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State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, June 3, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 9:25 o'clock A.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	Mills, F.
Abraham	Harris	Mills, R.
Allain	Henry	Mizell
Bernard	Hensgens	Morris
Boudreaux	Hewitt	Peacock
Bouie	Jackson	Pope
Cathy	Johns	Price
Cloud	Lambert	Reese
Connick	Luneau	Smith
Fesi	McMath	Ward
Fields	Milligan	Womack

Total - 33

ABSENT

Barrow	Talbot	White
Peterson	Tarver	

Total - 5

The President of the Senate announced there were 33 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Dr. Nichelle Landry, 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 Pope, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of June 2, 2021, was adopted.

**Privileged Report of the
Legislative Bureau**

June 3, 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. 7—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN, BRASS, CARPENTER, GARY CARTER, CORMIER, COX, DUPLESSIS, FREIBERG, GLOVER, GREEN, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, JONES, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MOORE, PIERRE, SELDERS, WHITE, AND WILLARD AND SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:302(BB)(114), 305.75, 321(P)(115), 321.1(I)(115) and 331(V)(115) and to repeal R.S. 47:337.10.2(C), relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for a state sales and use tax exemption for certain purchases of feminine hygiene products; to provide for a state sales and use tax exemption for certain purchases of diapers; to provide for definitions; to provide for the effectiveness of the optional local sales and use tax exemption for certain purchases of feminine hygiene products and diapers; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 44—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:388(B)(4)(b)(xv), relative to construction aggregates; to expand the definition of "construction aggregates" to include dirt; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 45—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(E) and (H), relative to city court jurisdiction; to provide relative to the amount in dispute when the civil jurisdiction is concurrent with the district court; to provide for the jurisdictional amount in dispute for the City Court of Sulphur; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 85—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCKNIGHT, ADAMS, BACALA, BAGLEY, BRASS, BUTLER, CARPENTER, GARY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COX, DAVIS, EDMONDS, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAINES, GAROFALO, GREEN, HARRIS, HORTON, HUGHES, ILLG, IVEY, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, JONES, JORDAN, KERNER, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, MCFARLAND, DUSTIN MILLER, MOORE, NEWELL, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, PIERRE, SCHEXNAYDER, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, STAGNI, ST. BLANC, THOMAS, THOMPSON, TURNER, WILLARD, WRIGHT, AND ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4032.1, relative to reading assistance for certain public school students; to establish the Steve Carter Literacy Program; to provide for student and service provider eligibility, program administration, payment amounts and uses, notifications, reports, and funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 93—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 2:135.1(A)(6), relative to the lease of certain airport facilities governed by the Iberia Parish Airport Authority; to exempt leases governed by the Iberia Parish Airport Authority from the provisions of public lease laws; to require the Iberia Parish Airport Authority to meet certain requirements relative to price and appraisals; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 103—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCORMICK, AMEDEE, AND HODGES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2800.28, relative to civil liability; to provide for refusal to mandate COVID-19 vaccination; to provide relative to business and professional licenses; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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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.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 181—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUSTIN MILLER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:51.1(A)(3)(introductory paragraph), 52(B), (E), and (G)(1), 52.2(A), 52.3(B), and 53(L)(2) and (P)(1)(b), relative to psychiatric mental health practitioners; to provide that psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners shall be allowed to prepare and execute orders for the admission of patients to licensed psychiatric hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 183—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1693(J)(1), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for federal disaster unemployment assistance; to make discretionary state income tax withholdings under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 197—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CHARLES OWEN, AMEDEE, CREWS, DEVILLIER, EMERSON, FIRMENT, HORTON, MCCORMICK, RISER, AND SCHAMERHORN AN ACT

To enact Part XI of Chapter 20 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1751, relative to occupational licenses; to provide for dependents of healthcare professionals who relocate to the state; to provide definitions; to provide for licensure based upon holding a license in a different state; to provide for licensure based upon prior work experience; to provide for licensure based upon holding a private certification and prior work experience; to allow healthcare professional licensing boards to require jurisprudential examinations in certain cases; to provide relative to decisions by licensing boards; to allow for appeals; to provide for preemption; to require promulgation of rules; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 197 by Representative Charles Owen

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 1, line 40, following "of this" and before "shall" change "Subsection" to "Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 2, line 48, following "delete" and before "9" insert "lines"

HOUSE BILL NO. 218—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1151 and 1152(A), (C)(1), (F)(introductory paragraph), (G), and (H), relative to laws providing for safe and anonymous relinquishment of an infant to the state known as the Safe Haven Law; to authorize the installation of newborn safety devices at certain places for infant relinquishment known as designated emergency care facilities; to provide that a parent may relinquish an infant into a newborn safety device; to provide requirements and specifications for newborn safety devices; to provide for responsibilities of certain facilities with respect to the installation and maintenance of newborn safety devices; to provide for promulgation of healthcare facility licensing rules by the Louisiana Department of Health regarding newborn safety devices installed in hospitals; to make technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 218 by Representative Huval

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 19 through 20, following "provided in" and before "and is" change "Paragraph (2) of this Subsection" to "Subparagraph (2) of this Paragraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 17, change "Subparagraph (c) of this Paragraph" to "Subsubparagraph (c) of this Subparagraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 18, change "Subparagraph (d) of this Paragraph" to "Subsubparagraph (d) of this Subparagraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 22, following "pursuant to" and before "and other" change "Article 1152(D)" to "Paragraph D of this Article"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, between lines 8 and 9 insert
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HOUSE BILL NO. 220—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2215(A), relative to contracts for public works; to require the award of a public works contract within a specified time after judgment determining the lowest responsible and responsive bidder; to restrict the application of suspensive appeals for certain public works awards resulting from certain court actions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 228—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER
AN ACT

To enact Part XI of Chapter 5-B of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1123.1 through 1123.4, relative to restroom access for individuals with certain conditions; to provide definitions; to provide for access to a retail establishment's employee restroom; to provide for exceptions; to provide for liability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 267—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUBUISSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5200 and to enact R.S. 13:5201(E) and Part XVIII-A of Chapter 32 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5213 through 5225, relative to small claims courts; to designate a purpose; to provide for the Online Dispute Resolution Pilot Project Program; to provide for appointment of a facilitator; to provide for procedures; to provide for procedural deadlines; to provide for filing deadlines; to provide for admissible evidence; to provide for service of process; to provide for fees; to provide for exemptions; to provide for jurisdiction; to provide for settlements; to provide for waiver of right to appeal; to provide for the role of the clerk; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 267 by Representative DuBuisson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 1, line 4, at the beginning of the line, insert "On page"

HOUSE BILL NO. 301—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRY AND MOORE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297.16, relative to income tax credits; to establish an income tax credit for pregnancy-related deaths; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 315—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GOUDEAU
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article X, Sections 9 and 20 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to authorize certain political activities on behalf of family members by commission members, classified employees, and officers of certain civil service systems; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 337—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 2:135.1(B)(2)(c), relative to airport facility leases operated and maintained by the Shreveport Downtown Airport; to provide for the removal of lease requirements pertaining to the addition or construction of certain improvements for non-air carrier airports and air carrier airports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 337 by Representative Crews

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, following "To" and before "enact" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 2:135.1(B)(2)(introductory paragraph) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, following "Section 1." and before "R.S." insert "R.S. 2:135.1(B)(2)(introductory paragraph) is hereby amended and reenacted and"

HOUSE BILL NO. 338—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCORMICK
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 2:135.1(B)(2)(c), relative to the Vivian Municipal Airport; to provide for the removal of lease requirements pertaining to the addition or construction of certain improvements for non-air carrier airports and air carrier airports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 349—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDMONSTON, AMEDEE, BUTLER, CARRIER, CORMIER, CREWS, EDMONDS, EMERSON, FARNUM, FONTENOT, GAROFALO, HODGES, HORTON, IVEY, MACK, MCCORMICK, MIGUEZ, CHARLES OWEN, SEABAUGH, TARVER, AND WRIGHT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:411.2 and R.S. 40:1321(N)(3) and (4), relative to the issuance, renewal, or revocation of a driver's license or special identification card; to prohibit the use of vaccination verification or immunity status for the issuance, renewal, or revocation of a state-issued driver's license or special identification card; to prohibit the inclusion of vaccination verification or immunity status on a state-issued driver's license or special identification card; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 350—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:429(A)(2), relative to office of motor vehicle field offices; to provide relative to the office of motor vehicles field office for Calcasieu Parish; to authorize Calcasieu Parish to levy certain fees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 351—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE, AMEDEE, BRYANT, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, COX, DUPLESSIS, FREEMAN, GREEN, HARRIS, HUGHES, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JONES, GREGORY MILLER, NEWELL, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, STAGNI, WHITE, AND WILLARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:155(A) and (B), relative to state symbols; to designate "Southern Nights" by Allen Toussaint as the official state cultural song; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 357—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1061.21(A)(introductory paragraph), (4), (5)(b), and (D) and to enact R.S. 40:1061.21(A)(5)(c), relative to reporting of information in connection with abortions performed in this state; to provide requirements for information to be included in individual reports on abortions performed or induced; to provide for collection of certain information concerning minors who undergo abortions; to provide requirements for information to be included in annual statistical reports of abortion-related data issued by the Louisiana Department of Health; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 357 by Representative Crews

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 6 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 1, line 36, change "(iv)" to "(v)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 7 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 1, line 38, change "(v)" to "(vi)"

HOUSE BILL NO. 358—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:621.24.2, relative to the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District; to establish the Online Judge Pilot Program; to provide for the subsequent inclusion of additional courts; to provide for participation in the program; to provide for motions; to provide for oral and written arguments; to provide for admissibility of evidence; to provide for transmission of pleadings; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 379—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LARVADAIN AND LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Article 2315.11, relative to damages; to provide for exemplary damages; to provide relative to sexual harassment in the workplace; to provide for attorney fees and court costs; to provide for liberative prescription; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 380—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1536(E)(2) and (3), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for the unemployment trust fund balance; to provide for a reduction of employers' contributions under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 381—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:398, relative to motor vehicle accident reports; to modify references to accident reports and reporting requirements; to provide relative to electronic forms for crash

reports; to provide relative to ownership of data and crash reports; to remove a provision that authorizes the Orleans Parish police department to charge a fee for copies of accident reports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 386—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FARNUM AND BOURRIQUE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:4165(F), relative to courts and judicial procedure; to authorize appointment of special masters under certain circumstances; to provide for mediation; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 386 by Representative Farnum

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, following "provisions of" and before ", the judges" change "C.F.R. 206.48(b)" to "44 CFR 206.48(b)"

HOUSE BILL NO. 411—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUGHES, BRASS, BRYANT, CARPENTER, GARY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, DUPLESSIS, GLOVER, GREEN, JENKINS, JONES, LACOMBE, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, NEWELL, PIERRE, AND SELDERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416 and 3996(B)(40), relative to student discipline; to provide for a comprehensive revision of student discipline laws; to provide relative to student codes of conduct, the use of and procedures for expulsion, damages to property, possession of weapons and drugs, and conferences with parents; to require certain reporting by the state Department of Education; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 411 by Representative Hughes

