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TWENTY-SIXTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

**Forty-eighth Regular Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

The Senate was called to order at 1:10 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	Connick	Peacock
Abraham	Fesi	Pope
Barrow	Hensgens	Price
Bernard	McMath	Stine
Bouie	Mills, F.	Ward
Cathey	Mills, R.	White
Cloud	Mizell	Womack
Total - 21		

ABSENT

Allain	Henry	Morris
Boudreaux	Hewitt	Reese
Carter	Jackson	Smith
Fields	Lambert	Talbot
Foil	Luneau	Tarver
Harris	Milligan	
Total - 17		

The President of the Senate announced there were 21 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Rick Ward, 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 Fred Mills, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 2, 2022, was adopted.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 104—
BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study and report on the desirability and feasibility of extending eligibility for the use of a pooled trust to Medicaid enrollees over the age of sixty-five.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 105—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Charles and Gladys Wallace of Baton Rouge as they celebrate fifty years of marriage.

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

**Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 99—

BY SENATOR TALBOT

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Commissioner of Insurance to study the issue of notice of cancellation or nonrenewal of a property insurance policy that provides coverage for property damaged by a named storm or windstorm.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 103—

BY SENATOR BERNARD

A RESOLUTION

To designate the week of May 9-15, 2022, as Police Week in the state of Louisiana and to commend the service of law enforcement officers.

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

Message from the House

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

May 3, 2022

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. 5	HB No. 18	HB No. 20
HB No. 93	HB No. 155	HB No. 238
HB No. 239	HB No. 348	HB No. 375
HB No. 467	HB No. 563	HB No. 653
HB No. 713	HB No. 698	

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions
on First Reading**

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:783(F)(11), relative to group insurance expenses of the clerk of court's office; to provide for the payment of group insurance premiums for certain retirees of the Ascension Parish Clerk of Court; and to provide for related matters.

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

May 3, 2022

HOUSE BILL NO. 18—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2220(J)(1) and enact R.S. 11:2220(J)(4), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to reemployment of retirees in the system; to provide for the payment of retirement benefits during reemployment; to provide for compensation and contributions during reemployment; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 20—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ILLG
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1631(F)(2) and 1651(B)(introductory paragraph) and (3) and (D), relative to the District Attorneys' Retirement System; to provide for reemployment of retirees; to provide for benefits of reemployed retirees; to provide for membership on the board of trustees and their per diem; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 93—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRIEMAN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1310.5.1, relative to workers' compensation; to provide for continuances in mediations, hearings, and trials; to require the granting of continuances under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 155—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FISHER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:2238.9, relative to property adjudicated to the city of Monroe; to provide relative to the city's authority and procedures relating to the acquisition and disposition of such property; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 238—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2 of Act No. 569 of the 1976 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, as amended and reenacted by Act No. 622 of the 1980 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature and Act 462 of the 1989 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, relative to Special Education District No. 1 of the parish of Lafourche; to provide relative to the membership of the district's board of commissioners; to provide for the method of appointment; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 239—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRIEMAN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1310.5.1, relative to workers' compensation; to provide for motions to stay; to require the granting of a motion to stay under certain circumstances; to require status conferences; to prohibit dismissal on the grounds of abandonment; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 348—

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4564.8, relative to recreation districts in St. Mary Parish; to increase the per diem paid to the boards of commissioners of such districts; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 375—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:385.1(B), relative to municipal officers; to provide relative to the office of chief of police of a village; to provide relative to qualifications; 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. 467—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRIEMAN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1232(8), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for allocation of payments to dependents of a decedent; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 563—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:154 and 172(A)(1)(a) and (D), relative to the parish of Ascension; to provide relative to municipal annexations; to require municipal governing authorities to notify the parish governing authority prior to annexing property; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 653—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(w), relative to court costs in the Family Court of East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for transcription fees; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 698—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1046(C)(2)(introductory paragraph) and (H)(8)(a)(introductory paragraph), (i), (iii), and (b) and to enact R.S. 40:1046(C)(2)(m) and (H)(8)(c) and (d), relative to marijuana produced for therapeutic use; to provide for regulation by the Louisiana Department of Health of various aspects of production of marijuana for therapeutic use; to authorize the Louisiana Department of Health to charge and collect fees from contractors and other persons involved with therapeutic marijuana production; to authorize the department to charge and collect fees to fund expenses associated with regulation and control of therapeutic marijuana; to provide for remittance to the Louisiana Department of Revenue of the

proceeds of certain fees; 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. 713—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4161.1, relative to stormwater utility systems; to authorize political subdivisions to create stormwater utility systems and adopt utility fees relative to stormwater management systems; to provide relative to definitions; 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**

May 3, 2022

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:

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| HCR No. 20 | HCR No. 41 | HCR No. 69 |
| HCR No. 35 | HCR No. 66 | |

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions
on First Reading**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to invest future supplemental funding in the communities of Lafitte, Barataria, and Crown Point located in Jefferson Parish aiding in flood protection and preventing future losses and damages.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, ADAMS, CREWS, ECHOLS, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCMAHEN, DUSTIN MILLER, ROBERT OWEN, SELDERS, STAGNI, AND TURNER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request a joint study effort by the Department of Children and Family Services, the Louisiana Department of Health, the Louisiana Department of Education, the Louisiana Housing Corporation, and the Louisiana Workforce Commission to examine the phenomena known as "benefits cliffs" and their effect on beneficiaries of public assistance programs and to submit recommendations to the legislature concerning means by which these disincentives for work can be eliminated.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to direct the printer of the Constitution of Louisiana to add a validity note following Article IX, Section 9 of the Constitution of Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66—
BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and acknowledge the 2-8-2 Mikado steam locomotive as the official state steam locomotive.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRASS, CORMIER, EDMONSTON, FIRMENT, FREIBERG, GADBERRY, HORTON, LARVADAIN, MARINO, PIERRE, SCHAMERHORN, AND SELDERS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the state Department of Education, the Louisiana Community and Technical College System, and the Louisiana Workforce Commission to collaborate to establish an industry-based credential offered through dual enrollment for the classroom instruction portion of commercial driver's license training.

