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**Thirty-Ninth Regular Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, May 30, 2013

The Senate was called to order at 4:20 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	Dorsey-Colomb	Murray
Adley	Erdey	Nevers
Allain	Gallot	Peacock
Amedee	Guillory	Perry
Appel	Johns	Peterson
Broome	Kostelka	Riser
Buffington	LaFleur	Smith, G.
Chabert	Long	Smith, J.
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Crowe	Mills	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 32		

ABSENT

Brown	Morrell	White
Cortez	Tarver	
Heitmeier	Thompson	
Total - 7		

The President of the Senate announced there were 32 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Mrs. Diane Baham, 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 Johns, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 29, 2013, was adopted.

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

May 30, 2013

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like

committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **Senate Bill No. 31** by Senator Claitor:

Representatives Broadwater, Carter and Robideaux.

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

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 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. 99—

BY SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the Louisiana Public Defender Board study the feasibility, desirability, and practicality of delivering a statewide public defender system through an exclusively contract system.

Reported without amendments.

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

Message from the House

**PASSED SENATE BILLS AND
JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

May 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 the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions:

SENATE BILL NO. 63—

BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1907(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:1907(K), relative to assessors; to authorize assessors to increase their compensation up to four percent for four calendar years; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 78—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(14)(g)(i)(bb) and 337.10(F), relative to sales and use tax; to provide for an exclusion from the sales and use tax of the state and of political subdivisions which is levied upon certain sales of services; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 159—

BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2339, relative to municipal law enforcement; to provide relative to detail or secondary employment; 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; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 165—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(9), (10), (11), (12), (13), (14), (C)(4)(b), (D)(2)(c) and (d) and to enact R.S. 47:6007(B)(15) and (16), (D)(9), and 6007.1, relative to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for definitions; to provide for production audit reports and requirements; to provide for submission of a production audit report prior to being certified as a state-certified production for application for the credit; to provide for a production audit report; to provide relative to notification of transfer or sale of tax credits; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 42—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4702(B)(1), (2), (3), (4), (6), and (7), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the governance of the New Orleans Regional Business Park; to provide relative to the members of the board of commissioners and their terms of office; to require the adoption of rules and regulations for conducting board business; to provide for vacancies on the board of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

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.

Reported with amendments.

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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 47—
BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4071(A), (B), (C)(1), and (E) and 4074 and to repeal R.S. 33:4071(C)(2) and (3), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans; to change the membership of the board; to provide relative to the terms and removal of board members; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 36—
BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND DORSEY-COLOMB AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, BADON, CARMODY, GREENE, HOFFMANN, HONORE, IVEY, MORENO, PYLANT, ST. GERMAIN AND STOKES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1300.263, relative to general smoking prohibitions on certain public post secondary education campuses; to provide for certain public post secondary education institutions developing smoke-free policies for its campuses; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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 AND REPRESENTATIVES HENSGENS AND WILLMOTT

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.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 2—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1821(B), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for membership of the board of trustees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 50—

BY SENATORS ERDEY, AMEDEE AND WHITE AND REPRESENTATIVES HODGES, MACK, POPE AND SCHEXNAYDER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:322.21.1, relative to the disposition of certain sales tax collections in Livingston Parish; to establish the Juban Crossing Economic Development District Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit of certain monies into the fund; to provide for the uses of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 13—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1302.2, relative to the Louisiana State Police Retirement System; to provide for powers and duties of the board of trustees; to provide for coordination with federal tax qualification provisions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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

**Privilege Report of the
Legislative Bureau**

May 30, 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. 3—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX

AN ACT

To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2013, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for

authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 106—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (12), relative to the Houma Area Convention and Visitors Bureau; to authorize an increase of the hotel occupancy tax that the bureau is authorized to levy; to provide relative to the use of the proceeds of the additional tax; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 117—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOWARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5401(C)(4), relative to reentry courts; to authorize the creation of a reentry division of the Eleventh Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 126—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:541.1(A)(3), (B), (C)(1), and (D) and R.S. 26:96(A), relative to the National Human Trafficking Resource Center hotline; to provide for the posting of certain information regarding the National Human Trafficking Resource Center hotline; to provide for certain offices and departments to notify affected establishments of the requirements; to provide for the assessment of a fine; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 277—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1785 and to repeal R.S. 40:1783, 1784, 1786 and 1787, relative to the possession and transfer of certain firearms; to repeal certain provisions of law regarding the possession and transfer of certain firearms; to repeal registration requirements to possess or transfer certain types of firearms; to provide with respect to the possession of certain unregistered firearms; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 297—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHNSON AND WESLEY BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 334.4, relative to the prohibition on release on own recognizance for certain offenses; to provide for a rebuttable presumption relative to the release of a defendant on his own recognizance under certain circumstances; to provide for a contradictory hearing; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 337—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:31.37, relative to retail food establishments; to implement permit fees for retail food establishments; to implement food establishment permit fees for day care centers; to implement permit fees for nonitinerant retail food stores/markets; to require proof of gross receipts for retail food stores/markets; to provide for temporary permits; to provide for penalties; to implement a permit fee for temporary or special events; to implement a permit fee for seasonal food

establishments; to provide for exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 352—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRISON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, BROSSETT, BROWN, BURFORD, BURRELL, CARTER, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOVE, EDWARDS, GAINES, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, GIROD JACKSON, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEOPOLD, MACK, MONTOUCEY, MORENO, NORTON, ORTEGO, PIERRE, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STOKES, THIBAUT, THIERRY, THOMPSON, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:73(E)(2), R.S. 35:406(A)(1) and (D), R.S. 36:258(F), R.S. 39:33(A)(2), R.S. 46:931, 932(introductory paragraph) and (14), 933(A), (D), and (G), 934, 935(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), and (C), 936, 937, 937.1(A) and (B)(1) and (3), 937.2, 937.3, 938, and 2351(E)(introductory paragraph), to enact R.S. 36:4(A)(15) and Chapter 4 of Title 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 36:151 through 157, and to repeal R.S. 36:4(B)(6), relative to elderly affairs; to create the Department of Elderly Affairs and provide for its purposes and organization and for its offices and officers and for their functions, powers, duties, and responsibilities; to abolish the Office of Elderly Affairs; to provide that the department shall be the successor to the office; to transfer the Louisiana Executive Board on Aging from the office of the governor to the Department of Elderly Affairs; to provide that the office of aging and adult services in the Department of Health and Hospitals shall have no responsibility or authority for any program or function assigned to the Department of Elderly Affairs; to authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to change certain references in law; to provide for implementation and effectiveness; to provide that funding for purposes, functions, and programs within the jurisdiction or authority of the Office of Elderly Affairs or its successor, the Department of Elderly Affairs, as provided by the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, shall be appropriated or allocated only to, and available for use only by, the Office of Elderly Affairs and its successor, the Department of Elderly Affairs; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 352 by Representative Harrison

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 9, line 28, change "is" to "are"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 13, line 2, delete "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 13, line 3, change "Employed" to "Is employed"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 13, line 20, change "which" to "that"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 14, line 1, change "Paragraph" to "Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 14, line 4, change "Paragraph" to "Subsection"

HOUSE BILL NO. 392—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STUART BISHOP AND ANDERS

AN ACT

To enact Part XI of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:460.41 through

460.42, relative to the medical assistance program; to provide for managed care organizations which provide health care services to medical assistance program enrollees; to provide for payment for services rendered to newborns; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 393—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ANDERS AND STUART BISHOP
AN ACT

To enact Part XI of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:460.31 through 460.35, relative to the medical assistance program; to provide relative to managed care organizations which provide health care services to medical assistance program enrollees; to provide relative to prescription drugs; to provide for prepaid coordinated care network pharmaceutical and therapeutics committees; to provide for a standard form for the prior authorization of prescription drugs; to provide for certain procedures relative to step therapy and fail first protocols; to provide for promulgation of rules; to provide for exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 420—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE AND TERRY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:332.9(B)(1)(e) and to enact R.S. 47:332.9(B)(1)(f), relative to the Lafayette Parish Visitors Enterprise Fund; to redistribute a portion of the monies in such fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 424—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5304(O), R.S. 14:98(D)(1)(a), (E)(1)(a), and (K)(3)(a), and R.S. 32:667(A)(2) and (3), (B)(introductory paragraph), (D)(1), (H)(3), and (I)(1)(a) and (b) and to enact R.S. 14:98(D)(4) and (E)(5), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to the eligibility for participation in a drug division probation program by persons convicted of a third or subsequent offense of operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to the sentencing of persons convicted of a third or subsequent offense of operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to driver's licenses; to extend the time period within which to request an administrative hearing regarding a driver's license suspension after an arrest for operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide with respect to installation of ignition interlock devices in motor vehicles owned by certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 440—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BILLIOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(C)(1)(introductory paragraph), (j), and (n), and (2), and (F)(4)(a), (b), and (c), 542.1.1(B), 542.1.2(A)(introductory paragraph), and 543.1, relative to sex offender registration and notification requirements; to provide relative to the time periods within which the sex offender is required to provide certain information to certain entities; to provide relative to the information provided by the sex offender with regard to vehicles and temporary lodging; to provide relative to motions for relief from registration and notification requirements of certain sex offenders convicted of crime against nature; to amend provisions in the written notification of sex offender registration and notification requirements provided by the court to the offender; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 442—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5304(B)(1)(a) and to enact Subpart 7 of Part II of Chapter 5 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:574.61 and 574.62, to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 903 through 903.3, and to repeal R.S. 13:5304(B)(10)(d) and (f), relative to sentencing of certain offenders convicted of certain violations of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to authorize the development of a substance abuse probation program within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to authorize the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to enter into cooperative endeavors or contracts to provide for substance abuse treatment programs; to provide for eligibility for participation in the program; to provide for a court-ordered substance abuse evaluation to determine suitability for participation in the program; to provide for the suspension of certain criminal sentences and court-ordered participation in the program; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for the payment of certain costs by the defendant; to provide for alternative methods of payment of indigent defendants; to enact the Substance Abuse Conditional Release Act; to provide for substance abuse conditional release; to provide for parole supervision following completion of the substance abuse conditional release program; to provide for the duration of the substance abuse treatment program within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for eligibility for substance abuse conditional release; to provide for an addiction disorder assessment and a mental health screening to determine suitability for the program; to provide for criteria for removal from participation in the program; to provide for the consequences of failure to complete the substance abuse probation program or the substance abuse conditional release program; to modify disqualification criteria for the drug division probation program; to provide with respect to eligibility criteria for participation in the drug division probation program; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 572—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Subpart C of Part II of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 46:261, relative to the Fatherhood First Initiative; to establish the Fatherhood First Initiative; to establish a Fatherhood First Council; to provide for membership and duties of the council; to provide for a research and demonstration program; to require reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 641—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5072, 5073(A)(3)(a)(v), (B)(2)(a), (3), and (4), and (C), 5075, 5076(A) and (B), and 5077, R.S. 26:904(A), 916(H), 918(B), and 921 and R.S. 47:843(A)(2), (C)(3) and (4), and (D), 847(A) and (B), 849, 851(B), 857, 862, 865(C)(3)(b) and (c) and (i), 871, 872, 876 through 878, and 1508(B)(11), to enact R.S. 13:5073(A)(3)(a)(vi), (4)(e) and (f), (B)(5) and (6), 5074(D), and 5078, R.S. 26:901(19) through (27), 902(5), 904(D), 906(H), (I), and (J), 908(D), 916(I) through (N), and 918(C) and (D), R.S. 47:842(16) through (22), 843(A)(3), 847(C), and 851(E) and (F), and 1520(A)(1)(g), and to repeal R.S. 47: 873 through 875, relative to tobacco enforcement; to provide restrictions on transactions in unstamped cigarettes; to provide for definitions; to provide requirements for stamping agent licenses; to provide escrow requirements for nonparticipating manufacturers; to require stamping agent reporting; to require manufacturer and importer

reporting; to require reports on out-of-state cigarette sales; to provide for the disclosure of information; to prohibit delivery sales; to provide for violations and penalties; to require that nonparticipating manufacturers post bond; to provide for a directory of stamping agents and exporter licensees; to authorize the promulgation of rules; to provide for disclosure of information between agencies relative to tobacco enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 641 by Representative Thompson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 19 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2013, on page 2, line 35, following "shall" and before ":", insert "do either of the following"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 19 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2013, on page 2, line 37, change "or" to ":",

AMENDMENT NO. 3

Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 44 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2013, in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 47 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2013, on page 5, line 31, following "(a)" change "it" to "It"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 47 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2013, on page 5, line 32, change ":", to ":",

AMENDMENT NO. 6

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 47 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2013, on page 5, line 33, following "(b)" change "the" to "The"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 47 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2013, on page 5, lines 35-36, following "directly" change "; and," to ":",

AMENDMENT NO. 8

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 47 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2013, on page 5, line 37, following "(c)" change "in" to "In"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 11, line 27, change "under" to "issued pursuant to"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 15, line 4, following "is" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 15, line 5, delete "intentionally engaged" and insert "a knowing or intentional engaging"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 28, line 9, change "out of state" to "out-of-state"

HOUSE BILL NO. 725— (Substitute for House Bill No. 197 by Representative Greene)

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1351(A)(1) and (3) and (B) and to enact R.S. 39:1351(A)(2)(c), 1352(A)(3) and (4), (B)(3), and (C), 1355, and 1356, relative to fiscal administrators for political subdivisions; to provide for appointment of fiscal administrators and circumstances that provide evidence of the need for or require such appointments; to provide relative to the powers and duties of fiscal administrators; to provide for payment of costs associated with fiscal administration of a political subdivision and for indemnification of fiscal administrators; to require cooperation with and provision of information to fiscal administrators by officers, officials, and employees of political subdivisions and to provide procedures for a fiscal administrator to obtain information; to provide for violations; to provide for penalties, including criminal penalties, for violation of provisions relative to fiscal administrators; to provide relative to costs and attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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. 153—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge Free and Accepted Masons of Louisiana on its one hundred fiftieth anniversary and the Esther Grand Chapter Order of Eastern Star Prince Hall Affiliation of Louisiana on its seventy fifth anniversary.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 154—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Esther Grand Chapter Order of Eastern Star Prince Hall Affiliation of Louisiana on its seventy-fifth anniversary.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 155—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

A RESOLUTION

To commend Hubig's Pies for over ninety years of the production of sweet fried pies and pastries that have delighted the palates of five generations of New Orleans consumers and for its commitment to continue its bakery operations within the historic Faubourg-Marigny district of the city.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 156—

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Milton Retif for receiving the 2013 Louisiana Sports Leadership Award and being named to the 2013 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 157—

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Ed "Skeets" Tuohy for being named to the 2013 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

**Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 140—

BY SENATOR WARD

A RESOLUTION

To commend James Douglas Holden for his long and enduring achievements and remarkable contributions.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 141—

BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Roy Lee Marley Jr.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 142—

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Bob Marshall for receiving the 2013 Distinguished Service Award in Sports Journalism and on being inducted into the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 143—

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Ronald D. Ardoin for being named to the 2013 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction class.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 144—

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate James "Jimmy" Jones for being named as an inductee to the 2013 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 145—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Mr. Leroy "Slick" Seal on sixty years of law enforcement service to Washington Parish and to recognize Monday, September 2, 2013, Mr. Leroy "Slick" Seal's ninety-third birthday, as Leroy "Slick" Seal Day.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 146—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To recognize the importance of park and recreation facilities, express support for the designation of July as "National Park and Recreation Month" and declare July as "Park and Recreation Month in Louisiana".

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 147—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A RESOLUTION

To commend Randy K. Haynie for his generous loan to the state of Louisiana for public display of a rare Eighteen-Star American National Flag Commemorating Louisiana Statehood.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 148—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

A RESOLUTION

To commend Pastor Tommy L. Carr for his thirty years of dedicated service to the Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church and the spiritual comfort he has provided to others through his ministry.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 149—

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend Tommy Hodson on being named to the 2013 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 150—

BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend Chanda Rubin on being named to the 2013 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 151—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

A RESOLUTION

To express support for the Nagorno Karabakh Republic's efforts to develop as a free and independent nation.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 119—

BY SENATOR PERRY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish a task force to study and make recommendations relative to implementation of the federal REAL ID Act of 2005 in Louisiana.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Perry 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	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White

Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 122—
 BY SENATORS GALLOT, KOSTELKA AND JOHN SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE DIXON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Alexandria Zoo and its latest exhibit, the Land of the Jaguar.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Gallot 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.
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Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

May 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:

HB NO. 129 HB NO. 71

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions

Senator Kostelka asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read House Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time by title and refer them to committee.

HOUSE BILL NO. 71—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:863.1(B), relative to evidence of compulsory motor vehicle liability security contained in a motor vehicle; to provide for document requirements; to provide for compliance checks by law enforcement officers; 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 BILL NO. 129—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES PIERRE AND BARROW
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3902(B)(5) and (C)(2)(b)(v) and to enact R.S. 17:3902(E), relative to the evaluation program for teachers and administrators; prohibits giving a teacher or administrator a performance rating until his full evaluation is complete; to delay implementation of requirements for termination proceedings based on teacher evaluation determinations; to restrict the use of evaluation results; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 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. 167 HCR NO. 171 HCR NO. 172
 HCR NO. 169 HCR NO. 170

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

May 30, 2013

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 167— BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE AND SENATOR WHITE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dixie Electric Membership Corporation (DEMCO) upon the celebration of its seventy-fifth anniversary.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 169— BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the governing authorities of public secondary schools to offer for credit an elective course that teaches the curriculum of Future Leaders of America's Gulf (F.L.A.G.).

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 170— BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES AND SENATOR ALLAIN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents and the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges jointly to study the feasibility of offering community college services in the Greater St. Mary Parish Area and to determine how the state can best meet the educational needs of students and the economic and workforce development needs of this region of the state.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 171— BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mr. Willie F. Hawkins for his forty-two years of distinguished service to the citizens of Louisiana and Baton Rouge in the areas of higher education, health care, and social services.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 172— BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL AND SENATOR GALLOT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express heartfelt measures of condolences upon the death of Caddo Parish Commissioner Joyce Bowman.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

EDUCATION

Senator Conrad Appel, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

May 30, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69— BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to reconsider proposed policy changes relative to school libraries.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 90— BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a task force to study and evaluate the effectiveness of sexual health education programs used throughout the state and other states and to submit a written report of findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Health and Welfare, the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, the House Committee on Education, and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 91— BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Task Force on Bullying Prevention in Public Schools to study the procedures and processes by which incidents of bullying are reported and investigated and to provide for submission of a written report of task force findings, conclusions, and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 153— BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study issues relative to the implementation of the Course Choice Program, including but not limited to the enrollment of students by course providers and the approval of course providers by the state board and to submit a report of its findings and conclusions, including any recommendations for related legislation, to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than September 30, 2013.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 161— BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study the feasibility of implementing a one hundred point scale for performance score ranges used to assign school and district letter grades for purposes of the school and district accountability system and to submit a written report of findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 166— BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN AND SENATOR WALSWORTH A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study the feasibility of offering students pursuing a career diploma the option of fulfilling the eleventh grade statewide testing requirement by taking the American College Test (ACT) WorkKeys assessment instead of the ACT and to submit a written report of findings and conclusions, including

any recommendations for legislation relative to the issue, to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 115—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.5(G), relative to schools transferred to the Recovery School District; to provide for the submission of petitions by parents requesting that a school be removed from the Recovery School District and returned to the local school system under certain conditions; to require rules and regulations to be adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for the petition process; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 116—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(4) and 351 and to repeal R.S. 17:8 through 8.2, 22(2)(e), 352, 353, 415.1, and 1985, relative to textbooks and other instructional materials for elementary and secondary schools; to provide relative to the duties, functions, and responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide relative to the authority of public school governing authorities to purchase textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to funding; to provide relative to the review of textbooks and other instructional materials by the state Department of Education, parents, and the public; to provide relative to contracts with publishers relative to the purchase, lease, and use of textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to depositories for textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 214—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:406.8, relative to parental involvement in public schools; to authorize and encourage public school governing authorities to create partnerships for the purpose of increasing parental involvement in schools; to authorize public school governing authorities to identify and encourage participation in parenting classes and to provide recognition for participation in such classes; to authorize public school governing authorities and the state Department of Education to identify available funding sources to provide for such classes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 299—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3129(F) and 3130(B)(1)(b), relative to a report by the Board of Regents of a board-approved funding formula to specified legislative committees; to provide relative to the deadline for submission of the report; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 368—
BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416.16(B) and (C) and 416.19(A) and to enact R.S. 17:416.16(D), relative to school safety; to provide relative to school crisis management and response plans,

including their preparation, content, rehearsal, review, revision, and approval; to provide relative to the authority of public and nonpublic schools to provide for school resource officers; to require that such school resource officers be armed; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 618—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:421.13, relative to educational diagnosticians; to provide for a salary supplement for certain public school educational diagnosticians who have acquired certification by the National Certification of Educational Diagnosticians Board; to provide conditions and guidelines for receiving the supplement; to provide conditions; to provide definitions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 650—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:642(B) and (C), 643, 644, 645(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (1)(a)(i), and (C), 646, 648, 649, and 651(B) and to repeal R.S. 17:3138.1(C)(7), relative to the organization of the state Department of Education; to provide for changes relative to the membership of the Remedial Education Commission; to remove the office of literacy, the office of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics, the office of college and career readiness, the office of departmental support, and the office of innovation as offices of the department and to add the office of district support to the department; to provide for changes relative to the officers of the department; to provide that the appointment of a deputy state superintendent is optional; to provide relative to the purposes and functions of the office of management and finance and office of district support; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 659—
BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON, BROADWATER, HENRY BURNS,
CARMODY, CARTER, JEFFERSON, AND NANCY LANDRY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:17.1(A), 81(R)(1), 192.1(C), 235.1(B)(1), 263, 279(A), 416.13(B)(2)(introductory paragraph) and (b)(introductory paragraph) and (D)(introductory paragraph) and (3)(introductory paragraph) and (d)(iii), 416.18(A)(8), and 2112(A)(3), to enact R.S. 17:416.18(A)(10), and to repeal R.S. 17:177 and 266, relative to certain requirements for school employees, school governing authorities, and schools; to provide relative to reporting requirements with respect to required physical activity in schools, the denial of meals to students, and student examinations with respect to sight, hearing, and dyslexia; to provide relative to instruction pertaining to the state's safe haven relinquishments law, adoption awareness, and parenthood education; to provide with respect to parent orientation; to provide relative to school employee training, parental notification, and interviewing students with respect to bullying; to provide relative to the teacher bill of rights; to repeal provisions pertaining to the Legislative Academic Achievement Award and instruction relative to kindness to dumb animals; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 661—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3973(2)(a) and (b)(v)(aa), 3991(B)(1)(d) and (23) and (H), 3995(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c) and (B), and 3996(C) and (G) and to enact R.S. 17:3973(2)(b)(v)(dd) and (vii) and 3995(A)(3), (H), (I), and

(J), relative to charter schools; to create a Type 3B charter school; to provide relative to charter school funding including funding for Type 3B charter schools; to provide for the applicability of certain provisions to Type 3B schools including student enrollment, acquired assets, and budget submission; to provide that a Type 5 charter school shall be considered the local education agency for funding purposes; to provide for rules adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 724— (Substitute for House Bill No. 660 by Representative Katrina Jackson)

BY REPRESENTATIVES KATRINA JACKSON, KLECKLEY, ADAMS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CHANEY, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, FANNIN, GREENE, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HILL, HOFFMANN, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, GIROD JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, TERRY LANDRY, LORUSSO, MONToucET, MORENO, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, PIERRE, PRICE, REYNOLDS, SCHEXNAYDER, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2115.11, relative to student prayer gatherings; to permit student prayer gatherings; to provide conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
CONRAD APPEL
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Senator A. G. Crowe, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations, submitted the following report:

May 30, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to submit the following report:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 120—

BY SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the Transformation Village Task Force to study and make recommendations with respect to the feasibility of repurposing and/or reopening the closed amusement park in New Orleans and the development of employment opportunities for Louisiana citizens.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 450—