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Education and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 1, line 9, following "at a" and before "event" change "school sponsored" to "school-sponsored"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Education and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 1, lines 19 through 20, following "at a" and before "event" change "school sponsored" to "school-sponsored"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 13, line 15, following "of" and before "items" change "check off" to "check-off"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 25, line 4, following "whether" and before "act" change "said" to "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 25, line 7, following "of" and before "student" change "said" to "the"

HOUSE BILL NO. 421—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3996(B)(59) and Chapter 43-B of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4036.1, relative to elementary and secondary education; to authorize public school governing authorities to establish student learning pods for the purpose of providing small group instruction; to provide that students assigned to learning pods shall be enrolled in the school; to require instruction in learning pods to be provided by public school teachers; to provide relative to funding; to provide relative to policies and procedures; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 423—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EMERSON AND EDMONDS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1061.21(A)(4) and to enact R.S. 40:1061.21(E) and 2109.1, relative to abortion; to provide for certain reports regarding abortions; to provide for certain reports related to complications of surgical procedures as a result of an abortion; to provide for the promulgation of rules; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 449—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:311(C)(3), 311.1, and 315.11(C)(2), and to repeal R.S. 9:315.27, relative to the suspension of child support obligations; to provide for suspension during an obligor's incarceration; to remove exceptions to suspension of a support order during the obligor's incarceration; to provide for requirements of the Department of Children and Family Services when providing support enforcement services; to provide for definitions; to provide for notifications required of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide a timeframe for the Department of Children and Family Services to file an affidavit with the court; to remove provisions regarding notice given to the custodial party; to provide for the voluntary unemployment or underemployment of the obligor; to provide for the continuation of child support beyond the termination date; to authorize the promulgation of rules; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 498—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDMONSTON, AMEDEE, HODGES, BACALA, CREWS, EDMONDS, FIRMENT, GAROFALO, HORTON, MCCORMICK, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUGH, AND STAGNI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:186, relative to discrimination based on vaccination or immunity status; to prohibit state and local government agencies and officials from discriminating between individuals based on such status; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 514—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MAGEE, BOURRIAQUE, BRYANT, GARY CARTER, DUPLESSIS, FREEMAN, HUGHES, JAMES, JORDAN, LACOMBE, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, DUSTIN MILLER, NEWELL, ORGERON, PIERRE, SELTERS, AND WILLARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(10)(ii) and to enact R.S. 47:301.3 and R.S. 51:1286(E), relative to state sales and use tax; to levy a state sales and use tax on the sale of raw or crude marijuana recommended for therapeutic use; to provide for the disposition of state sales and use taxes of raw or crude therapeutic

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

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 514 by Representative Magee

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In the Senate Floor Amendment No. 8 proposed by Senators Ward, Peacock, and Cathy and adopted by the Senate on May 26, 2021, on page 3, line 45, following "on" and before "beginning" change "Hwy 165" to "Highway 165"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In the Senate Floor Amendment No. 8 proposed by Senators Ward, Peacock, and Cathy and adopted by the Senate on May 26, 2021, on page 4, line 1, change "supercede" to "supersede"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 4 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 1, line 16, following "and" and before "are" change "321(DD)" to "302(DD)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 3, line 40, change "supercede" to "supersede"

HOUSE BILL NO. 578—

BY REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE AND EDMONDS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1061.11.1, relative to abortions; to provide for disclosure of medical information to persons who may receive a chemically-induced abortion; to provide for duties for the Louisiana Department of Health; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 587—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT OWEN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:2(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 2:2(A)(3) and 2.1, relative to unmanned aerial and aircrafts systems; to provide for the regulation of all unmanned aircraft systems and all unmanned aerial systems; to create the Louisiana Drone Advisory Committee; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 589—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:66, 67(introductory paragraph) and (1) through (4), 68, 69(A)(2) and (B) through (F), 70(A), (B)(1), (D)(2)(introductory paragraph), (E), and (F), 71, 72(A), 73, and 75 and to enact R.S. 28:69(G) and (H) and 77, relative to behavioral health; to provide for persons who may petition to the court to authorize involuntary outpatient treatment; to provide criteria and procedures for civil involuntary outpatient treatment; to provide for written treatment plans; to exempt certain proceedings from fees and court costs; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 594—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUSTIN MILLER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1821(G), relative to reimbursement rates; to prohibit a maximum reimbursement cap for certain ventilators or ventilation treatments; to provide certain criteria for reimbursement; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 606—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:250.2(A) and (B) and 250.3(C) through (E)(1)(a), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development design-build contracts; to provide for a pool of pre-qualified design-builders; to remove the requirement for legislative approval for the department to use the design-build method; to expand the qualification specific to the type of work experience of design component members; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 608—
BY REPRESENTATIVES GAINES, CARPENTER, GARY CARTER, COX, DUPLESSIS, GREEN, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, MOORE, NEWELL, PIERRE, SELDERS, STAGNI, WILLARD, JENKINS, AND WILFORD CARTER
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 37 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be compromised of R.S. 48:2211, relative to survivor benefits for certain employees of the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for death benefits; to condition payment of death benefits on survivors waiver or liability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 625—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:1801(A)(1), (2), and (3), relative to the composition of the Avoyelles Parish Port Commission; to provide for the selection process and term of commissioners; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 635—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5025(introductory paragraph) and (4)(c) and to enact R.S. 17:5025.4, relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students (TOPS); to provide relative to high school core curriculum requirements for receipt of certain awards from TOPS; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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 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.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 638 by Representative Hilferty

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 6, following "in" and before "of" change "Paragraph (B)" to "Subsection B"

HOUSE BILL NO. 640—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, MCFARLAND, AND TRAVIS JOHNSON AND SENATOR CATHEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1402, 1461, 1462, 1464(8), 1465(A), (C)(1), and (D)(1), 1466(A) and (B)(2), 1468, 1471(A)(4), 1481, 1482, 1483, 1484, and 1485(B) and (G) and R.S. 47:1692 and 1693(A) and to enact R.S. 3:1469(C) and 1473, relative to industrial hemp; to provide for the regulation of industrial hemp; to provide for exemptions from commercial feed regulations; to provide for definitions; to provide for licensure; to provide relative to criminal background checks; to provide for testing; to provide relative to research entities; to provide for a centralized website; to provide a definition for consumable hemp products; to provide for regulation of consumable hemp products; to provide for license and permit fees; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for civil penalties; to provide relative to the tax on hemp products; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 640 by Representative Schexnayder

AMENDMENT NO. 1
In Senate Committee Amendment No. 6, proposed by the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development and adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2021, on page 1, line 17, following "line" change "8" to "18"

HOUSE BILL NO. 678—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:287.750, relative to income tax credits; to provide for an income tax credit for certain businesses that hire participants in work release programs; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for the maximum amount of credits to be issued annually; to provide for eligibility; to authorize unclaimed portions of a credit to be carried forward; to provide for the administration of the tax credit; to provide for rulemaking authority; to provide for applicability; to provide for certain limitations and requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 680—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HUGHES, BRASS, GARY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, DUPLESSIS, GAINES, GREEN, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, JONES, JORDAN, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, DUSTIN MILLER, MOORE, NEWELL, PHELPS, PIERRE, SELDERS, WHITE, AND WILLARD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6028, relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the Louisiana Youth Jobs Tax Credit Program; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the Department of Revenue; to provide definitions; to provide an effective date; to provide a termination date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 701— (Substitute for House Bill 636 by Representative Pierre)

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:57.3 and R.S. 47:820.5.9, relative to the Department of Transportation and Development's authority over high-occupancy vehicle lanes on state highways; to establish a high-occupancy vehicle; to provide for violations; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 701 by Representative Pierre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 26, following "owner" and before "either" change "must" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, line 8, before "either" change "must" to "shall"

HOUSE BILL NO. 702— (Substitute for House Bill No. 497 by Representative DuBuisson)

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUBUISSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1300.21(I) and R.S. 27:43(B)(1) and 93(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 18:1300.25, relative to riverboat gaming operations in St. Tammany Parish on portions of Lake Pontchartrain, including those portions that are located south and east of Interstate 10, along with the waterways that are connected thereto; to add portions of Lake Pontchartrain, including those portions that are located south and east of Interstate 10, along with the waterways connected thereto, as a designated waterway upon which riverboat gaming activities may be conducted; to require and provide for a referendum election in St. Tammany Parish; to provide for the relocation of an existing riverboat gaming license holder's operations; to provide for applicability; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 704— (Substitute for House Bill No. 599 by Representative Hodges)

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:18(A)(7), 435(A)(4) and (B)(2), and 1351 and to enact R.S. 18:435(A)(1)(c) and (5) and (B)(1)(c), 1309(N), 1366, and 1366.1, relative to elections; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the secretary of state; to provide for the appointment of poll watchers; to provide for definitions relative to voting, voting machines, and vote counting equipment; to provide requirements for voting systems; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 705— (Substitute for House Bill No. 151 by Representative Riser)

BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1711(G)(1) and to enact R.S. 23:1711.1, relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for the classification of employees; to increase the administrative penalties for the misclassification of employees; to provide relative to the failure to pay contributions; to provide criteria for classifying employees as independent contractors; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 705 by Representative Riser

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 15, delete "an independent contractor" and insert ""independent contractor""

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, line 11, at the beginning of the line and before "clear" delete "a"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 13, following "(B)" and before "criteria" change "This" to "These"

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 707— (Substitute for House Bill No. 480 by Representative Willard)

BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD, BRYANT, CARPENTER, GARY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, DUPLESSIS, FREEMAN, GAINES, GREEN, HUGHES, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JONES, JORDAN, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MOORE, NEWELL, PIERRE, AND SELDERS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:291.2, relative to employment discrimination; to prohibit discrimination based on criminal history records; to provide criteria in making hiring decisions; to provide for hiring decisions in conjunction with criminal history records; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 186—

BY SENATOR PEACOCK
A RESOLUTION

To commend Brown Builders, Inc. upon the occasion of its fiftieth anniversary.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 187—

BY SENATOR REESE
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of the Louisiana Workforce Commission to submit a written report to the Senate Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations not later than October 31, 2021, on a plan to implement and administer changes to the unemployment insurance program proposed in Senate Bill 225 of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 188—

BY SENATOR REESE
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Joint Legislative Committee on Technology and Cybersecurity to study the impacts of the buying, selling, and usage of consumer data transactions and submit a written report of its findings to the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs not later than

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sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2022 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 189— BY SENATOR CLOUD

A RESOLUTION

To designate Thursday, June 3, 2021, as Women in Public Office Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 190— BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the safety, effects, and other impacts of longer freight trains.

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

Senate Resolutions on Second Reading

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 182— BY SENATOR MIZELL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and the commissioner of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry to jointly conduct a public meeting not later than July 1, 2021, and invite representatives from the Police Jury Association of Louisiana, the Louisiana Municipal Association, Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation, the Louisiana Cattleman's Association, and the Gulf States Renewable Energy Industry Association, for the purpose of receiving public testimony on issues and concerns related to the development and production of solar energy in the state and to provide guidance addressing those issues and concerns.

Floor Amendments

Senator Allain proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Allain to Original Senate Resolution No. 182 by Senator Mizell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, after "Federation," insert "the Louisiana Landowners Association, the Louisiana Public Service Commission,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 30, after "Federation," insert "the Louisiana Landowners Association, the Louisiana Public Service Commission,"

On motion of Senator Allain, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Reese proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Reese to Original Senate Resolution No. 182 by Senator Mizell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, after "Association," and before "and" insert "the investor-owned utilities, the privately owned utilities,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 30, after "Association," and before "and" insert "the investor-owned utilities, the privately owned utilities,"

On motion of Senator Reese, the amendments were adopted.