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Second Reading**

HOUSE BILL NO. 483—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRAVIS JOHNSON, GAROFALO, AND MIGUEZ
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.3(C)(6) and (10), relative to concealed handguns; to provide relative to concealed handgun permits; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 505—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1131(introductory paragraph), 1133.2(A)(1) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 1133.4(A)(4), 1133.5(2), 1133.8(D) and (E), 1133.10(introductory paragraph), and 1203.1(introductory paragraph) and (5) and to enact R.S. 40:1131(24), 1133.2(B)(5), 1133.5(11) and (12), 1133.10(9), 1133.17, 1133.18, and 1135.1(A)(2)(e), relative to emergency medical services; to define the term certified ambulance operator for purposes of laws pertaining to emergency medical personnel; to require that certified ambulance operators receive certification from the bureau of emergency medical services of the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide conditions, procedures, and standards relative to certification of ambulance operators; to provide for fees for such certification; to provide for duties of certified ambulance operators and to establish grounds for disciplinary action against such personnel; to include certified ambulance operators within laws requiring criminal history checks on certain nonlicensed persons who provide health-related services and prohibiting hiring of such persons who have been convicted of certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 546—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MINCEY, BRASS, HARRIS, JEFFERSON, CHARLES OWEN, SCHLEGEL, ST. BLANC, AND TARVER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(6)(b)(i)(aa) and to repeal R.S. 17:7.1(A)(7), relative to teacher preparation and certification; to revise requirements for entry into a teacher preparation program; to revise requirements for initial certification of school teachers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 642—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1121(I), relative to post service restrictions; to provide an exemption to allow certain transactions for district offices for public defender services subject to certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 686—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MINCEY, BACALA, BOURRIQUE, BUTLER, CARRIER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, DEVILLIER, FISHER, GEYMAN, KERNER, LANDRY, ORGERON, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHEXNAYDER, ST. BLANC, AND WHEAT AND SENATOR WHITE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3302, 3303(A), (B), (C), and (D), 3305(Section heading), 3306(A) and (C), 3307(C), and 3309 and to enact R.S. 38:3301(C), 3303(E) and (F), 3304(C)(3), 3306(G), (H), (I), and (J), and 3307(E), relative to management of the Amite River Basin; to provide for the board of commissioners; to provide for appointment and terms of commissioners; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to provide for contact authority; to provide for posting requirements; to provide for technical assistance from the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority; to provide for taxing authority; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 827—
BY REPRESENTATIVES GADBERRY, AMEDEE, CARRIER, DESHOTEL, GAINES, HODGES, HORTON, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, LARVADAIN, LYONS, CHARLES OWEN, SELDERS, AND STAGNI
AN ACT

To enact Part VIII of Chapter 5-A of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1091, relative to health services for children; to provide relative to screening of children for autism spectrum disorder; to require such screening in certain instances; to provide for exceptions to the screening requirement; to provide a limitation of liability; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 888—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FREIBERG, BRASS, JEFFERSON, CHARLES OWEN, PHELPS, SCHLEGEL, ST. BLANC, AND TARVER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3138.4, relative to postsecondary education; to require the Board of Regents to establish a process for designating an institution as a "Hunger-Free Campus"; to require the Board of Regents to establish a related grant program; to provide for eligibility criteria for institutions; to provide for an

effective date; to provide relative to reporting; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 921—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:437.2(A)(2), (B), (C)(3), and (D) and to enact R.S. 17:407.22.1 and 437.2(A)(3) and (E), relative to adverse childhood experience in early childhood education; to provide for definitions; to provide for responsibilities of the state Department of Education; to require the creation of pilot programs; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 940—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3991(B)(1)(a)(i), relative to required student population characteristics at charter schools; to provide relative to the number of economically disadvantaged students and students with exceptionalities a charter school is required to enroll; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 963—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:276.1 and 3996(B)(67), relative to required instruction in public schools; to require instruction in water safety for public school students; to provide relative to materials used for such instruction; to require public school governing authorities to adopt policies to implement such instruction; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 977—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:47(A)(1), 500(B)(1), 1201(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (2), and 1206(A)(1), relative to sick leave for teachers, school employees, and school bus operators; to allow the use of sick leave for special circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a task force to study the voting rights of persons with disabilities and the procedures available to assist voters with disabilities to cast their votes and to report its findings to the Legislature of Louisiana prior to February 1, 2023.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON, BUTLER, DESHOTEL,
FIRMONT, HARRIS, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, CHARLES OWEN,
RISER, AND SCHAMERHORN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as
are necessary to reject the recommendation to close the
Alexandria Veterans Affairs Medical Center located in Pineville,
Louisiana, as recommended by the United States Department of
Veterans Affairs' report to the Asset and Infrastructure Review
Commission.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BUTLER AND ECHOLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study
barriers to hiring of direct support professionals who provide
Medicaid-covered services to people with disabilities and to
report findings of the study to the legislative committees on
health and welfare and the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCFARLAND, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA,
BAGLEY, BISHOP, BOURRIAQUE, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, BUTLER,
CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, CREWS, DAVIS, DUBUISSON, DUPLESSIS,
ECHOLS, EDMONDS, FARNUM, FIRMONT, FISHER, FREEMAN,
GADBERRY, HARRIS, HILFERTY, HORTON, ILLG, JENKINS, MIKE
JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, KERNER, LACOMBE, LYONS, MACK,
MARCELLE, MARINO, MCCORMICK, MCMAHEN, DUSTIN MILLER,
MINCEY, NEWELL, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN,
PIERRE, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHEXNAYDER, SELDERS,
ST. BLANC, STAGNI, TARVER, THOMPSON, TURNER, VILLIO, WHEAT,
AND WHITE AND SENATOR ALLAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Legislature of Louisiana to support the
"Greaux the Good" farmers market match program.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

