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Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, May 1, 2013

The Senate was called to order at 2:10 o'clock P.M. by Hon. John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Donahue	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Peacock
Amedee	Gallot	Perry
Appel	Guillory	Riser
Broome	Heitmeier	Smith, G.
Brown	Johns	Tarver
Buffington	Kostelka	Thompson
Chabert	LaFleur	Ward
Claitor	Long	White
Cortez	Martiny	
Crowe	Mills	
Total - 31		

ABSENT

Allain	Morrish	Smith, J.
Dorsey-Colomb	Nevers	Walsworth
Morrell	Peterson	
Total - 8		

The President of the Senate announced there were 31 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Pastor Joe Green, 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 Murray, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of April 30, 2013, was adopted.

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 30, 2013

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 44—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Alcoa upon the celebration of its one hundred twenty-fifth anniversary and to designate May 14, 2013, as "Alcoa Day at the Legislature".

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 46—

BY SENATORS ALARIO, ADLEY, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Sarah Whalen, former lobbyist and public servant.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47—

BY SENATOR GALLOT AND REPRESENTATIVES COX, JEFFERSON AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Charles M. Blow, Grambling State University graduate and columnist for The New York Times.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—

BY SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Cindy Baylor, Pamela Penton, and Shannon Landry upon selection as School Support Employees of the Year for their exemplary service to the students and faculty of the St. Tammany Parish School System for 2012-2013.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Privilege Report of the
Legislative Bureau**

May 1, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following bills are approved as to construction and duplication. We advise and suggest the following amendments to the engrossed bills.

HOUSE BILL NO. 89—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(5)(b) and 416.21(M)(2), relative to student behavior; to provide relative to the use of seclusion and physical restraint in response to the behavior of students with exceptionalities; to except certain students with exceptionalities from the applicability of certain requirements with respect to the use of seclusion and restraint; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 635—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICK WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:81(W), relative to local school board powers and duties; to require city, parish, and other local public school boards to adopt policies to require schools to provide certain accommodations for employees to express breast milk; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide that the requirements shall be at no cost to school boards; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 635 by Representative Patrick Williams

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 17, change "which" to "that"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 18, change "which" to "that"

Respectfully submitted,
DANIEL R. MARTINY
Chairman

Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report

On motion of Senator Martiny, 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. 77—
BY SENATOR RISER

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 2013, as "Breast Cancer Awareness Month".

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 78—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

A RESOLUTION

To commend Hélène Durand, Vice President of the Association France-Louisiane Franco-Américaine, on being a good will ambassador of the state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 79—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Blue Star Mothers and the Gold Star Mothers of Louisiana for their efforts in support and honor of armed forces families everywhere and especially those families that have lost loved ones to conflicts around the world.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 80—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Hadley J. Castille.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 81—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Lawrence Zachaire Sr.

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 259— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 7 by
Senator Peacock)**

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2252(4), 2256(A), and 2257(K)(3) relative to statewide retirement systems; to provide relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility, benefits, and accrual and contribution rates; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Guillory the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

**Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 67—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A RESOLUTION

To commend Diane Vickers for her selection by the Louisiana Association of Educators to receive its 2013 Teacher Image Award.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 69—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A RESOLUTION

To commend Windom Joseph Burton for his brave service to his country during World War II and for his contributions to and leadership of his hometown community after his return to civilian life.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 70—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family of United States Marine Corps Lance Corporal Esrom "Izzy" Joseph upon his death while serving in his country's armed forces.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 71—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family of Louisiana Army National Guard Sergeant Kevin Weiner upon his death while in the service of his country.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 72—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family of United States Air Force Technical Sergeant Larry Bunn upon his death in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 73—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family of Louisiana Army National Guard Sergeant Michael Norbert Perry Jr. upon his death while in the service of his country.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 74—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family of United States Army Lieutenant Colonel Don C. Faith upon the repatriation of his remains from an unmarked grave in enemy territory, his long journey home and his burial with full military honors befitting a recipient of the Medal of Honor in Arlington National Cemetery on April 17, 2013.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 75—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Reverend Frank J. Jackson, new pastor of St. Matthew Baptist Church in Boyce, Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 76—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Mrs. Doris Mott Robinson upon the occasion of her ninety-fourth birthday.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—
BY SENATOR CROWE AND REPRESENTATIVE CROMER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Jon Mitchell, a Pearl River High School senior, upon being named Louisiana's 2013 High School Student of the Year.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Crowe moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Allain	Gallot	Peacock

Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Heitmeier	Peterson
Broome	Johns	Riser
Brown	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	

Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Smith, J.
Total - 1

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—
BY SENATOR MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Coalition for Violence Prevention upon its efforts as an independent, grassroots, multi-disciplinary coalition of behavioral health community members who are committed to the early detection of those at risk for interpersonal violence in order to prevent such violence and the terrible human tragedies that accompany such violence.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Mills moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Nevers
Adley	Erdey	Peacock
Allain	Gallot	Perry
Amedee	Guillory	Peterson
Appel	Heitmeier	Riser
Broome	Johns	Smith, G.
Brown	Kostelka	Tarver
Buffington	LaFleur	Thompson
Chabert	Long	Walsworth
Claitor	Mills	Ward
Cortez	Morrell	White
Crowe	Morrish	
Donahue	Murray	

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Martiny
Total - 2
Smith, J.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—
BY SENATOR MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to evaluate and study the scenic Bear Bayou, Bayou Chevreu, Big Bayou Jessie, Bayou Grosbeak, Bayou Cocodrie, and Bayou Cane within the lower Atchafalaya Basin (Basin) for inclusion in the Louisiana Natural and Scenic Rivers System (LNSRS).

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54— BY SENATOR MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVES TERRY LANDRY AND BARRAS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the city of New Iberia, Louisiana for being nationally recognized as a 2013 historic rebound town by Cable News Network (CNN).

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Mills moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Dorsey-Colomb, Nevers, Adley, Erdey, Peacock, Allain, Gallot, Perry, Amedee, Guillory, Peterson, Appel, Heitmeier, Riser, Broome, Johns, Smith, G., Brown, Kostelka, Tarver, Buffington, LaFleur, Thompson, Chabert, Long, Walsworth, Claitor, Mills, Ward, Cortez, Morrell, White, Crowe, Morrish, Donahue, Murray

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Martiny, Smith, J., Total - 2

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55— BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the intent of the Legislature of Louisiana regarding the allocation and distribution of juvenile detention facility beds, and to recommend that the Juvenile Justice Reform Act Implementation Commission order a study to evaluate how to ensure adequate access to beds for youth in juvenile detention facilities.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56— BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and publicly acknowledge a series of reform accomplishments of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Youth Services, Office of Juvenile Justice (OJJ).