Senator Mizell moved to adopt the amended resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns listing names and counts for YEAS and NAYS.

NAYS

Peterson Total - 1

ABSENT

Tarver Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate adopted the amended resolution.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 183— BY SENATOR CORTEZ

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate James Richard Bright for dedicated service as a Senate security officer, upon his retirement.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 185— BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Grady Brewer, head men's basketball coach at Morehouse College.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83— BY SENATOR HEWITT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To re-establish the Lower Pearl River Basin task force to study the conditions, needs, issues, and funding relative to the flood protection and preservation of the Lower Pearl River Basin and to recommend any action or legislation that the commission determines is necessary or appropriate.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Hewitt 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	Peterson
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope
Boudreaux	Jackson	Price
Bouie	Johns	Reese
Cathey	Lambert	Smith
Cloud	McMath	Talbot
Connick	Milligan	Ward
Fesi	Mills, F.	White
Fields	Mills, R.	Womack

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Luneau Tarver

Total - 2

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

Senator Fields in the Chair

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—

BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Rylie Romero on her outstanding achievements in various rodeo competitions.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barrow Connick Tarver

Cathey Reese

Total - 5

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Jackson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to revert to:

Senate Resolutions on Second Reading, Subject to Call

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 125—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request local governing authorities and animal shelters of the state to adopt policies and programs prior to December 31, 2025, which provide alternatives to euthanizing healthy dogs and cats.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 3, 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 Concurrent Resolutions:

HCR No. 108

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 108—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Economic Development to study and analyze the cyber industry within the state and its impact on the economy in Louisiana and to report its findings to the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

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

Mr. President in the Chair

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 88—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Supreme Court of Louisiana to take appropriate action to allow legislators who are licensed to practice law in the state of Louisiana to receive continuing legal education (CLE) legal ethics credit required pursuant to Rule 3 of Rule XXX of Part H of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Louisiana for participation in the required governmental ethics training.

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

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Harris, Peacock. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Fields, Foil.

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, Mills, F., Tarver. Lists Cathey, Jackson.

Total - 4

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to support Israel.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Harris, Morris. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Fields, Foil.

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 1 column: Name. Lists Tarver.

Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 106—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Louisiana Direct-to-Consumer Wine Task Force to study the potential issues that may arise by allowing wineries to ship directly to consumers in Louisiana and to recommend any regulations or legislation that the task force deems necessary or appropriate.

The resolution was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 113—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TARVER AND SENATOR ABRAHAM

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Barbe High School baseball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2021 Class 5A state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Harris, Morris. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Fields, Foil.

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 1 column: Name. Lists Tarver.

Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 114—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TARVER AND SENATOR ABRAHAM

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Barbe High School Buccaneers softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2021 Class 5A state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Harris, Morris. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux.

Bouie	Lambert	Smith
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Ward
Connick	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 115—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TARVER AND SENATOR ABRAHAM
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Barbe High School girls' golf team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2021 Division I state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 117—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend the Department of Transportation and Development on its centennial celebration of delivering a safe and innovative multimodal transportation and infrastructure system.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading, Subject to Call**

Called from the Calendar

Senator Allain asked that House Concurrent Resolution No. 98 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU AND SENATOR HENRY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the opposition of the Louisiana Legislature to disproportionately increasing the tax burden on natural gas, oil, and fuel industries.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 31

NAYS

Bouie	Jackson	Peterson
Fields	Luneau	Price

Total - 6

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ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

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

Senate Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 120— BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To continue the Task Force on Prevention of Human Degradation and Exploitation of Vulnerable Individuals in Community-Based Residential Settings.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 132— BY SENATOR HEWITT

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the privatization of ferry operations throughout the state of Louisiana.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66— BY SENATOR BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to address regulatory barriers that impede patient access to novel therapies for sickle cell disease, and to work to ensure that sickle cell patients in the Louisiana Medicaid program have access to potentially curative therapies.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68— BY SENATOR MIZELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To extend the term of the Task Force on Benefits of Marriage and Incentives for Premarital Counseling and Pre-Divorce Counseling that was created to study the benefits of marriage and the possible incentives to promote premarital counseling and pre-divorce counseling and to make policy recommendations to the legislature.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A.

The 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 Foil Harris Henry Hensgens Hewitt Mizell Morris Peacock Peterson Pope

Boudreaux Bouie Cathey Cloud Connick Fesi Fields Jackson Johns Lambert Luneau McMath Milligan Mills, R. Price Reese Smith Talbot Ward White Womack

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mills, F. Tarver
Total - 2

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

Senator Ward in the Chair

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 70— BY SENATOR JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana congressional delegation to take actions as are necessary to support modification of the federal Pandemic Unemployment Compensation supplement in such a manner as to encourage recipients to return to employment.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Jackson 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 Fesi Fields Foil Harris Henry Hensgens Hewitt Jackson Johns Lambert Luneau McMath Milligan Mills, F. Mizell Morris Peacock Pope Price Reese Smith Talbot Ward White Womack

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Peterson Tarver
Total - 2

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74— BY SENATOR MORRIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Task Force on Records Filed to the Custody of the Clerk of Court.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Hewitt asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to revert to:

**Senate Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees, Subject to Call**

Called from the Calendar

Senator Hewitt asked that Senate Resolution No. 132 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 132—

BY SENATOR HEWITT

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the privatization of ferry operations throughout the state of Louisiana.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Floor Amendments

Senator Hewitt proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Hewitt to Original Senate Resolution No. 132 by Senator Hewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, delete "five ferries" and insert "three ferry crossings"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 8, after "passengers" insert "by ferry crossing"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 9, after "data" insert "by ferry crossing"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 11, delete "vessel" and insert "by ferry crossing"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 13, delete "vessel" and insert "by ferry crossing"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 15, delete "vessel" and insert "ferry crossing"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the end of line 16, delete "vessel" and insert "ferry crossing"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 19, delete "for veterans and senior citizens." and insert "all ferry toll exemptions provided for in law by each ferry crossing."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 21, after "2024" insert ", summarized by ferry crossing"

On motion of Senator Hewitt, the amendments were adopted.

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

Mr. President in the Chair

Recess

On motion of Senator Cortez, the Senate took a recess at 11:00 o'clock A.M. until 12:30 o'clock P.M.

After Recess

The Senate was called to order at 12:55 o'clock P.M. by the President of the Senate.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

PRESENT

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

Total - 34

ABSENT

Cloud	Tarver
Hewitt	Ward
Total - 4	

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

Senate Business Resumed After Recess

Conference Committee Reports Received

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SENATE BILL NO. 159—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to income tax; to provide a maximum rate of individual income tax; to provide with respect to the deductibility of federal income tax for purposes of computing state income tax; to eliminate the mandatory deduction for federal income taxes; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 161—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:601.1(A)(1), relative to the suspension of the corporation franchise tax on the first three hundred thousand dollars of taxable capital for small business corporations; to provide for the applicable tax periods of the suspension; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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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.

The Conference Committee Reports for the above legislative instruments lie over under the rules.

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 3, 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. 82—

BY SENATORS PRICE, BARROW AND FIELDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Ernest C. Stephens, AFL-CIO Political Director.

Reported without amendments.

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

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 3, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **Senate Bill No. 217** by Senator Harris:

Representatives Wright, Bishop and Hughes.

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

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 3, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **House Bill No. 253** by Representative McKnight:

Representatives McKnight, Wright and Ivey.

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

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 3, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **House Bill No. 335** by Representative Coussan:

Representatives Coussan, Bishop and Pierre.

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

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 3, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **House Bill No. 662** by Representative Coussan:

Representatives Coussan, Bishop and Bryant.

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

Rules Suspended

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
JUDICIARY C**

Senator Franklin J. Foil, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary C, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to review all Louisiana laws relative to motor vehicle accidents to see whether the creation of the crime of infliction of serious injury or death on a road user is necessary.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and establish the Incarceration Release Date Commission to study the procedures for processing sentences imposed after a criminal conviction and the procedures for calculating incarceration release dates of those persons committed to the custody of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, and to report the findings of the commission to the legislature prior to the convening of the 2022 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 288—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 875.2 and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 875.1, relative to the financial obligations for criminal offenders; to provide relative to the payment of fines, fees, costs, restitution, and other monetary obligations related to an offender's conviction; to require the court to determine the offender's ability to pay the financial obligations imposed; to authorize the court to waive, modify, or create a payment plan for the offender's financial obligations; to provide relative to the recovery of uncollected monetary obligations at the end of a probation period; to provide for effective dates; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANKLIN J. FOIL
Chairman

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions
on Second Reading
Just Reported by Committees**

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 288—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 875.2 and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 875.1, relative to the financial obligations for criminal offenders; to provide relative

to the payment of fines, fees, costs, restitution, and other monetary obligations related to an offender's conviction; to require the court to determine the offender's ability to pay the financial obligations imposed; to authorize the court to waive, modify, or create a payment plan for the offender's financial obligations; to provide relative to the recovery of uncollected monetary obligations at the end of a probation period; to provide for effective dates; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rules Suspended

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

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

Bagneris Rule

Senator Reese moved to invoke the rule to temporarily pass over controversial House Bills on Third Reading and Final Passage with the intention of taking them up later, in their regular order and to suspend the rules to specifically start with House Bill No. 48.

Without objection, so ordered.

HOUSE BILL NO. 195—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SELDERS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1017.1(6), R.S. 29:723(9), and R.S. 40:1372, relative to first responders; to provide for emergency assistance and preparedness; to expand the definition of first responders to include civilian emergency dispatchers; to provide for a definition of civilian emergency dispatchers; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fields	Tarver	Ward
Total - 3		

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 630—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HORTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2603, 2604, and 2606, relative to the Cypress-Black Bayou Recreation and Water Conservation District; to provide for removing board members; to provide for the appointment of the board of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Harris, Mizell. Lists names of representatives and their counts for 'YEAS'.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Tarver, Ward. Lists names of representatives and their counts for 'ABSENT'.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 655—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:6.1(C), 31, 32, 45, 262(J), 316(C), 326(G), 326.5(C), 410.3(B), 412(B), 423(B)(2), 450(C), 571(D), and 1851(C), and to enact R.S. 56:32.1, 303.2(D), 304.2(C), and 305.3(C), relative to wildlife violations; to remove criminal penalties from certain Class 1, 2, and 3 wildlife violations; to reclassify certain violations under Class 2 and 3; to establish administrative and civil procedures relative to hearings and the recovery of civil penalties by the department; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Foil, Mizell. Lists names of representatives and their counts for 'YEAS'.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Johns, Reese. Lists names of representatives and their counts for 'YEAS'.

NAYS

Table with 2 columns: Name, Womack. Lists names of representatives and their counts for 'NAYS'.