JUDICIARY A

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

May 3, 2022

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COUSSAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and
make specific recommendations for revisions to Louisiana laws
in order for the legislature to adopt the Uniform Collaborative
Law Act.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 58—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4566(D),
relative to management of affairs of the interdict; to provide
relative to individuals with permanent disabilities; to provide for
irrevocable trusts; to provide for termination; and to provide for
related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 60—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ZERINGUE AND HUGHES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1595(C), relative to Orleans Parish
Juvenile Court; to abolish specific judgeships upon vacancy in
the Orleans Parish Juvenile Court; and to provide for related
matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 164—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRESSLY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:850(A), relative to electronic filing
and recording; to provide relative to electronic filing received at
certain times; to provide for the acceptance at time of receipt;
and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 172—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2061, relative to revocable trusts; to
provide for the duties of the trustee to the settlor; and to provide
for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 184—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 154(B) and
4862 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 158(C),
relative to the recusal of judges; to provide for time limitations;
to provide for the denial of motions to recuse; and to provide for
related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 225—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
AN ACT

To repeal Civil Code Articles 897 and 898, relative to successions; to
repeal the ascendant's right to inherit immovables donated to a
descendant; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 309—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3434(C)(1),
relative to the delivery of property subject to a small succession;
to provide for recordation of a death certificate; and to provide
for related matters.

Reported favorably.

May 3, 2022

HOUSE BILL NO. 842—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAHEN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2800.28, relative to liability; to provide relative to veterinary professionals; to provide relative to animal abuse and reporting; to provide for immunity from civil liability or criminal prosecution; to provide relative to the release of confidential information; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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:

May 3, 2022

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 6—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5554.8, relative to the payment of group insurance premiums for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs in Ouachita Parish; to create a permanent fund; to require the depositing of certain monies into the fund; to provide for investment of monies in the fund; to authorize the withdrawal of earnings; to provide for limitations on appropriations from the fund; to provide for audits of the fund; to provide for the membership and election on the investment advisory board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 10—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5554(J), relative to the Winn Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for insurance premium payments for sheriff and deputy sheriff retirees; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 15—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:3049(B)(1)(e)(viii) and R.S. 15:255(X), relative to costs of court; to authorize the transfer of surplus monies in the Forty-Second Judicial District; to provide for the transfer procedures of funds; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 105—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIAQUE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5554.8, relative to the payment of group insurance premiums for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs in Cameron Parish; to create a permanent fund; to require the depositing of certain monies into the fund; to provide for investment of monies in the fund; to authorize the withdrawal of earnings; to provide for limitations on appropriations from the fund; to

provide for audits of the fund; to provide for the membership and election on the investment advisory board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 111—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5554(S)(1)(intro para) and (2), relative to the Franklin Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for insurance premium payments for sheriff and deputy sheriff retirees; to provide for life insurance; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 138—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WHEAT
AN ACT

To provide relative to Act No. 403 of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to tobacco products; to provide for the naming of a previous Act of the legislature; to provide for the naming of a certain Act addressing the use of tobacco products by minors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
GARY L. SMITH JR.
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

JUDICIARY C

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

May 3, 2022

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 134—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:67.3(C), relative to the crime of false statements and false or altered documents; to provide relative to the payment of restitution for the crime; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 162—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 983(H) and (I), to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 983(J) and (K), and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 983(F)(4), relative to expungement of records; to provide relative to the fees for expungement of a record; to provide for exemptions of fees in certain expungement cases; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 200—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 833(B), relative to the presence of the defendant; to provide relative to the presence of the defendant in misdemeanor prosecutions; to require the court to allow a plea of not guilty by the filing of a sworn affidavit in advance of the scheduled arraignment date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 247—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Title XXII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the heading of Chapter 1 of Title XXII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 671 through 676, 678, and 679, the heading of Chapter 3 of Title XXII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 684, and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 677, relative to the recusal of judges; to provide for the grounds for recusal; to provide for recusal on the motion of the court; to provide for authority of judges; to provide for the procedure for recusal; to provide for the selection of a judge to try the motion to recuse; to provide for the selection of a judge after recusal; to provide for the recusal of an ad hoc judge, appellate judge, and supreme court justice; to provide for review of recusal rulings; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 322—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:56(C), relative to offenses against property; to provide relative to damage to multiple properties; to provide relative to the aggregate amount of damages; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 378—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:964(Schedule II)(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(A)(80) through (99), (C)(66), (E)(12), and (F)(29), and (Schedule IV)(D)(15), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to add certain substances to Schedules I and IV; to provide relative to substances of vegetable origin or chemical synthesis in Schedule II; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 443—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact 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; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1059— (Substitute for House Bill No. 500 by Representative Bacala)
BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 313(E), relative to bail; to provide relative to a contradictory bail hearing prior to setting bail; to require a contradictory bail hearing prior to setting bail for certain persons; to require the court to order a contradictory hearing to be held within a certain period of time; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANKLIN J. FOIL
Chairman

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SENATE BILL NO. 76—
BY SENATOR FIELDS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351(A)(5)(a) and to enact R.S. 17:3351.1(D), 3351.3(E), 3351.7(E), 3351.8(E), 3351.9(D), 3351.10(D), 3351.12(D), 3351.18(D), 3351.19(E), 3351.20(G), and 3351.21, relative to fees charged to students at public postsecondary education institutions; to exempt certain graduate students from the payment of such fees; to require each public postsecondary education management board to adopt a policy providing for such exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs. The bill was read by title and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 124—
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:221(E), relative to school attendance; to provide relative to reporting and recording attendance of certain students by the Louisiana Department of Education; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Original Senate Bill No. 124 by Senator Abraham

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 13, after "shall report" insert "the legal name, date of birth, physical address, and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete line 15, and insert "school term as provided in R.S. ~~17:232(C).~~"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 16, change "student" to "child enrolled in an approved home study program and each child"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, delete lines 1-7, and insert the following:
"(i) Immediately upon receipt of a report of attendance or upon receipt of an application for a home study program pursuant to R.S. 17:236.1(A), provide notification to the city, parish or other local public school system in which the child was most recently enrolled, and if different, the public school system which the child's home address is located. The notification shall"

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include the child's legal name, date of birth, and physical address. "Immediately" as used in this Item and R.S. 17:236.1(A), shall mean within thirty days of the receipt of a report of attendance or an application."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 8, change "student" to "child"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line, 9, change "student" to "child"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, at the beginning of line 10, change "student" to "child"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 10, before "subsequently" change "student" to "child"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, delete lines 16-18, and insert the following:
"(3) No city, parish, or other local public school system shall be responsible for ensuring the school attendance of any child whose parent has applied for an approved home study program or has reported the attendance of the child to the department pursuant to Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, even if such application or report of attendance is not resubmitted each year, unless and until the parent subsequently enrolls the child in a public school under the authority of the public school system."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 203—
BY SENATOR HEWITT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:236(A) and to enact Chapter 43-C of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4037.1 through 4037.8, relative to elementary and secondary education; to create and provide for the administration of a program to provide state funding for the education of students who are below grade level in reading and not enrolled in public school; to provide for responsibilities; to provide definitions; to provide relative to program funds; to provide relative to the eligibility of students, schools, and service providers; to require annual testing of participating students; to require certain annual reports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance. The bill was read by title and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 256—
BY SENATOR BARROW
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:223 and 416(A)(3)(b) and to repeal R.S. 17:223.1, relative to the discipline of students; to require an assessment of a student prior to suspension; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Original Senate Bill No. 256 by Senator Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 14, after "student," insert "for a period of greater than three days."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 1, change "shall be used" to "shall be considered"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 424—
BY SENATOR STINE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 34:851.36(B)(3), relative to vessels; to provide for the operation of motorboats; to provide for boating safety classes; to provide for exceptions; to provide for boat liveries; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Natural Resources to Original Senate Bill No. 424 by Senator Stine

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 11, after "person" insert "who is"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 14, after "specifies" delete the remainder of the line and insert:"the following:
(i) The operator has been instructed in"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, between lines 16 and 17, insert:
"(ii) The operator receives the latest publication from the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries that informs residents and nonresidents as to rules, regulations, and safety pertaining to recreational boating."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 465—
BY SENATOR CONNICK
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.1(C)(2)(c), (3)(a), (b), and (c), and (4)(a), relative to flood protection authorities; to provide for vacancies on a flood protection authority board; to provide for nominating committees; to provide for the custodian of records; to provide for notifications; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original Senate Bill No. 465 by Senator Connick

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 19, insert "chair of the nominating committee and" before "regional directors"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 4, line 15, insert "chair of the nominating committee and" before "regional directors"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 467—

BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:385, relative to passenger rail service connecting the parishes of East Baton Rouge, St. John the Baptist, Ascension, Jefferson, and Orleans; to direct the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development to initiate the necessary engineering, financial and other studies to begin passenger rail service between Baton Rouge and New Orleans; to pursue the federal funds provided for in the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original Senate Bill No. 467 by Senator Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 17, delete "**and Gonzales**" and insert "**Gonzales, and the Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport**"

On page 2, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"(4) Passenger rail service along the Interstate 20 corridor between Marshall, Texas and Meridian, Mississippi through north Louisiana is supported by current federal policy and the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021, which provides billions of dollars for passenger rail improvements and service nationwide.

"(5) Passenger rail services along the Interstate 20 corridor between Marshall, Texas and Meridian, Mississippi through north Louisiana with key stops in Monroe, Ruston, Delhi, and Shreveport-Bossier City.

"(6) The Northwest Louisiana Council of Governments commissioned the North Louisiana Passenger Rail Feasibility Study to assess the potential of initiating a startup passenger rail service, primarily including the locations directly served by the proposed rail service, found strong support from the input of local, regional, and state stakeholders and the public to implement passenger rail service."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

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

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 19, change "**(5)**" to "**(8)**"

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 165—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ZERINGUE AND ORGERON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:127(E) and 209(4)(a)(introductory paragraph) and R.S. 41:1733(D), relative to wind energy; to establish a maximum acreage for wind leases; to provide for operating agreements relative to the production of wind energy; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 230—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BISHOP, BEAULLIEU, AND BRYANT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2461, relative to the Louisiana Quality Jobs Program; to extend the deadline for submission of advance notifications for receipt of rebates in the Louisiana Quality Jobs Program; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 276—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BISHOP, AMEDEE, BRYANT, CARRIER,

DEVILLIER, EMERSON, FISHER, JORDAN, LARVADAIN, MAGEE,

CHARLES OWEN, SELDERS, AND ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:1363(introductory paragraph), (1), and (14), relative to franchise fees associated with video services; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 276 by Representative Bishop

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 6, after "(a)" delete "A" and insert "Video programming provided by a"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 762—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:610(B)(13), R.S. 56:10(B)(17), and Part VI of Chapter 8 of Title 56 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 56:1931 through 1936, relative to the Louisiana Outdoors Forever Program; to create the Louisiana Outdoors Forever Program and the Louisiana Outdoors Forever Fund; to provide for executive branch organization; to create a project selection board and a technical advisory board; to provide for board membership and duties; to provide for program eligibility and applications; to provide for administrative rules; to provide for program termination; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Natural Resources to Reengrossed House Bill No. 762 by Representative Zeringue

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 10, after "Fund a" insert: "special account known as the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 16, after "A.(1)" delete the remainder of the line and insert: "State agencies, political subdivisions of the state, including local"

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6— BY SENATOR CATHEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION To create and provide for the Task Force on Tenure in Public Postsecondary Education.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 by Senator Cathey

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 2, line 25, change "Two" to "Three"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 2, line 26, change "Two" to "Three"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 3, delete lines 1 and 2, and insert the following: "(9) A faculty representative from each public postsecondary education management board, selected by the presidents of the faculty senates of each management boards' member institutions."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi.

Total - 30

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent. Lists names like Barrow, Carter, Foil, Henry, Jackson, Lambert, Morris, Womack.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the Related Services Advisory Commission, within the Department of Education, to study the level of supports statewide for students with special needs and exceptionalities through an examination of the ratio of service providers to students and the impact on service implementation.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 31 by Senator Jackson

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 2, before "Department" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 2, line 3, before "Department" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 2, line 9, before "director" insert "executive"

AMENDMENT NO. 4 On page 3, line 4, before "state" remove "Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 5 On page 3, line 7, before "state" remove "Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 6 On page 3, line 15, before "Department" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 7 On page 3, line 20, after "shall" delete the remainder of the line and line 21 and insert ":",

AMENDMENT NO. 8 On page 4, at the beginning of line 11, delete "Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 9 On page 4, at the end of line 13, delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 10 On page 4, at the end of line 14, after "Workers" insert the following: ", the Louisiana Behavior Analysis Association, the Louisiana Association of Special Education Administrators, and the Louisiana Occupational Therapy Association"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Harris, Hensgens, Hewitt, Jackson, Lambert, Luneau, McMath, Milligan, Mills, F., Morris, Womack, Pope, Price, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot, Tarver, Ward, White.

Fesi
Fields
Total - 34

Mizell
Peacock

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter
Foil
Total - 4

Henry
Morris

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state superintendent of education to create the Teachers' Advisory Council.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Milligan 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
Cathy
Cloud
Connick
Fesi
Fields
Total - 34

Harris
Hensgens
Hewitt
Jackson
Lambert
Luneau
McMath
Milligan
Mills, F.
Mills, R.
Mizell
Peacock

Pope
Price
Reese
Smith
Stine
Talbot
Tarver
Ward
White
Womack

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter
Foil
Total - 4

Henry
Morris

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request each city, parish, and other local school board to create a Teachers' Advisory Council.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Milligan 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
Cathy
Cloud
Connick
Fesi
Fields
Total - 34

Harris
Hensgens
Hewitt
Jackson
Lambert
Luneau
McMath
Milligan
Mills, F.
Mills, R.
Mizell
Peacock

Pope
Price
Reese
Smith
Stine
Talbot
Tarver
Ward
White
Womack

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carter
Foil
Total - 4

Henry
Morris

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

Bagneris Rule

Senator Pope moved to invoke the rule to temporarily pass over controversial Senate Bills on Third Reading and Final Passage with the intention of taking them up later, in their regular order.

Without objection, so ordered.

Senator Mizell in the Chair

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on
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SENATE BILL NO. 426—

BY SENATORS MCMATH, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CATHEY, CLOUD, FESI, FIELDS, HARRIS, HEWITT, JACKSON, LUNEAU, MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, PRICE, SMITH, STINE, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To enact Subpart K of Part VIII of Chapter 1 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:470.1 through 470.6, relative to a property right of identity; to provide for definitions; to provide for prohibitions; to provide for termination of the right of identity; to provide for protection from misappropriation; to provide for a cause of action; to provide for a prescriptive period; to provide for remedies; to provide for penalties; to provide for exceptions; to provide for applicability; 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. 426 by Senator McMath

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 12, following "specifically" and before "a" delete "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 10, following "of" and before "and" delete "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, line 16, change "United States Constitution" to "Constitution of the United States of America" and change "Louisiana Constitution" to "Constitution of Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, line 22, change "U.S." to "United States"

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

Floor Amendments

Senator McMath proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator McMath to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 426 by Senator McMath

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 28, after "Subpart, if the" delete "living or deceased"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, line 12, after "dramatic work" delete "only" and after "intended to create, and" change "that does create" to "creates"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 27, after "E." insert "(1)" and change "remedies that may be available under the" to "remedy authorized by law."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, at the beginning of line 28, delete "laws of this state,"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 29, after "liable for" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, delete line 1

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, line 2, change "(2) The" to "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"(2) A court of competent jurisdiction may grant the plaintiff, in a proceeding under this Section, a temporary restraining order or an order for injunctive relief."

On motion of Senator McMath, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abraham	Henry	Pope
Allain	Hensgens	Price
Barrow	Hewitt	Reese
Bernard	Jackson	Smith
Boudreaux	Lambert	Stine

Bouie	Luneau	Talbot
Cathey	McMath	Tarver
Cloud	Milligan	Ward
Connick	Mills, F.	White
Fesi	Mills, R.	Womack
Fields	Mizell	
Harris	Peacock	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President

Foil

Carter

Morris

Total - 4

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

SENATE BILL NO. 437—

BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVES MCFARLAND AND SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To enact Part IV-A of Chapter 28 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:4345.1 through 3:4345.16, relative to forestry and agriculture; to authorize the creation of the timber and agriculture transportation group self-insurance fund; to provide with respect to group self-insurance funds; to provide for requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to the qualifications for membership; to provide for regulatory authority; to provide for excess or reinsurance insurance; to provide for the management of assets and investments; to provide for liabilities and the payment of claims; to provide for audits, examinations, and investigations; to provide for licensed insurance producers; to provide for insolvencies; to provide for civil actions for enforcement; to provide for reporting; to provide penalties for noncompliance; to provide for due process rights; to provide for dissolution; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Robert Mills proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Robert Mills to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 437 by Senator Robert Mills

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Floor Bureau Note Amendment No. 2 (#2580) proposed by Senator Robert Mills and adopted by the Senate on April 28, 2022.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6, line 7, after "reserve account" delete "fund"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 18, line 15, after "accordance with" delete the rest of the line and insert "R.S. 22:2191."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 18, delete lines 16 through 21

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President	McMath
Foil	Morris
Total - 4	

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

SENATE BILL NO. 439—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1271(A) and the introductory paragraph of 1285(A) and to enact R.S. 22:1021.1 and Part I-D of Chapter 15 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1310.11 through 1310.15, relative to bridge year graduate physicians; to provide for the certification of bridge year graduate physicians; to provide for collaborative practice agreements; to provide for the powers and duties of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for insurance reimbursement claims by bridge year graduate physicians; 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. 439 by Senator Peacock

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 2, following "**completed**" and before "**training**" insert "**the**"

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

Floor Amendments

Senator Peacock proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Peacock to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 439 by Senator Peacock

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 25, change "**R.S. 37:1310.15**" to "**R.S. 37:1310.11(C)**"

On motion of Senator Peacock, the amendments were adopted.

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

Bagneris Rule

Senator Pope moved to invoke the rule to temporarily pass over controversial House Concurrent Resolutions reported by committee with the intention of taking them up later, in their regular order.

Without objection, so ordered.

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on Second Reading
Reported by Committees**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—
BY REPRESENTATIVES COUSSAN, BOURRIQUE, CARRIER, KERNER,
MINCEY, ORGERON, RISER, AND ROMERO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the president of the United States to consider the current geopolitical tensions and support policies and take measures to ensure America's long-term energy affordability, security, leadership, and progress, including actions that result in the continued operation of existing oil and natural gas pipelines, the construction of new oil and gas pipelines, and an end to restrictions on developing our nation's onshore and offshore oil and natural gas resources.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President	McMath
Jackson	Morris
Total - 4	

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

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Bagneris Rule

Senator Pope 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.

Without objection, so ordered.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

HOUSE BILL NO. 120—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(1) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(e), relative to the Department of Economic Development, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Economic Development and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President Morris
Total - 2

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 121—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(1) and to repeal 49:191(10)(h), relative to the Department of Public Service, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Public Service and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President Morris
Total - 2

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 169—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:711.12(D)(2), relative to geoscientists; to provide an exemption for geoscientific work performed by an officer or employee of the state; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President Luneau Morris
Total - 3

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 198—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:941(A)(5), relative to group life insurance; to authorize discretionary group life insurance; to require out-of-state policies to meet in-state standards; to prescribe certain payment requirements; to authorize exclusions and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Mills, R.	Morris
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Total - 3

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 210—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:231, 232.1(B), 232.2(B), 232.3(B) and (D), 232.4(B), 232.7, 232.8, 236(10) and (20), 236.4(A), 237.2(10) and (20), 237.6(A), 252(C)(4), 524(2), 528(1), 553, 1564(B)(3), 1622(4)(b)(iii), 1625(J), 1722(10)(c), 1726(B), 1728(6), and 1729(F), relative to certain provisions affecting the Insurance Holding Company System Regulatory Law; to make corrective changes to certain internal citation references; to provide for technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abraham	Foil	Mizell
Allain	Harris	Peacock
Barrow	Henry	Pope
Bernard	Hensgens	Price
Boudreaux	Hewitt	Reese
Bouie	Jackson	Smith
Carter	Lambert	Stine
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Morris
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Total - 2

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 331—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(1) and (2), relative to tax administration; to provide for the timing for scaling and measuring of trees, timber, and pulpwood for severance tax purposes; to provide an effective date; 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

