 802.3, 802.6, 802.7, 802.10, 802.12, 802.16, 802.19, 802.21, 851.1, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 919.1, 919.6, and 919.9, relative to providing corrections for Title 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950; to provide for technical corrections; to provide for re-organization of the structure of Title 36; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
SHARON W. HEWITT
Chairwoman

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Boudreaux	Johns	Smith
Bouie	Lambert	Talbot
Carter	Luneau	Tarver
Cathey	McMath	Ward
Cloud	Milligan	White
Connick	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 37

ABSENT

Fesi	Peterson
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Total - 2

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Fesi	1 Day	Peterson	1 Day
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Announcements

The following committee meetings for May 6, 2021, were announced:

Education	Upon Adj	Hainkel Room
Labor and Ind. Rel.	Upon Adj	Room F
Transportation	Upon Adj	Room E

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Peacock, at 5:15 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Thursday, May 6, 2021, at 9:00 o'clock A.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk