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STATE OF LOUISIANA
FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

Forty-Seventh Regular Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, April 19, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 4:40 o'clock P.M. by Hon. Patrick Page Cortez, President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

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

Total - 37

ABSENT

Ward	White
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Total - 2

The President of the Senate announced there were 37 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Barry Milligan, 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 Peacock, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of April 14, 2021, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and
Communications**

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

STATE OF LOUISIANA

April 12, 2021

Yolanda J. Dixon
Secretary
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Michelle Fontenot
Clerk
Louisiana House of Representatives
Post Office Box 44281
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Special Recommendation Commission; Louisiana Legislative Auditor

Members:

Pursuant to its authority under Louisiana R.S. 24:511.1, the Special Recommendation Commission has met and recommends Michael J. Waguespack to fill the vacancy in the position of Legislative Auditor caused by the resignation of Mr. Daryl G. Purpera.

Sincerely,
PATRICK PAGE CORTEZ
Senate President
Co-Chair

Sincerely,
CLAY SCHEXNAYDER
Speaker, House of Representatives
Co-Chair

Messages from the House

The following messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Election of the LA. Legislative Auditor

April 19, 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 elected the La. Legislative Auditor: Michael J. Waguespack.

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

Election of Legislative Auditor

Senator Mizell moved to nominate Michael Waguespack for Legislative Auditor.

Senator Luneau seconded the nomination.

Senator Mizell moved that the nominations be closed.

If there are no objections, the nomination is closed.

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
Carter	Lambert	Smith
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Tarver

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Connick Milligan Ward
Fesi Mills, F. Womack
Fields Mills, R.

Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

White
Total - 1

By a vote of 38 Yeas and 0 Nays, the Senate has voted to elect Michael Waguespack Legislative Auditor.

Message from the House

CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 15, 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. 20—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express support for the strengthening of the partnership with Taiwan and for the expansion of Taiwan's role on the global stage.

Reported without amendments.

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

Introduction of Senate Bills
and Joint Resolutions

SENATE BILL NO. 238—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:408.1(A) and (B), relative to the Caddo Educational Excellence Fund; to provide for the investment of the funds; to provide for the withdrawal of certain earnings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 239—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(4)(e), relative to the definition of federal income tax liability for individual income taxpayers impacted by the 2021 hurricanes; to provide relief for taxpayers using the federal standard deduction; to include taxpayers affected by Hurricane Zeta; to clarify the applicability of the relief provided; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 240—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1675(K), relative to the utilization of income and corporation tax credits; to provide that the total corporation income and franchise tax credits claimed in a tax year cannot

exceed the corporation's tax liability for the tax year; to provide that the total amount of certain business-related individual income tax credits cannot exceed the taxpayer's individual income tax liability for the tax year; to limit refundability of refundable credits; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 16—
BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Natale "Nat" Anthony Maestri Jr.

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

Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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.

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Second Reading to be Referred

SENATE BILL NO. 237—
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6042, relative to tax credits; to establish the Infrastructure and Jobs Creation Tax Credit Program to fund grants for public-private partnership investment in Louisiana infrastructure projects; to provide for the amount of the credit; to authorize the Department of Revenue to sell credits; to provide for the administration of the credit; to create the Infrastructure and Jobs Creation Fund; to authorize the Department of Economic Development to award Infrastructure and Jobs Creation Grants; to establish eligibility requirements; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for the implementation of grants; to provide for certain limitations and requirements; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—
BY SENATOR FOIL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Commander Matthew Noland of the United States Navy on the occasion of taking command of the guided missile destroyer USS KIDD.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Foil moved to adopt the Senate 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	Luneau	Smith
Carter	McMath	Talbot
Cloud	Milligan	Tarver
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cathey	Lambert	White
Connick	Ward	

Total - 5

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality, in consultation with other entities, to study the feasibility of providing funding for remediation of storm water quality impairments, including but not limited to sediment and aquatic trash, through the implementation of devices to capture such impairments and the maintenance of devices to remove such impairments from storm water systems.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

April 19, 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. 125	HB No. 217	HB No. 298
HB No. 97	HB No. 102	HB No. 108
HB No. 140	HB No. 178	HB No. 37
HB No. 159	HB No. 307	

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 37—

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

AN ACT

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 97—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

AN ACT

To designate a portion of United States Highway 425 in Mangham, Louisiana, as the "Marshall Waters, Jr. Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 102—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS

AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 173 as the "Coach Carl Pierson Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 108—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LARVADAIN, ROBBY CARTER, JAMES, AND JEFFERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 5183(A)(introductory paragraph), (1), and (2) and (B) and 5185(A) and (B), relative to proceeding in forma pauperis; to provide with respect to applications to proceed in forma pauperis; to provide for the rights of parties proceeding in forma pauperis; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 125—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON

AN ACT

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

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 140—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MUSCARELLO, ROBBY CARTER, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, AND SEABAUGH AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 193, 194, 195, 196.1, 863(A), 891(A), and 1313(C) and R.S. 9:2603(B)(2), and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Article 196 and R.S. 9:2603(B)(4)(a), relative to civil procedure; to provide for the adoption of local court rules; to provide with respect to the power of district courts to act; to provide with respect to judicial proceedings; to provide for the signing of orders and judgments; to provide with respect to pleadings and petitions; to provide for service by electronic means; to provide with respect to the Louisiana Uniform Electronic Transaction Act; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 159—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WHITE, FREEMAN, GREEN, LANDRY, AND MOORE AND SENATORS JACKSON, MIZELL, AND PETERSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 103(4) and (5), 112(B)(9), 134, 136(A), the heading of Title VI of Book I of the Civil Code, and Civil Code Articles 2315.8(A) and 2362.1(B), Code of Civil Procedure Articles 891(B), 3603.1(A) and (C)(1), 3604(C)(1), 3607.1, 3610, and 3945(G), Children's Code Articles 652(E)(2), 1564, 1565, 1566(C), 1567(A)(3) and (B), 1568(A)(1), (3), and (4) and (C), 1569(A)(introductory paragraph), (B), and (D), 1570(A)(introductory paragraph), 1570.1(A), and 1573(introductory paragraph) and (4), Code of Evidence Article 412.5(A), Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 313(A)(2), 320(G)(1), 321(C)(19), 893(A)(2), 895(M)(1), 899.2(D)(5) and (6), 900(A)(6)(d)(iii), the heading of Title XXXV of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 1001(1), (2), and (4), and 1002(A)(2)(a), R.S. 9:314, 345(B), 355.2(D)(2), 358.2, 358.3(B)(8), 359.13, the heading of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Code Title V of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and R.S. 9:361, 362(1), (3)(c), (4), (5), (6), and (7), 363, 364, 365, 366(A), 367, 369, 372(A) and (C), 2603(B)(4)(a), 2800.9(A), 3261.1(B)(2) and (C)(2), and 4103(B)(1), R.S. 13:621.21(B)(2) and (C)(2), 621.22(B)(3), 721(E)(2)(1), 1802(4), 1819(B)(1), 1821(A)(2), 1830(B)(3), 1852(4), 1856(4) and (5), 1857(A)(4), 1858(B), 1859(D), 2106(B), and 5304(B)(10)(introductory paragraph) and (b), R.S. 14:79(A)(1)(a) and (E), R.S. 15:257.1(C)(1)(c), 574.7(C)(2)(a)(x) and (4)(e) and (f), 574.9(H)(2)(c), 587.8(A) and (B)(3)(introductory paragraph), (a), (b), and (d) and (7), R.S. 17:7.2(A)(6), R.S. 22:1063(A)(1)(g) and 1078(A), R.S. 33:9701(C)(2), R.S. 37:2554(B)(2)(b), R.S. 39:1619(A)(3)(introductory paragraph), (a), (f), and (g), R.S. 40:506(D), 1379.3.2(A), 2405.8(E)(1)(introductory paragraph), (a), and (g) and (2) and (I)(3)(a)(i) and (b), and 2533(C)(1), R.S. 44:3(A)(6) and (J)(3), and R.S. 46:52.1(F)(3)(a)(v), 236.5(C)(1) and (3)(k), 236.10(C)(2)(d)(i), 1842(15)(d), 1844(C)(2), 1845(C)(2), 1846(A) and (C), 1861(A)(1)(a), 2131, 2132(3) and (4), 2133(B)(3) and (D), 2134(A)(1), (2), and (3) and (C), 2135(A)(introductory paragraph), (B), and (D), 2136(A)(introductory paragraph), 2136.1(A), 2136.2(A) and (B), 2136.3(A)(introductory paragraph), 2138(C), 2140(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (4), (C)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph), (e), and (g), and (3)(b), and 2143(A), (B), and (C), to enact Civil Code Articles 136(D)(6) and 162, and to repeal R.S. 9:341 and R.S. 46:1844(W)(5)(d), 2121.1, 2140(C)(4), and 2151, relative to domestic abuse; to provide for a civil definition of domestic abuse; to provide consistent terminology; to provide for cross references; to provide for the determination of support; to provide for consideration of factors in determining the best interest of a child; to provide for the definition of dating partner; to provide for the Post-Separation Domestic Abuse Relief Act; to provide for child custody and visitation when domestic abuse has occurred; to provide for court costs and attorney fees; to provide for the Domestic Abuse Assistance Act; to provide for

the Protection From Family Violence Act; to repeal the Protection From Dating Violence Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 178—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN AN ACT

To redesignate a portion of Louisiana Highway 77 in the Village of Grosse Tete, Louisiana, as the "Veterans Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 217—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:5, 501(A), 535(C), and 536(C), relative to interstate banking; to remove provisions relative to public policy; to remove capital requirements; to expand geographical limitations; to remove provisions relative to out-of-state holding companies; to remove provisions relative to de novo banks; to remove provisions relative to out-of-state banks entering the state; to provide for state banks held as subsidiaries; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 298—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:272(A)(1), (B)(2), and (D)(1), 273(B)(1), 274(C)(1), 709(E) and (F), 1182(B), 1183(A), 1185(A), and 1187(A) and R.S. 12:1-709(D), relative to the use of remote communication in certain meetings; to provide for remote communication; to provide for notice; to provide for meetings of savings banks; to provide for annual meetings; to provide for special meetings; to provide for voting; to provide for proxies; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 307—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHAMERHORN AN ACT

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

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 19, 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. 27 HCR No. 29 HCR No. 30

HCR No. 32 HCR No. 33 HCR No. 35
 HCR No. 25

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions
 on First Reading**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON AND SENATOR JACKSON
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To designate April 2021 as Autism Acceptance Month in Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES OWEN
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To commend Vernon Parish and its parish seat, Leesville, on the one hundred fiftieth anniversary of their founding.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To commend Holly Frederick Reynolds for her animal rights advocacy.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE WHEAT
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To recognize April 2021 as West Nile Virus Awareness Month in Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, MACK, MINCEY, AND WHEAT AND SENATORS LAMBERT, POPE, AND WHITE
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana on the death of Charles Earl "Charlie" Martin.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON, ECHOLS, GADBERRY, JEFFERSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCFARLAND, MOORE, RISER, AND TURNER AND SENATORS CATHEY, JACKSON, MORRIS, AND WOMACK
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana on the death of Louisiana congressman-elect Luke Letlow.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To commend the Louisiana Offshore Oil Port (LOOP) on its fortieth anniversary.

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions on
 Second Reading**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIAQUE, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARPENTER, CARRIER, GARY CARTER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DEVILLIER, DESHOTEL, DUBUISSON, DUPLESSIS, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMAN, GLOVER, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HARRIS, HILFERTY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HORTON, HUGHES, HUVAL, ILLG, IVEY, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JONES, JORDAN, KERNER, LACOMBE, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MACK, MAGEE, MARCELLE, MARINO, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCKNIGHT, MCMAHEN, MIGEZ, DUSTIN MILLER, GREGORY MILLER, MINCEY, MOORE, MUSCARELLO, NELSON, NEWELL, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, PHELPS, PIERRE, PRESSLY, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, TARVER, THOMAS, THOMPSON, TURNER, VILLIO, WHEAT, WHITE, WILLARD, WRIGHT, AND ZERINGUE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of former state representative Stephen F. "Steve" Carter of Baton Rouge.

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

Total - 38
 NAYS

Total - 0
 ABSENT

White
 Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
 To commend Daryl Purpera on the occasion of his retirement from service as the Louisiana legislative auditor.

Floor Amendments

Senator Mizell proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Mizell to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 24 by Representative Ivey

April 19, 2021

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, change "Wildlife and Fisheries" to "Agriculture and Forestry"

On motion of Senator Mizell, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent, Total. Lists Tarver, Ward, White.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

JUDICIARY C

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

April 19, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 57— BY SENATOR WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 404(H), relative to jury commissions; to provide that the clerk of court for Franklin Parish or the clerk's designated deputy clerk shall serve as the jury commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 118— BY SENATOR MORRIS

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), 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; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 132— BY SENATORS BOUIE, CARTER AND TARVER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:609(A)(1), relative to DNA detection of sexual and violent offenders; to provide relative to the analysis of the DNA sample collected from a person following an arrest for certain offenses; to allow the DNA sample to be analyzed during or immediately following the booking of the person; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 145— BY SENATOR WARD AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 320(D) and (E)(1) and 893(A)(1)(a), (B)(2), (F), (G), and (H) and R.S. 13:5304(B)(3)(b) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 893(B)(1)(c) and (I) and 904 and Subpart V of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.171 and 100.172, relative to mandatory drug testing and screening; to require drug testing and screening of persons arrested for certain offenses; to provide relative to assessment for participation in drug and specialty court programs for certain nonviolent offenders; to provide relative to confidentiality of drug testing and screening records; to establish the Drug and Specialty Court Fund; to provide for the administration and specific uses of the fund; to provide reporting requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted, FRANKLIN J. FOIL Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Senator Eddie J. Lambert, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Environmental Quality, submitted the following report:

April 19, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 96— BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2418(H)(1) and to enact R.S. 30:2418.1 and 2418.2, relative to the waste tire program in the Department of Environmental Quality; to authorize the establishment of standards, requirements, and permitting procedures; to provide for waste tire generators; to authorize the promulgation of rules, regulations, and guidelines; to require certain generators of waste tires to obtain generator identification numbers; to require certain transporters to obtain a certificate; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 192—
BY SENATOR HENSGENS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1281.26(C)(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.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
EDDIE J. LAMBERT
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS

Senator R. L. Bret Allain II, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 6—
BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:302(BB)(114), 305.4, 321(P)(115), 321.1(I)(115), and 331(V)(115), relative to tax exemptions; to provide an exemption from state sales and use tax for utilities used by commercial farmers for on-farm storage; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Revenue to promulgate rules; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 11—
BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(10) and to enact R.S. 47:287.738(H), 293(9)(a)(xx), and 297.16, relative to income tax exemptions; to provide for an individual and corporation income tax exemption for certain state and federal COVID-19 relief benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. BRET ALLAIN II
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS

Senator R. L. Bret Allain, II, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 8—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6035(I), relative to the tax credit for purchases of qualified clean-burning motor vehicle fuel property; to provide relative to eligibility; to accelerate the sunset date of the credit; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 46—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(9)(e), relative to state individual income tax; to increase the amount of the exclusion for certain income earned while on active duty with the armed forces; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 75—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:112(C)(1)(e), relative to capital outlay requests submitted by a budget unit of the state, including public postsecondary education institutions; to provide for capital outlay requests for a state-owned and administered project and certain education institutions submitted after the November first deadline for approval; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 81—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:114.1, relative to reporting requirements to the Department of Revenue; to require businesses and governmental entities that pay certain service providers to file annual reports; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Revenue to promulgate rules; to provide for extensions and waivers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 125—
BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.75 and 337.9(C)(27), relative to local sales and use tax; to provide an exemption from local sales and use tax for the purchase of certain infused prescription drugs; to provide for the applicable diseases and conditions; to provide for limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 154—
BY SENATOR SMITH

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 23(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax millage rate adjustments; to provide for maximum authorized millage rates; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and to provide a ballot proposition.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 165—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1705(B)(1)(a) and (b)(i), relative to adjustments of ad valorem millages; to provide for the retention

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of maximum authorized millage rates; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 172—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:302(BB)(114), 321(P)(115), 321.1(I)(115), and 331(V)(115), relative to state sales and use tax exemptions for charitable residential construction materials; to exempt the sale of construction materials for charitable residential construction from state sales and use tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 173—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(a)(i)(aa) and (4)(h)(ii) and (iii)(bb), (D)(2)(d)(i), (I), (J)(1), and (3)(a), relative to the motion picture production tax credit; to provide for the out-of-zone base tax credit enhancement; to provide for the uses of the Louisiana Entertainment Development Fund; to provide for the allocation of tax credits; to provide for rollover of any excess tax credit cap; to increase the per project cap; to extend the program termination date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. BRET ALLAIN II
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

RETIREMENT

Senator Edward J. "Ed" Price, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Retirement, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 21—
BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:163.2, relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for credit for involuntary furlough and leave without pay; to provide with respect to the purchase of service and salary credit lost as a result of COVID-related involuntary furlough or leave for certain employees; to provide with respect to payment for service purchased; to provide for limitations; to provide for implementation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 22—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:441(A)(2)(c), 461(B)(3)(c), 726(B)(2), 761(A)(4) and (5), 765(A)(2), 780(A), 786(A)(4), 802(B), 1141(A), 1142(C), and 1147(C)(4)(b), to enact R.S. 11:131, 441(A)(2)(d), 461(B)(3)(d), 726(B)(3), 761(A)(6), 765(A)(3), 786(A)(5), 802(C), 1142(D), and 1147(C)(4)(c), and to repeal R.S. 11:132, relative to retirement eligibility for certain new members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana, and the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to establish

new retirement eligibility for certain members employed on or after July 1, 2021; to provide relative to disability retirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 23—
BY SENATORS FESI AND JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:851(E)(2) and (P), R.S. 11:1316(B)(2) and (E) and 1345.8(B)(2) and (D), relative to the State Police Retirement System; to provide relative to continuing health care coverage for a surviving spouse and child; to provide with respect to health care premium subsidy; to provide limitations; to provide relative to survivors of members killed in the line of duty; to provide with respect to survivors' benefits for members killed in the line of duty by an intentional act of violence; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
EDWARD J. "ED" PRICE
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

FINANCE

Senator Mack A. "Bodi" White Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:

April 19, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:321.1(G), relative to state sales and use tax; to phase-in a dedication of the temporary state sales and use tax levy to the Transportation Trust Fund; to provide for the use of the dedicated funds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2237.1, R.S. 39:1753.1, and R.S. 39:1755(5), relative to the purchase of certain covered telecommunications and video equipment or services by all state departments, agencies, boards, and commissions, and certain educational entities; to require the purchase of covered telecommunications and video equipment or services to comply with federal guidelines under Section 889(a) of the John S. McCain National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2019; to provide for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 80—
BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:332.20(B), relative to dedication of state sales tax on room rentals in St. Landry Parish; to dedicate a portion of the state sales tax on room rentals in St. Landry

Parish to the improvement, preservation, and operation of the Liberty Theatre in Eunice; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 111—
BY SENATOR WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2191(A), 2212(B)(2), 2215(A), 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 junctions 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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 162—
BY SENATOR HENRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2365.1(A)(5), relative to the Major Events Incentive Program and the Major Events Incentive Program Subfund; to redefine qualified event; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 182—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 37:2163(B), relative to public bids and access to bidding documents; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
MACK A. "BODI" WHITE JR.
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
JUDICIARY A**

Senator Barrow Peacock, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

April 19, 2021

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 91—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 4 of Code Title I of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:1711 through 1711.9, relative to securities and successions; to provide for uniform transfer on death of certain securities; to enact the Louisiana Uniform Transfer on Death Security Registration Act; to provide certain definitions, terms, procedures, conditions, requirements, exceptions, effects, and applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 163—
BY SENATORS MCMATH AND HARRIS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article V, Sections 3 and 4 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to composition of the Louisiana Supreme Court; to provide for two additional justices to the court; to

provide for reapportionment in accordance with most recent decennial federal census; to require districts be as equal as practicable in population; to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors; and provide a ballot proposition.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
BARROW PEACOCK
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
JUDICIARY B**

Senator Gary L. Smith, Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 12—
BY SENATOR BOUIE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:783.1, relative to the payment of group insurance premiums for retired clerks of court and clerk's employees; to create the Orleans Parish Clerk of Civil District Court's Office Retired Employees Insurance Fund; to provide for deposits in the fund; to provide for payments from the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 52—
BY SENATOR POPE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 13:5554(FF), relative to group insurance available through sheriff's departments; to provide for payment of certain costs associated with group and self-insurance plans; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 206—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(F)(1) through (3) and (6) through (10), relative to clerks of court; to provide for payment of premium costs for retirees from clerk of court offices; to provide for requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 213—
BY SENATORS HEWITT AND MCMATH AND REPRESENTATIVES DUBUISSON, FRIEMAN, HOLLIS, NELSON, ROBERT OWEN AND WRIGHT

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

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provide for applicability; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
GARY L. SMITH JR.
Chairman

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

SENATE BILL NO. 38—
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3703(B)(4), relative to the membership of the Louisiana Behavior Analyst Board; to provide for the length of an appointment term; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 53—
BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:996.67(C)(4), relative to the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans judicial building fund; to provide for the addition of the assessor's office to the list of parochial offices that will be housed in the new Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 64—
BY SENATOR BERNARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1462(A)(2), (3), (4), and (5), relative to acts prohibited during early voting or on election day; to provide relative to lawful activities; to provide for campaign material and political advertising restrictions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 64 by Senator Bernard

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" insert "the introductory paragraph of R.S. 18:1462(A) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 2, after "(A)" delete "(2),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 3, after "day;" delete "to provide relative to lawful activities;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." insert "The introductory paragraph of R.S. 18:1462(A) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 7, after "(A)" delete "(2),"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 1, line 12, after "government." delete the remainder of the line and lines 13 through 17

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 1, delete "undue influence."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, delete lines 10 through 14

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

SENATE BILL NO. 72—
BY SENATORS CARTER, BARROW, BOUDREAUX, LUNEAU, MIZELL,
POPE, TARVER AND WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:251(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 36:258(E) and R.S. 46:2527, relative to the office on women's health; to establish and provide for the office on women's health within the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for an assistant secretary and staff of the office on women's health; to provide for the purposes, duties, and functions of the office on women's health; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Original Senate Bill No. 72 by Senator Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 15, change "of" to "on"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 20, change "it's" to "its"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, line 9, change "Diseases" to "Chronic conditions" and change "including" to "such as"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 79—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1504, relative to fire protection districts; to authorize the governing authority of Pointe Coupee Parish to provide, by ordinance, for the governance of districts created by the parish; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 98—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1252(27), relative to marine products; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for a licensing exception for certain marine products; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 98 by Senator Lambert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, after "watercraft" delete ";

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 15 and insert: "or marine motor designed for use if the watercraft or marine motor is used primarily for commercial or governmental"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 100—

BY SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:767(F) and 768(D) and (E) and Code of Civil Procedure Art. 3434(A) and (B), and to enact R.S. 6:325(E), 767(G), and 768(F), relative to banks, mutual associations and savings banks; to provide relative to an affidavit for small successions; to provide for access and transfer of the contents of a safety deposit box by a bank, mutual association, or a savings bank to a succession representative heir or legatee; to provide for access and transfer of money and property by a bank, mutual association, or a savings bank to a succession representative heir or legatee; to provide liability protection for certain entities; to provide certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 100 by Senator Reese

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 2, after "Procedure" delete comma ";

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 20, after "Procedure" delete comma ";

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 14, after "Procedure" delete comma ";

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

SENATE BILL NO. 107—

BY SENATORS BOUDREAU, BARROW AND MIZELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:961(27)(b)(iii) and to enact R.S. 40:962(I), relative to the controlled dangerous substances schedules; to provide for definitions; to provide for the removal of a substance from the controlled dangerous substances schedules; to provide for rulemaking authority; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 116—

BY SENATORS TARVER AND CARTER

AN ACT

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 129—

BY SENATORS FRED MILLS, BARROW AND MIZELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:5.9(C)(4) and (5), to enact R.S. 40:5.9(C)(6), 5.9.1, and 5.9.2, and to repeal R.S. 36:259(B)(9) and R.S. 40:4.13, relative to public drinking water; to create and provide for the Community Drinking Water Infrastructure Sustainability Act; to provide for public purpose; to provide for a statewide system of community water system accountability; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for development of a letter grade schedule reflective of community water system quality and performance; to provide for publication of quality and performance scores and letter grades; to provide for requirement of an improvement plan; to provide for penalties; to provide for the use of federal funds; to repeal certain provisions relative to rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 149—

BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To provide for a special statewide election on the second Saturday in October of 2021, for the purpose of submitting constitutional amendments to the electors of the state; to provide for the conduct of such election; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 168—

BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(A)(72) through (79), (Schedule II)(B)(30), and (Schedule IV)(B)(57) and to repeal R.S. 40:964(Schedule V)(F), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to add certain substances to Schedules I, II, and IV; to repeal certain substances in Schedule V; to provide for technical changes by the Louisiana Law Institute; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 170—

BY SENATORS JOHNS, ALLAIN, HARRIS, HEWITT, MILLIGAN, PRICE, TARVER AND WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2161(C), 2161.1(A) and (C), 2165(A) and (B)(2) and (6), 2166(D), 2167(D), and Children's Code Art. 725.2(A)(1) and (B), to enact R.S. 36:4(J) and R.S. 46:2166(A)(18) and Part III of Chapter 28-B of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2169-2169.1, and to repeal R.S. 46:62, relative to human trafficking; to create the governor's office of human trafficking prevention; to provide for powers and duties; to provide for an

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executive director and other staff; to provide for budget oversight; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 174— BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.5(A)(1) and (4), and to enact R.S. 33:4574.5(A)(6) and (7), relative to the Alexandria/Pineville Area Convention and Visitors Bureau; to provide relative to the board of directors; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 174 by Senator Luneau

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, after "Parish" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period "."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 184— BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1098.5(C), 1098.6(B)(1)(a), 1098.7(23) and to enact R.S. 46:1098.3(H), relative to the St. Tammany Parish Hospital Service District No. 2; to provide for the appointment of members to the nominating committee for the board of commissioners; to provide relative to terms of the board of commissioners; to provide relative to meetings; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 184 by Senator Hewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S." delete the remainder of the line and insert "46:1098.5(B)(6) and (C), 1098.6(B)(1)(a), and 1098.7(21) and (23)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "46:1098.3(H)."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 9, after "R.S." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 10 and insert "46:1098.5(B)(6) and (C), 1098.6(B)(1)(a), and 1098.7(21) and (23) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 11 through 17 and on page 2, delete lines 1 and 2

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following: "B. The appointing authority shall be composed of seven members as follows:

* * *

(6) ~~Two appointees of the~~ The state senator and the state representative in whose district Slidell Memorial Hospital resides, or their designees."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

"(21) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, to annually appoint, if desired, a former member of the board to serve as a nonvoting "Commissioner Emeritus" to advise and provide historical perspective to the board when requested by the chairman. Such person shall be paid a per diem equal to that paid to other board members for attendance at the meeting together with reasonable expenses to attend any event attended by the board of commissioners. The "Commissioner Emeritus" may not serve longer than one year.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 193— BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2492(1)(b), 2496(1)(a), and 2556(1)(a), relative to entrance firefighter and police officer classes; to provide for testing notice requirements; to provide for provisional appointments; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 197— BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1925.13, relative to assessors; to provide relative to an automobile expense allowance; to provide relative to requirements and funding of such allowance; to require an affidavit verifying nonuse; and to provide for related matters.

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

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(6), and 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 1270.39, 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 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 revise the definition of "motor vehicle" relative to motor vehicle warranties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 210 by Senator Foil

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "R.S. 51:1941(6), and" and insert "R.S. 51:1941(3) and (6), 1943(A), and the introductory paragraph of 1944(A),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "through 1270.39," insert "and to repeal R.S. 51:1948(E),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 6, change "holding" to "who holds"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 8, after "manufacturer," and before "actively" delete "and" and insert "who is"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 1, after "regulations" insert comma ",."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 11, delete "Schedule" and insert "Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 32:1253(A)(3)(b), schedule"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 12, change "R.S. 32:1252(A)(3)(a)" to "R.S. 32:1253(A)(3)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 14, after "Part" insert "as authorized by R.S. 32:1260"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 28, delete "Paragraphs (1) and" and insert "Paragraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 6, line 5, change "Subsection (A)" to "Subsection A"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 6, delete lines 27 through 29 and on page 7, delete line 1

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 7, line 2, change "D." to "C."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 8, delete line 11 and insert:
"Section 2. R.S. 51:1941(3) and (6), 1943(A), and the introductory paragraph of 1944(A) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 8, between lines 14 and 15 insert:
"(3) "Dealer" means a person authorized by the manufacturer and actively engaged in the business of buying, selling, or exchanging new automobiles, new personal watercraft, or new all-terrain vehicles, ~~or new motor homes~~ at retail and who has an established place of business.
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AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 8, after line 27, insert:
"§1943. Express warranties; time limit to conform
A.(1) It shall be presumed that a reasonable number of attempts have been undertaken to conform a motor vehicle to the applicable express warranties if the vehicle is out of service by reason of repair for a cumulative total of forty-five or more calendar days or the same nonconformity has been subject to repair four or more times by the manufacturer, its agent, or its authorized dealer within the warranty term or during a period of one year following the date of the original delivery of the motor vehicle to the consumer, whichever is the earlier date.
(2)(a) ~~Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, in the case of a motor home, the consumer shall provide written notification to the manufacturer of any of the following:~~

(i) The need to repair the nonconformity;
(ii) Evidence of a cumulative total of at least ninety days of the motor home being out of service;
(iii) Evidence that the same nonconformity has been subject to repair four or more times by the manufacturer, its agent, or its authorized dealer within the warranty term or during a period of one year following the date of the original delivery of the motor vehicle to the consumer, whichever is the earlier date.
(b) Upon such notification, the manufacturer shall have a final attempt to repair the vehicle. The manufacturer shall have five business days upon receipt of such notification to respond to the consumer as to where the motor home may be delivered for repair. The repair facility shall be one which is authorized by the manufacturer to perform the necessary warranty work.
(c) Once delivered, the repair facility shall have ten business days within which to conform the vehicle to the applicable warranty. The time periods provided for in this Paragraph may only be extended if the consumer authorizes such extension in writing.
(3) If a manufacturer fails to respond to the consumer or to perform the repairs within the time periods described in Paragraphs (1) and (2) of this Subsection, such manufacturer shall be deemed to have waived his rights to a final attempt to cure the nonconformity.
* * *

§1944. Motor vehicle replacement or refund
A. If a nonconformity in a motor home has not been repaired within the time periods provided for in R.S. 32:1943(A)(2), or if after four or more attempts within the express warranty term or during a period of one year following the date of the original delivery to the consumer of a motor vehicle which is not a motor home, whichever is the earlier, the nonconformity has not been repaired or if the vehicle is out of service by reason of repair for a cumulative total of ninety forty-five or more calendar days during the warranty period, the manufacturer shall:
* * *

Section 3. R.S. 51:1948(E) is hereby repealed."

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

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.

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

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SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 223 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 10:9-109(c)(6)" delete comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "Subparts" delete comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 20, after "assignee" insert "; powers and duties of the corporation; expenditures; perfection of security interest on storm recovery property; limitations on bankruptcy"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 29, and on page 3, delete line 1 and on line 2, delete "recovery bonds." and insert "and R.S. 45:1316, the corporation may perform the functions and activities that assignees are authorized to do by this Part in financing storm recovery costs through storm recovery bonds, except the corporation shall not be an issuer of storm recovery bonds."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 29, after "issuers" insert "; additional powers and duties for the corporation; limitations; approval of storm recovery bonds by the State Bond Commission; financing order requirements"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 8, line 18, after "Subpart" insert ", and as used in this Subpart"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 9, line 29, change "authorize" to "require"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 11, line 10, after "authorized" insert "; powers and duties for the special public trust; expenditures; limitations of the special public trust; public records law; domicile; subject to legislative audit; liability protection for beneficiaries"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 11, line 17, after "trustee" insert "pursuant to R.S. 45:1338"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 15, line 13, after "consistent with" delete comma " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 15, line 14, after "set forth in" deleted the comma " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 15, line 20, after "trust" delete "that has as a beneficiary" and insert "whose beneficiary is"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 17, line 1, after "corporation" delete comma " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 17, line 2, after "bonds" delete comma " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 19, line 26, after "filing" delete comma " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 19, line 27, after "authority to file" delete comma " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 20, line 11, change "may" to "shall"

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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.

Floor Amendments

Senator Price proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Price to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 9 by Senator Price

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 2, between "or" and "a" insert "of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 21, after "by the" and before "Department" insert "Louisiana" and after "Health" delete "and Human" and on line 22, delete "Resources"

On motion of Senator Price, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 9 by Senator Price

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 10, following "shall be" and before "controlling" change "deemed" to "considered"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 12, following "shall be" change "deemed" to "considered"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 17, following "shall be" and before "controlling" change "deemed" to "considered"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 19, following "shall be" change "deemed" to "considered"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver White
Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 13—
BY SENATOR PRICE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1305.1, relative to the State Police Retirement System; to provide relative to the transfer of service credit from another Louisiana public retirement system, fund, or plan; to provide with respect to an upgrade of the accrual rate applicable to service credit transferred; to provide for determination and funding of the cost of the upgrade; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Peterson
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope
Boudreaux	Jackson	Price
Bouie	Johns	Reese
Carter	Lambert	Smith
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Tarver
Connick	Milligan	Ward
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

White
Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 18—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1311, relative to the State Police Retirement System; to provide for reemployment of retirees; to provide for implementation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Peterson
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope
Boudreaux	Jackson	Price
Bouie	Johns	Reese
Carter	Lambert	Smith
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Tarver
Connick	Milligan	Ward
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

White
Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 32—
BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 3:856, relative to the sampling and analysis of agricultural products; to repeal the exclusion of certain agricultural products authorized to be sampled and analyzed by the commissioner of agriculture; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

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Cloud	McMath	Ward
Connick	Milligan	Womack
Fesi	Mills, F.	
Fields	Mills, R.	

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Tarver	White
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Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATOR WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2856, relative to the identification of impounded animals; to require permanent identification of certain impounded animals; to provide for recordkeeping requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

McMath	White
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Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 62—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 4566(K), relative to the management of affairs of an interdict; to provide for the establishment and maintenance of deposit accounts; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

White
Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 120—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1883(D), relative to certain marshals of city courts; to provide for the salary of the marshal of the city court of Lafayette; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 120 by Senator Boudreaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, following "of this" and before ", except" change "section" to "**Section**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, following "**paid**" and before "**the**" insert "**to**"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Peterson
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope
Boudreaux	Jackson	Price

Bouie	Johns	Reese
Carter	Lambert	Smith
Cathy	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Tarver
Connick	Milligan	Ward
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	

Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

White

Total - 1

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

Rules Suspended

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

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.

On motion of Senator Allain, Senate Bill No. 159 was made Special Order of the Day No. 1 on Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

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.

On motion of Senator Allain, Senate Bill No. 160 was made Special Order of the Day No. 2 on Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

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 thirty days; to provide for exceptions, limitations, and requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Allain, Senate Bill No. 157 was made Special Order of the Day No. 3 on Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

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.

On motion of Senator Allain, Senate Bill No. 161 was made Special Order of the Day No. 4 on Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

SENATE BILL NO. 171—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:88.2 and R.S. 47:633(7)(c)(iv)(cc), relative to an exemption from severance tax on oil production from certain orphaned wells; to provide for payments into site-specific trust accounts in an amount equal to the severance tax that would otherwise be due; to provide for reimbursement of certain oilfield site restoration costs; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Allain, Senate Bill No. 171 was made Special Order of the Day No. 5 on Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs

ENROLLMENTS

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

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mr. William Brent Lumpkin.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Dr. David Buttross Jr., a distinguished gentleman, devout Christian, educator, Army Veteran, and well-known internist and cardiologist.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mr. Richard Don Clements Jr.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Clifford Lee "Cliff" Newman, veteran of the United States Air Force, attorney, former state senator, and devoted father, grandfather, and great-grandfather.

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATORS PEACOCK AND ROBERT MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE PRESSLY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. R. Pat Day, senior pastor, of First United Methodist Church in Shreveport, Louisiana, upon his retirement after twenty-seven years of faithful service and inspiring leadership.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Deacon James "Chris" Gregory, devoted husband, father, grandfather, godfather, and devout servant of God, who faithfully served his community for over thirty years.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—
BY SENATORS MILLIGAN AND PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY AND SEABAUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Calvary Baptist Academy Cavaliers on winning the 2020 Division IV state football championship.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mr. Colton Sanders, owner of CNC Oilfield Services, for his leadership and the selfless service of Mr. Sanders and his employees in rendering aid and assistance during the devastating winter storm of February 2021.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—
BY SENATORS MILLIGAN AND PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Captain Shreve High School girls basketball team on their recent recognition for winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association Class 5A, District I state championship.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—
BY SENATORS PEACOCK, MILLIGAN AND ROBERT MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Calvary Baptist Academy's Lady Cavalier powerlifting team on their 2021 Louisiana High School Athletic Association (LHSAA) Division V state powerlifting championship.

Respectfully submitted,
SHARON W. HEWITT
Chairwoman

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

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 19, 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 Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON, ECHOLS, GADBERRY, JEFFERSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCFARLAND, MOORE, RISER, AND TURNER AND SENATORS ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CORTEZ, FESI,

FOIL, HARRIS, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, PETERSON, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD, WHITE, AND WOMACK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of Louisiana congressman-elect Luke Letlow.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO AND SENATOR ABRAHAM

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Jefferson Davis Parish district attorney, Michael Cassidy, on the occasion of his retirement.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO AND SENATOR ABRAHAM

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Welsh Mayor Carolyn Louviere on the occasion of her retirement.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JAMES, CARPENTER, BRASS, BRYANT, GARY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, COX, DUPLESSIS, GAINES, GLOVER, GREEN, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JONES, JORDAN, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, DUSTIN MILLER, MOORE, NEWELL, PHELPS, PIERRE, SELDERS, AND WILLARD AND SENATORS BARROW, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, FIELDS, HARRIS, JACKSON, PEACOCK, PETERSON, PRICE, AND TARVER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the National Association of Real Estate Brokers and to recognize April 11-17, 2021, as Realist Week at the state capitol.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO AND SENATORS ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CORTEZ, FESI, FOIL, HARRIS, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, PETERSON, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD, WHITE, AND WOMACK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana on the death of Marion "Butch" Fox.

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

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

PRESENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Present status, Absent status. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Fields, Mizell, Morris, Peacock, Peterson, Pope, Price, Reese, Smith, Talbot, Tarver, Ward, Womack.

ABSENT

White
Total - 1

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

White 1 Day

Announcements

The following committee meetings for April 20, 2021, were announced:

Commerce	10:00 A.M.	Room E
Health and Welfare	10:00 A.M.	Hainkel Room
Insurance	10:00 A.M.	Room A
Senate and Gov't Affairs	10:00 A.M.	Room F

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 5:40 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, April 20, 2021, at 3:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk