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Mills, F., Tarver. Lists names of representatives and their counts for 'ABSENT'.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 682—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COUSSAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3086.3(A), relative to the membership of the board of commissioners of the Teche-Vermilion Freshwater District; to add an additional member to the board of commissioners; to provide for the expertise and privileges of the additional member; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Foil, Mizell. Lists names of representatives and their counts for 'YEAS'.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, Tarver. Lists names of representatives and their counts for 'ABSENT'.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 706— (Substitute for House Bill No. 343 by Representative Beaulieu)
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:71(A)(3)(e) and 142, and to enact R.S. 26:2(32) and (33), 71(A)(3)(f), and 71.4, relative to microdistillery permits; to provide for definitions; to establish criteria for microdistillery permitting; to provide for permit fees; to provide for the taxation of beverages produced by a

microdistiller; to provide relative to Class A-Restaurant-Conditional permits; to provide relative to permit application requirements; to provide for the filing of monthly statements with the Department of Revenue; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Reese proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Reese to Engrossed House Bill No. 706 by Representative Beaulieu

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: "R.S. 26:2(16), 71(A)(3)(e), 142, and 287(B) and to enact R.S. 26:2(32) and (33)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "requirements;" insert "to provide for causes for suspension or revocation of permits;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: "R.S. 26:2(16), 71(A)(3)(e), 142, and 287(B) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:
 "(16)(a) "Manufacturer" means any person, other than a wine producer, who personally or through any agent whatever engages in the making, blending, rectifying, or processing of any alcoholic beverage in Louisiana; engages in the making, blending, rectifying, or processing any alcoholic beverage outside Louisiana for sale in Louisiana; or engages in the business of supplying alcoholic beverages to licensed wholesale dealers in Louisiana. A manufacturer who engages in the making, blending, rectifying, or processing of any alcoholic beverage in a facility entirely located in the state of Louisiana may sell or serve only those products that are made, blended, rectified, or processed at that facility to the public only at that facility for consumption on or off the premises but not for resale. The total amount of such sales to the public for any given month shall not exceed one case per person for each thirty-day period. Any manufacturer who sells its products to the public pursuant to this Paragraph shall remit all state and parish or municipal sales and excise taxes to the proper tax collecting authority for all products sold to the public. A manufacturer who sells or serves its products to the public pursuant to this Paragraph, shall comply with all local zoning laws and regulations.

(b) Notwithstanding Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph and R.S. 26:359(B), wine producers shall be considered manufacturers for the purposes of R.S. 26:348 and R.S. 26:354.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, between lines 23 and 24, and insert the following:

§287. Additional causes for suspension or revocation of permits

B. In addition to any other causes enumerated in this Chapter, the commissioner shall suspend or revoke any permit ~~if~~ of any ~~retail~~ dealer that fails to pay any sales taxes, withholding taxes, Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District hotel occupancy taxes, Ernest N. Morial New Orleans Exhibition Hall Authority taxes, or taxes due to the state for the sale of beverages of high alcoholic content, beverages of low alcoholic content, or tobacco.

On motion of Senator Reese, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Hensgens asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to revert to:

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Joint Rule No. 11(A)(1) of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives to provide for the designation of a proxy for a member of the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee who is unable to attend a meeting.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Henry	Morris
Abraham	Hensgens	Peacock
Allain	Hewitt	Peterson
Barrow	Jackson	Pope
Bernard	Johns	Price
Boudreaux	Lambert	Reese
Bouie	Luneau	Smith
Cathey	McMath	Talbot

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Connick	Milligan	Ward
Fesi	Mills, F.	White
Fields	Mills, R.	Womack
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cloud	Harris	Tarver
Total - 3		

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON, BAGLEY, BUTLER, CARRIER, COX, DESHOTEL, FIRMINT, HARRIS, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, MCFARLAND, CHARLES OWEN, RISER, AND SCHAMERHORN AND SENATORS BERNARD, CLOUD, LUNEAU, MORRIS, AND WOMACK
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish and recognize the Central Louisiana Delegation Caucus of the Legislature of Louisiana and to provide relative to the caucus.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cloud	Tarver
Hensgens	White
Total - 4	

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18—

BY REPRESENTATIVE 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.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain	Tarver
Total - 2	

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

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.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cloud Tarver Ward
Total - 3

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents and the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study and report collaboratively relative to the feasibility and advisability of allowing a course in African American Studies to satisfy certain social studies requirements relative to qualifications for Taylor Opportunity Program for Students awards and high school graduation.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cloud Hensgens Tarver
Total - 3

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility of having two dedicated through lanes to exit eastbound from the Interstate 10 Horace Wilkinson Bridge.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cathey Tarver
Total - 2

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office for citizens with developmental disabilities of the Louisiana Department of Health to conduct a study concerning the feasibility and desirability of implementing a system for tracking the location of children with developmental and intellectual disabilities and to report findings of the study to certain legislative committees.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bernard Hensgens Tarver
Total - 3

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

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WRIGHT AND ECHOLS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to call a convention of states for the purpose of proposing amendments to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a member of the United States House of Representatives and to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a member of the United States Senate.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

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

Senator Morris moved as a substitute motion that the resolution be laid on the table.

Senator Hewitt objected.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS

Barrow Hensgens Peacock
Boudreaux Jackson Peterson
Bouie Lambert Pope
Cathey Luneau Price
Connick Mills, F. Reese
Fields Mizell Smith
Harris Morris Ward
Total - 21

NAYS

Abraham Henry Mills, R.
Allain Hewitt Talbot
Cloud Johns Womack
Fesi McMath
Foil Milligan
Total - 13

ABSENT

Mr. President Tarver
Bernard White
Total - 4

The Chair declared the bill was laid on the table..

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request and direct the division of administration to provide the legislative auditor with electronic access to a synchronized copy of the datapoints in the LaGov Enterprise Resource Planning system pursuant to R.S. 24:513(P).

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of state to study the implementation of a notification system to alert a voter regarding the status of his vote.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to modify the H-2B nonimmigrant program to assist with the labor workforce shortage in the state of Louisiana.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Harris Morris
Abraham Henry Peacock
Allain Hensgens Peterson
Barrow Hewitt Pope
Bernard Jackson Price
Boudreaux Johns Reese
Bouie Lambert Smith
Cathey Luneau Talbot
Cloud McMath Ward
Connick Milligan White

Fesi Mills, F. Womack
 Fields Mills, R.
 Foil Mizell
 Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
 Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue the Joint Subcommittee on International Trade of the House Committee on Commerce and the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs that was created pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 69 of the 2020 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana to study what legislative measures should be taken to best capitalize on Louisiana's competitive advantage in international trade by 2030 and to report the findings of the joint committee to the legislature prior to the convening of the 2022 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana congressional delegation to support H.R. 1996 and S. 910, the Secure and Fair Enforcement Banking Act (SAFE Banking Act) of 2021.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cathey Tarver
 Total - 2

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility and reasonableness of increasing the gross vehicle weight and axle weight limits for an annual permit.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abraham Tarver
 Peterson Ward
 Total - 4

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDMONDS AND TURNER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to convene an opioid action summit in 2021.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Floor Amendments

Senator Luneau proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Luneau to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 76 by Representative Edmonds

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 9 and 10 and insert the following: "urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to post on its website notices of online opioid educational opportunities and training available in 2021, and urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to convene an opioid action summit by January 1, 2023."

On motion of Senator Luneau, the amendments were adopted.

June 3, 2021

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the legislative auditor to audit the Department of State's policies, procedures, and practices regarding the integrity of elections in Louisiana, including but not limited to a comparison of policies, procedures, and best practices used by other states.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 86—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study provisions of law on partition of property owned in indivision and how partition impacts heirs' property in order to make recommendations regarding the rights and duties required by owners in indivision of property, and to report the findings to the Louisiana Legislature no later than February 1, 2022.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Cloud asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to revert to:

Senate Resolutions Just Advanced to Second Reading

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 189—
BY SENATOR CLOUD

A RESOLUTION

To designate Thursday, June 3, 2021, as Women in Public Office Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 3, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 199.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Allain asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time Conference Committee report on House Bill No. 199.

Conference Committee Reports

The following reports were received and read:

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.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 3, 2021

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 199 by Representative Schexnayder recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs (#1461) be rejected.
2. That the set of amendments by the Legislative Bureau (#1577) be adopted.
3. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 and Nos. 3 through 7 by Senator Milligan (#2005) be rejected.
4. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 by Senator Milligan (#2005) be adopted.
5. That the following amendments to the Reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, after "law" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete line 6 in its entirety and insert a period "."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 22, after "(2)" insert the following: "The initial members of the commission shall be appointed at the first meeting.
(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, delete lines 5 through 9 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(C) The first meeting of the commission shall be called by the speaker of the House of Representatives no later than one year following the enactment of the statutory provisions as provided for in Paragraph (I) of this Section.

(D) The commission shall:

(1) Provide for the streamlined electronic filing, electronic remittance, and the collection of sales and use taxes levied within the state ensuring prompt remittance"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete lines 14 through 20 in their entirety, and at the beginning of line 21 delete "(D)" and insert the following:

"(2) Issue policy advice relative to sales and use taxes levied by all taxing authorities within the state.

(3) Develop rules, regulations, and guidance to simplify and streamline the audit process for sales and use taxpayers.

(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete lines 25 through 27 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(F) One year following the first meeting of the commission, the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers and the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board shall be abolished."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, at the end of line 2, insert the following: "When the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers and the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board are abolished:"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, at the beginning of line 3, delete "(2)" and insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, at the beginning of line 6, delete "(3)(a)" and insert "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, at the beginning of line 10, delete "(b)" and insert "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, at the beginning of line 13 delete "(F)" and insert the following:

"(G) The adoption or amendment of any rule by the commission shall require a two-thirds vote of the members of the commission and shall be in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act.

(H)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, delete lines 16 through 18 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(I)(1) Absent the enactment of statutory provisions pursuant to Subparagraphs (D)(1) through (3) of this Section, local sales and use tax collection shall be as provided in Article VII, Section 3(B) of this Constitution and state sales and use tax collection and administration shall be by the Department of Revenue as provided by law.

(2) Any law enacting provisions pursuant to Subparagraphs (D)(1) through (3) of this Section shall require a two-thirds vote of the elected members of each house of the legislature. Beginning on the effective date of such law, the provisions of Article VII, Section 3(B) of this Constitution shall cease to be effective and shall be inapplicable, inoperable, and of no effect for the limited purposes of the commission's duties as set forth in Subparagraphs (D)(1) through (3) of this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 4, at the end of line 20, delete "November 8," and at the beginning of line 21, delete "2022." and insert "October 9, 2021. If the Act which originated as Senate Bill No. 149 of this 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature does not become effective and no statewide election is held on October 9, 2021, this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state of Louisiana at the statewide election to be held on November 8, 2022."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 4, delete line 27 in its entirety and insert the following: "streamlined electronic filing, electronic remittance, and the collection of sales and use taxes levied within the state by the"

June 3, 2021

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 1, after "for the" and before "duties," delete "membership," and insert "funding,"

Respectfully submitted,

Representatives:

Clay Schexnayder
Gerald "Beau" Alphonse Beaulieu IV

Senators:

Patrick Page Cortez
R. L. Bret Allain II
Barry Milligan

Senator Allain moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Harris, Morris. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Fields, Foil, and their corresponding counts.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Senator Allain moved to reconsider the vote by which the Conference Committee Report to House Bill No. 199 was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

Rules Suspended

Senator Allain asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the Conference Committee report for Senate Bill No. 161.

