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

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Saturday, June 3, 2023

The Senate was called to order at 5:40 o'clock P.M. by Hon.
Patrick Page Cortez, President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President	Fields	Mills, R.
Abraham	Foil	Morris
Allain	Harris	Peacock
Barrow	Henry	Pope
Bernard	Hensgens	Price
Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Connick	Luneau	Talbot
Duplessis	Milligan	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Total - 33		

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Hewitt	Mizell
Cloud	McMath	Tarver
Total - 6		

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

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Pastor Michael Wicker, 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 Abraham, the reading of the Journal was
dispensed with and the Journal of June 2, 2023, was adopted.

**Privileged Report of the
Legislative Bureau**

June 3, 2023

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following instruments are approved as to construction and
duplication.

HOUSE BILL NO. 12—

BY REPRESENTATIVES NELSON, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA,
BEAULLIEU, BUTLER, CARRIER, COUSSAN, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER,
DUBUISSON, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON,
FIRMONT, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAROFALO,
GLOVER, HARRIS, HILFERTY, HUGHES, ILLG, MIKE JOHNSON,
MCKNIGHT, MCMAHON, MIGUEZ, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN,
ROBERT OWEN, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, SELTERS,
STAGNI, THOMAS, THOMPSON, VILLIO, WHITE, WRIGHT, AND
ZERINGUE AND SENATORS MCMATH, ROBERT MILLS, AND MIZELL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.11, relative to pupil progression; to prohibit the
promotion of certain third graders with reading deficiencies to
the fourth grade; to require certain instructional services for
retained students; to provide exceptions for students who meet
certain criteria; to require certain instructional services for
students granted an exception; to require the State Board of
Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt rules; and to
provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 121—

BY REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, BRASS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON,
FREIBERG, GEYMANN, JEFFERSON, MCCORMICK, CHARLES OWEN,
AND TARVER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:17.7, relative to required recess for students; to
require certain public schools to provide daily recess; to provide
for a minimum duration of such recess; and to provide for
related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 128—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1236.26(A), relative to the governing
authority of West Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for nuisance
ordinances regarding grass and obnoxious weeds; and to provide
for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 129—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER
AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 13-L of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes
of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:4720.191, relative to the Lake
Charles North Redevelopment Authority; to repeal provisions
relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, powers and
duties, and funding of the district; and to provide for related
matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 136—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:381(C)(35), relative to the village of Noble and
Sabine Parish; to provide for the abolition of the office of police
chief and the police department in the village of Noble; to
authorize the town to contract with other law enforcement
entities in the parish for law enforcement services; to provide
for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 139—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2575.10, relative to Acadia Parish; to provide relative to administrative adjudication of certain ordinance violations; to provide definitions for certain violations; to provide relative to the types of violations subject to administrative adjudication procedures; to provide relative to appeals; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 163—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SELDERS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2476.7, relative to the Baton Rouge municipal fire and police civil service board; to provide relative to the office of board secretary; to provide relative to the qualifications, salary, and benefits of the secretary; to provide relative to supervision of the secretary; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 182—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDMONSTON, AMEDEE, AND CHARLES OWEN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:170(A)(4), relative to student immunization requirements; to provide that no person shall be required to receive a COVID-19 vaccine as a condition of initial enrollment or continuing attendance at a public or nonpublic school; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 224—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2233.5, relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the procurement of goods and services; to provide relative to contracts awarded to socially and economically disadvantaged businesses; to authorize certain entities to set-aside a certain percentage of contracts to be awarded to such businesses; to provide relative to rules and regulations regarding the certification of socially and economically disadvantaged businesses; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 269—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.25(B), (D)(1) and (2), and (F)(1), (2)(d), and (3)(b), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Delachaise Security and Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries and governance of the district; to provide relative to the appointment of board members; to provide relative to district funding; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed and collected in the district; to provide relative to the term of the fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 275—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS JOHNSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1053(C)(2)(g), relative to Concordia Parish; to provide relative to Concordia Parish Hospital Service District No. 1; to provide relative to the governing board of the district; to provide relative to per diem paid to board members; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 276—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1375 and to repeal R.S. 13:2500(C), relative to penalties for violations of ordinances in New Orleans; to provide relative to penalties for building code violations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 335—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.70.3, relative to the city of Lake Charles; to create the North Lake Charles Economic Development District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 344—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SELDERS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4886, relative to parishes and municipalities; to provide relative to permits required by parishes and municipalities; to prohibit any parish or municipality from requiring a permit for certain services provided by an authorized utility provider; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 355—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.225, relative to the city of Eunice; 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 the tax proceeds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 358—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:3812(J) and 3813(C)(8), relative to Waterworks District No. 1 of Pointe Coupee Parish; to provide relative to the membership of the district's governing board; to provide relative to the appointment of board members; to provide for terms; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 362—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2345(C) and to enact R.S. 33:381(E) and 385.1(C), relative to municipal police chiefs; to provide relative to the qualifications of elected and appointed chiefs; to provide for certain training requirements prior to reelection or reappointment; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 399—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDMONSTON, AMEDEE, AND CHARLES OWEN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:170(E), relative to student immunization requirements; to require that any communication issued to students or their parents or guardians relative to immunization requirements include information relative to exemption from such requirements; to provide that exemptions apply to those attending schools in addition to those seeking to enter schools; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 466—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HORTON, AMEDEE, AND GAROFALO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:412, relative to public school teachers, personnel, and students; to provide relative to discussion of sexual orientation or gender identity with students; to provide relative to pronouns used when referring to students; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 472—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MINCEY, BACALA, COX, FREIBERG, GREEN, HUGHES, IVEY, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, MARCELLE, STAGNI, AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:581 and 582, relative to teacher certification; to provide for the state's entry into the Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact; to require licensure of certain teachers moving from other states that are members of the compact; to provide for governance of the compact by a commission and executive committee; to provide for funding of the commission including provisions for an assessment levied on member states; to provide relative to rules of the commission; to provide for the exchange of information regarding investigations and discipline of teachers; to provide relative to legal actions and liabilities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 505—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWELL
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Orleans Parish; to provide for property descriptions; to provide for the reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 539—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:702(4) and R.S. 47:532.1(A)(3)(a), 532.2(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B) and to enact R.S. 47:532.1(A)(3)(c), relative to public tag agents; to authorize the office of motor vehicles to impose fines, in addition to other restrictions, on any contracts; to provide for definitions; to provide exceptions to public license tag agent surety bond requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 568—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PHELPS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:863(A)(3)(a), relative to sanctions for violations of required vehicle liability security; to modify the lapse period applicable to sanctions for lapse of required liability security; to provide for rule promulgation; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 573—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2195(B) and (C) and R.S. 48:251.7(B) and to enact R.S. 38:2195(D) and R.S. 48:251.7(C), relative to prohibited provisions in public contracts; to provide that any public contract provision that violates provisions of law

governing motor carrier transportation contracts and construction contracts is invalid; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 597—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the title of Subpart D of Part I of Chapter I of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 39:16.1(4), 16.2, 16.3(A)(1), (3)(introductory paragraph), and (5) and (D), 16.4(A)(1), 16.5(A)(1) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and (4)(introductory paragraph), 16.6(A)(1) and (C)(7), 16.8(A) and (C), 16.10(A)(1) and (3) and (C)(introductory paragraph) and (3), 16.12(A), and 16.13(C), to enact R.S. 24:513(D)(7) and Part III of Chapter 8 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:571 through 586, and R.S. 39:16.10(C)(8) and (9), and to repeal R.S. 39:16.3(B), 16.4(B), 16.5(B)(1), (2), and (3) and (D), 16.6(B), 16.7, 16.8(B), 16.9, 16.10(B), 16.11, 16.13(D)(2), and 16.14, relative to the legislative auditor; to provide for the Louisiana Transparency Portal; to provide for the powers and duties of the legislative auditor relative thereto; to provide for the responsibilities and duties of agencies and auditees relative thereto; to provide for the information available on and functionality of the portal; to revise provisions relative to the Louisiana Fiscal Transparency Website, also known as the Louisiana Checkbook; to provide for the duties of the commissioner of administration relative thereto; to create and provide relative to a special fund to be known as the Louisiana Transparency Fund and for the deposit and use of monies in the fund; to provide for a transition from the transparency website to the portal; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 597 by Representative Ivey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, change "(C)(introductory paragraph) and (3)," to "(C)(3)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 15, line 5, change "(C)(introductory paragraph) and (3)," to "(C)(3)."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 18, following line 27, insert "* * *"

HOUSE BILL NO. 624—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.70.3, relative to Evangeline Parish; to create the Evangeline Economic Development Authority; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 656— (Substitute for House Bill No. 373 by Representative DeVillier)

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:1604, relative to water cooperatives; to prohibit cooperatives from denying certain requests for water service; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED MILLS
Chairman

Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 168—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

A RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Task Force on Juvenile Justice Facility Standards.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 169—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the commissioner of the office of alcohol and tobacco control, Department of Revenue, to submit a written report by September 1, 2023, to the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and the David R. Poynter Legislative Research Library in accordance with R.S. 24:771 and 772 concerning the sale or service of alcoholic beverages to underage persons.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 170—

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

A RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Task Force on Crime Against Nature by Solicitation.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 171—

BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Carolyn Cambre Alleman.

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

**Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 166—

BY SENATOR CLOUD

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of juvenile justice in the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to submit quarterly written reports to the Senate Committee on Finance, the Senate Committee on Judiciary B, and the Select Committee on Women and Children regarding the progress and implementation of the tiered system of secure juvenile facilities in Louisiana established by Act No. 693 of the 2022 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 167—

BY SENATOR BOUIE

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Pastor Fred Luter Jr. on the dedication by the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary of the student center building in his name.

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

Message from the House

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 2, 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. 81 HCR No. 84 HCR No. 114
- HCR No. 120 HCR No. 121 HCR No. 122
- HCR No. 123 HCR No. 126 HCR No. 132
- HCR No. 128

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions
on First Reading**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the ArkLaMiss Timber and Bioinnovation Corridor Commission to consider and make recommendations regarding the creation of an ArkLaMiss Timber and Bioinnovation Corridor, a multistate wood basket collaborative between Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, and to serve as the Louisiana delegation for such collaborative when it is established.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a task force to study suicide rates among African Americans in Louisiana and report its findings to the legislature no later than February 1, 2024.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 114—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to study the possible outcomes of allowing supervised practice for previously sanctioned physicians and its effects on the physician shortage in this state and to report its findings by February 1, 2024.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 120—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a subcommittee to be comprised of members of the House Committee on Health and Welfare, the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, the House Committee on Insurance, and the Senate Committee on Insurance to study Louisiana's efforts to prevent, treat, and cure nonmelanoma skin cancer, to develop recommendations for continued improvement in preventive and treatment practices as it relates to nonmelanoma skin cancer, and to report an initial and final findings.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 121—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study succession proceedings and alternatives for low income families and low value properties, and to report its findings to the legislature prior to February 1, 2024.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 122—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to adopt strategies for improving access to dental care for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 123—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JORDAN AND WILLARD AND SENATOR DUPLESSIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Insurance to annually report the number of minority agents that receive grant funds and contracts from the Insure Louisiana Incentive Program.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 126—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the intent of the legislature regarding the Act originating as House Bill No. 586 of the 2023 Regular Session of the Legislature.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 128—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to study wakeboard boats and their impact on fishing and properties on False River.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 132—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, the Alligator Advisory Council, and the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to study and make recommendations relative to alligator markets and populations and commercial, recreational, and nuisance hunting in this state.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**FINANCE**

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

June 3, 2023

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

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.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 47—

BY REPRESENTATIVE NELSON

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10(D)(2)(b)(ii) and (iii) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to payment of certain state retirement system unfunded accrued liability; to provide for the amount of nonrecurring state revenue that is required to be appropriated to such debt; to repeal provisions relative to the amount and distribution of such payments required in prior fiscal years; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 513—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:836, relative to insurance premium tax credits; to authorize an insurance premium tax credit under certain circumstances; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for definitions; to authorize the transfer or sale of certain credits; to authorize the promulgation of rules; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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, 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.

Reported with amendments.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator White asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 43 from the Committee on Finance and discharge said committee.

HOUSE BILL NO. 43—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FIRMENT, BROWN, BUTLER, GLOVER, HORTON, ILLG, JEFFERSON, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, KNOX, MCFARLAND, DUSTIN MILLER, NELSON, AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2256(H) and 2256.3, relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to benefits of designated surviving children; to provide for payment of benefits; to provide with respect to a nonrecurring lump-sum supplemental payment to certain retirees and beneficiaries; to provide relative to eligibility for and calculation of such payment; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Rules Suspended

Senator White asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 272 from the Committee on Finance and discharge said committee.

HOUSE BILL NO. 272—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLARD, AMEDEE, BEAULLIEU, BOYD, BRYANT, CARPENTER, WILFORD CARTER, COX, DUBUISSON, FISHER, HUGHES, JENKINS, JORDAN, KNOX, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MOORE, NEWELL, PIERRE, SELDERS, AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1059.2 and to enact R.S. 22:1059.3, relative to maternity support services provided by doulas; to require health insurance coverage for such maternity support services; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for the redesignation of certain statutes; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Rules Suspended

Senator White asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 449 from the Committee on Finance and discharge said committee.

HOUSE BILL NO. 449—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:431(A)(1)(b) and 431.1(C)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 18:431.1(C)(7), 523, and 523.I and R.S. 36:744(C)(5), relative to the rights of voters with disabilities; to provide for instructions provided to election commissioners relative to the rights of persons with disabilities; to provide for the examinations taken by commissioners; to provide for an Americans with Disabilities Act compliance officer within the Department of State; to provide for compensation; to provide for duties and responsibilities of the officer; to create the Voting Accessibility Advisory Group; to provide for membership; to provide for duties; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

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

Total - 35

ABSENT

Boudreaux	McMath
Hewitt	Tarver

Total - 4

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Boudreaux	1 Day	Hewitt	1 Day
McMath	1 Day	Tarver	1 Day

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 6:26 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Sunday, June 4, 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 OGNI BENE
Journal Clerk