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Broome moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Dorsey-Colomb, Morrish, Allain, Erdey, Murray, Amedee, Gallot, Nevers, Appel, Guillory, Peacock, Broome, Heitmeier, Peterson, Brown, Johns, Riser, Buffington, Kostelka, Smith, G., Chabert, LaFleur, Tarver, Claitor, Long, Thompson, Cortez, Martiny, Walsworth, Crowe, Mills, Ward, Donahue, Morrell, White

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Adley, Perry, Smith, J., Total - 3

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57— BY SENATORS MARTINY, APPEL, CORTEZ, CROWE, GUILLORY, JOHNS, LONG, MILLS, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE AND REPRESENTATIVES STUART BISHOP, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, CARMODY, CHANEY, CONNICK, FANNIN, GUINN, HARRIS, HENRY, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, IVEY, LOPINTO, MACK, ORTEGO, PEARSON, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, SCHRODER, SHADOIN, SIMON, STOKES AND TALBOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the various departments to take certain actions regarding the commercial construction and operation by Planned Parenthood Gulf Coast of a facility to provide abortions in Louisiana.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

April 30, 2013

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

Table with 3 columns: HB NO. 259, HB NO. 282, HB NO. 303, HB NO. 389, HB NO. 425, HB NO. 473, HB NO. 603, HB NO. 633, HB NO. 667, HB NO. 323, HB NO. 332, HB NO. 395, HB NO. 678, HB NO. 286, HB NO. 409, HB NO. 415, HB NO. 422, HB NO. 462, HB NO. 465, HB NO. 470, HB NO. 489, HB NO. 510, HB NO. 547, HB NO. 561, HB NO. 566, HB NO. 664

Respectfully submitted,
 ALFRED W. SPEER
 Clerk of the House of Representatives

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 259—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.532(A), relative to the Hopkins Street Economic Development District in New Iberia; to provide relative to the membership of the district's board of commissioners; 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. 282—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLMOTT, ADAMS, BILLIOT, CONNICK, LEOPOLD, LORUSSO, STOKES, AND TALBOT AND SENATORS APPEL AND MARTINY
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2575.1(C), relative to administrative adjudications in Jefferson Parish; to provide relative to appeals of administrative adjudication decisions regarding immovable property; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 286—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROSSETT
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.1(C)(2)(c) and (3)(a), relative to the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authorities; to provide for the nominating committee; to provide for the authority of the nominating committee; to provide for the notice of committee vacancy; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 303—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1629(A) and to enact R.S. 23:1599, relative to unemployment compensation; to provide with respect to notice requirements; to waive the requirement that certain notices be sent by certified mail; to shorten notice time period for appeals; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 323—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BADON, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, AND HONORE
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9091.21, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the Eastover Neighborhood Improvement and Security District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition of a parcel fee and for the use thereof; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 332—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2590(A)(1) through (21) and (25) and to enact R.S. 13:2590(A)(32), relative to justice of the peace court costs; to provide for an increase in court costs collected by

a justice of the peace for certain filings and services in civil matters; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 389—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.9(F)(1) and (3)(c) and to repeal R.S. 33:9091.9(F)(3)(b), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Twinbrook Security District; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed within the district; to change the amount and expiration date of the parcel fee; to provide relative to the renewal of the parcel fee; to provide relative to the parcel fee being imposed on the effective date of this Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 395—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:412(L) and R.S. 40:1321(L), relative to driver's licenses and special identification cards; to authorize the inclusion of "situs inversus totalis" on driver's licenses and special identification cards; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 409—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1524 and to enact R.S. 32:1524.1, 1524.2, and 1524.3, relative to contract carriers transporting railroad employees; to provide for certain safety regulations for such contract carriers, including driver qualifications, alcohol and controlled substance testing, vehicle inspections, and records; to provide for violations and penalties; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 415—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ORTEGO, BARRAS, GUINN, JOHNSON, JONES, LEBAS, MILLER, MONTOUCET, ST. GERMAIN, THIBAUT, AND THIERRY
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:235(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 25:651(C)(7) and R.S. 32:235(A)(3) and (4), relative to guide signs; to require the Department of Transportation and Development to adopt a supplement to the manual and specifications for a uniform system of traffic control devices that permits parish governing authorities to request bilingual guide signs on certain roads; to provide guidelines for the supplement to be adopted by the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for additional authority for the Council for the Development of French in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 422—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:935.1(A), (B)(1), (2), (4), and (5), (D), and (E)(1)(a) and (3) and to repeal R.S. 51:935.1(C), relative to the unified economic development budget report; to require an annual report; to delete need for independent economist contract and consultation requirements; to require report submission to all members of the legislature; to simplify report contents by

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repealing certain content requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 425—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 6:1013.1, relative to check cashing facilities; to provide for cashing certain government checks; to provide for records retention; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 462—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:80(A)(11), (B), and (C)(2), relative to qualifications for high alcohol beverage permits; to provide for the definition of the term "spouse"; to provide relative to citizenship and residency requirements for manufacturer's permits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 465—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:393(B)(2) and (C)(1)(b) and 414.2(A)(1)(c) and to enact R.S. 32:414.2(A)(1)(d)(xi), relative to commercial driver's licenses; to provide for reports to be sent to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections regarding violations by holders of commercial driver's licenses; to provide relative to the disqualification of commercial driver's licenses; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 470—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:284.1, relative to the transportation of dogs; to prohibit the transportation of dogs in pickup truck beds and utility trailers on certain roadways; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 473—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3403(J), relative to the Louisiana Agricultural Commodities Commission; to provide for commission meetings within each calendar year; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 489—
BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:73(H) and 272(H), relative to certain permits for local historic districts; to require the issuance of certain permits by the commissioner and the municipal or parish governing authority for the sale of low and high alcohol beverages in areas designated as local historic districts; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 510—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2092(B) and 2092.1 and to enact R.S. 3:2092(C) and 2094, relative to the Louisiana Board of Animal Health; to provide for the qualifications of the state veterinarian employed by the board; to provide for venue of suits filed against the board; to provide for the powers of the state veterinarian; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 547—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PRICE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:781(4), (7), and (14), 784(A)(introductory paragraph) and (5), 785, 790(B), 792(A)(introductory paragraph), and 794(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 32:784(A)(6) and 792(A)(5), relative to the regulation of used motor vehicles; to provide for definitions; to provide for rent-to-own dealers; to provide for used motor vehicle salespersons; to provide procedures for denial, suspension, or revocation of a license; to provide for notice, hearings, and appeals; to provide for abandonment of businesses; to increase the fine for violations of black market sales; to provide for grounds for denial of a license; to provide relative to wholesale motor vehicle auctions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 561—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TIM BURNS, ADAMS, BADON, BERTHELOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, BROSETT, BURFORD, CARTER, CROMER, GAROFALO, GISCLAIR, HENRY, HODGES, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LORUSSO, MACK, MILLER, MORENO, PEARSON, RITCHIE, SCHRÖDER, SIMON, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, THOMPSON, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5725 and to repeal R.S. 13:5724, relative to the coroner of St. Tammany Parish; to require the governing authority of St. Tammany Parish to collect certain tax revenues levied for purposes of the St. Tammany Parish coroner's office; to require all collected revenues to be deposited into a special account for designated use; to require the governing authority to establish an annual salary for the St. Tammany Parish coroner; to require the governing authority to establish the salaries of employees of the coroner's office; to provide for certain responsibilities of the governing authority relative to the use of the tax proceeds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 566—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1665 and to enact R.S. 23:1665.1, 1665.2, and 1665.3, relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for reciprocal arrangements between federal and state agencies; to provide for a reciprocal overpayment recovery arrangement; to provide definitions; to provide with respect to duties and responsibilities of requesting and recovering states; to provide for recovery of combined wage claims; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 603—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.11(E)(introductory paragraph) and (F)(introductory paragraph), (3)(c), and (4) and to repeal R.S. 33:9091.11(F)(3)(b), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Hurstville Security and Neighborhood Improvement District; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed within the district; to change the expiration date of the parcel fee; to provide relative to the renewal of the parcel fee; to prohibit the imposition of the fee on certain parcels; to provide relative to the parcel fee being imposed on the effective date of this Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 633—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2137 and enact R.S. 3:2130, relative to preventing the spread of disease; redesignates provisions of current law; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 664—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1731 through 1735 and 1736(A), (B), and (E) and to enact R.S. 3:1733.1, 1733.2, 1735.1, 1737, and the headings for Parts III and III-A of Chapter 12 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to the sweet potato industry; to provide for sweet potato dealers permits; to provide for the requirements and applications for such permits; to provide for exceptions, denials, suspensions, revocations, and probation of such permits; to provide for definitions; to provide for shipment fees; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for certificates of inspection; to provide for the disposition of funds; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 667—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:531(A)(3) and 537(A)(5), relative to local housing authorities; to provide relative to the governing boards of authorities located in certain parishes; to provide that governing board members shall be appointed and removed by the chief elected official of the parish rather than the parish governing authority; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 678—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions in appropriations 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 2012-2013; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 30, 2013

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. 6

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**House Concurrent Resolutions
on First Reading**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JIM MORRIS AND GEYMANN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the commissioner of administration to change the expenditure limit for Fiscal Year 2013-2014.