SENATE BILL NO. 161— BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:601.1(A)(1), relative to the suspension of the corporation franchise tax on the first three hundred thousand dollars of taxable capital for small business corporations; to provide for the applicable tax periods of the suspension; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 2, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 161 by Senator Allain recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That House Floor Amendment No. 1, proposed by Representative Riser and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 19, 2021, be rejected.
2. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "47:601.1(A)(1), relative to the suspension of the corporation" to "47:601(A) and 601.1(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:601(D) and 601.2, relative to the corporation franchise tax and the suspension of the corporation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "suspension;" insert: "to provide for the rates of tax; to provide an automatic rate reduction trigger;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert: "Section 1. R.S. 47:601(A) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 47:601(D) and 601.2 are hereby enacted to reach as follows: §601. Imposition of tax

A. Every domestic corporation and every foreign corporation, exercising its charter, or qualified to do business or actually doing business in this state, or owning or using any part or all of its capital, plant, or any other property in this state, subject to compliance with all other provisions of law, except as otherwise provided for in this Chapter shall pay an annual tax at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents for each one thousand dollars, or major fraction thereof on the first three hundred thousand dollars of taxable capital and at the rate of three dollars for each one thousand dollars, or major fraction thereof, which exceeds three hundred thousand dollars of based on its taxable capital at the rates provided in Subsection D of this Section. Taxable capital shall be determined as hereinafter provided in this Chapter. The tax levied herein in this Section is due and payable on any one or all of the following alternative incidents:

D. (1) For taxable periods beginning before January 1, 2023, the annual rates of tax shall be one dollar and fifty cents for each one thousand dollars, or major fraction thereof on the first three hundred thousand dollars of taxable capital and three dollars for each one thousand dollars, or major fraction thereof, in excess of three hundred thousand dollars of taxable capital.

(2) Except as otherwise provided in R.S. 47:601.1 or 601.2, for taxable periods beginning on or after January 1, 2023, the annual rate of tax shall be two dollars and fifty cents for each one thousand dollars, or major fraction thereof, in excess of three hundred thousand dollars of taxable capital.

§601.2. Automatic rate reduction

A.(1) Beginning February 1, 2024, and each February first thereafter, if the prior fiscal year's actual corporation income and franchise tax collections as reported in the state's accounting system exceed the actual corporation income and franchise tax collections for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, as reported in the state's accounting system, adjusted annually by the growth factor provided for in Article VII, Section 10(C) of the Constitution, the corporation franchise tax rate in R.S. 47:601 for the tax year beginning the following January first shall be reduced as provided in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection.

(2) The amount of the reduction shall be calculated by multiplying the rate by the difference between one and the percentage change in corporation income and franchise tax collections in excess of the corporation income and franchise tax collections for the 2018-2019 Fiscal Year adjusted annually by the growth factor as provided in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection. This reduction shall be made only if both of the following conditions are met:

(a) The prior fiscal year's total general revenues exceed the total general revenues for the 2018-2019 Fiscal Year, adjusted annually by the growth factor in Article VII, Section 10(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

(b) The Budget Stabilization Fund balance is at least two and one-half percent of the total state revenue receipts from the prior fiscal year as reported by the treasurer to the Revenue Estimating Conference.

B. The actual corporation income and franchise tax collections and total general revenues used in the calculations required by this Section shall be certified by the Office of Statewide Reporting and Accounting Policy.

C. (1) "Growth factor provided for in Article VII, Section 10(C) of the Constitution" means the positive growth factor that is the most recent average annual percentage rate of change of personal income for Louisiana as defined and reported by the United States Department of Commerce for the three calendar years prior to the fiscal year for which the limit is calculated.

(2) "Total general revenues" means primary government general revenues from the statement of activities reported in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, excluding component units, additions to permanent endowments, and transfers."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 7, change "Section 1." to "Section 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 15, change "December 31, 2025" to "July 1, 2023"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, between lines 16 and 17, insert:

"Section 3. Section 1 of this Act shall take effect for franchise taxable periods beginning on and after January 1, 2023 if the proposed amendment of Article VII, Section 4(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana contained in the Act which originated as Senate Bill No. 159 of this 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature or the Act which originated as House Bill No. 274 of this 2021 Regular Session of this Legislature is adopted at the statewide election to be held on October 9, 2021, and becomes effective and if both of the Acts that originated as House Bill No. 278 and House Bill No. 292 of this 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature are enacted and become law."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, line 17, change "Section 2. This Act" to "Section 4. Section 2 of this Act"

Respectfully submitted,

Senators:
Patrick Page Cortez
R. L. Bret Allain II
Mike Reese

Representatives:
Stuart J. Bishop
Neil Riser
Tony Bacala

Senator Allain moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Peterson
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope
Bernard	Jackson	Price
Boudreaux	Johns	Reese
Bouie	Lambert	Smith
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Ward

Connick	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Senator Allain moved to reconsider the vote by which the Conference Committee Report to Senate Bill No. 161 was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

Conference Committee Reports

Motion To Discharge

Senator Allain asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to discharge the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 157.

SENATE BILL NO. 157—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:242(1)(g) and (2) and 293(10) and to enact R.S. 47:111(A)(12), 112.2, and 248, relative to exemptions from employee withholding and individual income tax for wages received by certain nonresidents; to authorize an exemption from withholding for certain employers; to provide for an exemption from individual income tax for certain nonresident employees in the state for fewer than twenty-five days; to provide for exceptions, limitations, and requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Motion to Reconsider Vote

Senator Allain asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to reconsider the vote by which the amendments to Senate Bill No. 157 were rejected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

June 3, 2021

The Chair declared the vote was reconsidered.

SENATE BILL NO. 157—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:242(1)(g) and (2) and 293(10) and to enact R.S. 47:111(A)(12), 112.2, and 248, relative to exemptions from employee withholding and individual income tax for wages received by certain nonresidents; to authorize an exemption from withholding for certain employers; to provide for an exemption from individual income tax for certain nonresident employees in the state for fewer than twenty-five days; to provide for exceptions, limitations, and requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 157 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 26, after "person" and before "qualified" delete "are" and insert "is a"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, delete line 27 in its entirety and insert "production expenditure pursuant to the motion picture production tax credit provided for in R.S."

Senator Allain moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' for the amendments, including Mr. President, Harris, Morris, Abraham, Henry, Peacock, Allain, Hensgens, Peterson, Barrow, Hewitt, Pope, Bernard, Jackson, Price, Boudreaux, Johns, Reese, Bouie, Lambert, Smith, Cathey, Luneau, Talbot, Cloud, McMath, Ward, Connick, Milligan, White, Fesi, Mills, F., Womack, Fields, Mills, R., Foil, Mizell.

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

Motion To Discharge

Senator Allain asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to discharge the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 160.

SENATE BILL NO. 160—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:103(A)(2)(a) and 201 and to enact R.S. 47:201.2, 287.614(C)(3), and 287.657, relative to partnership information returns and partnership audit reporting requirements; to provide for the reporting of federal partnership audit adjustments to the Department of Revenue; to provide definitions; to provide for the reporting of state tax liabilities as a result of partnership audit adjustments; to provide for methodology and procedures for calculating partnership audit adjustments; to provide for estimated payments during the course of a federal audit; to provide for the prescriptive period; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Motion to Reconsider Vote

Senator Allain asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to reconsider the vote by which the amendments to Senate Bill No. 160 were rejected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' for the bill, including Mr. President, Harris, Morris, Abraham, Henry, Peacock, Allain, Hensgens, Peterson, Barrow, Hewitt, Pope, Bernard, Jackson, Price, Boudreaux, Johns, Reese, Bouie, Lambert, Smith, Cathey, Luneau, Talbot, Cloud, McMath, Ward, Connick, Milligan, White, Fesi, Mills, F., Womack, Fields, Mills, R., Foil, Mizell.

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

The Chair declared the vote was reconsidered.

SENATE BILL NO. 160—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:103(A)(2)(a) and 201 and to enact R.S. 47:201.2, 287.614(C)(3), and 287.657, relative to partnership information returns and partnership audit reporting requirements; to provide for the reporting of federal partnership audit adjustments to the Department of Revenue; to provide definitions; to provide for the reporting of state tax liabilities as a result of partnership audit adjustments; to provide for methodology and procedures for calculating partnership audit adjustments; to provide for estimated payments during the course of a federal audit; to provide for the prescriptive period; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 160 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 9, at the end of line 8 delete "Subclause (b)" and insert "Subparagraph (b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 9, line 27, after "D of" and before "of this" delete "Part 1" and insert "Part I"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 12, line 11, after "in" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete line 12 and insert "Article VII, Section 16 of the Constitution of Louisiana."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 12, line 23, after "in" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete line 24 and insert "Article VII, Section 16 of the Constitution of Louisiana."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 14, line 10, after "in" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert "Article VII, Section 16 of the Constitution of Louisiana are"

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 160 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 12, line 16, following "C" and before "," insert "of this Section"

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative DeVillier to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 160 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 9, at the beginning of line 9 insert "of this Paragraph"

Senator Allain moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Peterson
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope
Bernard	Jackson	Price
Boudreaux	Johns	Reese
Bouie	Lambert	Smith
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Ward
Connick	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

Rules Suspended

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

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 3, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to **House Bill No. 457** by Representative Firmant, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

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

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 3, 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. 77—
BY SENATOR FOIL AND REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of James H. (Jim) Wharton, PhD, former chancellor of Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge and to recognize his lifetime of achievements.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—
BY SENATOR FIELDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Vernon Johnnie Jordan Sr.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80—
BY SENATOR FIELDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mr. Johnnie A. Jones Sr. for his legendary accomplishments as a decorated veteran of World War II and a civil rights pioneer.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT AND REPRESENTATIVE COUSSAN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the annual state integrated coastal protection plan for Fiscal Year 2022, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY SENATOR CATHEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the commissioner of administration to provide the legislature with a list of all nonstate entity capital outlay projects which have not been required to provide matching funds.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY SENATORS CATHEY, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAU, CARTER, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the LSU Board of Supervisors to solely name the basketball court at the Pete Maravich Assembly Center after legendary men's head basketball coach, Dale Brown.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—

BY SENATOR HEWITT AND REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Natural Resources, office of coastal management, to review permitting cycle times and to report recommendations on regulatory and statutory changes to expedite the permitting process.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Education to identify no cost and low cost evidence-based training providers for students regarding social inclusion, violence prevention, and suicide prevention, and to submit a written report of its findings to the Senate Committee on Education and the House Committee on Education no later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2022 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—

BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request every parish Office of Emergency Preparedness (OEP) to provide annual training on disaster response for their local and municipal leadership.

Reported without amendments.

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

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 3, 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. 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 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.

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

**Appointment of Conference Committee
on Senate Bill No. 221**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House to consider the disagreement on **Senate Bill No. 221**:

Senators Hewitt,
Milligan
and Tarver.

**Introduction of Senate Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 191—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Jim "Doc" Murphy on the occasion of his retirement from McNeese State University.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 192—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Lafayette Economic Development Authority to develop and implement a comprehensive economic development strategic plan for the northern part of the city of Lafayette.