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

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President	Carter	Morris
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Total - 3

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. 397—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2531(C)(4) and 2532(Section heading) and (A)(5), R.S. 32:412(A)(1), (2), (5), and (6), and (B)(1), (2), and (7)(e)(i)(cc) and (ee) and (ii)(cc) and (ee), R.S. 47:463.43(Section heading), (A), and (D), and R.S. 56:10(B)(15), to enact R.S. 56:10(B)(17), and to repeal R.S. 30:2532(B), relative to funding for environmental education and litter abatement; to separate the litter abatement and education account into an account for litter abatement and an account for environmental education; to redirect existing fines, fees, and

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donations dedicated for these purposes into the separate accounts; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Fields, Mizell, Harris, Henry, Hensgens, Hewitt, Jackson, Lambert, Luneau, McMath, Milligan, Mills, F., Mills, R., Peacock, Pope, Price, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot, Tarver, Ward, White, Womack

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President Morris
Total - 2

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 749— BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Subpart B-1 of Part III of Chapter I of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 17:200, 203(7) and 205(Section heading) and (A) and to enact R.S. 17:215(E) and Chapter 17-A of Title 49 of the Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:1131 through 1143 and to repeal R.S. 17:203(3) through (6), 204, 205(C), and 206 through 214, relative to litter abatement responsibilities and programs; to remove litter reduction and litter awareness functions from the Department of Education and place them within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide for the litter abatement grant program; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Foil, Harris, Henry, Hensgens, Hewitt, Jackson, Lambert, Luneau, McMath, Milligan, Mizell, Peacock, Pope, Price, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot, Tarver, Ward

Fesi Fields
Total - 36

Mills, F. Mills, R.
NAYS

White Womack

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President Morris
Total - 2

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 750— BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2531(C), 2531.3(G), 2531.5(B) and (D), and 2532(A) and R.S. 56:32.1(A) and (B), relative to fines and court costs for littering violations; to provide for the prosecution of civil littering violations cited by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; to specify civil procedure for simple and commercial littering violations; to provide for special court costs for littering violations; to provide for the distribution of littering fines and special court costs; to authorize civil actions and adjudicatory hearings for littering violations prosecuted by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Fields, Mizell, Harris, Henry, Hensgens, Hewitt, Jackson, Lambert, Luneau, McMath, Milligan, Mills, F., Mills, R., Peacock, Pope, Price, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot, Tarver, Ward, White, Womack

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President Morris
Total - 2

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it returned to the House. Senator Allain 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. 24— BY REPRESENTATIVES BISHOP, ADAMS, BACALA, BAGLEY, BEAULLIEU, BOURRIAQUE, BOYD, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DUBUISSON, DUPLESSIS, EDMONDS, FISHER, FONTENOT, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, GADBERRY, GAINES, GAROFALO, GLOVER, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HILFERTY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HORTON, HUGHES, ILLG, IVEY, JENKINS, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JORDAN, KERNER, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MCKNIGHT, MCMAHEN, MIGUEZ, DUSTIN MILLER, GREGORY MILLER, NEWELL, ROBERT OWEN, PHELPS, PIERRE, SCHAMERHORN, SCHEXNAYDER, SELDERS, ST. BLANC, THOMPSON, WILLARD, AND WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to report to the legislature regarding requirements for remediation of Capitol Lake.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Environmental Quality.

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

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Fields, Mills, R., Mizell, Peacock, Pope, Price, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot, Tarver, Ward, White, Womack.

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists Mr. President, Mills, F., Morris.

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

Rules Suspended

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

Table with 3 columns: HB No. 22, HB No. 49, HB No. 110; HB No. 248, HB No. 313, HB No. 330; HB No. 457, HB No. 489, HB No. 523; HB No. 544, HB No. 551, HB No. 606; HB No. 697, HB No. 719, HB No. 732; HB No. 780, HB No. 797

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 22—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDMONDS, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BOURRIAQUE, BOYD, CARPENTER, CARRIER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, CREWS, DEVILLIER, ECHOLS, EDMONSTON, FIRMINT, FISHER, FONTENOT, FREEMAN, FRIEMAN, GAINES, GAROFALO, GOUDEAU, HARRIS, HOLLIS, HORTON, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, JORDAN, LAFLEUR, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MCCORMICK, MIGUEZ, DUSTIN MILLER, MINCEY, NELSON, NEWELL, CHARLES OWEN, PIERRE, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, STAGNI, TARVER, THOMPSON, WHEAT, WILLARD, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:710.1(A)(1)(d) and to repeal R.S. 11:710.1(A)(1)(d), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for reemployment of retired teachers; to provide for compensation during reemployment; to provide for costs; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 49—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.223, relative to the town of Henderson; to authorize the town to levy a hotel occupancy tax; to provide for the use of tax revenues; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 110—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARCELLE AND FREIBERG AND SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:587.3(A), relative to the Nineteenth Judicial District; to provide for assignment of an additional subject matter division; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 248—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD, LANDRY, AND GLOVER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 1:55(A)(1) and (7), (B)(2), (D), and (E)(1)(a)(i), relative to legal holidays; to provide for the removal of certain holidays; 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. 313—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PRESSLY, BRYANT, WILFORD CARTER, FISHER, FREEMAN, GAINES, GAROFALO, HUGHES, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, LYONS, AND WILLARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1843, 1844(H), (K)(1)(a), (T), and (W)(1)(a), and 1845(B), to enact R.S. 46:1844(X), and to repeal R.S. 46:1845(C) and (D), relative to the rights of victims of criminal offenses; to provide relative to the reporting of a crime; to provide relative to the requirement to register with certain offices and agencies; to provide for access to certain reports; to provide relative to the duties of the district attorney, law enforcement, and judicial agencies with respect to victims of sexual assault; to provide for the rights of sexual assault victims; to provide relative to the admissibility of certain evidence; to provide relative to penalties and causes of action under certain circumstances; to provide for a contingent 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. 330—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS JOHNSON
AN ACT

To enact Part VII of Chapter 10-A of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:1491 through 1496 and R.S. 36:629(L)(4), relative to the creation of the Louisiana Industrial Hemp Promotion and Research Program; to create the Louisiana Industrial Hemp Promotion and Research Advisory Board; to provide for the composition, powers, duties, and functions of the board; to authorize the commissioner of agriculture and forestry to adopt rules and accept certain funds; to provide for the use of funds; to provide for definitions; to provide for transfer of the board to the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 457—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARPENTER, FREIBERG, GLOVER, LYONS, MARCELLE, AND STAGNI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2233.4, relative to the city of Baton Rouge and the parish of East Baton Rouge; to provide relative to the procurement of goods and services; to provide relative to contracts awarded to socially and economically disadvantaged businesses; to authorize certain entities to set-aside a certain percentage of contracts to be awarded to such businesses; to provide relative to rules and regulations regarding the certification of socially and economically disadvantaged businesses; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 489—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:996.3(A), relative to the judicial expense fund for the Family Court for the parish of East Baton Rouge; to provide for the maximum fee to be charged by the clerk; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 523—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LACOMBE AND ROMERO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:309, relative to alcohol beverage control; to provide relative to brewing facilities; to authorize manufacturers or brewers to host contracted private events at brewing facilities; to provide for certain restrictions with respect to contracted private events at brewing facilities; to authorize manufacturers or brewers to charge certain fees for contracted private events at brewing facilities; 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. 544—

BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLO AND SCHLEGEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.3(B)(1)(a) and (D) and 574.4(A)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 15:571.3(B)(3) and 574.4(A)(1)(c), relative to criminal sentencing; to provide relative to diminution of sentence; to provide for the rate of diminution of sentence for certain circumstances; to provide for parole eligibility; to provide relative to parole eligibility for certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 551—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ILLG
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:274(A)(2), relative to alcohol beverage control; to provide relative to permits for dealers in beverages of low alcohol content; to provide relative to local permits; to provide for exceptions for delivery; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 606—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 2 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:141, relative to legislative oversight; to create the Joint Recovery Oversight Committee; to provide for its membership, powers, duties, and functions; to require reports by the commissioner of administration and the director of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness to the joint committee; to provide for related functions and duties of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; 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. 697—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1046(A)(1), (C)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph), (G), and (H)(1), (2), (6)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (b), and (8)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (iii), to enact R.S. 40:1046(A)(7), (B), and 1046.1 through 1046.3, and to repeal R.S. 40:1046(C)(2)(h) and (H)(3) through (5), relative to production of marijuana for therapeutic use; to provide for regulation of medical marijuana production by the state; to transfer certain duties with respect to such regulation from the Department of Agriculture and Forestry to the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for remittance to the Louisiana Department of Revenue of the proceeds of certain fees; to provide relative to permitting and regulation of

marijuana pharmacies by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to require the Louisiana Department of Health to license and regulate laboratories that conduct testing of medical marijuana products; to provide for selection of marijuana production contractors by licensed producers of medical marijuana; to provide for oversight and regulation of such contractors; to provide requirements and standards for the business operations of such contractors; to require the continuation of certain laboratory testing services provided by the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to authorize certain institutions to conduct research on marijuana for therapeutic use; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 719—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1883(D)(1) and to enact R.S. 13:1883(D)(3), relative to certain marshals of city courts; to provide for the salary of the marshal of the city court of Shreveport; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 732—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 17-E of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:850.21, and to repeal R.S. 33:2740.26, relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Louis Armstrong Park Authority and Historic Jazz District; to provide that the district is a political subdivision of the state; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to provide relative to the membership of the board; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 780—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 12-A of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:4709.31, relative to the city of Houma; to create the Houma Restoration District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding; 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. 797—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9039.62, 9039.68(A)(3) and (B)(1), (2)(b), and (3), 9039.69(A)(3) and (5), and 9039.72(A)(14) and to enact R.S. 33:9039.63.1, 9039.68(B)(2)(c), 9039.69(C), and 9039.72(D), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the BioDistrict New Orleans; to provide relative to the boundaries and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to the creation of subdistricts; to require that district projects be in compliance with certain rules and regulations; 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.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Morris 1 Day

PRESENT

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

Total - 37

ABSENT

Morris
Total - 1

Announcements

The following committee meetings for May 4, 2022, were announced:

Commerce	10:30 A.M.	Room E
Education	1:00 P.M.	Room C
Health and Welfare	9:30 A.M.	Hainkel Room
Insurance	10:00 A.M.	Room A
Local and Mun. Affairs	1:00 P.M.	Room F
Senate and Gov't Affairs	9:30 A.M.	Room F
Transportation	1:00 P.M.	Room E

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 2:25 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, May 4, 2022, at 3:00 o'clock P.M.

The President Pro Tempore of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

FRAN OGNIBENE
Journal Clerk