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. 46—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PRICE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1145.2, relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to authorize a cost-of-living benefit adjustment for certain retirees and their beneficiaries; to provide for eligibility for, funding of, and limitations on the adjustment; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 54—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2135, relative to ad valorem tax proceeds due to the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to collection procedures for past due remittals; to provide definitions; to provide relative to the authority of the treasurer; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 127—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:220, 220a, and 220b, relative to the Louisiana Code of Military Justice; to provide for the creation of certain crimes related to sexual offenses within the Louisiana Code of Military Justice; to provide for definitions and punishments as it relates to each offense; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 195—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5554(R), relative to the payment of group insurance premium costs for persons retired from the Richland Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for eligibility for payment of such costs for retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs of the Richland Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 202—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:15, relative to applications for licenses, permits, or certificates; to provide for the Department of Agriculture and Forestry to request an applicant's social security number; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 207—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351(F), relative to the powers, duties, and functions of public postsecondary education management boards; to authorize each public postsecondary education management board to name buildings at institutions under its supervision and management in honor of living persons pursuant to board policy; to provide that such policy may include criteria for such naming; to provide relative to monetary donations; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 212—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROSETT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:726.3(A), (C)(2), and (D)(1) and to enact R.S. 29:726.3(C)(3) and (G)(3), (4), and (5), relative to the Louisiana Homeland Security and Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act; to provide for the development, operation, and maintenance of a critical incident planning and mapping system for nonpublic schools, proprietary schools, and nonpublic colleges and universities; to provide for responsibilities of each local parish office of emergency preparedness and the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness; to require that certain entities provide critical information to be included in the system; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 256—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICK WILLIAMS AND SENATOR JOHNS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 25(B)(3) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to tax sales occurring in certain parishes; to provide for the redemption period for certain blighted or abandoned property sold at tax sale; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 312—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:418, to enact R.S. 37:3652, and to repeal R.S. 29:419, relative to licensing of military servicemembers and their spouses; to increase the length of time a servicemember has to renew a government-issued or professional license after return from duty; to increase the length of time a servicemember or spouse has to renew a professional license; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 314—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JAMES, GREENE, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, JEFFERSON, NANCY LANDRY, PIERRE, SMITH, AND THIERRY

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 28 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1951 through 1955, relative to Internet privacy; to prohibit employers and public educational institutions from requesting or requiring certain individuals to disclose information that allows access to or observation of personal online accounts; to prohibit employers and public educational institutions from taking certain actions for failure to disclose information that allows access to personal online accounts; to provide for exceptions; to limit liability for failure to search or monitor the activity of an individual's personal online account; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 559—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROSETT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2225.2.1(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 38:2225.2.1(A)(4), (5), and (6), relative to public contracts; to extend the time relative to the utilization of design-build contracts under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

**House Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 92—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DOVE, GAROFALO, ST. GERMAIN, WHITNEY, AND HARRISON AND SENATOR CHABERT AND REPRESENTATIVES ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, BROSETT, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, EDWARDS, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GEYMAN, GISCLAIR, GREENE, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, IVEY, GIROD JACKSON, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MACK, MILLER, MONTOUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, PEARSON, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, SMITH, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THIERRY, THOMPSON, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Louisiana Legislature upon the untimely and unexpected death of Michael Christopher Voisin

from Houma, Louisiana, advocate and spokesperson for the Louisiana seafood industry and the coastal fishing community.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Murray
Allain	Gallot	Nevers
Amedee	Guillory	Peacock
Appel	Heitmeier	Perry
Broome	Johns	Peterson
Brown	Kostelka	Riser
Buffington	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Cortez	Martiny	Thompson
Crowe	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrell	Ward
Dorsey-Colomb	Morrish	White
Total - 36		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	Claitor	Smith, J.
Total - 3		

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

COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Senator Daniel R. Martiny, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs, submitted the following report:

April 30, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 131—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1973(A) and (C), relative to scrap metal recyclers; to provide for the forms of payment for copper or other metals; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
DANIEL R. MARTINY
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
HEALTH AND WELFARE**

Senator David R. Heitmeier, O.D., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Health and Welfare, submitted the following report:

April 30, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Health and Welfare to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:4.13, relative the Sanitary Code; to provide exceptions to the Sanitary Code; to allow a not-for-profit entity or charitable organization to receive or use certain meats or fish for food or meal distribution at no cost to an individual; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 125—
BY SENATOR PETERSON
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8-B of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:979.1 through 979.5, relative to the medical assistance program; to provide for eligibility for benefits of the medical assistance program; to require state participation in the medical assistance program expansion provided in federal law; to provide for duties of the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide relative to the medical assistance program state plan; to authorize promulgation of rules; to require reports concerning the medical assistance program to the legislative committees on health and welfare and the governor; to specify the minimum required content of such reports; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
DAVID R. HEITMEIER, O.D.
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
INSURANCE**

Senator Dan W. "Blade" Morrish, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Insurance, submitted the following report:

April 30, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 126—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:972, Subpart D of Part III of Chapter 4 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:1091 through 1097, and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11), and to enact R.S. 22:821(B)(34), 1098, and 1099, relative to health insurance rate review and approval; to provide for definitions; to provide for rate filings and rate increases; to provide relative to form approval; to provide relative to rating factors, risk pools, and individual market plan and calendar year requirements; to provide with respect to review and subsequent approval or disapproval of proposed rate filings and rate

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changes; to provide for fees; to provide for exceptions to the Public Records Law; to provide for implementation and enforcement; to provide for the frequency of rate increase limitations; to provide relative to the prohibition of discrimination in rates due to severe disability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 198—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:550.17(C), relative to captive insurers; to allow the commissioner of insurance to grant reinsurance credits to captive insurers under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 227—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1460(B)(2)(introductory paragraph) and (h), (3), and (E) and to repeal R.S. 22:1460(D)(3), relative to the Property Insurance Association of Louisiana; to change membership requirements; to change requirements of operation; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 291—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PRICE AND BURRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:32(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), (i), (l), and (n) and (3), relative to the Advisory Committee on Equal Opportunity within the Department of Insurance; to require the deputy commissioner of the division of minority affairs to serve as the committee chairperson; to make changes to the list of associations that may submit nominees to be considered for appointment to the committee; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
DAN W. "BLADE" MORRISH
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS**

Senator Yvonne Dorsey-Colomb, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs, submitted the following report:

May 1, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to submit the following report:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 39—
BY SENATOR GALLOT
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to study the laws applicable to local public entities in the purchase of vehicles for law enforcement purposes.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 186—
BY SENATOR GALLOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.166(B)(2), relative to the Grant Parish Economic and Industrial Development District; to provide for funding of the district; to provide for exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 195—
BY SENATORS GALLOT, KOSTELKA AND LONG
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:130.153(10), relative to the Grant Economic Development District; to provide for powers of the district; to provide for the levy and collection of a sales and use tax not to exceed two percent; to provide for exemptions; to require an election; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 209—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4562.3 and to repeal R.S. 33:4562.4, relative to the Evangeline-Ville Platte Recreation District; to provide for a board of commissioners; to provide for the appointments of the commissioners; to provide for duties of the board of commissioners; to provide for the allocation of revenue; to authorize advisory committees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 236—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(b)(ii)(cc), relative to the public bid process; to provide for bidding on public work projects let by East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for implementation of certain rules; to provide for inclusion of certain documents; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 238—
BY SENATOR CHABERT
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 35 of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:1321 through 1326, relative to establishing the Leeville Fishing Village and Cultural Preservation Commission; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for membership and domicile; to provide for powers and duties; to provide for donations and grants; to provide for operating funds; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 239—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1503 (A)(6), (B), (E)(1), (F)(1) and (2), (H)(3) and (5), (I)(5), (6)(a), (9)(a) and (K)(1) and (3)(c), and to enact (M) relative to West Baton Rouge Fire Protection District No. 1; to provide for certain powers of the board of commissioners; to provide for the allocation of certain revenues; to provide specific dates to recalculate assessments; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 241—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.70.2, relative to economic development in Vernon Parish; to create and provide for the Leesville Economic Development District; to provide relative to the powers, duties, boundaries, and governance of the district; to provide relative to district plans; to provide for funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 243—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(Q)(4), relative to Vermilion Parish Tourist Commission; to provide for expenditure of funds; to provide relative to certain municipalities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 247—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.183.1, relative to sales and use taxes; to authorize the levy of an additional sales and use tax not to exceed one-half of one percent in certain parishes; to require voter approval of the parish ordinance authorizing the tax; to require that proceeds from the tax be deposited into the parish general fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
YVONNE DORSEY-COLOMB
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
NATURAL RESOURCES**

Senator Gerald Long, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Natural Resources, submitted the following report:

May 1, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and provide for a comprehensive study and evaluation of Louisiana's levee districts and other water resource boards.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 91—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact Part 6 of Chapter 13 of Title 31 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 31:218, relative to mineral rights and interests; to provide relative to certain unsolicited offers for lease or purchase of mineral rights or interests; to provide certain terms, conditions, requirements, and effects of such unsolicited offers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported by substitute.

SENATE BILL NO. 139—
BY SENATOR WARD AND REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:148.9(B) and to enact R.S. 30:18(A)(6), relative to underground caverns for hydrocarbon storage or solution mining; to provide for penalties for violations of laws, regulations, or orders relative to drilling or use of such underground caverns; to provide factors for determining penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 200—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:23.1, relative to minerals, oil and gas; to provide for a ban on new permits allowing certain types of activities near salt domes; to expand the requirements for new or existing permits to conduct such operations in or near salt domes; to provide for authority to promulgate such requirements; to require a performance bond to conduct such activities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
GERALD LONG
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
SENATE AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS**

Senator Lee "Jody" Amedee, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

April 30, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—
BY SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations on the feasibility of requiring clerks of court to accept electronic signatures on documents for filing.

Reported favorably.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—
BY SENATOR WARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate the Smokin' Oldies Cook-Off in West Baton Rouge Parish as an official Louisiana State barbecue championship.

Reported favorably.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—
BY SENATORS AMEDEE AND WALSWORTH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the State Capitol Complex Task Force to study and make recommendations to the legislature for the capitol park with respect to the state capitol building, traffic congestion, Capitol Lake, and the surrounding infrastructure.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 33—
BY SENATOR BROWN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:31(7), relative to the division of minority affairs; to authorize a survey relative to the hiring practices of insurance companies; to provide for applicability of public records exemptions to the survey; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 148—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1102(18)(b), relative to public employees and the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide an exception to the definition of public employee; to provide for professional services as a certified public accountant; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 153—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 6-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:661 through 668, relative to payment of wages; to provide for definitions; to provide for prohibited acts constituting unequal pay; to provide for a complaint procedure; to provide for damages; to limit actions of employees; to require certain records be kept by employers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 184—
BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:610(E) and 901(A), and R.S. 56:578.2(E), the introductory paragraph of 578.3, and 578.12(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B), and to repeal R.S. 36:802.5, relative to the Louisiana Seafood Promotion and Marketing Board; to provide for certain appointive authority retained; to provide for the powers, duties, and functions of the board; to provide relative to the Louisiana Oyster Task Force and Shrimp Task Force; to provide certain terms, conditions and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 212—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:23(A) and to enact R.S. 44:36(F), relative to public meetings; to require proceedings to be video or tape recorded, filmed or broadcast live; to provide for the preservation of certain records; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 172—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOVE, GAROFALO, AND WHITNEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:149.63, relative to naming state buildings; to name the bivalve hatchery located on Grand Isle; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
LEE "JODY" AMEDEE
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

**TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS
AND PUBLIC WORKS**

Senator Robert Adley, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, submitted the following report:

May 1, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 201—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:412(L) and R.S. 40:1321(L), relative to "I'm a Cajun" on a driver's license and identification card; to provide for the exhibition of the designation "I'm a Cajun" on a driver's license and identification card; to authorize collection of a fee for the "I'm a Cajun" designation; to provide for the disbursement of fees collected to the Council for the Development of French in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 223—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 51 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 34:3551 through 3552, and R.S. 36:509(U), relative to ports; to create the Coastal Port Advisory Authority; to provide for the authority's membership and its officers; to provide for the duties and functions of the authority; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 159—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.160, relative to motor vehicle special prestige plates; to provide for the creation, issuance, and design of such license plates; to provide relative to the fee and distribution of fees for such plates; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations relative to the creation and implementation of a special prestige license plate; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 218—
BY REPRESENTATIVES NORTON AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1(1.1) and 190(D) and to enact R.S. 32:401(24) and 408(C)(3), relative to autocycles; to amend the definition of autocycle; to provide for a helmet exemption for operators and passengers of certain autocycles; to provide for an exemption for certain driver's license endorsements for operators of certain autocycles; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT ADLEY
Chairman

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

SENATE BILL NO. 5—

BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article V, Section 23 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to retirement of judges; to remove the mandatory retirement age of judges; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 5 by Senator LaFleur

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, deletes lines 7 and 8 and insert "to the electors of the state of Louisiana at the next available date of a statewide election or at the statewide election to be held on November 4, 2014, whichever occurs earlier."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 88—

BY SENATORS BROOME, ADLEY, DORSEY-COLOMB, GUILLORY, KOSTELKA, MILLS, PERRY AND WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:82(H), 83.3(E), 83.4(D), and 89.2(E), R.S. 15:539.1(E), 539.2, and 539.3, R.S. 40:2406.1, Chapter 28-B of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2161 through 2163, Chapter 20 of Title VI of the Louisiana Children's Code, comprised of Articles 725 to 725.3, Louisiana Children's Code Arts. 728(6), 730(12), 804(9), and 839(D) and Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 930.10, relative to human trafficking; to provide for certain presumptions concerning children that are victims of child sex trafficking; to provide for restitution to victims; to establish and provide for a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for law enforcement human trafficking training; to provide for human trafficking victims service plans; to provide a civil cause of action for victims of human trafficking; to provide a safe harbor program for sexually exploited children; to provide for a statewide protocol; to provide alternate procedures to delinquency proceedings to children involved in the violation of certain sex offenses; to provide procedures by which certain convictions for prostitution related to victims of human trafficking may be set aside and expunged; to provide relative to services and remedies available to victims of human trafficking under certain circumstances; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 88 by Senator Broome

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To enact" delete "R.S. 14:82(H), 83.3(E), 83.4(D), and 89.2(E)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 3 through 29

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 5

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, at the beginning of line 6, change "Section 2." to "Section 1."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 12, after "**public sale or**" insert "**public**"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 5, at the beginning of line 10, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, at the beginning of line 4, change "Section 4." to "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, at the beginning of line 8, delete "**A. The**" and insert "**A. With respect to children found to be victims of human trafficking, the**"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, at the beginning of line 22, delete "**Developing and maintaining**" and insert "**Referring child victims to the appropriate**"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 7, at the beginning of line 15, after "**shall refer the**" delete "**victim to services**" and insert "**child victim to appropriate services**"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 7, at the end of line 17, delete "**the Department of**" and insert "**the appropriate protective service agency.**" and delete line 18

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 8, at the beginning of line 12, change "Section 5." to "Section 4."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 9, line 13, delete "**Department of Children and Family**" and insert "**Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of juvenile justice.**" and delete line 14

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 12, at the beginning of line 10, change "Section 6." to "Section 5."

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 13, at the beginning of line 11, change "Section 7." to "Section 6."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 92—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 814(A)(60), relative to responsive verdicts; to provide responsive verdicts for the crime of aggravated incest; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 109—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Article 614(E), relative to evaluation orders; to provide for a physical examination after a contradictory hearing; and to provide for related matters.

May 1, 2013

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 109 by Senator Morrish

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "Children's Code" delete the remainder of the line and line 3 and insert "Articles 612(A)(4) and 614(E), relative to evaluation and examination orders for children; to provide relative to certain medical and other examinations and evaluations; to require certain medical examinations in connection with certain mandatory reporting; to provide terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "Code" delete the remainder of the line and insert "Articles 612(A)(4) and 614(E) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert: "Article 612. Assignment of reports for investigation and assessment A.(1)

* * *

(4) When the department receives a mandatory report from a health care practitioner of abuse or neglect of a child who is not in the custody of the state, upon request of the child's parent or caretaker the department shall schedule at its cost an additional and independent medical examination of the child to be conducted promptly by a health care practitioner selected by the child's parent or caretaker. The reports of both examinations shall be made available to the department and to the child's parent or caretaker, and shall be considered by the department in assigning a level of risk to the child and any appropriate action concerning the child. This shall not preclude the obtaining pursuant to Article 614 of any further examination or evaluation of the child.

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, delete "Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary," and insert "When a medical examination of a child has been conducted pursuant to Article 612(A)(4),"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 11, delete "a second" and insert "an additional"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 12, at the end of the line insert: "For the purposes of this Paragraph, an applicant may be the investigator or the child's parent or caretaker."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 159— BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2339, relative to municipal law enforcement; to require payments for a detail or secondary employment to be included in the employee's benefits in certain instances; 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 Original Senate Bill No. 159 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "require payments for a" and insert "provide relative to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "employment" delete the remainder of the line and insert "; to provide relative to communications; to provide relative to administrative fees; to provide relative to public records; to provide relative to medicare and social security contributions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, delete "instances;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 14 and insert the following:

"A. All offices, officers, and staff managing police details and secondary employment shall be prohibited from communicating with the New Orleans Police Department, its staff, officers, or superintendent. Communicating with the Public Integrity Bureau is exempted from this prohibition.

B.(1) The head of the Office of Police and Secondary Employment shall not be within the chain of command of the New Orleans Police Department but shall be bound to observe the Police Officers Bill of Rights and shall be prohibited from disciplining an officer, and shall not restrict access to details without due process through civil service. Civil service shall promulgate rules to resolve OPSE complaints.

(2) The chief management officer for the OPSE shall refer all complaints of unprofessional conduct to the Public Integrity Bureau.

C. The OPSE will be responsible for workers' compensation and all related insurance costs of officers on detail or secondary employment.

D. The maximum administrative fee on hourly detail or secondary employment shall be five dollars per hour.

E. The city of New Orleans shall be responsible for any tax associated with payment of the five dollar administrative fee by any entity.

F. Each assignment of paid police detail and secondary employment, as well as any exempted detail or details exempted from rotation, the name of any coordinator assigned to such detail, as well as the rationale given for any exemption from detail policy or procedure shall be a public record subject to the Public Records Law.

G. The city of New Orleans shall be responsible for the funding and payment of social security and Medicare employer and employee contributions for all detail or secondary employment and shall not deduct any such contributions from hourly rates established for officers on details.

H. Any communication regarding the chief management officer of the OPSE shall be a public record and subject to the Public Records Law and also be available under the Freedom of Information Act.

I. As used in this Section, "OPSE" shall mean the Office of Police and Secondary Employment."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 162— BY SENATOR GARY SMITH AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:34(B)(1)(a)(viii), (h)(v), (i), and (j), to enact Chapter 1-C of Code Title IV, of Code Book III, of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:2718 through 2720.15, and to repeal R.S. 9:2713, relative to surrogacy contracts; to provide for amendments to birth certificates; to provide for definitions relative to surrogacy contracts; to provide for genetic surrogacy contracts; to provide for the enforceability of gestational surrogacy contracts; to provide for the parties to a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for contractual requirements for a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for a proceeding to approve a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for the check of the criminal

records of the parties to a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for a pre-implantation order relative to a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for matters relative to multiple attempts at in utero implantation; to provide for confidentiality of the proceedings relative to a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for continuing and exclusive jurisdiction to the proceedings relative to a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for the termination of a gestational surrogacy contract by notice; to provide for remedies for the failure to perform under a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for the termination of a gestational surrogacy contract and for the effects of divorce, nullity, and death on a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for the effect of a subsequent marriage of the gestational surrogate on a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for a post-birth order; to provide for DNA testing when the child is alleged not to be the child of the intended parents; to provide for time limitations and finality; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 162 by Senator Gary Smith

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, delete "pre-implantation" and insert "pre-embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 25, delete "by means of" and insert "conceived by"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, lines 26 and 28, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 1, after "In utero" delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 3, delete "implanted in the uterus of the gestational surrogate" and insert "transferred into the uterus of the gestational carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 7, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 34, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 2, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, lines 17 and 25, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, line 24, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 4, line 35, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 3, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 42, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, line 43, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 6, line 2, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, line 6, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 6, line 8, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 6, line 22, after "court shall" delete "immediately issue the following orders"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 6, line 24, after "(1)" delete the rest of line 24 through the end of line 28 and insert: "Order and be entitled to the criminal history record and identification files of the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information on each of the intended parents and the gestational carrier and her spouse, if she is married, as a means of performing background checks on those individuals. The bureau shall, upon request and after receipt of fingerprint cards and other identifying information from the court, make available to the court information contained in the bureau's criminal history record and identification files, which pertains to each of the intended parents and the gestational carrier and her spouse, if she is married. In addition, in order to determine an applicant's suitability, the fingerprints shall be forwarded by the bureau to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal history record check. The bureau shall charge a processing fee as provided in R.S. 15:587(B)(1)."

