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STATE OF LOUISIANA
SIXTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

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

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, May 9, 2023

The Senate was called to order at 2:45 o'clock P.M. by Hon.
Patrick Page Cortez, President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President	Fields	Mills, F.
Barrow	Foil	Mills, R.
Bernard	Harris	Mizell
Boudreaux	Henry	Morris
Bouie	Hensgens	Peacock
Carter	Hewitt	Pope
Cathey	Kleinpeter	Price
Cloud	Lambert	Reese
Connick	Luneau	Smith
Duplessis	McMath	Stine
Fesi	Milligan	Talbot
Total - 33		

ABSENT

Abraham	Jackson	White
Allain	Tarver	Womack
Total - 6		

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

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Jeremy Stine, 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 Talbot, the reading of the Journal was
dispensed with and the Journal of May 8, 2023, was adopted.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 71—
BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To commend Clarence H. "Sonny" Savoie on the occasion of his
retirement from the St. Charles Parish School Board.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 72—
BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To designate Thursday, May 18, 2023, as Community Provider
Association Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 73—
BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature
of Louisiana upon the death of Wade Joseph Broussard Jr.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 74—
BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Parkview Baptist School girls' soccer
team on winning the school's first state girls' soccer title.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 75—
BY SENATOR PRICE

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 9, 2023, as "Louisiana Chemical Industry Day".

Senator Price asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules
to read Senate Resolution No. 75 a first and second time.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 76—
BY SENATOR KLEINPETER

A RESOLUTION

To commend Deputy Christopher Hogan of the West Baton Rouge
Parish Sheriff's Office on being the recipient of the Louisiana
Sheriffs' Association's 2023 Deputy Valor Award.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 77—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Lana Gilliam on the occasion of her
retirement after forty-eight years as a kindergarten teacher.

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

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—
BY SENATOR SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Hahnville High School teacher
Brittany Bonnaffons upon being named the 2023 Louisiana
Teacher of the Year.

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

**Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 64—
BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 10, 2023, as The Arc Appreciation
Day in Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 65—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

A RESOLUTION

To commend Reverend Dr. Larry J. Lloyd for fifty years of dedicated service and devotion to the Ministry.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 66—

BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To commend Melinda Huff Bernard upon her retirement from the St. Charles Parish School Board.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 67—

BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To commend Dennis J. Naquin on the occasion of his retirement from the St. Charles Parish School Board.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 68—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 10, 2023, as the thirty-ninth annual Red and White Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 69—

BY SENATOR HARRIS

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Ms. Erica Spruille on becoming a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Incorporated.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 70—

BY SENATOR BOUIE

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 10, 2023, as the National African American Insurance Association-Louisiana Chapter Day in the Louisiana Senate.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

May 8, 2023

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. 8	HB No. 78	HB No. 81
HB No. 533	HB No. 41	HB No. 59
HB No. 235	HB No. 242	HB No. 262

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HORTON, AMEDEE, BACALA, EMERSON, GAROFALO, AND MCFARLAND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:262(A)(2) and (B) and to enact R.S. 17:262(C), 3351(O), and 3996(B)(75), relative to public elementary, secondary, and postsecondary schools; to require display of the national motto in each classroom; to provide relative to the use of public funds for this purpose; to provide for applicability to charter schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 41—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRIEMAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Subpart B-2 of Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 22:1845.1(Section heading) and to enact R.S. 22:1845.2, relative to coverage and payment parity for services delivered through telehealth; to provide relative to occupational therapy services; to prohibit maximum amounts of coverage and other conditions relative to telehealth services that are inapplicable to in-person services; to authorize enforcement and rulemaking; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for 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. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUBUISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:855.3(C), relative to the regulation of personal watercraft; to provide an exception to the prohibition against the use of personal watercraft at night; and to provide for relative matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 78—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUGHES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:100.11(G)(1) and (I)(2) and 100.12, relative to school facilities and needs in certain school districts; to provide relative to funds dedicated to preserving and improving school facilities; to provide for the systemwide needs program and for the funding and operation of such program; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 81—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CREWS, AMEDEE, AND GAROFALO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2122 and 3996(B)(75), relative to education; to require school employees to use certain names and pronouns for students unless parents have provided written permission to do otherwise; to provide that a school employee shall not be required to refer to any person by certain pronouns if contrary to the employee's religious or moral convictions; to require each

public school governing authority to adopt policies; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 235—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1112(A)(1), relative to the guaranteed issue of Medicare supplement policies; to authorize an individual to purchase a Medicare supplement policy offered through an affiliate of a health insurance issuer; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 242—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416.1(B) and to enact R.S. 17:416.22, relative to student discipline; to prohibit corporal punishment in elementary and secondary schools unless authorized by a parent or legal guardian; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 262—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:919 and 1576(B)(10), relative to insurance producers and the sale of annuity products; to provide for duties of the commissioner of insurance with respect to administrative rulemaking; to authorize the commissioner to require certain training; to provide for course credit; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 533—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:291(M)(3) through (6) and 292, relative to the board of commissioners for the Red River, Atchafalaya, and Bayou Boeuf Levee District; to provide for duties and responsibilities of the board; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of Louisiana.

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 9, 2023

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. 86

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions
on First Reading**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 86—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIGUEZ, BEAULLIEU, HUVAL, AND ST. BLANC AND SENATORS BOUDREAUX, KLEINPETER, AND FRED MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend St. Martin Parish Sheriff Becket Breaux on his receipt of new certification from the Federal Bureau of Investigation Academy, for leading the St. Martin Parish Sheriff's Office to receive accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, and for his commitment to continuous improvement and adaptation to the changing needs of the community.

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. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT

Making annual appropriations for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 104—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To appropriate funds to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary, including the Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, District Courts, Criminal District Court of Orleans Parish, and other courts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 222—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To provide with respect to the Revenue Sharing Fund and the allocation and distribution thereof for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 388—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To provide for the establishment and reestablishment of agency ancillary funds, to be specifically known as internal service funds, auxiliary accounts, or enterprise funds for certain state institutions, officials, and agencies; to provide for appropriation of funds for Fiscal Year 2023-2024; to provide for an effective date; and to regulate the administration of said funds.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 550—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.44.1(H)(3), the heading of Subpart P-3 of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and R.S. 39:100.101,

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100.171, and 100.201(B) through (D) and to enact R.S. 17:4033.1(F), Subpart Z of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.211, Subpart AA of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.221, and Subpart BB of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.231, relative to certain treasury funds; to provide for the transfer, deposit, and use, as specified, of monies in certain treasury funds and accounts; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 560— BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE AN ACT

To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and reductions for said agencies and purposes for Fiscal Year 2022-2023; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 636— BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER AN ACT

To appropriate funds for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; to provide for the salary, expenses, and allowances of members, officers, staff, and agencies of the Legislature; to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made; and to provide for related matters.

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2— BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for a hospital stabilization formula pursuant to Article VII, Section 10.13 of the Constitution of Louisiana; to establish the level and basis of hospital assessments; to establish certain reimbursement enhancements for inpatient and outpatient hospital services; to establish certain criteria for the implementation of the formula; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7— BY REPRESENTATIVES CHARLES OWEN, AMEDEE, BACALA, BOYD, CARRIER, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, GADBERRY, GAROFALO, HORTON, KNOX, LAFLEUR, LARVADAIN, MIGUEZ, MOORE, ORGERON, AND SCHAMERHORN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to halt the influx of fentanyl from Mexico and China into the United States.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29— BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the president of the United States to reconsider the signed agreement that facilitates growth of certain aquaculture exports from Ecuador to the United States.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74— BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY AND SEABAUGH AND SENATOR MILLIGAN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Calvary Baptist Academy softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Select Division III state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Fesi, Mills, F., Mills, R., Mizell, Morris, Peacock, Pope, Price, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot, Tarver.

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names Allain, White, Womack.

Total - 3

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75— BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY AND SEABAUGH AND SENATOR MILLIGAN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the North DeSoto High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division II state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Mills, F., Mills, R., Mizell, Morris, Peacock, Pope, Price.

Cathey	Kleinpeter	Reese
Cloud	Lambert	Smith
Connick	Luneau	Stine
Duplessis	McMath	Talbot
Fesi	Milligan	Tarver

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain	White	Womack
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Total - 3

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY, SEABAUGH, AND SCHAMERHORN AND SENATOR BERNARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Converse High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division V state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain	White	Womack
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Total - 3

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, BACALA, BRASS, AND EDMONSTON AND SENATORS LAMBERT AND PRICE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the St. Amant High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division I state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain	White	Womack
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Total - 3

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER AND MINCEY AND SENATOR LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the French Settlement High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Non-Select Division IV state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain	White	Womack
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Total - 3

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER AND GREGORY MILLER AND SENATORS PRICE AND SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Riverside Academy High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Select Division IV state championship.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Fields, Mills, F. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Fesi and their corresponding yeas.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, White, Womack. Lists Allain and Total - 3.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80— BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Tulane University for its history of academic excellence.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Fields, Mills, F. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Fesi and their corresponding yeas.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, White, Womack. Lists Allain and Total - 3.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82— BY REPRESENTATIVES EMERSON, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIAQUE, COUSSAN, DEVILLIER, GOUDEAU, HUGHES, HUVAL, MIGUEZ, PIERRE, STEFANSKI, AND ZERINGUE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Donald Gifford "Don" Briggs and to recognize his outstanding achievements.

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, Foil, Mizell. Lists names like Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Fesi, Fields and their corresponding yeas.

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Womack. Lists Allain and Total - 2.

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the 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 A

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

May 9, 2023

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. 22— BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study procedures in civil actions that require the mailing of notice with respect to the commencement of certain deadlines or answers or responses or for appearance before the court for certain motions and other hearings to determine whether it is more effective to base timely notice on the date of mailing of such notice or on the date of actual receipt of such notice and report its findings to the Louisiana Legislature no later than February 1, 2024.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 184—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FRIEMAN, AMEDEE, BOYD, WILFORD CARTER, ECHOLS, EMERSON, GAROFALO, HODGES, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, AND KNOX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 622(A) and to enact Children's Code Article 650, relative to the placement of a child removed from the care of a parent; to provide for the intervention of an interested party to facilitate the placement of the child; to permit a party to motion the court for a contradictory hearing to determine the placement of a child; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 194—

BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON, BOYD, GAROFALO, HODGES, JEFFERSON, AND MIKE JOHNSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 1264, relative to grandparent visitation; to provide for post-adoption visitation rights of grandparents; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 273—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part III-E of Title 19 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 19:134 and 134.1(A), relative to expropriation; to provide for the acquisition of property for the cities of Lake Charles and Sulphur; to provide for limitations; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 314—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LARVADAIN, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, BOYD, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARPENTER, CARRIER, WILFORD CARTER, COX, EDMONDS, EMERSON, FISHER, FONTENOT, GAINES, GAROFALO, HODGES, HORTON, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, JORDAN, KNOX, LAFLAUR, LYONS, MOORE, NEWELL, PHELPS, PIERRE, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, STAGNI, THOMPSON, WHITE, AND WILLARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Evidence Article 518(B) and R.S. 40:2411(C)(6) and (7), relative to trained peer support; to provide for firefighters as trained peer support members; to provide for peer support training by certain organizations; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 337—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.1(C) and 315.2(D) and to repeal R.S. 9:315.14, relative to a minimum child support award; to repeal the mandatory minimum child support award; to provide for an exception; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 339—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 966(G), relative to motions for summary judgment; to provide relative to the admission of evidence; to provide relative to fault; to provide for the admission of evidence of a principal acting pursuant to a mandate; 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 9, 2023

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. 187—

BY SENATOR KLEINPETER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5716, relative to cremation of bodies; to provide for issuance of a permit for cremation by a coroner; to provide for denial of a permit for cremation by a coroner; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 194—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:93.11(A) and 333(B), R.S. 23:161(13), and R.S. 26:71.1(1)(d) and (e) and (4)(b), 80(A)(1), 90(A)(3), (8)(a), and (10), 96(A), 271.2(1)(d) and (e) and (4)(b), 286(A)(3), (8)(a), and (10), 793(C)(1), and 794(B)(3)(a), and to enact R.S. 26:71.5, 90(A)(17), and 271.5, relative to the alcohol; to prohibit persons under the age of twenty-one from entering certain establishments; to provide for employment limitations at certain establishments; to provide relative to certifications and permits issued by the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide for civil penalties; to provide relative to the misrepresentation of age; to provide for terms, conditions, restrictions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TARVER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:93(A)(6)(d), relative to reporting of gaming revenue; to provide relative to the distribution of gaming proceeds to the Calcasieu Parish School Board, McNeese State University, and Sowela Technical Institute; to require the Calcasieu Parish School Board, McNeese State University, and Sowela Technical Institute to annually prepare a report to the legislative delegation on gaming proceeds received; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 232—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHAMERHORN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:707(F)(4), relative to charitable gaming; to provide relative to exemptions from licensing and reporting procedures; to exempt conservation organizations dedicated principally to the conservation of game fish from licensing and reporting procedures for conducting raffles; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

May 9, 2023

HOUSE BILL NO. 474—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ILLG
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 4:707.1, relative to charitable gaming; to provide for limited raffle licenses for certain raffle games; to provide relative to the promulgation of rules for limited raffle licenses; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

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 9, 2023

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. 107—
BY SENATOR SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:30(A) and (B) and the introductory paragraph of 30.1(A) and 30.1(A)(1) and (B), and to enact R.S. 14:30.1(C) and (D), relative to murder; to provide for the elements of first and second degree murder; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 65—
BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:2(B)(60), relative to crimes of violence; to designate the crime of simple burglary of an inhabited dwelling as a crime of violence when a person is present in the dwelling, house, apartment, or other structure; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 94—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, CARRIER, COUSSAN, DUBUISSON, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, GLOVER, HARRIS, HILFERTY, HORTON, ILLG, MIKE JOHNSON, MCMAHEN, MIGUEZ, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, PRESSLY, RISER, SCHLEGEL, STAGNI, THOMPSON, VILLIO, WHEAT, AND WHITE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:67.13, relative to theft; to create the crime of theft or criminal access of an automated teller machine; to provide for a definition; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide relative to the payment of restitution for the crime; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 370—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRY, BACALA, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, EDMONSTON, FREEMAN, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HILFERTY, HORTON, JENKINS, KNOX, AND MOORE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:107.3(B) and (C), to enact R.S. 14:107.3(H), and to repeal R.S. 14:107.3(D), relative to criminal blighting of property; to provide relative to penalties for the offense; to provide relative to review and appeal of declarations of certifications of blight; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 378—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEVILLIER AND STEFANSKI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:612(A)(introductory paragraph), (B), and (C), relative to DNA database exchange; to provide relative to the population database comprised of DNA samples; to provide relative to the use of the population database comprised of DNA samples; to provide relative to disclosure prohibitions of the database; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 479—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARINO AND KNOX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 972, relative to expungement of records; to provide relative to legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain jurisdictions of courts for expungement of records; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANKLIN J. FOIL
Chairman

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees

SENATE BILL NO. 7—
BY SENATOR CLOUD AND REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 25:225, relative to libraries; to provide relative to the adoption of certain library policies; to provide relative to a minor's access to sexually explicit materials; to provide for immunity; to provide relative to payments of certain expenses by governing authorities and consideration of certain applications by the State Bond Commission; to provide for definitions, terms, conditions, and procedures; 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 Engrossed Senate Bill No. 7 by Senator Cloud

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, line 8, between "material" and "through" insert "that would be accessible to a minor"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 4, line 1, after "collection" and before ";" insert "accessible to a minor"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 12—
BY SENATOR FIELDS AND REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1137.3(E) and (F), relative to automated external defibrillators (AED); to require an AED on the premises of each postsecondary institution and each elementary, middle, and high school; to require an AED at certain athletic events; to require an individual trained in the use of the AED and first-aid CPR at the events; to provide for a cardiac emergency response plan; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12 by Senator Fields

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 40:1137.3(E) and (F)" and before ",", insert " and to enact R.S. 40:1137.3(G)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "regulations;" insert "to create a special fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 9, after "reenacted" and before "to read" insert "and R.S. 40:1137.3(G) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:

"G. (1) There is hereby created in the state treasury, as a special fund, the Jump Start Your Heart Fund, hereinafter referred to in this Section as the "fund". The fund shall consist of any monies appropriated, allocated, donated, or transferred to the fund and shall be deposited by the state treasurer after compliance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

(2) All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund. Monies in the fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on the investment of monies in the fund shall be deposited in and credited to the fund.

(3) Monies in the fund shall be appropriated by the legislature and shall be utilized to purchase automated external defibrillators for use at each postsecondary, high, middle, and elementary school in the state under the provisions of all necessary rules and regulations as promulgated by the Louisiana Department of Health."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, between lines 27 and 28, insert the following:

"Section 4. The provisions of this Act shall be subject to an appropriation of funds by the Legislature."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 28, change "4" to "5"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 16—
BY SENATOR BERNARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:423(J), relative to parish boards of election supervisors; to provide for member compensation; 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. 18—

BY SENATORS PRICE, BARROW, BOUDREAUX, CORTEZ, TARVER AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(1), (2)(a), and (3)(e) and to enact R.S. 11:102(C)(6)(e), (D)(6)(e), (E)(5), and (F)(4), 542(G), 547, 883.1(G), 883.5, 1145.1(F), 1145.6, 1332(G), and 1332.1, relative to the funding mechanism for and payment of benefit increases to persons receiving benefits from the state retirement systems; to provide for the determination of required employer contributions; to provide relative to eligibility to receive an increase; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 18 by Senator Price

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 10, insert "**except the provisions of Item (iv) of this Subparagraph.**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 19, after "(aa)" and before "**Notwithstanding**" insert "**(I)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, between lines 1 and 2, insert:

"(I) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Subparagraph to the contrary, for fiscal years 2024-2025 through 2027-2028, if the projected aggregate employer contribution rate for Fiscal Year 2024-2025 is more than three percentage points lower than the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 in the June 30, 2022 system valuation then the AFC rate to be applied for a particular year will be the lesser of the rate determined under Subsubitem (I) of this Subitem or the corresponding rate for that year in the following table:

Fiscal Year	AFC Rate
2024-2025	1.50%
2025-2026	1.75%
2026-2027	2.00%
2027-2028	2.25%

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, between lines 10 and 11, insert:

"(iv) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Subparagraph to the contrary, if the Original Amortization Base established in R.S. 11:102.1 is liquidated in Fiscal Year 2022-2023, the provisions of this Item shall apply.

(aa) The maximum AFC rate shall be equal to the following:

Fiscal Year	Maximum AFC Rate
2024-2025	1.50%
2025-2026	1.75%
2026-2027	2.00%
2027-2028	2.25%
2028-2029 and thereafter	2.50%

(bb) Through Fiscal Year 2038-2039, the sum of the AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate for any given fiscal year shall not exceed the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 in the June 30, 2021 system valuation. If the sum of the maximum AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate exceeds the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined for Fiscal Year 2022-2023, the AFC rate to be applied shall be reduced from the maximum, for that fiscal year only, by the lesser of the amount by which the sum of the maximum AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate exceeds the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 or the amount of the maximum AFC rate.

(cc) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Subparagraph to the contrary, beginning in Fiscal Year 2039-2040, the sum of the AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate for any given fiscal year shall not exceed twenty-two percent. If the sum of the maximum AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate exceeds twenty-two percent, the AFC rate to be applied shall be reduced from the maximum, for that fiscal year only, by the lesser of the amount by which the sum of the maximum AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate exceeds twenty-two percent or the amount of the maximum AFC rate."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 11, change "(iv)" to "(v)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, at the end of line 24, insert "except the provisions of Item (iv) of this Subparagraph."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 5, line 4, after "(aa)" and before "Notwithstanding" insert "(I)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, between lines 15 and 16, insert:

"(II) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Subparagraph to the contrary, for fiscal years 2024-2025 through 2027-2028, if the projected aggregate employer contribution rate for Fiscal Year 2024-2025 is more than three percentage points lower than the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 in the June 30, 2022 system valuation then the AFC rate to be applied for a particular year will be the lesser of the rate determined under Subsubitem (I) of this Subitem or the corresponding rate for that year in the following table:

Fiscal Year	AFC Rate
2024-2025	1.50%
2025-2026	1.75%
2026-2027	2.00%
2027-2028	2.25%"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, between lines 24 and 25, insert:

"(iv) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Subparagraph to the contrary, if the Original Amortization Base established in R.S. 11:102.2 is liquidated in Fiscal Year 2022-2023, the provisions of this Item shall apply.

(aa) The maximum AFC rate shall be equal to the following:

Fiscal Year	Maximum AFC Rate
2024-2025	1.50%
2025-2026	1.75%
2026-2027	2.00%
2027-2028	2.25%
2028-2029 and thereafter	2.50%

(bb) Through Fiscal Year 2038-2039, the sum of the AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate for any given fiscal year shall not exceed the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 in the June 30, 2021 system valuation. If the sum of the maximum AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate exceeds the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined for Fiscal Year 2022-2023, the AFC rate to be applied shall be reduced from the maximum, for that fiscal year only, by the lesser of the amount by which the sum of the maximum AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate exceeds the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 or the amount of the maximum AFC rate.

(cc) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Subparagraph to the contrary, beginning in Fiscal Year 2039-2040, the sum of the AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate for any given fiscal year shall not exceed sixteen percent. If the sum of the maximum AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate exceeds sixteen percent, the AFC rate to be applied shall be reduced from the maximum, for that fiscal year only, by the lesser of the amount by which the sum of the maximum AFC rate and the projected aggregate employer contribution rate exceeds sixteen percent or the amount of the maximum AFC rate."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, line 25, change "(iv)" to "(v)"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 39—

BY SENATORS BOUDREAU, BARROW, HARRIS AND HENRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Subpart O of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and to enact R.S. 39:100.62, relative to special funds; to create the Community Options Waiver Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for dedication of certain revenues and for the deposit and use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 41—

BY SENATOR MIZELL AND REPRESENTATIVE EDMONSTON
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 2-A of Subtitle VII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:6111 through 6116, relative to tax credits; to establish a tax credit for qualified donations made to an eligible maternal wellness center; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for definitions; to provide for a registry of maternal wellness centers; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for the recapture of credits; to require the Louisiana Department of Health and the Department of Revenue to promulgate rules; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 41 by Senator Mizell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, after "credits;" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 8 in its entirety, and insert "to authorize the Louisiana Department of Health to promulgate rules; to require the Department of Revenue to promulgate rules; to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 13 and 14 and insert the following:

"(ii) is registered with the Louisiana Department of Health and included on the list of registered eligible maternal wellness centers published on the Louisiana Department of Health website pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 12, after "equal to" change "five" to "fifty"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 20, after "more than" change "five" to "twenty"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 1, change "2024" to "2025"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 3, change "Registry" to "Registration"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, delete lines 4 through 29 and insert the following:

"A.(1) The Louisiana Department of Health shall create an electronic or downloadable registration form for eligible maternal wellness centers. An eligible maternal wellness center may voluntarily register with the Louisiana Department of Health by completing and submitting the registration form to the Louisiana Department of Health.

"(2) The registration form shall be located on the department's website under the Office of Women's Health and Community Health page.

"B.(1) The Louisiana Department of Health shall formulate a list of registered eligible maternal wellness centers based solely

on the registration forms submitted to the Louisiana Department of Health. The purpose of the list shall be to function as a single database of eligible maternal wellness centers located in Louisiana.

(2) The Louisiana Department of Health shall publish and make the list available to the public on its website.

(3) The list shall not include any organization involved in, or associated with counseling for, or referrals to, abortion clinics, providing medical abortion-related procedures, or pro-abortion advertising.

C. The Louisiana Department of Health shall have no regulatory authority over registered eligible maternal wellness centers and shall not be required to verify the eligibility of an eligible maternal wellness center pursuant to this Chapter.

D. The Louisiana Department of Health shall post a link on its website that contains an overview of available resources including but not limited to information on Louisiana Medicaid services, the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children, parish health unit services, and locations of parish health units."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 5, delete lines 1 and 2

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 5, line 3, after "**Registered**" and before "**maternal**" insert "**eligible**"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 5, line 4, after "**Health**" and before "**no later**" insert "**and the Department of Revenue**"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 5, delete lines 25 through 29 and insert the following:
"B.(1) The Louisiana Department of Health may promulgate rules and regulations necessary for the implementation of this Chapter in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 6, delete lines 1 through 3

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 6, line 9, change "2024" to "2025"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 46—
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:351.1(C)(3)(d), relative to textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide regarding the determination of the quality of textbooks and other instructional materials; 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. 46 by Senator Abraham

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 13, after "**materials**" and before "**and**" insert "**approved by a nationally recognized High Quality Instructional Materials organization,**"

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. 71—
BY SENATOR BOUIE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4036.1(A), (D)(3), and (F) and to enact R.S. 17:4036.1(E)(5), relative to learning pods; to provide relative to the services and activities provided by learning pods; to prohibit learning pods from charging tuition or certain fees; to provide relative to transportation and food services; to require learning pods to develop and post a student fee policy; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 89—
BY SENATOR STINE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xvii), relative to individual income tax; to provide relative the deduction from income for net capital gain; to prohibit the Department of Revenue from requiring certain documentation in order to claim the deduction; to provide for applicability; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 89 by Senator Stine

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xvii)" and before the comma "," insert "and (10) and to enact R.S. 47:293.1"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after "net capital gain;" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 4 in its entirety and insert "to require the Department of Revenue to promulgate regulations relative to the net capital gains deduction;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 7, after "R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xvii)" delete the remainder of the line and insert "and (10) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 47:293.1 is hereby enacted to read as"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 8, after "exchange." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 9 through 11 in their entirety and insert "**The Department of Revenue shall promulgate regulations in accordance with R.S. 47:293.1 relative to the individual income tax deduction for income from net capital gains pursuant to this Item. The**"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:
"(10) "Tax table income", for nonresident individuals, means the amount of Louisiana income, as provided in this Part, allocated and apportioned under the provisions of R.S. 47:241 through 247, plus the total amount of the personal exemptions and deductions already included in the tax tables promulgated by the secretary under authority of R.S. 47:295, less the proportionate amount of excess federal itemized personal deductions; the temporary teacher deduction; the recreation volunteer and volunteer firefighter deduction; the construction code retrofitting deduction; any gratuitous grant, loan, or other benefit directly or indirectly provided to a taxpayer by a hurricane recovery entity if such benefit was included in federal adjusted gross income; any gratuitous grant, loan, rebate, tax credit, advance refund, or other qualified disaster relief benefit directly or indirectly provided to a taxpayer by the state or federal government as a COVID-19 relief benefit as defined in R.S. 47:297.16 if the benefit was included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; the exclusion provided for in R.S. 47:297.3 for S Bank shareholders; the deduction for expenses disallowed by 26 U.S.C. 280C; salaries, wages, or other compensation received for

disaster or emergency-related work rendered during a declared state disaster or emergency; wages of nonresident individuals who are eligible for the mobile workforce exemption pursuant to R.S. 47:248; the deduction for net capital gains; the pass-through entity exclusion provided in R.S. 47:297.14; the exemption for military survivor benefit plan payments pursuant to R.S. 47:297.17; and personal exemptions and deductions provided for in R.S. 47:294. The proportionate amount is to be determined by the ratio of Louisiana income to federal adjusted gross income. When federal adjusted gross income is less than Louisiana income, the ratio shall be one hundred percent. **The Department of Revenue shall promulgate regulations in accordance with R.S. 47:293.1 relative to the individual income tax deduction for income from net capital gains pursuant to this Paragraph.**

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§ 293.1. Regulation requirement for capital gains deduction

A. The secretary of the Louisiana Department of Revenue shall promulgate regulations providing for the individual income tax deduction for income from net capital gains arising from the sale or exchange of an equity interest in or substantially all of the assets of a nonpublicly traded corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or other business organization commercially domiciled in Louisiana under R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xvii) and (10).

B. The purpose of the regulations shall be to reduce the existing administrative requirements for eligible taxpayers.

C. Such regulations shall, at a minimum, provide for the following:

(1) Documentation requirements applicable to taxpayers claiming the deduction.

(2) A de minimus exception to documentation requirements for small transactions eligible for the deduction.

(3) Restrictions on eligibility for transactions if the majority of physical assets are located outside of Louisiana.

(4) Restrictions on eligibility for transactions between related parties."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 135—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:451, relative to Medicaid reimbursement for services of licensed midwives and certified nurse midwives; to provide for a minimum rate of reimbursement relative to physician reimbursement; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility requirements; to provide for approval by CMS; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for prohibited decreases in certain reimbursements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 135 by Senator Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 8, after "**childbirth**" insert "**when**"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 163—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.13 and 3996(B)(75), relative to numeracy skills professional development; to require numeracy skills training for certain teachers; to provide reporting on the training; 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. 163 by Senator Hewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, between "**course**" and "**designed**" insert "**to be presented during the educator's work day, but not during the statutorily guaranteed planning period.**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, between lines 28 and 29, insert:

"E. Nothing in this Section shall be construed to extend the hours in the teacher's work day nor the hours to be worked in a year."

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. 178—
BY SENATOR STINE

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 50 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9720, relative to municipalities and parishes; to provide relative to population growth; to provide with respect to a grant program to attract residents to Louisiana; to provide incentives to prospective residents through the use of income tax reimbursements; to provide relative to the purpose and administration of such grants; to provide for an effective date; 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. 181—
BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To enact Subpart S-1 of Part 2-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle 1 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.148 through 100.149, relative to health care workforce initiatives; to create the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Fund; to provide for the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program; to provide for grants to expand health care workforce training; and to provide for related matters

Reported by substitute by the Committee on Finance. The bill was read by title; the committee substitute bill was read.

SENATE BILL NO. —(Substitute of Senate Bill No. 181 by Senator Cloud)

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 37 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2201 through 2202, and 2312(A)(11), relative to health care workforce initiatives; to create the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Fund; to provide for the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program; to provide for grants to expand health care workforce training; to provide for the creation of a commission; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. Chapter 37 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2201 through 2202, and 2312(A)(11) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

CHAPTER 37. EXPANDING LOUISIANA'S HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE FUND

§2201. Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Fund

A. There is hereby created in the state treasury, as a special fund, the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Fund, hereinafter referred to in this Section as the "fund".

B. Monies in the fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on the

investment of monies in the fund shall be deposited in and credited to the fund. Any unexpended and unencumbered monies remaining in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund.

C. Monies in the fund shall be appropriated by the legislature and used solely to provide grant funding pursuant to the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program as provided in this Chapter.

§2202. Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program

A. The Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program is hereby established within the Department of Economic Development and shall be administered by the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation. The purpose of the program is to develop and provide grant funding for collaborations between health care employers and post-secondary education institutions to expand the capacity of the state to recruit, educate, and train nursing and allied health professionals.

B. As used in this Section, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(1) "Commission" means the Expanding Health Care Workforce Commission.

(2) "Corporation" means the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation.

(3) "Department" means the Department of Economic Development.

(4) "Fund" means the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Fund.

(5) "Labor demand occupation" means an occupation for which there is or is likely to be a greater demand than supply of adequately trained workers.

(6) "Program" means the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program.

(7) "Secretary" means the secretary of the Department of Economic Development.

C.(1) The Expanding Health Care Workforce Commission is hereby established to review applications submitted pursuant to the Expanding Health Care Workforce Program and to approve applications for receipt of grant funding.

(2) The commission shall be comprised of the following members:

(a) Three members of the House of Representatives appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives representing the first, third, and fifth congressional districts.

(b) Three members of the Senate appointed by the president of the Senate representing the second, fourth, and sixth congressional districts.

(3) A Senate member of the commission and a House member of the commission shall serve as cochairmen of the commission.

(4) A quorum of the commission shall be four members. Approval of funding for proposals shall require a quorum of the commission.

(5) The staffs of the Senate, House of Representatives, and legislative fiscal office shall provide staff support and otherwise assist the commission as requested by the commission.

D.(1) The Department shall administer the program. It shall review the applications submitted and submit those applications eligible for the grant program to the corporation for rating and recommendation for funding to the commission.

(2) The corporation shall rate the applications in accordance with the published guidance required under Subsection E of this Section and recommend applications for approval to the commission.

E.(1) The department shall publish guidance for the administration of the program. The guidance shall include application requirements, application period dates, and deadlines for submissions and approval, criteria for ratings, and a process for prioritizing health care workforce needs in the various regions of the state. The prioritization shall take into account the degree to which measurable goals are established, the degree to which the grant demonstrates regional collaboration between healthcare providers and academic institutions as well as for programs that train high-demand healthcare professionals to

practice in the region. The program shall also provide opportunities for rural and safety-net health care employers to participate in the program. The Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq. shall not apply to guidance promulgated pursuant to this Subsection. The department shall submit the proposed guidance to the commission for review and approval. Any changes to the guidance shall require approval by the commission.

(2) Primary applicants for grant funding through the program shall be Louisiana licensed health care facilities. Primary applicants may designate a third party to serve as the administrator of the grant funding.

(3) Prior to the application period, the department shall conduct outreach and educational efforts to raise awareness regarding the program.

(4) The department shall post on its website a copy of the guidance promulgated pursuant to this Subsection as well as any additional information regarding the program, including the application process, procurement, or scoring criteria upon request of the commission.

F. In addition to the guidance provided for in Subsection E of this Section, the department shall submit a proposal outlining administrative costs for the program to the commission for review and approval prior to implementing the program. The commission shall review and approve the proposed administrative costs.

G. Each grant recipient shall be required to provide cash or in-kind funding in support of the overall costs of the grant application. However, the commission may waive the shared funding requirement. In-kind funding, as used in this Subsection, shall mean a contribution of a good or a service other than money.

H. The commission shall review and approve the recommendations submitted by the corporation. Upon approval of a grant funding application by the commission, the department shall execute any necessary agreements to effectuate the approved grant application.

I.(1)(a) The commission may approve adjustments to any grant award for a project for any of the following reasons:

(i) Duplication of benefits.

(ii) Increase in proposal costs, not to exceed five percent of the total grant award for a proposal.

(iii) The inability of a grant recipient to complete one or more proposals within the scope of the grant award.

(iv) Technical corrections.

(2) The commission may rescind any grant award for a project if the grant recipient fails to comply with the guidance approved by the commission.

J. The department shall submit an annual summary of grant applications that received funding approval to the commission and the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget.

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§2312. Powers and authority; duties

A. The corporation shall serve as the single review board for all financial assistance, loans, incentives or inducements, customized workforce training, investment programs, and any related appropriations, grants, or joint ventures administered by the Department of Economic Development, excluding those financial incentive programs administered by the State Board of Commerce and Industry. The corporation shall formulate and implement the policies for the delivery of services to obtain the following effects:

(11) To support and administer the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program provided for in Chapter 37 of this Title to develop and provide grant funding for collaborations between health care employers and post-secondary education institutions to expand the capacity of the state to recruit, educate, and train nursing and allied health professions.

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On motion of Senator White, the committee substitute bill was adopted and becomes Senate Bill No. 233 by Senator Cloud, substitute for Senate Bill No. 181 by Senator Cloud.

SENATE BILL NO. 233— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 181 by Senator Cloud)

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 37 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2201 through 2202, and 2312(A)(11), relative to health care workforce initiatives; to create the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Fund; to provide for the Expanding Louisiana's Health Care Workforce Program; to provide for grants to expand health care workforce training; to provide for the creation of a commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 191—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3704, relative to public postsecondary education institutions; to prohibit certain partnership agreements with gaming entities; to provide for an exception; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 204—

BY SENATORS HEWITT, CORTEZ AND ROBERT MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3047(B)(1), (C)(1)(a), (D), and (E)(1), 3047.2(A)(9), 3047.4(B) and (D)(3), 3047.6(A) and (B), and 3047.7(A)(2) and (B)(2), and to enact R.S. 17:3047.1(G), and to repeal R.S. 17:3047.2(A)(12) and 3047.3(A)(9), relative to the M.J. Foster Promise Program; to provide relative to program awards; to provide relative to eligibility requirements; to provide relative to administration of the program; to provide relative to coordination with other state agencies; to recodify and redesignate certain current law provisions of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 without changing the text of the provisions except as provided herein; 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. 204 by Senator Hewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 15, between "(1)" and "A" insert "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 17, change "award" to "initial award payment"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 19 and 20, insert:

"(b) After the initial payment, the student may use the award only after any other federal, state, or institutional financial aid and awards are applied and only for the balance due for tuition, required fees, and mandatory books and instruction materials. For purposes of this Paragraph, federal financial aid shall not include funding from student loans, work-study, or the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act."

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. 205—

BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BOUDREAUX, FIELDS, HARRIS, JACKSON, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, TARVER AND WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3138.12, relative to information technology; to provide relative to the collection of integrated data; to create the Louisiana Foundational Integrated Research System for Transformation (LA FIRST); to provide for individual privacy and confidentiality standards; to provide for data sharing agreements; to provide for the administration of the system; to provide for reporting requirements; to limit the sharing of identifiable information; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 205 by Senator Cortez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall only become effective upon an appropriation by the Legislature."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 18, change "2" to "3"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 207—

BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416.16(A), (B), (C)(1), (D), (E), (F), (H), and (I), and R.S. 29:726.5 and to enact R.S. 17:416.16(G)(4) and (5) and R.S. 29:726.5.1, relative to school safety; to provide relative to school crisis management and response plans; to provide for additional safety drills; to require bleeding control kits in each school; to provide for training of designated employees on traumatic injury response; to provide relative to liability for rendering aid; to require rules relative to training and bleeding control kits; to provide relative to the duties and membership of the Louisiana Commission on School and Nonprofit Security; to provide for the Louisiana Center for Safe Schools; 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. 207 by Senator Milligan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 8, between lines 3 and 4, insert:

"(20) The chairman of the Senate Committee on Education or his designee.

(21) The chairman of the House Committee on Education or his designee.

(22) One teacher selected by the Louisiana Association of Educators.

(23) One teacher selected by the Louisiana Federation of Teachers.

(24) One member of the Legislative Youth Advisory Council selected by majority vote of the council."

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. 225—
BY SENATOR POPE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.225, relative to the city of Denham Springs; to authorize the governing authority of the city, subject to voter approval, to levy and collect a hotel occupancy tax; to provide for the use of tax proceeds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 3—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

AN ACT

To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2023, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond Commission; 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. 171—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(4)(m)(i) and 340.1(C)(2) and (3) and (D), relative to administration and collection of state and local sales and use taxes with respect to remote sales; to provide relative to duties of entities defined as marketplace facilitators; to provide relative to the requirement for a marketplace facilitator to collect and remit sales and use taxes; to provide for conditions pursuant to which the requirement applies; to provide for certain duties of the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers with respect to marketplace facilitators; to provide for definitions; 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. 256—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.18(A)(4) and 337.22(E)(1), relative to sales and use tax remittance; to extend the deadline for payment of local sales and use taxes under certain circumstances; to prohibit the accrual of penalties and interest under certain circumstances; to require certain extensions to be provided to the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board; 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. 336—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.121(A)(1) and (2)(b), 105(A), 112(C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c), (E)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph), and (G)(1), and 115(A) and (B), to enact R.S. 39:112(E)(4) and (H), 121.1, and 125.1, and to repeal R.S. 39:112(E)(2)(b), relative to capital outlay; to provide with respect to the capital outlay process; to provide for certain

requirements for nonstate projects; to provide with respect to the local match requirements for certain projects; to provide for certain notifications; to require certain reports; to provide for limitations; to require the inclusion of certain information concerning state indebtedness within the Capital Outlay Act; to require certain projects to be included in the Capital Outlay Act or to obtain legislative approval; to require the appropriation for certain projects to be deposited into the Capital Outlay Savings Fund; to require the timely submission of certain invoices; to limit the disposal of projects which received capital outlay funding; to require certain approval before a project is disposed of or sold; to provide for applicability; 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. 336 by Representative Bishop

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, line 25, change "shall" to "may"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 28, change "twenty" to "eighty"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 447—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1676(C)(2)(a), relative to the office of debt recovery; to provide with respect to the collection of certain delinquent debt; to require agency referrals of delinquent debt to the office of debt recovery to include certain information; to provide for requirements; 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. 447 by Representative Pierre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 12 through 22 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(aa) A description of the original obligation or offense which is the subject of the delinquent debt.

(bb) The amount of any fine, fee, penalty, or charges assessed against the original obligation or offense by the originating agency.

(cc) The amount of any fine, fee, penalty, or charges added from previous collection attempts by a third party collector and included in the debt balance placed with the office of debt recovery.

(dd) The total amount paid and the date of last payment made by the debtor on the delinquent debt.

(ee) Any additional information requested by the office of debt recovery."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 24 through 28 in their entirety and insert:
"Section 2. This Act shall become effective January 1, 2024."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 551—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE
AN ACT

To appropriate funds from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations for said agencies and purposes for Fiscal Year 2022-2023; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Engrossed House Bill No. 551 by Representative Zeringue

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 7, delete "State General Fund" and insert "sources specified"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 8, delete "(Direct)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"LEGISLATIVE EXPENSE

24-960 LEGISLATIVE BUDGETARY CONTROL COUNCIL

Payable out of the State General Fund
by Statutory Dedications out of the Legislative
Capitol Technology Enhancement Fund to
the Legislative Budgetary Control Council \$6,000,000"

On motion of Senator White, 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. 25—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Education to prepare for implementation of an "education savings account" program.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 by Senator Hewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, change "Louisiana Department of Education" to "State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 3, change "Louisiana Department of Education" to "State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 7, change "Louisiana Department of Education" to "State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Henry, Mills, R.
Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Fesi, Foil, Total - 30
Henry, Hensgens, Hewitt, Jackson, Kleinpeter, Lambert, Luneau, McMath, Milligan, Mills, F.
Mills, R., Mizell, Morris, Peacock, Pope, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot, White

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Duplessis, Price
Allain, Bouie, Carter, Total - 9
Duplessis, Fields, Harris
Price, Tarver, Womack

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

Rules Suspended

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Third Reading and Final Passage,
Subject to Call

Bagneris Rule

Senator Talbot moved to invoke the rule to temporarily pass over controversial Senate Bills on Third Reading and Final Passage subject to call with the intention of taking them up later.

Without objection, so ordered.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Harris asked that Senate Bill No. 108 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 108—
BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6020(G) and (H), relative to the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program; to provide for meeting the requirements for an enhanced credit under the program; to provide for exceptions to meeting general program requirements; to extend the program sunset date; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fields	Mills, F.
Abraham	Foil	Mills, R.
Barrow	Harris	Mizell
Bernard	Henry	Peacock
Boudreaux	Hensgens	Pope
Bouie	Hewitt	Price
Carter	Jackson	Reese
Cathey	Kleinpeter	Smith
Cloud	Lambert	Stine
Connick	Luneau	Talbot
Duplessis	McMath	
Fesi	Milligan	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Morris
Total - 1

ABSENT

Allain	White
Tarver	Womack
Total - 4	

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

Rules Suspended

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

SENATE BILL NO. 159—
BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 305(A)(3) and (B)(4), 306(B), (C), and (D), and 821(E), relative to juvenile court jurisdiction; to provide relative to juvenile detention for certain offenses; to provide factors for continued custody hearings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 11—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1454(A), relative to rating standards and methods; to prohibit rate classifications based on gender; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 123—
BY SENATOR HENRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:3(A), 1300.2(A)(2), (C)(1) and (2), and (D), 1300.3(A) and (B), and 1300.5 and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(10), relative to recall elections; to provide relative to recall petitions; to provide relative to public records; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain	Jackson	Womack
Total - 3		

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

SENATE BILL NO. 200—
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:302(7) and (8), and to enact R.S. 23:302(9) through (11) and Part VIII of Chapter 3-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:370 through 371, relative to prohibited discrimination in employment; to prohibit discrimination and retaliation in employment relative to genetic testing and medically necessary screening for cancer; to prohibit discrimination and retaliation by employers, employment agencies, and labor organizations against certain employees; to provide certain employee protections; to provide relative to definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Duplessis proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Duplessis to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 200 by Senator Duplessis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, line 20, after "**Health**" change "**Information**" to "**Insurance**"

On motion of Senator Duplessis, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Duplessis proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Duplessis to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 200 by Senator Duplessis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "through (11)" to "and (10)"

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 4 through 8, and insert: "comprised of R.S. 23:370, relative to an employee's absence from work to obtain genetic testing or a medically necessary cancer screening; to provide relative to employee obligations; to provide certain employee protections; to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, change "through (11)" to "and (10)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 13, delete "through 371"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 6, after "of care," delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete line 7, and insert:

"(a) In order to be considered medically necessary, services must be deemed reasonably necessary to diagnose, correct, cure, alleviate, or"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 27 through 29

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, delete lines 3 through 29 and insert the following:

"§370. Genetic testing and cancer screening leave of absence

A. When medically necessary, as that term is defined in R.S. 23:302, an employer shall grant an employee a day's leave of absence from work to obtain genetic testing or preventive cancer screening. An employee who wishes to request such leave shall provide at least fifteen days notice to the employer prior to the leave and make a reasonable effort to schedule the leave so as not to unduly disrupt the operations of the employer. Furthermore, the employee shall provide documentation confirming the performance of such genetic testing or cancer screening when requested by the employer. An employee shall not be required to, but may, disclose the results of genetic testing or a preventative cancer screening.

B. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, an employer, employment agency, or labor organization shall not be required to provide paid time off to any employee who is absent from work due to genetic testing or a medically necessary cancer screening. However, an employee shall be permitted to substitute any accrued vacation time or other appropriate paid leave for leave taken pursuant to this Section.

C. Every employer shall post in a conspicuous location on its premises a notice, to be prepared by the Louisiana Workforce Commission, setting forth the requirements of this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

Delete pages 4 and 5

On motion of Senator Duplessis, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Foil, Harris, Henry, Hensgens, Hewitt, Jackson, Kleinpeter, Lambert, Luneau, Mizell, Morris, Peacock, Price, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot

Table with 3 columns: Connick, Duplessis, Fesi, Fields, McMath, Milligan, Mills, F., Mills, R., Tarver, White

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Allain, Womack

Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 210

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1042(A), (B)(1), and (D)(1) and 1056(2), relative to the practice of optometry; to provide for membership of the Louisiana State Board of Optometry Examiners; to provide for continuing education; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Boudreaux proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Boudreaux to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 210 by Senator Boudreaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 10 through 16 and insert the following:

"(i) Offered by a nationally recognized optometric association.

(ii) Offered by a state affiliate of a nationally recognized optometric association or a regional council composed of state affiliates of a nationally recognized optometric association.

(iii) Offered by a school or college of optometry accredited by the American Optometric Association Accreditation Council on Optometric Education.

(iv) Accredited by a nationally recognized organization."

On motion of Senator Boudreaux, 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

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Bernard, Boudreaux, Bouie, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Fesi, Fields, Foil, Harris, Henry, Hensgens, Hewitt, Jackson, Kleinpeter, Lambert, Luneau, McMath, Milligan, Mills, F., Mills, R., Mizell, Morris, Peacock, Price, Reese, Smith, Stine, Talbot, Tarver, White

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain Womack
Total - 2

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 81—
BY SENATOR MCMATH AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:7.8, relative to the qualifications of public school teachers; to provide for the associate educator program; to provide for minimum requirements for individuals participating in the program; to provide relative to pay of program participants; to provide relative to rules for the program; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator McMath proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator McMath to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 81 by Senator McMath

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, line 5, after "**The**" and before "**board**" insert "**state**"

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

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Barrow	Henry	Peacock
Bernard	Hensgens	Price
Boudreaux	Hewitt	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Tarver
Duplessis	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	
Fields	Mills, R.	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Jackson Pope

ABSENT

Allain Bouie Womack
Total - 3

The Chair declared the 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. 202—
BY SENATOR BARROW AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3399.13.1(C), 3399.14(D) and (E), 3399.15(B)(5)(a), and 3399.17 and to enact R.S. 17:3399.14(F), relative to campus accountability and safety; to provide relative to prevention, reporting, and investigation of incidents of power-based violence at public postsecondary institutions; to provide relative to coordination between institutions and certain local agencies; to provide for surveys and reporting of survey results; 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. 202 by Senator Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, line 17, change "**U.S.**" to "**United States**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 4, line 19, change "**U.S.**" to "**United States**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 4, line 20, change "**Office of Civil Rights**" to "**office of civil rights**"

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

Floor Amendments

Senator Barrow proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Barrow to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 202 by Senator Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 13, delete "**promptly**"

On motion of Senator Barrow, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Barrow 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
Barrow	Henry	Peacock
Bernard	Hensgens	Pope
Boudreaux	Hewitt	Price
Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Tarver
Duplessis	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	
Fields	Mills, R.	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain Womack
Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 44— BY SENATOR POPE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:820.5.9(B), 820.5.9(B)(1), (D), and (E) and R.S. 48:345, relative to DOTD; to provide for the designation of high-occupancy vehicle (HOV) lanes on highways in the state highway system; to provide relative to high-occupancy vehicle (HOV) lane violations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain Tarver Womack
Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 70— BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.75, relative to cooperative economic development in and around Southern University and Louisiana State University in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for the creation of special taxing districts for such purposes; to provide for the governance and powers and duties of such a district, including the authority to levy taxes and special assessments; to authorize such a district to incur debt and to pledge tax increments to repayment thereof; 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. 70 by Senator Fields

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 20, delete line 2, and insert "(c) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the property descriptions provided in Subparagraphs (a) and (b) of this Paragraph,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 20, line 3, delete "contrary, whether are not" and insert "whether"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 26, delete line 24, and insert "(c) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the property descriptions provided in Subparagraphs (a) and (b) of this Paragraph,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 26, line 25, delete "contrary, whether are not" and insert "whether"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 33, line 28, change "said" to "the"

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

Floor Amendments

Senator Fields proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fields to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 70 by Senator Fields

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, after "Southern University and Louisiana State University" and before the comma ";" insert "are located"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, delete "are located"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 7, line 4, after "it" change "exited" to "existed"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 31, line 20, after "Subparagraph" change "(D)" to "(E)"

On motion of Senator Fields, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Fields proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fields to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 70 by Senator Fields

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 20, delete lines 16 through 29 in their entirety and delete pages 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and on page 26, delete lines 1 through 23 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(2)(a) The Southern University Economic Development District ("SU EDD") encompasses an area within the Parish of East Baton Rouge, Louisiana generally bounded to the north by the northern line of Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana and Baton Rouge Barge Canal Road, to the south by Choctaw Drive, to the west by the Mississippi River, and to the east by Scenic Highway, and Kansas City Southern Rail subject to, and less and except, the exclusions

as defined below ("District Exclusions"), and being more fully described as follows:

Commence at the point of intersection of the northern line of Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana and the western limits of East Baton Rouge Parish, being within the Mississippi River; thence easterly along the northern line of Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana to the intersection of the northwest right-of-way of Baton Rouge Barge Canal Road; thence northeasterly along said right-of-way of Baton Rouge Barge Canal Road and across Scenic Highway to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 477 feet to a point, being the south boundary of Shady Acres subdivision; thence northeasterly along said boundary of Shady Acres subdivision to the intersection of the west boundary of Lot 80 of Shady Acres subdivision; thence north northeasterly along the west boundary of Lot 80 of Shady Acres subdivision to the intersection of south right-of-way of Rafe Meyer Road; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Rafe Meyer Road and continue across Scotland-Zachary Highway to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scotland-Zachary Highway; thence southwesterly along said right-of-way of Scotland-Zachary Highway to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Blount Road; thence southwesterly along said right-of-way of Blount Road to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence turning approximately 116 degrees to the right and continue northwesterly across Blount Road and along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 1690 feet to a point; thence turning approximately 94 degrees to the left and continue southwesterly across Scenic Highway and along the south boundary of Tract 1-A of Highland Farms to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Kansas City Southern Rail; thence northwesterly along said right-of-way of Kansas City Southern Rail approximately 113 feet to a point; thence turning approximately 67 degrees to the left and continue westerly across Kansas City Southern Rail to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Kansas City Southern Rail and north boundary of Crestworth 2nd Filing subdivision; thence continue westerly along north boundary of Crestworth 2nd Filing subdivision to the intersection of the west boundary of Crestworth 2nd Filing subdivision; thence southerly and southwesterly along the west boundaries of Crestworth 2nd Filing, Crestworth 1st Filing, and Highland Farms subdivisions to the intersection of the north boundary of Tract NWWTP; thence easterly along the north boundary of Tract NWWTP, across Avenue M and to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Avenue L; thence southerly along the west right-of-way of Avenue L being common with the boundary of Tract NWWTP to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Woodpecker Street; thence easterly along the south right-of-way of Woodpecker Street being common with the boundary of Tract NWWTP to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Avenue K; thence southerly along the west right-of-way of Avenue K being common with the boundary of Tract NWWTP to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Mills Avenue being the northern boundary of Southern University; thence easterly along the south right-of-way of Mills Avenue and across Kansas City Southern Rail to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Kansas City Southern Rail; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Kansas City Southern Rail to the intersection of the north right-of-way of W.K. Gordon Street; thence northeasterly along said right-of-way of W.K. Gordon Street and across Scenic Highway to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence northwesterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Rosenwald Road; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Rosenwald Road being common with the north boundary of Lot 94-X of North Baton Rouge subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 94-X; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of Lots 94-X, 94-Y and 94 of North Baton Rouge subdivision to the southeast corner of said Lot 94; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue westerly along the south boundary of said Lot 94 to the intersection of the

east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 267 feet to a point; thence turning approximately 86 degrees to the right and continue southwesterly across Scenic Highway and along the north right-of-way of Mallard Street being common with the south boundary of Lot 22, Block 3 of Scotland Heights subdivision to the southwest corner of said Lot 22; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue northwesterly along the west boundary of Lots 22, 21 and 20, Block 3 of Scotland Heights subdivision to the northwest corner of said Lot 20; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue northeasterly along the north boundary of said Lot 20 to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence northwesterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the south right-of-way of W.K. Gordon Street; thence southwesterly along said right-of-way of W.K. Gordon Street to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Kansas City Southern Rail; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Kansas City Southern Rail to the intersection of the north right-of-way of Harding Boulevard; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Harding Boulevard to the intersection of the east right-of-way of CN Rail; thence northeasterly along said right-of-way of CN Rail to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence northwesterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the north right-of-way of Swan Avenue; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Swan Avenue, being common with the south boundary of Lot B, Block 9 of University City subdivision, to the southwest corner of said Lot B; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue northerly along the west boundary of Lots B, A and 3 Block 9 of University City subdivision to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Osprey Avenue; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Osprey Avenue to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence northwesterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 356 feet to a point; thence turning approximately 66 degrees to the right and continue westerly across Scenic Highway and along the south right-of-way of Robin Street being common with the north boundary of Lots 1 and 9-A, Block 7 of North Baton Rouge subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 9-A; thence turning approximately 80 degrees to the right and continue southwesterly along the east boundary of said Lot 9-A to the southeast corner of said Lot 9-A; thence turning approximately 101 degrees to the right and continue westerly along the south boundary of Lots 9-A and 2-A, Block 7 of North Baton Rouge subdivision to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Swan Avenue; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Swan Avenue, being common with the north boundary Lot 1, Block 2 of North Baton Rouge subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 1; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 2 of North Baton Rouge subdivision to the north right-of-way of Snipe Street; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Snipe Street approximately 80 feet to a point; thence turning approximately 92 degrees to the right and continue southerly across Snipe Street and along the east boundary of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 1 of North Baton Rouge subdivision to the southeast corner of said Lot 3; thence turning approximately 91 degrees to the left and continue easterly along the north boundary of Lots 4 and 13, Block 1 of North Baton Rouge subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 13; thence turning approximately 91 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of said Lot 13 and across Fairchild Street to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Fairchild Street; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Fairchild Street being common with the north boundary of Lot 1, Block 1 of Moreco subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 1; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of said Lot 1 to the southeast corner said Lot 1; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue westerly along the south boundary of said Lot 1 to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway;

thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 4, Block 1 of Moreco subdivision; thence easterly along the north boundary of said Lot 4 to the northeast corner of said Lot 4; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of Lots 4, 5 and 6, Block 1 of Moreco subdivision and across Curtis Street to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Curtis Street; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Curtis Street being common with the north boundary of Lots 1, 37 and 36, Block 2 of Moreco subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 36; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of said Lot 36 to the southeast corner of said Lot 36; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and continue easterly along the north boundary of Lots 8 through 21-A, Block 2 of Moreco subdivision to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Helene Street; thence southerly along said right-of-way of Helene Street and across Harding Boulevard and along the east boundary of Lot J of Hastin Heights subdivision to the southeast corner of said Lot J; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue westerly along the south boundary Lots J through A to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the south right-of-way of 79th Avenue; thence easterly along said right-of-way of 79th Avenue being common with the north boundary of Lot 47 of Southern Heights subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 47; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary Lots 47, 48 and 49 of Southern Heights subdivision to the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 11-A-1 of Southern Heights subdivision; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and continue easterly along north boundary of said Lot 11-A-1 to the northeast corner of said Lot 11-A-1; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along east boundary of said Lot 11-A-1 and across 78th Avenue to the intersection of the south right-of-way of 78th Avenue; thence easterly along said right-of-way of 78th Avenue being common with the north boundary of Lots 353-A and 354-A of Southern Heights subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 354-A; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of Lots 354-A, 394, 395, 396, and 397 of Southern Heights subdivision and across 77th Avenue to the intersection of the south right-of-way of 77th Avenue; thence easterly along said right-of-way of 77th Avenue being common with the north boundary of Lot 32, Block 18 of Bank subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 32; thence turning approximately 109 degrees to the right and continue southeasterly along the east boundary of Lots 32, 6, 5 and 4, Block 18 of Bank subdivision to the southeast corner of said Lot 4; thence turning approximately 66 degrees to the right and continue westerly along the south boundary of said Lot 4 to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 837 feet to the intersection of the boundary of Lot 3, Block 15 of Bank subdivision; thence easterly along the north boundary of said Lot 3 to the northeast corner of said Lot 3; thence turning approximately 114 degrees to the right and continue southeasterly along the east boundary of Lots 3, 2 and 1, Block 15 of Bank subdivision to the intersection of the north right-of-way of 72nd Avenue; thence westerly along said right-of-way of 72nd Avenue to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 200 feet to the intersection of the boundary of Lot 2, Block 14 of Bank subdivision; thence easterly along the north boundary of said Lot 2 to the northeast corner of said Lot 2; thence turning approximately 115 degrees to the right and continue southeasterly along the east boundary of Lots 2 and 1, Block 14 of Bank subdivision to the intersection of the north right-of-way of 71st Avenue; thence westerly along said right-of-way of 71st Avenue to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the south right-of-way of 68th Avenue; thence easterly along said right-of-way of 68th Avenue

being common with the north boundary of Lots 3 and 4, Block 1 of Bank subdivision to the northeast corner of said Lot 4; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of said Lot 4 to the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 3, Block 1 of Monte Sano Highland Farms; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and continue easterly along the north boundary of Lots 3 through 9, Block 1 of Monte Sano Highland Farms to the northeast corner of said Lot 9; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of said Lot 9 to the intersection of the north right-of-way of Goudchaux Street; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Goudchaux Street to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 140 feet to a point; thence turning approximately 117 degrees to the right and continue westerly across Scenic Highway and along the north right-of-way of Goudchaux Street to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Kansas City Southern Rail, being common with the west right-of-way of Sanchez Street; thence southerly along said right-of-way of Sanchez Street to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Monte Sano Avenue; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Monte Sano Avenue approximately 1448 feet to a point; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and continue northerly across Monte Sano Avenue and along the west boundary of Lots F and 1, Block 60 of Monte Sano Highland Farms to the northwest corner of said Lot 1; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and continue westerly along the south boundary of Lots 5 and 6, Block 60 of Monte Sano Highland Farms to the southwest corner of said Lot 6; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue northerly along the west boundary of said Lot 6 to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Kaufman Street; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Kaufman Street, across Scenic Highway and along the north boundary of Lot 85 of Scenic Gardens to the northeast corner of said Lot 85; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of said Lot 85 to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Monte Sano Avenue; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Monte Sano Avenue to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 1498 feet to a point, being the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 9; Block 9 of Monte Sano Highland Farms; thence turning approximately 99 degrees to the left and continue easterly then southerly along the north and east boundary of said Lot 9 to the intersection of the north right-of-way of Shada Avenue; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Shada Avenue to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Galvez Street; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Galvez Street being common with the north boundary of Lots 1 and 20, Block 13 of Garden City to the northeast corner of said Lot 20; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly, westerly and northerly along the east, south and west boundary of said Lot 20 to the intersection of the south boundary of Lot 2, Block 13 of Garden City; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and continue westerly along the south boundary of said Lot 2 to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Sherwood Street; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Sherwood Street being common with the north boundary of Lot 1-A, Block 24 of Garden City to the northeast corner of said Lot 1-A; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue southerly along the east boundary of said Lot 1-A to the intersection of the north right-of-way of Dayton Street; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Dayton Street to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence southeasterly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the north right-of-way of Huron Street; thence easterly along said right-of-way of Huron Street to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Pocahontas Street; thence

southerly along said right-of-way of Pocahontas Street approximately 655 feet to a point being the intersection of the south boundary of Lot 10, Block 54 of Suburb Istrouma; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue westerly along the south boundary of Lots 10 and 7, Block 54 of Suburb Istrouma to the intersection of the east Right-of-Way of Scenic Highway; thence southerly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway approximately 555 feet to a point being the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 4, Block 40 of Suburb Istrouma; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and continue easterly along the north boundary of said Lot 4 to the intersection of the west boundary of Lot 14, Block 40 of Suburb Istrouma; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and continue northerly then easterly along the west and north boundary of said Lot 14 to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Interstate 110; thence southerly along said right-of-way of Interstate 110 to the intersection of the north right-of-way of Chippewa Street; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Chippewa Street to the intersection of the east right-of-way of Lobelia Street; thence northerly along said right-of-way of Lobelia Street to the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 1-A, Block 3 of Standard Heights; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and continue easterly along the north boundary of said Lot 1-A to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Scenic Highway; thence northerly along said right-of-way of Scenic Highway to the intersection of the south boundary of Tract R-4 located in Sections 44 and 45, Township 6 South, Range 1 west, being the Exxon Mobil Refinery; thence continue westerly and southerly along the south and east boundaries of said Tract R-4 to the intersection of the north right-of-way of Ontario Street, being common with the west right-of-way of Lockwood Avenue; thence southerly along the said right-of-way of Lockwood Avenue to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Choctaw Drive; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Choctaw Drive approximately 1910 feet to a point, being the approximate intersection of the east right-of-way of Larkspur Avenue; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the right and northerly across Choctaw Drive to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Chippewa Street; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Chippewa Street to the intersection of the east boundary of Lot 12, Block 58 of Standard Heights; thence southerly along the east boundaries of Lots 12 through 22, Block 58 of Standard Heights, across Seneca Street and east boundaries of Lots 12 through 18, Block 57 of Standard Heights to the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 19, Block 57 of Standard Heights; thence turning approximately 90 degrees to the left and easterly across the north boundary of Lot 4, Block 57 of Standard Heights to the intersection of the west right-of-way of Lipine Avenue; thence southerly along said right-of-way of Lipine Avenue to the intersection of the south right-of-way of Choctaw Drive; thence westerly along said right-of-way of Choctaw Drive to the intersection of the west right-of-way of North 3rd Street, being common with the east boundary of the C.N.R.R. Baton Rouge yard and city limits of Baton Rouge; thence southwesterly and westerly along the east and south boundaries of the C.N.R.R. Baton Rouge Yard and westerly along the south boundary of Tract R-2, all being common with city limits of Baton Rouge, to the intersection of the western limits of East Baton Rouge Parish, being within the Mississippi River and being the point of beginning.

(b) The following areas shall be excluded from the district: (Monte Sano Highland Farms)

Lots 4, 5, 24 and 25, Block I of Monte Sano Highland Farms located in Section 37, Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana.

(Southern Heights)

Lots 15 through 19 of Southern Heights located in Section 50, Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana.

Area 3A (Southern University Student Housing)

100, 200, 300 and 400 Millennium Apartments, U.S. Jones Hall, Samuel V. Totty Hall, Boley Hall, and Camile Shade of Southern University located in Sections 39 and 75, Township 6

South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana, being more fully described as follows:

Commence at a point having Louisiana State Plane South Zone coordinates of X=3324105, Y=737349, the actual Point of Beginning; thence proceed in a southwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 53° 51' W a distance of 1123 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 36° 09' W a distance of 723 feet more or less to a point;

thence proceed in a northwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 11° 28' W a distance of 549 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 21° 09' W a distance of 500 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 68° 51' E a distance of 484 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a southeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 21° 09' E a distance of 163 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 68° 51' E a distance of 532 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a southeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 21° 09' E a distance of 673 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a southeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 36° 09' E a distance of 634 feet more or less to the actual Point of Beginning.

Area 3B (Southern University Student Housing)

Lottie Anthony Hall and Wallace Lee Bradford Hall of Southern University located in Section 50, Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana, being more fully described as follows:

Commence at a point on the north side of Harding Boulevard located 30 feet west of the centerline of Harding Boulevard, having Louisiana State Plane South Zone coordinates of X=3324393, Y=734678, the actual Point of Beginning; thence proceed in a southwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 87° 45' W a distance of 309 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 57° 24' W a distance of 80 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 22° 33' W a distance of 58 feet more or less to a point;

thence proceed in a northeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 45° 24' E a distance of 77 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 78° 53' E a distance of 229 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 11° 07' W a distance of 251 feet more or less to a point;

thence proceed along a curve to the right through the Southern University campus property with a radius of 125' and chord of S 52° 14' E a distance of 188 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a southeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 03° 26' E a distance of 315 feet more or less to the actual Point of Beginning.

Area 3C (Southern University Student Housing)

Washington Hall and Bethune Hall of Southern University located in Section 50, Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana, being more fully described as follows:

Commence at a point on the north side of Harding Boulevard located 30 feet west of the centerline of Harding Boulevard, having Louisiana State Plane South Zone coordinates of X=3325128, Y=734704, the actual Point of Beginning; thence proceed in a southwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 87° 53' W a distance of 275 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 02° 07' W a distance of 339 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northeasterly direction through the Southern

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University campus property N 87° 53' E a distance of 275 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a southeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 02° 07' E a distance of 339 feet more or less to the actual Point of Beginning.

Area 3D (Southern University Student Housing)

Horace G. White Hall, William Edward Reed Hall and Grandison Hall of Southern University located in Sections 39 and 50, Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana, being more fully described as follows:

Commence at a point having Louisiana State Plane South Zone coordinates of X=3325690, Y=735865, the actual Point of Beginning; thence proceed in a southeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 01° 24' E a distance of 670 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a northeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 88° 36' E a distance of 174 feet more or less to a point;

thence proceed in a southeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 01° 24' E a distance of 120 feet more or less to a point; thence proceed in a southwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property S 88° 36' W a distance of 304 feet more or less to a point; hence proceed in a northwesterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 01° 24' W a distance of 790 feet more or less to a point;

thence proceed in a northeasterly direction through the Southern University campus property N 88° 07' 36' E a distance of 130 feet more or less to the actual Point of Beginning.

Area 4 (Saint Irma Lee)

Blocks 1, 2 and 3 of Saint Irma Lee subdivision, including Right-of-Ways for Saint Irma Lee Way, Saint John Lane, Rosemary Place, Camden Street and Dillard Drive located in Section 50, Township 5 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana.

(Shada Plantation)

Lots 5-A-1, 5-A-2 and 5-A-3 of Shada Plantation located in Section 50, Township 6 South, Range 1 West, Greensburg Land District, Louisiana."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 27, line 17, after "district," delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 35, between lines 8 and 9 insert the following:

"H. Notwithstanding anything in this Section, each college economic development district and any subdistrict created by such college district, and the governing board of commissioners for such district and subdistrict shall not have any power, authority or right to levy taxes, assessment or fees of any type or form on any property in any area within such district or subdistrict that is used or operated now or in the future for any industrial use, "industrial properties", as defined below.

(1) Each college economic development district and any subdistrict created by such college district may be the recipient of a sales or use tax increment which consist of that portion of the designated incremental sales or use tax collected each year on the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption and storage for use or consumption of tangible personal property, and on sales of services, all as defined in R.S. 47:301 et seq., or any other appropriate provision or provisions of law as amended.

(2) The sales or use tax increment may include hotel occupancy taxes, occupancy taxes, or similar taxes, or any combination of such taxes, levied upon the use or occupancy of hotel rooms if so designated by the city of Baton Rouge, parish of East Baton Rouge as the tax recipient entity, from taxpayers located within a college economic development district and subdistrict which exceeds the designated sales or use tax revenues and hotel occupancy taxes, occupancy taxes, or similar taxes so designated that were collected in the year immediately prior to the year in which the college economic development district and any subdistrict was established. For purposes of this Subsection "industrial uses" means the activities within land areas

predominantly used, in whole or in part, connected with industrial, manufacturing, fabricating, constructing, assembly, processing, treating, storage and/or wholesale distribution of products, commodity, goods, materials and/or articles, including, for illustration, but without limitation:

(a) The processing of raw materials or substances.

(b) The making, manufacturing or assembling of semi-finished or finished goods, products or equipment.

(c) The cleaning, servicing, repairing or testing of materials, goods and equipment normally associated with industrial businesses or cleaning, servicing and repair operations to goods and equipment use, where such operations have impacts that would make them incompatible in non-industrial property or areas.

(d) The storage or transshipping of materials, products, goods and equipment;

(e) The distribution and sale of materials, products, goods and equipment to institutions or industrial and commercial businesses for their direct use or to stores for resale to individual customers.

(f) The training of personnel in general industrial operations.

(g) Any other permitted uses on Industrial Properties set forth in the Unified Development Code for the City of Baton Rouge / Parish of East Baton Rouge, Louisiana ("UDC") in Section 8.211 (M1 Light Industrial District and Section 8.212 (M2 Heavy Industrial District) as each may be amended (individually and collectively "Industrial District Zoning")."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 35, at the beginning of line 9, change "H." to "I."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 35, at the beginning of line 14, change "I." to "J."

On motion of Senator Fieldsf, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Pope
Barrow	Henry	Price
Bernard	Hensgens	Reese
Boudreaux	Jackson	Smith
Bouie	Kleinpeter	Stine
Carter	Luneau	Talbot
Cathey	McMath	Tarver
Connick	Milligan	White
Duplessis	Mills, F.	
Fields	Mills, R.	
Total - 31		

NAYS

Cloud	Hewitt	Peacock
Fesi	Morris	
Total - 5		

ABSENT

Allain	Lambert	Womack
Total - 3		

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

SENATE BILL NO. 74—
BY SENATOR CONNICK

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 53 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 34:5210 through 5215, relative to the creation of the Louisiana Port Authority Advisory Commission; to provide for definitions; to establish a board of directors; to specify the purpose, powers, jurisdiction, and duties of the commission; to provide relative to the ethics code and public records; 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. 74 by Senator Connick

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 4, delete "Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 6, delete "Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 24, change "senate and house" to "Senate and House"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 25, change "senate and house" to "Senate and House"

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

Floor Amendments

Senator Connick proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Connick to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 74 by Senator Connick

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, before "Louisiana Port Authority" insert "Southeast"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 10, before "LOUISIANA PORT AUTHORITY" insert "SOUTHEAST"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 13, before "Louisiana" insert "Southeast"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 17, before "Louisiana Port Authority" insert "Southeast"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 1, before "Louisiana Port Authority" insert "Southeast"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 12, before "East Baton Rouge," insert "Ascension,"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 12, after "East Baton Rouge," insert "Iberville,"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 13, delete "St. Tammany,"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 15, before "Louisiana Port Authority" insert "Southeast"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 2, before "Louisiana Port Authority" insert "Southeast"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, line 4, before "Louisiana Port Authority" insert "Southeast"

On motion of Senator Connick, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Connick submitted the following amendments on behalf of Senator Smith.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Smith to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 74 by Senator Connick

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, line 10, delete "president of the board of commissioners for the" and insert "chief executive officer of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, line 12, delete "president of the board of commissioners for the" and insert "chief executive officer of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, line 16, delete "president" and insert "chairman"; after "Plaquemines Port" insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 3, line 18, delete "the Port of"

On motion of Senator Connick, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Connick 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
Barrow	Henry	Peacock
Bernard	Hensgens	Pope
Boudreaux	Hewitt	Price
Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Tarver
Duplessis	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	
Fields	Mills, R.	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain
Total - 2
Womack

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed, ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Senator Connick moved to

reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE BILL NO. 82—

BY SENATOR FESI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:98.1(A)(3)(c) and 98.2(A)(3)(c), R.S. 32:378.2(A), (B)(1)(a)(ii)(aa) and (bb), (H), and (M)(2) and 414(A)(1)(c)(i) and (ii) and (D)(1)(b), 667(B)(1)(b) and (3)(b) and (c), and (I)(1)(a), and the introductory paragraph of 668(B)(1)(a), and to enact R.S. 15:307.1 and R.S. 32:378.2(O), relative to ignition interlock devices; to provide standards for compliance with ignition interlock devices; to make technical changes; to change criminal offenses for driving while intoxicated; to provide for a change in time periods that a driver is required to have an ignition interlock device; to provide relative to restricted driver's licenses; to extend the amount of time that a driver is required to have an ignition interlock device upon notice of noncompliance; to provide an ignition interlock affordability plan; to provide relative to first and second offense penalties for operating a vehicle while intoxicated; 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. 82 by Senator Fesi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, before "667(B)(1)(b)" insert "the introductory paragraph of 667(B) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, delete "(I)(1)(a)" and insert "the introductory paragraph of 667(I)(1) and 667(I)(1)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 15, following "(D)(1)(b)," insert "the introductory paragraph of 667(B) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 15, delete "(I)(1)(a)" and insert "the introductory paragraph of 667(I)(1) and 667(I)(1)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, between lines 22 and 23, insert
"* * *

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

Floor Amendments

Senator Fesi proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fesi to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 82 by Senator Fesi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 3 and 4, and on line 5 delete "668(B)(1)(a)" and insert " R.S. 32:378.2(H) and (M)(2), 414(A)(1)(c)(ii) and (D)(1)(b), and 667(B)(1)(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "changes;" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 8, and on line 9, delete "an ignition interlock device;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, after "plan;" delete the remainder of the line and on line 13, delete "while intoxicated;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 17, and on page 2 delete lines 1 through 19

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 20, delete "Section 2." and insert "Section 1."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, delete lines 14 through 16 and insert "Section 2. R.S. 32:378.2(H) and (M)(2), 414(A)(1)(c)(ii) and (D)(1)(b), and 667(B)(1)(b) are hereby amended and reenacted, and R.S."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, delete lines 20 through 29, and on page 5, delete lines 1 through 13

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 7, delete lines 2 through 8

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 8, delete lines 17 through 29, and on page 9, delete lines 1 through 23 and delete line 26

On motion of Senator Fesi, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Smith proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Smith to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 82 by Senator Fesi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, line 21, after "Corrections" insert "of any violations of Subsection M(2)"

On motion of Senator Smith, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names Allain, Duplessis, Tarver.

Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 97— BY SENATOR CARTER

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(O) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem taxes; to authorize local governmental authorities to exempt property from ad valorem taxes to promote affordable housing; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 154— BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 12-B of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 30:1161 through 1178, relative to renewable energy leases; to provide for rights and obligations; to provide for terms and conditions; to provide for remedies; to provide for termination; to provide for privileges; to provide for redesignation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 214— BY SENATOR MCMATH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3451(2) and (3), 3455(A), 3471(1), (3) and (4), and 3475(A), R.S. 36:4(A)(2), the section heading of 4.1, 8.1(C)(3), 101(A), (B), and (C)(1), 103, 104(A)(14), the introductory paragraph of (B)(1)(a), and (B)(1)(b) and (9), the introductory paragraph of 104.1(A) and 104.1(B)(4), 106(A) and (B), 107, 108(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B), 109, 501(C)(1), 502(A) and (B), and 957, and R.S. 51:3136(A)(9), to enact R.S. 34:3455(C) and 3475(C) and R.S. 36:110 and 111, and to repeal R.S. 36:108(B)(4), 508.3, 508.4, and 509(A)(3), relative to the Department of Economic Development; to rename and reorganize the department to the Department of Commerce; to transfer the office of multimodal commerce from the Department of Transportation and Development to the Department of Commerce; to transfer powers, duties, and responsibilities with respect to multimodal commerce and corresponding department employees, equipment, facilities, funding, and statutory entities from the Department of Transportation and Development to the Department of Commerce; to provide for the commissioner of multimodal commerce; to provide for the multimodal commerce commission; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator McMath proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator McMath to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 214 by Senator McMath

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 18, delete "functioning as a joint legislative committee" and insert "meeting jointly"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 14, line 28, after "Commission" insert "shall"

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

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Boudreaux, Carter. Lists names of senators and their counts for ABSENT.

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.

Rules Suspended

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 78— BY SENATOR POPE

A RESOLUTION

To commend Deputy Brett Savant of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office on being named the 2023 Deputy of the Year by the Louisiana Sheriffs' Association.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 79— BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To commend, recognize, and congratulate John W. "Jay" Robichaux upon his retirement from the St. Charles Parish School Board.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 80— BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, May 11, 2023, as St. John the Baptist Parish Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and to acknowledge the many contributions of culture, beauty, and economic prosperity made to the state of Louisiana by St. John the Baptist Parish residents.

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

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—
BY SENATOR SMITH**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize, commend, and congratulate Harry Hurst Middle School principal David Schexnaydre as the 2023 Louisiana Principal of the Year.

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

Message from the House

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

May 9, 2023

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. 367 HB No. 428 HB No. 438
- HB No. 455 HB No. 460

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 367—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PHELPS, BRASS, FREEMAN, AND JEFFERSON
AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:1944(G), relative to pupil appraisal; to provide for the transition of children with disabilities from services provided through EarlySteps to services provided by local education agencies; to provide for the responsibilities of EarlySteps and local education agencies; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 428—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRESSLY
AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 47:203(C), 300.6(B)(2)(e), and 300.7(C)(2)(d), relative to state income tax; to provide relative to computation of income of estates, trusts, and partnerships subject to state income tax; to provide relative to income derived from flow-through entities; to provide for an exclusion of such income from the taxable income of estates, trusts, and partnerships subject to certain conditions; to provide for requirements and limitations associated with the exclusion; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 438—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT OWEN
AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:433.1(A)(1), relative to oyster seed ground vessel permits; to change the terminology of Public Oyster Seed Ground gear license to Public Oyster Seed Ground gear permit; to change the requirements for a permitted vessel to harvest oysters from public grounds; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 455—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COUSSAN
AN ACT**

To amend and reenact the heading of R.S. 31:11 and R.S. 31:39, 75, 79, 114, 138.1(A) and (B), 156, 164, 166, 175, 192, 204, and 206(A) and to repeal R.S. 9:5805, relative to security interests and other rights in minerals and their production and accounts; to provide relative to the encumbrance of production and accounts in minerals; to repeal a provision governing the accrual of liberative prescription against certain mineral or royalty rights; to provide for standardization of language and updates in terminology; to make technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 460—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT OWEN
AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1046(G)(3)(a) through (c) and (e), (6)(a) through (c), and (8) and to enact R.S. 40:1046(G)(9), relative to the distribution of marijuana for therapeutic use; to provide relative to permitting and regulation of marijuana pharmacies by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide suitability requirements for persons associated with a pharmacy licensed to dispense recommended marijuana for therapeutic use; 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.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on
Senate and Governmental Affairs**

ENROLLMENTS

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

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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 Resolution has been properly enrolled:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAU AND REPRESENTATIVE DUSTIN MILLER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Ambassador James Alfred Joseph.

Respectfully submitted,
SHARON W. HEWITT
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolution was signed by the President of the Senate.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

- Mr. President Foil Mizell
- Abraham Harris Morris

Barrow	Henry	Peacock
Bernard	Hensgens	Pope
Boudreaux	Hewitt	Price
Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Tarver
Duplessis	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	

Total - 38

ABSENT

Allain

Total - 1

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Allain 1 Day

Announcements

The following committee meetings for May 10, 2023, were announced:

Commerce	9:00 A.M.	Room E
Health and Welfare	10:00 A.M.	Hainkel Room
Senate and Gov't Affairs	9:00 A.M.	Room F

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 5:12 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, May 10, 2023, at 2:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

FRAN OGNIBENE
Journal Clerk