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

Message from the House

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

June 3, 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. 372

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 372—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1375, relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the violation of municipal building code ordinances and regulations; to provide relative to persons and entities who fail to obtain proper building permits; to authorize the city to impose daily penalties for violations; to provide for maximum penalties; 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.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

Senator Karen Carter Peterson, Chairwoman on behalf of the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 3, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY SENATORS FRED MILLS, ALLAIN AND HENSGENS AND REPRESENTATIVES HUVAL AND BOURRIAQUE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To acknowledge the agreement entered into by Iberia and Vermilion parishes to reestablish the original parish line.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 14(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to public funds; to authorize a political subdivision to waive charges for water under certain circumstances; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 62—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1923(D)(1)(a), relative to the St. James Parish assessor; to require payment of certain group insurance premiums for certain retirees of the assessor's office; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 134—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.36(B)(2), (C), and (D), relative to Allen Parish; to provide relative to the use of money in the Allen Parish Capital Improvements Fund; to provide relative to membership on the Allen Parish Capital Improvement Board; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 135—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2541.1(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 33:2541.1(B)(1)(d), relative to the city of Oakdale; to provide relative to the position of deputy chief of police; to change the qualifications for such position; to provide relative to the evaluation of the deputy chief of police; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 257—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.33, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish, to create the Plantation Trace Crime Prevention and Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district, subject to voter approval; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

June 3, 2021

HOUSE BILL NO. 261—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2476(B)(1)(f) and 2536(B)(1)(d), relative to the municipal fire and police civil service board; to provide relative to the members of the board; to provide relative to the qualifications of such members; to require the respective governing body to conduct a background check on any person being considered for appointment to a board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 341—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.12(F)(2) and (3)(a) and to repeal R.S. 33:9091.12(F)(5), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Upper Audubon Security District; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed within the district; to remove certain limitations on the district's authority to impose the fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 342—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236.30, relative to St. Tammany Parish; to authorize the governing authority of St. Tammany Parish to require the testing of water systems for secondary contaminants in drinking water; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 412—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2490(E) and (F) and 2550(E) and (F), relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to employees who have resigned or retired from the classified service due to injury or medical condition; to provide relative to the position and class to which employees may be reemployed; to provide relative to the qualifications, compensation, and seniority of any such employee; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 415—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GAINES AND MARCELLE
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 11-A of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:4600.1 through 4600.11, relative to tourism; to provide for the creation of tourism recovery and improvement districts by tourist commissions; to provide relative to the powers granted to tourist commissions with respect to such districts; to provide relative to assessments levied on businesses by tourist commissions; to provide for definitions; to provide limitations; to provide for severability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 679—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4091(C)(1)(c), relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans; to provide relative to services provided by the board; to provide relative to the collection of payments owed for such services; to provide relative to reports issued by the board; to provide relative to the requirements of such reports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 710— (Substitute for House Bill No. 229 by Representative McFarland)

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:385.1(B), relative to the village of Dodson; to provide relative to the office of chief of police; to provide relative to qualifications; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
KAREN CARTER PETERSON
Chairwoman

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions
on Second Reading
Just Reported by Committees**

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 14(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to public funds; to authorize a political subdivision to waive charges for water under certain circumstances; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 62—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1923(D)(1)(a), relative to the St. James Parish assessor; to require payment of certain group insurance premiums for certain retirees of the assessor's office; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 134—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.36(B)(2), (C), and (D), relative to Allen Parish; to provide relative to the use of money in the Allen Parish Capital Improvements Fund; to provide relative to membership on the Allen Parish Capital Improvement Board; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2541.1(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 33:2541.1(B)(1)(d), relative to the city of Oakdale; to provide relative to the position of deputy chief of police; to change the qualifications for such position; to provide relative to the evaluation of the deputy chief of police; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 257—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.33, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish, to create the Plantation Trace Crime Prevention and Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district, subject to voter approval; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 261—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2476(B)(1)(f) and 2536(B)(1)(d), relative to the municipal fire and police civil service board; to provide relative to the members of the board; to provide relative to the qualifications of such members; to require the respective governing body to conduct a background check on any person being considered for appointment to a board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 341—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.12(F)(2) and (3)(a) and to repeal R.S. 33:9091.12(F)(5), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Upper Audubon Security District, to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed within the district; to remove certain limitations on the district's authority to impose the fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 341 by Representative Freeman

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, between line 11 and 12 insert the following:
"Section 3. The provisions of this Act shall not be implemented until the first day of January following an election at which a majority of the registered voters of the district approve the imposition of the parcel fee in accordance with this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 12, change "3" to "4"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 342—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236.30, relative to St. Tammany Parish; to authorize the governing authority of St. Tammany Parish to require the testing of water systems for secondary contaminants in drinking water; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 412—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2490(E) and (F) and 2550(E) and (F), relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to employees who have resigned or retired from the classified service due to injury or medical condition; to provide relative to the position and class to which employees may be reemployed; to provide relative to the qualifications, compensation, and seniority of any such employee; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 415—
BY REPRESENTATIVES GAINES AND MARCELLE
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 11-A of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:4600.1 through 4600.11, relative to tourism; to provide for the creation of tourism recovery and improvement districts by tourist commissions; to provide relative to the powers granted to tourist commissions with respect to such districts; to provide relative to assessments levied on businesses by tourist commissions; to provide for definitions; to provide limitations; to provide for severability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 415 by Representative Gaines

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, change "4600.11" to "4600.12"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 8 after "severability;" insert "to provide for exceptions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 11, change "4600.11" to "4600.12"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 12, between line 16 and 17 insert the following:
"§4600.12. Exceptions to Applicability
The provisions of this Chapter shall not be applicable to the parishes of Jefferson and Orleans."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 679—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4091(C)(1)(c), relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans; to provide relative to services provided by the board; to provide relative to the collection of payments owed for such services; to provide relative to reports issued by the board; to provide relative to the requirements of such reports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

June 3, 2021

HOUSE BILL NO. 710— (Substitute for House Bill No. 229 by Representative McFarland)
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:385.1(B), relative to the village of Dodson; to provide relative to the office of chief of police; to provide relative to qualifications; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Rules Suspended

Senator Barrow asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 193 from the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 193—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:251(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 36:258(M), relative to the organization of the Louisiana Department of Health; to create within the department an office on women's health; to provide for the purposes and functions of the office; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Barrow, House Bill No. 193 was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

June 3, 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 59—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 14(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to public funds; to authorize a political subdivision to waive charges for water under certain circumstances; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 62—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1923(D)(1)(a), relative to the St. James Parish assessor; to require payment of certain group insurance premiums for certain retirees of the assessor's office; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 134—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.36(B)(2), (C), and (D), relative to Allen Parish; to provide relative to the use of money in the Allen Parish Capital Improvements Fund; to provide relative to membership on the Allen Parish Capital Improvement Board; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2541.1(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 33:2541.1(B)(1)(d), relative to the city of Oakdale; to provide relative to the position of deputy chief of police; to change the qualifications for such position; to provide relative to the evaluation of the deputy chief of police; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 257—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.33, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish, to create the Plantation Trace Crime Prevention and Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district, subject to voter approval; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 261—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2476(B)(1)(f) and 2536(B)(1)(d), relative to the municipal fire and police civil service board; to provide relative to the members of the board; to provide relative to the qualifications of such members; to require the respective governing body to conduct a background check on any person being considered for appointment to a board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 288—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 875.2 and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 875.1, relative to the financial obligations for criminal offenders; to provide relative to the payment of fines, fees, costs, restitution, and other monetary obligations related to an offender's conviction; to require the court to determine the offender's ability to pay the financial obligations imposed; to authorize the court to waive, modify, or create a payment plan for the offender's financial obligations; to provide relative to the recovery of uncollected monetary obligations at the end of a probation period; to provide for effective dates; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 341—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.12(F)(2) and (3)(a) and to repeal R.S. 33:9091.12(F)(5), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Upper Audubon Security District, to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed within the district; to remove certain limitations on the district's authority to impose the fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 342—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236.30, relative to St. Tammany Parish; to authorize the governing authority of St. Tammany Parish to require the testing of water systems for secondary contaminants

in drinking water; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 412—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2490(E) and (F) and 2550(E) and (F), relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to employees who have resigned or retired from the classified service due to injury or medical condition; to provide relative to the position and class to which employees may be reemployed; to provide relative to the qualifications, compensation, and seniority of any such employee; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 415—
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AN ACT

To enact Chapter 11-A of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:4600.1 through 4600.11, relative to tourism; to provide for the creation of tourism recovery and improvement districts by tourist commissions; to provide relative to the powers granted to tourist commissions with respect to such districts; to provide relative to assessments levied on businesses by tourist commissions; to provide for definitions; to provide limitations; to provide for severability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 679—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4091(C)(1)(c), relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans; to provide relative to services provided by the board; to provide relative to the collection of payments owed for such services; to provide relative to reports issued by the board; to provide relative to the requirements of such reports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 710— (Substitute for House Bill No. 229 by Representative McFarland)
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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:385.1(B), relative to the village of Dodson; to provide relative to the office of chief of police; to provide relative to qualifications; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED MILLS
Chairman

Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report

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

Conference Committee Reports Received

June 3, 2021

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.

The Conference Committee Reports for the above legislative instruments lie over under the rules.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs

ENROLLMENTS

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

June 3, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following Senate Bills have been properly enrolled:

SENATE BILL NO. 9—
BY SENATOR PRICE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 603(2)(e), 680, 1022, and 1226, R.S. 13:1139 and 1587.1(C), R.S. 15:1082, 1098.1(A), and 1099.1, R.S. 24:175(B) and 176(B), R.S. 44:3(A)(6), and R.S. 46:1251(B), 1901(B), 2411, and 2417(C), and to repeal Children's Code Art. 606(A)(6), (7), and (8), relative to the continuous revision of the Children's Code; to provide for definitions; to provide for the grounds for a child in need of care; to provide for the rights of the parties in a disposition hearing; to provide for service of nonresident parents; to provide for references to the Children's Code; to provide for Comments; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 70—
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1267.1, relative to commercial insurance; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to commercial property insurance deductibles applied to named storm, hurricane, and wind and hail deductibles; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 73—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11), to enact Subpart B-1 of Part II of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:601.1 through 601.21, and to repeal Subpart B of Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:581 through 601, relative to investments of domestic insurers; to provide for definitions; to provide for qualified investments for insurers; to provide for a written investment policy; to provide for the authorization of investments; to provide for a valuation method for investments; to provide for limitations on investments; to provide for investments in bonds, equity interests, mortgage loans, and real estate; to provide for transactions involving the lending, repurchase, and reverse repurchase of securities; to provide for dollar roll transactions; to provide for foreign investments and currency exposure; to provide for insurer investment pools; to provide for derivative

transactions; to provide for collateral loans; to provide for other assets; to provide for authority to invest in certain assets beyond percentage limitations; to provide for prohibited investments; to provide for restrictions on the pledging of assets; to provide for limitations on loans to and investments involving officers and directors; to provide for judicial review and mandamus; to provide an exception to Public Records Law; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 97—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2153(2) through (5) and to enact R.S. 30:2153(1)(b)(v), (8) through (15), 2154(B)(1)(b)(iii), and 2157, relative to solid waste; to provide for advanced recycling processes, facilities, and products; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for the power and duties of the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for certain materials; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 108—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2162(D)(2)(a) and R.S. 46:460.61 and to enact R.S. 46:460.77.3 and 460.81(D), relative to the Medicaid managed care program; to provide relative to mental health rehabilitation services delivered through the program; to provide relative to Medicaid-covered specialized behavioral health rehabilitation services; to provide for staff training requirements; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for credentialing; to provide for penalties; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 111—
BY SENATOR WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2191(A), 2212(B)(2), 2222, and 2241.1(C) and to enact R.S. 38:2212(E)(8) and 2241.1(D), relative to public contracts; to provide for timely execution and approval of change orders; to provide for filing injunctions or mandamus suits involving bids; to provide awarding bids after judicial determinations of the lowest responsive and responsible bidder; to provide for payments under a contract; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 112—
BY SENATOR HENRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1720(A) and (B)(4) and (8), 1728(A) and (D)(1) through (3), 1728.2(D) and (G), 1728.3(A), (B), and (C), the introductory paragraph of (D)(1), (D)(2), the introductory paragraph of (F)(1), (F)(1)(f) and (g), and (G), and 1734 (A), (B), and (D), and to enact R.S. 32:1734(F), relative to the Louisiana Towing and Storage Act; to require certain notices be sent by certified mail, electronic return receipt; to require the retention of certain records by the owner of a towing, storage, or parking facility; to provide certain terms and procedures; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 114—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, BRYANT, GARY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COX, CREWS, FREEMAN, GLOVER, GREEN, HORTON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, MCMAHEN, MOORE, CHARLES OWEN, ROMERO AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact R. S. 17:101 and 3996(B)(59), relative to public elementary and secondary schools; to provide for remote registration and preliminary enrollment of children of military personnel under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 116—

BY SENATORS TARVER AND CARTER AND REPRESENTATIVES GLOVER AND PHELPS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:231.12(A), (E), and (F) and to repeal R.S. 46:231.12(G), to provide relative to employment and education; to provide relative to workers' compensation and liability coverage for certain participants; to provide for terms and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 118—

BY SENATORS MORRIS, CATHEY, CLOUD, FESI, HEWITT, ROBERT MILLS, PEACOCK, WHITE AND WOMACK AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, BACALA, CARRIER, CORMIER, CREWS, DEVILLIER, EDMONDS, EMERSON, FIRMONT, FONTENOT, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAROFALO, HARRIS, HORTON, IVEY, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MIGUEZ, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUGH, THOMPSON AND WHEAT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.3(B) and (I)(1) and (2), and to enact R.S. 14:95(M) and R.S. 40:1379.3.3, relative to the illegal carrying of weapons; to exempt certain persons from the crime of illegal carrying of weapons under certain circumstances; to provide for concealed weapon permits; to provide for exceptions; to provide relative to the completion of a sixty-minute online concealed handgun education course; to provide relative to a database of licensed firearm and handgun instructors; to provide relative to blood alcohol readings; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 124—

BY SENATORS HEWITT, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUIE, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, PEACOCK, POPE, REESE, TALBOT, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 4:3, relative to the playing or singing of the national anthem prior to certain athletic events; to provide for requirements; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 127—

BY SENATOR MCMATH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2162(D)(2), relative to behavioral health rehabilitation services in the Louisiana medical assistance program; to require a minimum level of education and training for certain providers; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 131—

BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1272, relative to property and casualty insurance; to provide relative to defense costs; to prohibit inclusion of defense costs in insurance contracts under certain circumstances; to provide for waivers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 136—

BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4104(G), R.S. 15:587.1.2(D), R.S. 22:11.1, R.S. 27:220(D), R.S. 29:784(B), R.S. 30:2019(C) and (D)(2)(d), 2019.1(E), and 2022(B)(3), R.S. 32:415.2(D)(1), R.S. 34:851.14.1(B), R.S. 36:254(D)(1)(a)(i), R.S. 40:5.3(E), 962(H), 2008.10(B), and 2136(B), R.S. 49:953(E)(1) and (G)(3)(d), 954(B), and R.S. 56:6.1(B), to enact R.S. 49:951(8) and 953.1, and to repeal R.S. 49:953(B), relative to emergency rulemaking; to provide for emergency rulemaking in extraordinary circumstances; to provide for criteria that justify an emergency rule; to provide for occurrences that do not satisfy emergency rulemaking; to provide for minimum information in an agency statement for emergency rulemaking; to provide for the effective date, duration, and applicability of an emergency rule; to provide for a maximum number of times an agency can promulgate an identical emergency rule; to provide for declaratory judgment of the validity of an emergency rule; to

provide for legislative oversight of an emergency rule; to provide for gubernatorial oversight of an emergency rule; to provide for notice to the agency if an emergency rule is determined to be unacceptable; to provide for final action on the emergency rule; to provide technical changes to correlating statutes; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 146—

BY SENATOR POPE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:36, 39, the introductory paragraph of 411(A) and (A)(2) and (C), and 422, relative to preservation of public records; to provide relative to retention schedules; to provide for source document maintenance and conversion standards; to provide for accessibility of records; to provide for annual designation of records officers; to provide relative to investigations; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 155—

BY SENATOR BOUIE AND REPRESENTATIVES GREEN, HUGHES, JONES, LYONS, MARCELLE AND SELDERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2704(A)(1) through (3), 2705(A) and (D), 2706(B), 2708(A)(3), 2709(B), 2712, 2713, 2714(B) through (E), 2716(B), 2717(A)(2) and (D), 2721(A), and 2724(B) and to enact R.S. 37:2703(19), 2714(F) and (G), 2715(F), and 2717(A)(13), (G), and (H), relative to the Louisiana Social Work Practice Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for qualifications of the members of the Louisiana State Board of Social Work Examiners; to provide for the officers of the board; to provide for duties of the board; to provide for registered social workers; to provide for licensed clinical social workers; to provide for application for licensure; to provide for licensure of qualified applicants; to provide for renewal of registrations, certificates, and licenses; to provide for the use of the title of social worker; to provide for payment of fees; to provide for the basis of a disciplinary action; to provide for state representation at disciplinary hearings; to provide for cease and desist orders; to provide for certified social workers; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 190—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1(1), (16), and (108), 2(D), 3(C), 388(A)(3) and (4), the introductory paragraph of (B)(1)(a), (B)(4)(a), (F), and (G), 388.1, 389, and 392(A)(1), R.S. 36:409(C)(8), R.S. 40:1379.8, and R.S. 47:511.1(B), (C), (D), and (E), 516(A), (B)(2), and (D), 718(B)(1) and (C) and 812(C), to enact R.S. 32:1(108.1) and 2(B) and (C) and R.S. 36:408(B)(3), and to repeal R.S. 32:2(E), 388(C)(3), and Sections 6 through 14 of Act No. 320 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature; relative to weights and standards; to transfer the operation and maintenance of stationary weight enforcement scale locations from the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for authority of the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for the authority of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for definitions; to provide for fines and payments; to provide for enforcement, payment, and collections procedures; to provide for administrative review; to provide for transition; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 192—

BY SENATOR HENSGENS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1281.26(A), (B)(3), and (C)(introductory paragraph) and (1) and to enact R.S. 40:1281.26(D), relative to individual sewerage systems; to provide for a temporary waiver of sanitary code requirements for individual sewerage systems in certain jurisdictions; to authorize enforcement by the jurisdiction; to provide for exceptions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 207—

BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212(B)(2), and to enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(c) and R.S. 48:252(I), relative to public contracts; to provide relative to applicability to contracts of the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for information required by bidding documents; to provide for acknowledgment of compliance with subpoenas from the Louisiana Legislature and its committees; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 210—

BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1253(A)(3)(a) and R.S. 51:1941(3) and (6), 1943(A), and the introductory paragraph of 1944(A), to enact Part IV-A of Chapter 6 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:1270.31 through 1270.41, and to repeal R.S. 51:1948(E), relative to recreational vehicle warranties; to provide for the function of certain appointed members of the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide relative to recreational vehicle warranties; to provide for definitions; to provide for the powers and duties of the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide relative to dealer responsibility; to provide relative to the manufacturer's duty to repair for nonconformity; to provide relative to consumer remedies; to provide for exclusiveness of consumer remedies, warranties, and preemptive periods relative to recreational vehicles; to provide for attorney fees; to revise the definition of "motor vehicle" relative to motor vehicle warranties; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 223—

BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 10:9-109(c)(6) and to enact R.S. 45:1237 through 1240 and Subparts B and C of Part VIII of Chapter 9 of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:1331 through 1343, relative to financing utility storm repairs and strengthening and stabilizing utilities; to provide additional powers to the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation; to provide with respect to financing orders and issuers of storm recovery bonds; to provide for legislative intent and definitions; to authorize the creation of special public trusts by the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation; to provide for an alternate use of proceeds of system restoration bonds and contents of financing orders; to provide for the beneficiaries and powers of special public trusts; to provide the mode of creation of special public trusts; to place special public trusts under the regulatory jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission or the council of the city of New Orleans; to establish a mechanism by which the special public trusts may make investments and distribute dividends and redemption payments; to provide for trustees and their duties and powers; to provide a corporation pledge of nonimpairment of special public trusts; to prohibit the special public trusts from filing bankruptcy; to provide with respect to transfers of beneficial interests; to authorize the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation to participate under the Louisiana Electric Utility Storm Recovery Securitization Act; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 227—

BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.67.1, relative to economic development in East Baton Rouge Parish; to create and provide for the Plank Road Business Economic Development District within such parish; to provide for boundaries, the governance, powers, duties, and plans of the district; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 194—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116(D)(2) and (K), relative to facility need review; to provide for an extension of the moratorium on the approval of additional beds for nursing facilities; to provide for an exemption if there is no increase in existing nursing home beds; to provide for nursing home beds in alternate use; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 230—

BY SENATORS MIZELL, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MORRIS, PEACOCK, PETERSON, POPE, PRICE, SMITH, TALBOT, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK AND REPRESENTATIVES BRASS, CARPENTER, DAVIS, DUPLESSIS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, FREIBERG, HILFERTY, HODGES, HUGHES, LANDRY, MARCELLE, MOORE, NEWELL, CHARLES OWEN, PHELPS, PIERRE, RISER, SCHLEGEL, ST. BLANC, TARVER, WHITE AND WILLARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part XII of Chapter 26 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:3399.11 through 3399.17, and to enact R.S. 15:624(A)(3), relative to power-based violence on college and university campuses; to provide for reporting incidents of power-based violence at public postsecondary education institutions; to provide for coordination between institutions and law enforcement; to provide for confidential advisors, responsible employees, and Title IX coordinators; to require training; to provide for immunities for certain employees; to provide for confidentiality; to provide relative to failure to report or filing false reports; to prohibit retaliation; to require annual reports; to require student safety education; to provide for student power-based violence surveys; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,
SHARON W. HEWITT
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Bills were signed by the President of the Senate.