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 6, line 27, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 6, line 29, after "(2)" delete "That" and insert "Order that"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 6, line 31, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 6, line 33, after "(3)" delete "That" and insert "Order that"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 7, line 3, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 7, line 13, delete "Pre-Implantation" and insert "Pre-Embryo Transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 7, line 16, delete "Pre-Implantation" and insert "Pre-Embryo Transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 7, line 20, delete "Pre-Implantation" and insert "Pre-Embryo Transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 7, line 28, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 8, line 2, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 8, line 5, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 8, line 7, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 8, at the end of line 8, insert "₂" and delete lines 9 through 11.

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 8, line 13, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 8, line 37, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 8, line 38, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 8, line 39, delete "Pre-Implantation" and insert "Pre-Embryo Transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 9, delete line 24, and insert:

"A. Before each in utero embryo transfer, the gestational carrier or either"

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 9, line 24, delete "implantation, the gestational surrogate" and insert "embryo transfer, the gestational carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 9, line 28, delete "Pre-Implantation" and insert "Pre-Embryo Transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 9, line 29, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 10, line 2, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 10, line 3, delete "Pre-Implantation" and insert "Pre-Embryo Transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 10, line 5, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 10, line 35, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 11, line 8, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 11, line 11, delete "Pre-Implantation" and insert "Pre-Embryo Transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 11, line 12, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 11, line 14, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 11, line 33, delete "Pre-Implantation" and insert "Pre-Embryo Transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 11, line 34, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 12, line 10, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 12, line 11, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 12, line 12, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 12, line 19, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 12, line 21, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 12, line 22, delete "implantation" and insert "embryo transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 13, line 7, delete "surrogate" and insert "carrier"

AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 15, line 1, after "as the mother" delete "and the name of the surrogate birth parent is not required"

AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 15, after line 7, insert:

"Section 4. If and when this Act is finally passed by the legislature and enacted into law, the Louisiana State Law Institute is hereby authorized and directed to review the comments included with the enacted legislation and to correct such comments as it may deem necessary to accurately reflect the sections as enacted or amended by this Act."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 183—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4802(G)(1), relative to liens and privileges; to provide relative to improvement of an immovable by a contractor; to provide with respect to notice requirements of the lessor of the movables placed at the site of the immovable for use in a work; to provide with respect to privileges securing the improvement; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 183 by Senator Cortez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, delete "ten thirty" and insert "ten"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 213—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2419(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 33:2434, relative to civil service; to provide relative to the New Orleans Police Department; to provide relative to benefits for certain employees in certain positions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Senate Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 40—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the feasibility of authorizing tax lien sales as a replacement or alternative to tax sale certificates.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Joint Human Trafficking Study Commission to study the conditions, needs, issues, and problems relative to human trafficking in Louisiana and to recommend any action or legislation that the commission deems necessary or appropriate.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C.

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

Bagneris Rule

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

Without objection, so ordered.

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Third Reading and Final Passage**

SENATE BILL NO. 10—

BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2178(M)(1)(a)(ii) and to enact R.S. 11:242(F), 243, and 2178(M)(1)(d), relative to statewide retirement systems; to provide for cost-of-living adjustments and permanent benefit increases; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 10 by Senator Guillory

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 23, following "Louisiana" and before "Law" insert "State"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Gallot	Peacock
Allain	Guillory	Perry
Amedee	Heitmeier	Peterson
Appel	Johns	Riser
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Brown	LaFleur	Tarver
Buffington	Long	Thompson
Chabert	Martiny	Walsworth
Claitor	Mills	Ward
Cortez	Morrell	White
Crowe	Morrish	
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Dorsey-Colomb Smith, J.
Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 25—

BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.19, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create a crime prevention and improvement district for the Southern Heights Neighborhood; to provide for the purpose and boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the duties and powers of the district; to authorize for the levy of a parcel fee within the district; to provide for indemnity and exculpation of board members; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 25 by Senator Broome

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 9, following "F" insert "of this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 17, change "real" to "immovable"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 8, change "No" to "Not"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

May 1, 2013

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Allain	Gallot	Peacock
Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Heitmeier	Peterson
Broome	Johns	Riser
Brown	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	Long	Tarver
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Claitor	LaFleur	Smith, J.
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Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 35—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER, ALLAIN, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GUILLORY, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LONG, MILLS, MURRAY, NEVERS, TARVER, THOMPSON AND WARD

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 46-A of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2616 and 2617, relative to annual health action plans prepared by the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for a diabetes annual action plan; to provide for an obesity annual action plan; to provide for the preparation and submission requirements; to provide for the required content of the action plans; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 35 by Senator Heitmeier

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, following "**of**" and before "**contracted**" change "**the**" to "**its**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 29, following "**of**" and before "**contracted**" change "**the**" to "**its**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 9, following "**complications**" and before "**on**" change "**places**" to "**place**"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Allain	Gallot	Peacock
Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Heitmeier	Peterson
Broome	Johns	Riser
Brown	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	

Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Smith, J.

Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 44—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.18, relative to the city of Bogalusa; to authorize the city to levy a provider fee upon hospitals in the city and for use and distribution of the proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 44 by Senator Nevers

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, change "**(a)**" to "**(1)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, change "**(b)**" to "**(2)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 17, change "**(c)**" to "**(3)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 1, change "**(d)**" to "**(4)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

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

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 5, change "**(f)**" to "**(6)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 8, change "**(g)**" to "**(7)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 9, change "penalty" to "penalties"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 11, change "(h)" to "(8)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 13, change "(i)" to "(9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, line 5, change "which" to "that"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 21, delete " ; "

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, line 26, delete " ; "

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 27, delete " ; "

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 4, lines 2 and 3, change "fee, and interest, penalty, or other charges related to such fee," to "fee and interest, penalties, or other charges related to such fee"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 4, lines 10 and 11, change "Bogalusa Health Services Fund" to """Bogalusa Health Services Fund"""

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 5, line 4, delete " ; "

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Gallot	Perry
Allain	Guillory	Peterson
Amedee	Heitmeier	Riser
Appel	Johns	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Tarver
Brown	LaFleur	Thompson
Buffington	Long	Walsworth
Chabert	Mills	Ward
Cortez	Morrell	White
Crowe	Morrish	
Dorsey-Colomb	Murray	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Claitor	Peacock
Total - 2	

ABSENT

Donahue	Martiny	Smith, J.
Total - 3		

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

SENATE BILL NO. 56—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 18(G)(1)(a)(iv) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the special assessment level; to exclude from the requirement of annual certification of adjusted gross income certain eligible owners; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Allain	Gallot	Peacock
Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Johns	Peterson
Broome	Kostelka	Riser
Brown	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Buffington	Long	Tarver
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Claitor	Mills	Walsworth
Cortez	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Crowe	Smith, J.
Heitmeier	White
Total - 4	

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

SENATE BILL NO. 75—

BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2691(A), relative to the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly; to provide with respect to monies deposited into the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 75 by Senator Buffington

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, change "which" to "that"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, following "to" and before "an" delete " ; "

