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**SIXTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Fifty-Second Extraordinary Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, February 26, 2024

The Senate was called to order at 5:46 o'clock P.M. by Hon. J. Cameron Henry, Jr., President of the Senate.

**Morning Hour**

**CONVENING ROLL CALL**

PRESENT

Mr. President	Edmonds	Mizell
Abraham	Fesi	Morris
Allain	Foil	Owen
Barrow	Harris	Pressly
Boudreaux	Hensgens	Price
Bouie	Hodges	Reese
Carter	Jackson-Andrews	Seabaugh
Cathey	Jenkins	Stine
Cloud	Kleinpeter	Wheat
Connick	Lambert	Womack
Coussan	Luneau	
Duplessis	Miller	
Total - 34		

ABSENT

Bass	McMath	Talbot
Fields	Miguez	
Total - 5		

The President of the Senate announced there were 34 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 Stine, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of February 25, 2024, was adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 22—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON, BILLINGS, BOYD, CARLSON,  
CARVER, DOMANGUE, GADBERRY, LARVADAIN, MACK, NEWELL,  
AND SCHAMERHORN AND SENATOR CARTER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:101.2 and 101.3 and to repeal R.S. 13:101, 101.1, and 312.4, relative to the supreme court; to implement a settlement in the matter entitled Louisiana State Conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, et al. v. State of Louisiana, et al., in the United States District Court for the Middle District of Louisiana; to provide for the redistricting of supreme court districts in accordance with the settlement; to provide for the filling of vacancies; to

restructure the supreme court by eliminating provisions for a temporary additional judgeship for the Court of Appeal for the Fourth Circuit and such judge's appointment to the supreme court; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON**

**JUDICIARY B**

Senator Mike Reese, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

February 26, 2024

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, HORTON, AND MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 43 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5991 through 5993, and Children's Code Article 412(N), relative to access to criminal justice records; to establish the Truth and Transparency in the Louisiana Criminal Justice System Program; to provide relative to the identification of minute entries; to provide relative to access of minute entries; to require the transmission to the online portal maintained by the Louisiana Clerks' Remote Access Authority; to provide relative to duties and obligations; to provide relative to immunity from suit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA AND MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2793.11, relative to immunity from liability for peace officers and certain public entities; to provide for immunity from civil liability for peace officers and certain public entities; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 3—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BUTLER, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA,  
BAGLEY, BAMBURG, BAYHAM, BERAULT, BILLINGS, BOYD, BOYER,  
BRASS, BRAUD, BROWN, BRYANT, CARLSON, CARRIER, ROBBY  
CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CARVER, CHASSION, CHENEVERT,  
COATES, CREWS, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DICKERSON, EDMONSTON,  
EGAN, FIRMENT, FISHER, FONTENOT, FREIBERG, GADBERRY,  
GREEN, HEBERT, HILFERTY, HORTON, ILLG, JACKSON, MIKE  
JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, KERNER, KNOX, LACOMBE, LAFLEUR,  
LARVADAIN, MACK, MARCELLE, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND,  
MCMAHEN, MCMAKIN, MELERINE, MOORE, NEWELL, ORGERON,  
OWEN, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, SELDERS, ST. BLANC,  
STAGNI TAYLOR, THOMPSON, VENTRELLA, WALTERS, WILDER,  
WILEY, WYBLE, AND ZERINGUE AND SENATOR REESE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 320(D) and (E)(introductory paragraph) and (1) and 893(A)(1)(a), (B)(3), and (F) through (H), R.S. 13:5304(B)(3)(b), and R.S. 15:529.1(C)(3) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 893(B)(2)(c) and (I) and 904, relative to mandatory drug testing and screening; to require drug testing and screening of persons arrested for certain offenses; to provide relative to assessment for participation in drug and specialty court programs for certain nonviolent offenders; to provide relative to confidentiality of drug testing and screening records; to provide for the automatic expungement of records under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the funding for

administration of drug and specialty courts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 4—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES EMERSON AND MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 930.4(F) and (G) and 930.8(A)(1) and (D) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 930.8(E), relative to procedures utilized in post conviction proceedings; to provide relative to the timeliness of post conviction applications; to provide relative to the procedural requirements of post conviction applications; to provide relative to the exceptions to the time limitations of post conviction applications; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 8—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHLEGEL, BACALA, COX, HORTON, AND MIKE JOHNSON AND SENATOR MORRIS AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, AMEDEE, BAGLEY, BAYHAM, BILLINGS, BOYER, BRAUD, BUTLER, CARLSON, ROBBY CARTER, CHENEVERT, COATES, DAVIS, DEVILLIER, DICKERSON, DOMANGUE, ECHOLS, EDMONSTON, EGAN, EMERSON, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, GADBERRY, ILLG, JACOB LANDRY, MCMAKIN, MYERS, OWEN, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, SELDERS, THOMPSON, VENTRELLA, VILLIO, WILDER, WILEY, WYBLE, AND DEWITT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:967.1, relative to controlled dangerous substances; to provide for the unlawful distribution of fentanyl under certain circumstances; to provide for a penalty; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 23—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:257(C) and Code of Civil Procedure Article 1880 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 855.1 and 1845 and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 62(D), relative to procedures challenging the constitutionality of state law; to provide for procedures for actions alleging unconstitutionality of laws; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
MIKE REESE  
Chairman

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, HORTON, AND MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 43 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5991 through 5993, and Children's Code Article 412(N), relative to access to criminal justice records; to establish the Truth and Transparency in the Louisiana Criminal Justice System Program; to provide relative to the identification of minute entries; to provide relative to access of minute entries; to require the transmission to the online portal maintained by the Louisiana Clerks' Remote Access Authority; to provide relative to duties and obligations; to provide relative to immunity from suit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative Bacala

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 5, after "Authority" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 6, and insert the following: "all minute entries, or summary"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 3, line 15, after "purposes of this" change "Section" to "Chapter"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 4, at the end of line 12, after "effective on" change "March 1, 2024." to "April 19, 2024."

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 5, delete line 10, and insert the following:

"Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA AND MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2793.11, relative to immunity from liability for peace officers and certain public entities; to provide for immunity from civil liability for peace officers and certain public entities; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Engrossed House Bill No. 2 by Representative Bacala

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, after line 15, insert the following:

"D. The provisions of this Section shall not relieve a police officer from the duty to drive or ride with due regard for the safety of all persons when he is the driver or rider of a vehicle operated in the course and scope of his employment, including when subject to the provisions of R.S. 32:24."

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 3—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BUTLER, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, BAMBURG, BAYHAM, BERAULT, BILLINGS, BOYD, BOYER, BRASS, BRAUD, BROWN, BRYANT, CARLSON, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CARVER, CHASSION, CHENEVERT, COATES, CREWS, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DICKERSON, EDMONSTON, EGAN, FIRMENT, FISHER, FONTENOT, FREIBERG, GADBERRY, GREEN, HEBERT, HILFERTY, HORTON, ILLG, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, KERNER, KNOX, LACOMBE, LAFFLEUR, LARVADAIN, MACK, MARCELLE, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCMAHEN, MCMAKIN, MELERINE, MOORE, NEWELL, ORGERON, OWEN, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, SELDERS, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, TAYLOR, THOMPSON, VENTRELLA, WALTERS, WILDER, WILEY, WYBLE, AND ZERINGUE AND SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 320(D) and (E)(introductory paragraph) and (1) and 893(A)(1)(a), (B)(3), and (F) through (H), R.S. 13:5304(B)(3)(b), and R.S. 15:529.1(C)(3) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure

Articles 893(B)(2)(c) and (I) and 904, relative to mandatory drug testing and screening; to require drug testing and screening of persons arrested for certain offenses; to provide relative to assessment for participation in drug and specialty court programs for certain nonviolent offenders; to provide relative to confidentiality of drug testing and screening records; to provide for the automatic expungement of records under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the funding for administration of drug and specialty courts; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary B. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 4—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES EMERSON AND MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 930.4(F) and (G) and 930.8(A)(1) and (D) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 930.8(E), relative to procedures utilized in post conviction proceedings; to provide relative to the timeliness of post conviction applications; to provide relative to the procedural requirements of post conviction applications; to provide relative to the exceptions to the time limitations of post conviction applications; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Reengrossed House Bill No. 4 by Representative Emerson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "Articles" change "930.4(F)" to "930.4(D), (E), (F),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 10, after "Articles" change "930.4(F)" to "930.4(D), (E), (F),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"D. ~~A~~ Unless consideration is required in the interest of justice, successive application shall be dismissed if it fails to raise a new or different claim.

E. ~~A~~ Unless consideration is required in the interest of justice, successive application shall be dismissed if it raises a new or different claim that was inexcusably omitted from a prior application."

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, line 16, after "unless" insert "required in the interest of justice or"

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 8—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHLEGEL, BACALA, COX, HORTON, AND MIKE JOHNSON AND SENATOR MORRIS AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, AMEDEE, BAGLEY, BAYHAM, BILLINGS, BOYER, BRAUD, BUTLER, CARLSON, ROBBY CARTER, CHENEVERT, COATES, DAVIS, DEVILLIER, DICKERSON, DOMANGUE, ECHOLS, EDMONSTON, EGAN, EMERSON, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, GADBERRY, ILLG, JACOB LANDRY, MCMAKIN, MYERS, OWEN, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, SELDERS, THOMPSON, VENTRELLA, VILLIO, WILDER, WILEY, WYBLE, AND DEWITT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 23—**

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:257(C) and Code of Civil Procedure Article 1880 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 855.1 and 1845 and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 62(D), relative to procedures challenging the constitutionality of state law; to provide for procedures for actions alleging unconstitutionality of laws; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Reengrossed House Bill No. 23 by Representative Melerine

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 11, after "alleging that a" delete "statute or"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, line 8, after "If the" delete "statute or"

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

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON****JUDICIARY C**

Senator John C. "Jay" Morris III, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary C, submitted the following report:

February 26, 2024

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 5—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:2(B)(61), relative to crimes of violence; to designate the crime of illegal use of weapons or dangerous instrumentalities as a crime of violence; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 6—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MUSCARELLO AND MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:569(A) through (C) and 570(A)(4) and (F) through (H) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(8) and to enact R.S. 15:569(E) and (F) and 570(I) and (J), relative to the execution of a death sentence; to provide for the methods of execution; to provide for the confidentiality of records or information relating to the execution of a death sentence; to provide for criminal penalties for the unauthorized disclosure of records or information relating to the execution of a death sentence; to provide for a civil cause of action relative to the unauthorized disclosure of information or records relating to the execution of a death sentence; to provide for an exception to the Public Records Law and for family members of public officials; to provide for counseling services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

February 26, 2024

HOUSE BILL NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHLEGEL, BACALA, COX, HILFERTY, AND MIKE JOHNSON AND SENATOR HODGES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:64.2(B), relative to the crime of carjacking; to enhance the penalties for the crime of carjacking; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 9—
BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO AND SENATOR MORRIS AND REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(1)(a), (2), (3), (4)(introductory paragraph), (5)(a)(introductory paragraph), and (6)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (B)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 15:574.22, relative to parole; to provide relative to parole eligibility; to provide for the restriction of parole eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 10—
BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLIO, MIKE JOHNSON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATOR MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.5(C), to enact R.S. 15:571.3(G) and 571.3.1, and to repeal R.S. 15:571.3(C) and (D) and 574.6.1 and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895.6, relative to eligibility for good time credits; to provide relative to the automatic earning of good time credits by offenders for good behavior; to provide for the elimination of earned compliance credits while on probation or parole; to provide relative to the earning of additional good time credit through participation and completion of certain programs while incarcerated; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLIO, BACALA, BOYER, COX, FONTENOT, HORTON, MIKE JOHNSON, AND WILEY AND SENATOR MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 893(A)(1)(a) and (4), (B)(3), (G), and (H)(1) through (3), 899.1(A), and 900(A)(6)(b) through (d) and R.S. 15:574.7(B)(1)(introductory paragraph), (C), and (D) and 574.9(H), to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 900(A)(6)(e), and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 899.2 and R.S. 15:574.7(E), relative to violations and sanctions for probation and parole supervision; to provide relative to probation time periods; to provide relative to a technical violation of probation or parole; to provide relative to administrative sanctions for violation of probation or parole; to provide relative to revocation of probation or parole; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN C. "JAY" MORRIS III
Chairman