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 3, 2021

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 60—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS AND SENATORS LAMBERT, PRICE, AND WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2922.1(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), and (F), to enact R.S. 17:2922.1(B)(1)(m), and to repeal R.S. 17:2922.1(G), relative to dual enrollment; to provide with respect to the Dual Enrollment Framework Task Force; to revise the membership of the task force; to provide relative to reporting requirements; to remove the termination date of the task force; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 74—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRIEMAN AND SENATORS HEWITT, MCMATH, AND MIZELL

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 provide for retention by foreign and alien insurers of claim

adjusters who possess a Louisiana license; to provide that insurers of workers' compensation policies make any relevant claim adjuster available for deposition via telephone or virtual technology involving a filing of a Disputed Claim for Compensation; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 120—

BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:3.6, relative to public records regarding airport facilities, facilities on airport property, and airport infrastructure; to provide for the confidential nature of blueprints, floor plans, and interior renderings of such facilities and of blueprints, plans, and renderings of airport infrastructure; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 170—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO AND SENATORS BOUIE AND CONNICK

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 190—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD, GARY CARTER, COX, DUBUISSON, DUPLESSIS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, GAINES, GREEN, HILFERTY, HUGHES, JAMES, JONES, JORDAN, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, DUSTIN MILLER, NEWELL, PIERRE, AND SELTERS AND SENATORS BOUIE, HARRIS, AND PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1059 and 1059.1, relative to health insurance coverage for midwifery and doula services; to provide relative to health insurance coverage for maternity services provided by midwives and doulas; to provide for legislative findings; to create the Louisiana Doula Registry Board and provide for its purpose, composition, and duties; to authorize rulemaking; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 244—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TURNER AND JORDAN AND SENATORS CATHEY AND MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:821(B)(39) and Part III-A of Chapter 5 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1660.1 through 1660.9, relative to pharmacy services administrative organizations; to provide for definitions; to require licensing and a related fee; to provide grounds for denial, suspension, and revocation of a license; to require submission of an annual report and filing fee; to authorize the commissioner of insurance to examine certain documents; to require maintenance and confidentiality of such documents; to provide for exceptions; to provide for duties and responsibilities; to provide fines for violations; to authorize rulemaking; to modify relative to exceptions to public records requests; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 550—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO AND SENATORS MCMATH, MIZELL, AND WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:413 and to enact R.S. 40:1321.1, relative to the issuance of duplicate driver's licenses and special identification cards; to provide for the issuance fee for duplicate driver's licenses and special identification cards; to provide for the department's immunity from liability for receipt of an applicant's statement and sworn affidavit from a physician connected to the issuance of a duplicate driver's license and special identification card in certain actions resulting from driving accidents; to provide for the department's immunity for

the issuance of an unlawfully obtained special identification card; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 42—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS AND SENATORS BARROW, FOIL, AND WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351(N), relative to public postsecondary education institutions; to require institutions to provide students with education loan information; to require annual updates of loan information to be given to students; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 115—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS AND SENATORS BARROW, FOIL, AND WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.33, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Old Goodwood Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district, subject to voter approval; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 187—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY AND SENATORS BERNARD AND MILLIGAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116.31(B) and 2116.34(A)(1), (7), and (10)(c) through (e), to enact R.S. 40:2116.34(A)(12), and to repeal R.S. 40:2116.34(A)(10)(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 agencies; to require reporting; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 239—

BY REPRESENTATIVES RISER, ADAMS, BUTLER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, DESHOTEL, EDMONDS, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, GAROFALO, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, MCMAHON, MIGUEZ, MINCEY, ROMERO, ST. BLANC, THOMPSON, WHEAT, AND WHITE AND SENATORS JACKSON AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4278.2(B) and R.S. 41:1009, to enact R.S. 3:4278.5, and to repeal R.S. 3:4278.1(F), relative to the sale of undivided timber interest; to provide relative to removal of timber without consent; to provide relative to cutting trees on state-owned property; to prohibit the harvest of cypress trees on state property; to provide for exceptions; to provide for penalties; to provide for a civil prescriptive period; to provide for an effective date; to provide for the designation of an Act of the Legislature by means of short title; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 391—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MAGEE, BRYANT, GARY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, COX, DUPLESSIS, FREEMAN, GREEN, HUGHES, JAMES, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MARINO, NELSON, NEWELL, PIERRE, SELDERS, AND WILLARD AND SENATORS ALLAIN AND FESI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1046(A)(1) and (C)(2)(e) 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 422—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON AND SENATORS BOUDREAUX AND HENSGENS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1199.4(E)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 15:1199.4(E)(13) and (O), relative to the Reentry Advisory Council; to provide relative to the membership of the Reentry Advisory Council; to add a member; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 477—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI AND SENATORS BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FIELDS, FOIL, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MORRIS, POPE, PRICE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, AND WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2354(B)(4), (C)(4), (F), and (G) and Section 16 of Act No. 251 of the 2009 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists; to provide for assistants to a psychologist; to provide for licensure and license renewal fees; to establish fees for continuing professional development activities; to provide for special services; to provide for rulemaking by the board; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 544—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES AND SENATORS ALLAIN, BARROW, POPE, WARD, WHITE, AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:1855(M)(2) and (P)(1)(introductory paragraph), relative to the Louisiana Scenic Rivers Act; to provide for certain permitting exceptions for operations in Bayou Manchac; to extend the period for which the Comite River is exempt from certain statutory requirements; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 558—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LARVADAIN AND SENATORS BERNARD AND LUNEAU

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 22—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE AND SENATORS PRICE, WARD, AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(33)(a)(xiv) and 1902(12)(b) and (13) and to enact R.S. 11:701(33)(a)(xv), 1902(12)(h) and (i), and 1903.1, relative to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana and the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for membership of Louisiana School Boards Association employees within the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana, rather than the Parochial Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for exceptions; to provide for payment of accrued liabilities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE AND SENATORS ALLAIN AND FESI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 3 of Title I of Book I of the Code of Civil Procedure, comprised of Code of Civil Procedure Articles 151 through 159, the heading of Chapter 3 of Title I of Book VIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, the heading of Code of Civil Procedure Article 4861 and Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4862, 4863, and 4864, the heading of Code of Civil

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Procedure Article 4865, and Code of Civil Procedure Article 4866, relative to the recusal of judges; to provide for the grounds for recusal; to provide for disclosures required of judges; to provide for recusal on the court's own motion; to provide for the procedure for recusal; to provide for the selection of the judge to try the motion to recuse; to provide for the selection of the judge after recusal; to provide for the motion to recuse; to provide for the appointment of judge ad hoc; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 105—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRESSLY AND SENATORS MILLIGAN AND PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3159(B) and 3160(C) and to repeal R.S. 34:3522, relative to the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission; to provide for the rights and powers of the commission; to authorize the commission to perform the functions of an economic and industrial development entity; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 119—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUGHES AND SENATORS BOUIE AND HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3138.7(B)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 17:3138.7(B)(24) and (G)(4), relative to the Advisory Council on Historically Black Colleges and Universities; to provide for membership of the council; to provide for an annual report to the legislature's education committees; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 129—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, HUGHES, JAMES, JONES, JORDAN, LANDRY, MARINO, AND ORGERON AND SENATORS FIELDS AND LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2404 (introductory paragraph) and 2404.2(C) and to enact R.S. 15:1212.1(G) and R.S. 40:2401.2, 2401.3, 2404(12), and 2555, relative to peace officers; to provide relative to certain reporting requirements; to provide relative to the recruitment of certain peace officer candidates; to provide relative to certain training requirements; to provide for the implementation of disciplinary policies and procedures; to provide relative to investigations into certain peace officer conduct; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 145—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT AND SENATORS BOUDREAUX AND FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(2) and (B)(1) and to enact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(6), relative to parole; to provide relative to parole eligibility; to provide relative to the parole eligibility of persons convicted of certain crimes; to provide relative to the parole eligibility of persons serving certain terms of imprisonment; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 200—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, AMEDEE, BISHOP, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, COUSSAN, COX, CREWS, DEVILLIER, EDMONDS, EMERSON, FARNUM, GAROFALO, HARRIS, HORTON, MCFARLAND, MOORE, CHARLES OWEN, PIERRE, THOMPSON, AND WHITE AND SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(10) and to enact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xx) and 297.16, relative to individual income tax; to exempt certain survivor benefit plan payments from state income tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 259—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HORTON, COX, HUGHES, AND JENKINS AND SENATORS BARROW, BERNARD, CATHEY, FESI, FIELDS, JACKSON, LUNEAU, ROBERT MILLS, MORRIS, PEACOCK, TARVER, AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1472(12)(F)(III)(d), relative to employment; to provide for employment of persons with disabilities; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 269—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER AND SENATORS BARROW, BOUIE, CONNICK, MCMATH, FRED MILLS, MIZELL, AND POPE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:635, relative to functions of the Louisiana Department of Health pertaining to food safety; to amend provisions of the State Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Law; to provide relative to imported food products; to provide for the destruction of certain food products that are subject to import bans; to provide for construction of certain laws relating to public health; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 289—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCFARLAND AND BISHOP AND SENATORS BERNARD, FOIL, LUNEAU, ROBERT MILLS, AND MORRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6042, relative to income and corporate franchise tax credits; to provide for an income and corporate franchise tax credit for certain railroads; to provide for definitions; to provide for the maximum amount of credits that can be issued annually; to provide for the maximum amount of credits an individual taxpayer can be issued annually; to provide for taxpayer eligibility; to authorize unclaimed portions of a credit to be carried forward or transferred; to provide for the administration of the tax credit; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 517—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS AND SENATOR HENRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2773(A), relative to limitations on the responsibility of agents, contractors, and representatives of proprietors; to provide for the limitation of liability for ultrahazardous activity; to provide for prospective application; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 581—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON AND STEFANSKI AND SENATORS BERNARD, LUNEAU, MORRIS, AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:134(E), 154(C)(2), 198(D), 423(J)(1), 435(B)(1)(a), 469(D)(1), 573(E)(2), 1280.21(A), 1280.22(B)(1), 1285(B)(1)(a), 1300(C)(2), 1308(B), 1309(B) and (M)(1)(a), 1309.1(A), 1313.1(L)(2)(b) and (3), 1315(C), 1363, 1373(A)(1), 1376(B)(2), 1461.7(A)(5), 1491.6(C)(3), and 1495.4(C)(3) and to enact R.S. 18:1461.7(A)(6), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to revise the Louisiana Election Code; to provide relative to elections procedures and requirements; to provide relative to registrar of voters office; to provide relative to records of the registrar of voters; to provide relative to confidentiality of certain records relative to candidates; to provide relative to voter registration; to provide relative to a change of address of a voter; to provide relative to compensation of parish boards of election supervisors; to provide relative to procedures for reopening qualifying; to provide relative to a challenge of a voter; to

provide relative to cancellation of voter registration; to provide relative to the date of a presidential preference primary; to provide relative to qualifying period for presidential candidates; to provide relative to changes to a notice of elections; to provide relative to delivery of absentee ballots; to provide relative to additional early voting branch offices; to provide relative to notice of preparation of voting machines; to provide relative to the date of preparation of voting machines; to provide relative to deadline for a challenge of ballots; to provide relative to clearing of voting machines and results; to provide relative to election offenses; to provide relative to campaign finance reports; to provide relative to watchers; to provide relative to the recount of absentee by mail and early voting ballots; to provide relative to allocation of voting machines; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

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

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Peterson
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope
Bernard	Jackson	Price
Boudreaux	Johns	Reese
Bouie	Lambert	Smith
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Ward
Connick	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	
Total - 37		

ABSENT

Tarver
Total - 1

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Tarver 1 Day

Announcements

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

Health and Welfare 3:00 P.M. Hainkel Room

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Peacock, at 3:00 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Sunday, June 6, 2021, at 4:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

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