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Dorsey-Colomb, Murray, Adley, Erdey, Nevers, Allain, Gallot, Peacock, Amedee, Guillory, Perry, Appel, Heitmeier, Peterson, Broome, Johns, Riser, Brown, Kostelka, Smith, G., Buffington, LaFleur, Tarver, Chabert, Long, Thompson, Claitor, Martiny, Walsworth, Cortez, Mills, Ward, Crowe, Morrell, White, Donahue, Morrish.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Smith, J. Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 93— BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3162(D), 3165.1 and 3168(5), relative to the transfer and articulation of postsecondary academic credits; to provide for the awarding and transfer of college credit for the academic content of career and technical and industry-based certification courses; to provide for the responsibilities and duties of the Statewide Articulation and Transfer Council and the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to provide for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Dorsey-Colomb, Nevers, Adley, Erdey, Peacock, Allain, Gallot, Perry, Amedee, Guillory, Peterson, Appel, Johns, Riser, Broome, Kostelka, Smith, G., Brown, LaFleur, Tarver, Buffington, Long, Thompson, Chabert, Martiny, Walsworth, Claitor, Mills, Ward, Cortez, Morrell, White, Crowe, Morrish, Donahue, Murray.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Heitmeier Smith, J. Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 99— BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.25, relative to the town of Welsh; to provide for the chief of police's authority regarding discipline of police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Dorsey-Colomb, Murray, Adley, Erdey, Nevers, Allain, Gallot, Peacock, Amedee, Guillory, Perry, Appel, Heitmeier, Riser, Broome, Johns, Smith, G., Brown, Kostelka, Tarver, Buffington, LaFleur, Thompson, Chabert, Long, Walsworth, Claitor, Martiny, Ward, Cortez, Mills, White, Crowe, Morrell, Donahue, Morrish.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Peterson Smith, J. Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 127— BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.3, relative to school and district accountability; to provide that a student with an exceptionality, other than gifted and talented, who is not pursuing a regular diploma shall not be administered certain tests; to provide for exceptions; to provide that such lack of test participation shall not be considered in the calculation of school and district performance scores or letter grades; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Dorsey-Colomb, Murray, Adley, Erdey, Nevers, Allain, Gallot, Peacock.

Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Heitmeier	Peterson
Broome	Johns	Riser
Brown	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Smith, J.
Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 128—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN AND REPRESENTATIVES STUART BISHOP AND HENRY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.11 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the creation of the Artificial Reef Development Fund; to provide for the sources and uses of monies in the fund; to provide conditions and requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 128 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 16, change "**which**" to "**that**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 5, change "**which**" to "**that**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, line 19, change "which" to "that"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Allain	Gallot	Peacock
Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Heitmeier	Peterson
Broome	Johns	Riser
Brown	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson

Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Smith, J.
Total - 1

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

SENATE BILL NO. 144—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:13, relative to tax exemptions; to provide for renewal of certain tax exemption certificates once granted; to require the Department of Revenue to promulgate necessary rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 144 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 9, change "**Pay**" to "**Payment**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 12, before "**having**" insert "**his**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 14, change "**Pay**" to "**Payment**"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 6, following "**without**" and before "**having**" insert "**his**"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 16, following "**without**" and before "**having**" insert "**his**"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 16, following "**Department**" insert "**of Revenue**"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 18, delete "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 22, following "**B**" and before "**and**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, line 24, change "**certificates**" to "**certificate**"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, line 2, following "**B**" and before "**and**" insert "1"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Morrell proposed the following amendments.

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SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Morrell to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 144 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 9, after "the taxpayer" insert "no longer qualifies as a dealer under R.S. 47:301(4) or"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 19, after "the taxpayer" insert "no longer qualifies as a manufacturer under R.S. 47:301(3)(i)(I), 47:301(13)(k)(i), or 47:301(28)(a), or if the taxpayer"

On motion of Senator Morrell, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Dorsey-Colomb, Murray. Lists names like Mr. President, Adley, Allain, Amedee, Appel, Broome, Brown, Buffington, Chabert, Claitor, Cortez, Crowe, Donahue, Total - 37.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, Smith, J. Lists Peterson, Total - 2.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 175—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER, BROOME AND WALSWORTH AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1923.1, relative to the payment of group insurance premiums for retired assessors and assessor's employees; to create the Orleans Parish Assessor's Office Retired Employees' Insurance Fund; to provide for deposits in the fund; to provide for payments from the fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Erdey, Murray. Lists Mr. President, Adley, Allain, Amedee, Erdey, Gallot, Guillory, Heitmeier, Murray, Nevers, Perry, Peterson.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Johns, Riser. Lists Appel, Broome, Brown, Buffington, Chabert, Cortez, Crowe, Dorsey-Colomb, Total - 35, Johns, Kostelka, LaFleur, Long, Martiny, Mills, Morrell, Morrish, Riser, Smith, G., Tarver, Thompson, Walsworth, Ward, White.

NAYS

Table with 2 columns: Name, Total - 1. Lists Peacock, Total - 1.

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Donahue, Smith, J. Lists Claitor, Total - 3, Donahue, Smith, J.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 199—

BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:58.2(I), 67, and 67.1 through 67.4, relative to the Southeast Baton Rouge Community School System; to provide for the school system, including its establishment and geographic boundaries; to provide for the school board and an interim school board; to provide for board membership, apportionment, qualifications, method of selection, terms of office, filling of vacancies, compensation, expenses, powers, duties, and responsibilities; to provide relative to facilities and property; to provide relative to the collection and remittance of certain taxes; to provide relative to the provision of certain student services; to provide relative to certain applications for funding; to provide for the reapportionment of the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board; to provide for effectiveness and for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator White, the bill was made Special Order of the Day No. 1 on Tuesday, May 7, 2013.

SENATE BILL NO. 207—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2588 and to amend and reenact R.S. 33:2391, 2471, and 2591, relative to civil service for cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 207 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "enact R.S. 33:2588 and to amend and reenact R.S. 33:2391, 2471, and 2591," to "amend and reenact R.S. 33:2391, 2471, and 2591 and to enact R.S. 33:2588,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, lines 6 and 7, change "R.S. 33:2588 is hereby enacted and R.S. 33:2391, 2471, and 2591 are hereby amended and reenacted" to "R.S. 33:2391, 2471, and 2591 are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 33:2588 is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 22, change "250,000 and 500,000" to "two hundred fifty thousand and five hundred thousand"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Morrell proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Morrell to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 207 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 6, add "**decennial**"

On motion of Senator Morrell, the amendments were adopted.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 242—

BY SENATOR MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 4 of Title 21 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 21:201 through 208, relative to hotels and lodging houses; to provide with respect to optional assessments on hotels that are levied by a comprehensive membership based tourism organization on its members that are operators of hotels or motels located in the parish of Orleans; to provide that hotel and income taxes shall not apply to such surcharges; to provide for a hotel referendum to approve such an optional assessment; to provide for enhancement of the sales and marketing capabilities and other general purposes of the organization; to provide for the direct or indirect benefit of growing the traveler economy; to provide for levying hotel assessments as surcharges on hotel or motel folios; to provide for terms and definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 242 by Senator Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 8, following "**creation**" and before "**and**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 19, following "**including**" and before "**increased**" insert "**an**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 22, following "**through**" and before "**optional**" insert "**an**"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 13, following "**economy**" and before "**and**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 13, following "**growth**" and before "**as**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 18, change "**(i)**" to "**(1)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 21, change "**(ii)**" to "**(2)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, line 2, change "**taxes, or state income taxes,**" to "**taxes or state income taxes**"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 8, following "**guest**" delete "**as and**"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, line 8, following "**extent as**" delete "**are**"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, line 26, following "**surcharges**" insert "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 6, line 8, change "**nonprofit corporation law**" to "**Nonprofit Corporation Law**"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 250—