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:2(B)(61), relative to crimes of violence; to designate the crime of illegal use of weapons or dangerous instrumentalities as a crime of violence; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 6—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MUSCARELLO AND MIKE JOHNSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:569(A) through (C) and 570(A)(4) and (F) through (H) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(8) and to enact R.S. 15:569(E) and (F) and 570(I) and (J), relative to the execution of a death sentence; to provide for the methods of execution; to provide for the confidentiality of records or information relating to the execution of a death sentence; to provide for criminal penalties for the unauthorized disclosure of records or information relating to the execution of a death sentence; to provide for a civil cause of action relative to the unauthorized disclosure of information or records relating to the execution of a death sentence; to provide for an exception to the Public Records Law and for family members of public officials; to provide for counseling services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Re-Engrossed House Bill No. 6 by Representative Muscarello

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 6 and 7, and insert "sentence; to provide for a civil"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, delete lines 9 through 11

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 12, change "3" to "2"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, between lines 16 and 17, insert:

"(3) If any provision or item of this Subsection, or the application thereof, is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items, or applications of the Subsection which can be given effect without the invalid provision, item, or application and to this end the provisions of this Subsection are hereby declared severable."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 6, after line 7, insert

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2024; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval by the legislature or July 1, 2024, whichever is later."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHLEGEL, BACALA, COX, HILFERTY, AND MIKE JOHNSON AND SENATOR HODGES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:64.2(B), relative to the crime of carjacking; to enhance the penalties for the crime of carjacking; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 9—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO AND SENATOR MORRIS AND REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(1)(a), (2), (3), (4)(introductory paragraph), (5)(a)(introductory paragraph), and (6)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (B)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 15:574.22, relative to parole; to provide relative to parole eligibility; to provide for the restriction of parole eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 10—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLIO, MIKE JOHNSON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATOR MORRIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.5(C), to enact R.S. 15:571.3(G) and 571.3.I, and to repeal R.S. 15:571.3(C) and (D) and 574.6.1 and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895.6, relative to eligibility for good time credits; to provide relative to the automatic earning of good time credits by offenders for good behavior; to provide for the elimination of earned compliance credits while on probation or parole; to provide relative to the earning of additional good time credit through participation and completion of certain programs while incarcerated; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 11—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLIO, BACALA, BOYER, COX, FONTENOT, HORTON, MIKE JOHNSON, AND WILEY AND SENATOR MORRIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 893(A)(1)(a) and (4), (B)(3), (G), and (H)(1) through (3), 899.1(A), and 900(A)(6)(b) through (d) and R.S. 15:574.7(B)(1)(introductory paragraph), (C), and (D) and 574.9(H), to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 900(A)(6)(e), and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 899.2 and R.S. 15:574.7(E), relative to violations and sanctions for probation and parole supervision; to provide relative to probation time periods; to provide relative to a technical violation of probation or parole; to provide relative to administrative sanctions for violation of probation or parole; to provide relative to revocation of probation or parole; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Reengrossed House Bill No. 11 by Representative Villio

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 10, delete line 15 in its entirety and insert the following:

- "(a) The issuance of a reprimand and warning to the parolee.
- (b) That the parolee be required to conform to one or more additional conditions of parole which may be imposed in accordance with R.S. 15:574.4.
- (c) That the parolee be arrested, and upon arrest be given a prerevocation hearing within a reasonable time, at or reasonably near the place of the alleged parole violation or arrest, to determine whether there is probable cause to detain the parolee pending orders of the parole committee."

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

**ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**

**PRESENT**

Mr. President	Edmonds	Mizell
Abraham	Fesi	Morris
Allain	Foil	Owen
Barrow	Harris	Pressly
Bass	Hensgens	Price
Boudreaux	Hodges	Reese
Bouie	Jackson-Andrews	Seabaugh
Carter	Jenkins	Stine
Cathey	Kleinpeter	Talbot
Cloud	Lambert	Wheat
Connick	Luneau	Womack
Coussan	Miguez	
Duplessis	Miller	
Total - 37		

**ABSENT**

Fields	McMath
Total - 2	

**Leaves of Absence**

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Fields	1 Day	McMath	1 Day
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**Announcements**

The following committee meetings for February 27, 2024, were announced:

Finance	9:30 A.M.	Room A
Senate and Gov't Affairs	8:30 A.M.	Room E

**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 6:14 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, February 27, 2024, at 4:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate  
FRANCINE K. OGNIBENE  
Journal Clerk