BY SENATORS MORRELL, BROOME, DORSEY-COLOMB, KOSTELKA AND PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE BROSSETT
AN ACT

To enact Subpart KK of Part 1 of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.181, relative to donations of refunds; to provide for such donations to the Louisiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence, Inc.; to provide for the administration and disbursement of donated monies; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 250 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, lines 7 and 8, change "**Louisiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence, Inc.,**" to "**LCADV**"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 15, following "**Means**" and before "**may**" delete "1"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Murray
Allain	Gallot	Nevers
Amedee	Guillory	Peacock
Appel	Heitmeier	Perry
Broome	Johns	Peterson
Brown	Kostelka	Riser
Buffington	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Cortez	Martiny	Thompson

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Crowe	Mills	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrell	Ward
Dorsey-Colomb	Morrish	White
Total - 36		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	Claitor	Smith, J.
Total - 3		

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

SENATE BILL NO. 251—

BY SENATORS MORRELL, ALLAIN, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, MILLS AND PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES BROSSETT AND MORENO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2116 and 2166, relative to domestic violence offenses; to provide for a fee upon conviction of any domestic violence offense in certain courts; to provide relative to the disbursements of the proceeds of such fee; to require an annual audit of such funds; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 251 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 7, following "**community**" and before "**based**" insert ":-"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 27, change "**which**" to "**that**"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 29, change "**such parish**" to "**Orleans Parish**"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Morrish
Allain	Gallot	Murray
Amedee	Guillory	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Perry
Brown	Johns	Peterson
Buffington	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Chabert	LaFleur	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrell	
Total - 29		

NAYS

Appel	Long	Riser
Donahue	Peacock	Walsworth
Total - 6		

ABSENT

Adley	Smith, J.
Erdey	White
Total - 4	

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

SENATE BILL NO. 255—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030(A), relative to tax credits; to limit the solar energy systems tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Nevers
Allain	Gallot	Peacock
Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Heitmeier	Peterson
Broome	Johns	Riser
Brown	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrish	
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	Morrell	White
Erdey	Smith, J.	
Total - 5		

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

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator White asked that Senate Bill No. 73 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 73—

BY SENATOR WHITE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 13(D)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide that for certain effects and purposes the Southeast Baton Rouge community school system in East Baton Rouge Parish shall be regarded and treated as a parish and shall have the authority granted parishes, including the purposes of certain funding and the raising of certain local revenues for the support of elementary and secondary schools; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator White, the bill was made Special Order of the Day No. 2 on Tuesday, May 7, 2013.

Rules Suspended

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees, Subject to Call**

Called from the Calendar

Senator Long asked that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 be called from the Calendar.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—
BY SENATOR LONG**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Joint Human Trafficking Study Commission to study the conditions, needs, issues, and problems relative to human trafficking in Louisiana and to recommend any action or legislation that the commission deems necessary or appropriate.

Floor Amendments

Senator Claitor proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Claitor to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 by Senator Long

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 19, change "Three" to "Two"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 22, change "Three" to "Two"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"(12) The district attorney for the parish of Orleans, or his designee.

(13) The district attorney for the parish of East Baton Rouge, or his designee."

On motion of Senator Claitor, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Adley proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Adley to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 by Senator Long

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 and 2 proposed by Senator Claitor and adopted by the Senate on May 1, 2013.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 18, delete "fifteen" and insert "seventeen"

On motion of Senator Adley, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Erdey	Nevers
Adley	Gallot	Peacock
Allain	Guillory	Perry
Amedee	Heitmeier	Peterson
Appel	Johns	Riser
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Brown	LaFleur	Tarver
Buffington	Long	Thompson
Chabert	Martiny	Walsworth
Claitor	Mills	Ward
Cortez	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Dorsey-Colomb	Murray	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Crowe
Total - 2
Smith, J.

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

Rules Suspended

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 82—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE**

A RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend the accomplishments of the staff of the Louisiana Workforce Commission Employment Security Board of Review.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 83—
BY SENATOR ADLEY**

A RESOLUTION

To commend the members of the armed forces of the United States and to recognize their tremendous service and the great sacrifices they make on behalf of their homeland.

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

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—
BY SENATOR CROWE**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend St. Tammany Parish Fire District No. 1 Fire Chief Larry Hess for his 48-year career in fire protection upon his retirement in September 2013.

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

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Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

May 1, 2013

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. 631 HB NO. 105 HB NO. 75
HB NO. 118 HB NO. 188 HB NO. 280
HB NO. 472 HB NO. 59

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:828(B), relative to diminution of sentence; to provide relative to diminution of sentence for participation in certified treatment and rehabilitation programs; to increase the total number of credits that may be earned by an offender for participation in certified treatment and rehabilitation programs; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.71, relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for a state sales and use tax exemption for sales of certain property to the "St. Bernard Project, Inc."; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 105—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITNEY AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 404(D), relative to jury commissions; to provide for the functions of the jury commission in Terrebonne Parish; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 118—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CHAMPAGNE AND LEGER A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.2(G) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the deposit of any monies received by the state from violations of federal and state environmental and water quality laws associated with the Deepwater Horizon oil spill into the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1864.3(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 37:1861(A)(8) and 1864.3(A)(3), relative to secondhand dealers; to define precious metal object; to prohibit the payment of cash by secondhand dealers for precious metal objects; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 280—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:319(A), relative to airport districts; to provide for the governing authority of airport districts; to provide for the membership of the board of commissioners of certain airport districts; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 472—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 591(A)(5) and 592(A)(3)(b) through (d) and (E)(5) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 592(A)(3)(e), relative to class actions; to provide relative to prerequisites required to maintain a class action; to provide for burden of proof to establish prerequisites; to prohibit courts from ordering class-wide trial on certain issues; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 631—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WESLEY BISHOP AND ABRAMSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:299.2(1)(d), relative to the offset of individual income tax refunds against debt owed certain state agencies; to remove the exclusion of the city of New Orleans and the parish of Orleans from the definition of "agency"; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Martiny asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recommit a bill.

HOUSE BILL NO. 114—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KATRINA JACKSON AND PONTI AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:317 and to repeal R.S. 6:124.1(C) and R.S. 39:1220(A)(4), relative to the acceptance of public funds by certain financial institutions; to repeal requirement of ratings under the federal Community Reinvestment Act; and to provide for related matters.

Senator Martiny moved to recommit the bill from the Committee on Finance to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

Without objection, so ordered.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

- Mr. President Dorsey-Colomb Murray
Adley Erdey Nevers

Allain	Gallot	Peacock
Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Heitmeier	Peterson
Broome	Johns	Riser
Brown	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	

Total - 38

ABSENT

Smith, J.
Total - 1

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

John Smith 1 Day

Announcements

The following committee meetings for May 1, 2013, were announced:

Education	At Adj	Hainkel Room
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The following committee meetings for May 2, 2013, were announced:

Finance	9:00 A.M.	Room A
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The following committee meetings for May 6, 2013, were announced:

Finance	TBA	Room A
Retirement	TBA	Room E
Revenue and Fiscal Affairs	TBA	Hainkel Room

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Long, at 4:25 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Monday, May 6, 2013, at 3:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 3:00 o'clock P.M. on Monday, May 6, 2013.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk