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1203.1(A), (J), (K), and (M) and to enact R.S. 23:1203.1.1, relative to the workers' compensation medical treatment schedule; to provide with respect to the medical advisory council; to provide with respect to the medical director; to provide for an associate medical director; to provide with respect to his qualifications; to provide definitions; to provide for supporting scientific evidence for treatment; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 728— (Substitute for House Bill No. 606 by Representative Cromer)

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1121(B)(1) and (5), 1124, 1201(H), 1208(F), (G), and (H), 1226(B)(3), 1310.8(B), 1314(E), and to enact R.S. 23:1021(13) and 1201.1, relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to choice of physician; to provide with respect to medical examinations; to provide with respect to the payment of benefits; to provide for hearing procedures; to provide for notice requirements; to provide with respect to the modification, suspension, termination, or conversion of benefits; to provide for procedure; to provide for the payment of benefits for rehabilitation of injured employees; to provide for disputes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
A. G. CROWE
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 30, 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:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 144—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROSETT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to release funds to assist the homeowners who were affected by Hurricane Katrina.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 382—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:409(C)(6) and Part II-C of Chapter 7 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1558.1 through 1558.7, relative to volunteer firefighters; to create the Volunteer Firefighters' Tuition Reimbursement Fund; to provide for the creation of the Volunteer Firefighters' Tuition Reimbursement Board within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and to provide for the board's membership; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility of applicants; to provide for rules and regulations; 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 30, 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. 117— BY SENATOR ALLAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE JONES A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the dedicated efforts of the citizens of the city of Franklin and of St. Mary Parish in creating 'No Hitchin' and to designate 'No Hitchin' as Louisiana's Official Folklife Play.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 150— BY REPRESENTATIVES PYLANT AND GAROFALO A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Natural Resources, office of conservation, in consultation with the Water Resources Commission, to study, report, and make recommendations on the availability of qualified water well drillers, water well driller licensing requirements, and their impact on the rates charged for drilling of water wells and to submit the report and recommendation to the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources on or before February 15, 2014.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 539— BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS AN ACT

To enact R.S. 41:906 and to repeal R.S. 41:906 effective August 1, 2015, relative to the exchange of school lands; to authorize Avoyelles Parish School Board to exchange certain school lands; to provide procedures for such exchange; to provide for the land description and the reservation of mineral rights; to provide for termination of such authority; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 593— BY REPRESENTATIVES POPE AND HOFFMANN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:104(A)(9), relative to hunting licenses; provides that a nonresident student enrolled in a Louisiana high school may purchase hunting licenses for the same cost as a resident; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted, GERALD LONG 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 30, 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:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42— BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the annual integrated coastal protection plan for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 148— BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and form an Overhead Power Line Identification Work Group, led by the Department of Transportation and Development, to identify a solution to problems surrounding the identification of power lines for contractors prior to commencing work.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, ROBERT ADLEY Chairman

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 115— BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.5(G), relative to schools transferred to the Recovery School District; to provide for the submission of petitions by parents requesting that a school be removed from the Recovery School District and returned to the local school system under certain conditions; to require rules and regulations to be adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for the petition process; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Reengrossed House Bill No. 115 by Representative James

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 13, change "Paragraph (A)(1)" to "Subsection (C)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, change "attending the school" to "who have been enrolled in the school for at least two years"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 116— BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(4) and 351 and to repeal R.S. 17:8 through 8.2, 22(2)(e), 352, 353, 415.1, and 1985, relative to textbooks and other instructional materials for elementary and secondary schools; to provide relative to the duties, functions, and responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide relative to the authority of public school governing authorities to purchase textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to funding; to provide relative to the review of textbooks and other instructional materials by the state Department of Education,

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parents, and the public; to provide relative to contracts with publishers relative to the purchase, lease, and use of textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to depositories for textbooks and other instructional materials; to provide relative to rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Reengrossed House Bill No. 116 by Representative Hoffmann

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 13, and insert the following: "To enact R.S. 17:8.3 and R.S. 36:651(G)(1), relative to textbooks and other instructional materials; to create the Task Force on Textbooks and Instructional Materials and provide for its purpose, membership, duties, compensation, and staffing; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for a termination date for the task force; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 20, delete pages 2 through 5 in their entirety, on page 6, delete lines 1 through 4, and insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 17:8.3 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§8.3. Task Force on Textbooks and Instructional Materials

A. There is hereby created the Task Force on Textbooks and Instructional Materials, hereafter referred to as the "task force", for the purpose of undertaking a thorough review and analysis of the processes utilized in the selection and approval of textbooks and other instructional materials for use in the state's elementary and secondary schools and to make recommendations for any revisions necessary to the laws and policies which govern these processes to ensure that the students enrolled in Louisiana's elementary and secondary schools have texts and instructional materials that are both grade appropriate and aligned with state content standards.

B. The task force shall be composed of seventeen members as follows:

(1) The state superintendent of education, or his designee, who shall serve as chairman.

(2) A member of the staff of the state Department of Education with a working knowledge of the processes utilized in the review, selection, and approval of textbooks and other instructional materials.

(3) One member appointed by the Louisiana School Boards Association.

(4) One member appointed by the Louisiana Association of School Superintendents.

(5) One member appointed by the Louisiana Association of School Executives.

(6) One member appointed by the Louisiana Association of Principals.

(7) One member appointed by the Louisiana Federation of Teachers.

(8) One member appointed by the Louisiana Association of Educators.

(9) One member appointed by the Associated Professional Educators of Louisiana.

(10) Three classroom teachers, appointed by the state superintendent of education.

(11) Three parents of students enrolled in an elementary or secondary school, appointed by the state superintendent of education.

(12) A member of the Louisiana Senate, appointed by the president of the Senate.

(13) A member of the Louisiana House of Representatives, appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives.

C. Members shall serve without compensation, but may receive any per diem or reimbursement for travel and expenses as allowed and provided by the appointing authority.

D. Vacancies shall be filled in the manner of original appointment.

E. The state superintendent shall convene the first meeting of the task force not later than September 1, 2013, and shall designate staff to assist the task force in performing its duties and responsibilities.

F. In making its recommendations pursuant to Subsection A of this Section, the task force shall, at a minimum, consider the following:

(1) The optimal balance of authority and responsibility between the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Department of Education, and local schools and school systems for the review, selection, and purchase of texts and instructional materials, including internet content, for use in elementary and secondary schools.

(2) Strategies to increase the use of electronic texts and other instructional materials and address the costs of providing necessary related hardware and internet access to students and schools.

(3) Strategies to revise the processes utilized in the review, selection, and purchase of texts and other instructional materials to provide maximum flexibility for schools to take advantage of the best available educational instructional materials, while ensuring that every student is provided with texts and instructional materials that are as current as practicable and that are aligned with the state content standards prescribed for the appropriate grade level.

(4) A process to facilitate the purchase and delivery of texts and instructional materials at the lowest possible cost and in a timely manner, either through state contracts with publishers and other educational content providers or another mechanism that allows schools and school systems to conveniently and efficiently combine their purchases.

G. The task force shall submit a written report of its findings and recommendations for related policy and statutory changes to the Senate Committee on Education and the House Committee on Education not later than February 1, 2014.

H. The task force shall terminate and all authority for its existence shall end June 30, 2014.

Section 2. R.S. 36:651(G)(1) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§651. Transfer of boards, commissions, departments, and agencies to Department of Education; boards, commissions, and agencies within Department of Education

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G. The following agencies, as defined by R.S. 36:3, are transferred to and hereafter shall be within the Department of Education as provided in Part III of Chapter 22 of this Title:

(1) The Task Force on Textbooks and Instructional Materials (R.S. 17:8.3)

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 214— BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:406.8, relative to parental involvement in public schools; to authorize and encourage public school governing authorities to create partnerships for the purpose of increasing parental involvement in schools; to authorize public school governing authorities to identify and encourage participation in parenting classes and to provide recognition for participation in such classes; to authorize public school governing authorities and the state Department of Education to identify available funding sources to provide for such classes; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 299—BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3129(F) and 3130(B)(1)(b), relative to a report by the Board of Regents of a board-approved funding formula to specified legislative committees; to provide relative to the deadline for submission of the report; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 368—BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416.16(B) and (C) and 416.19(A) and to enact R.S. 17:416.16(D), relative to school safety; to provide relative to school crisis management and response plans, including their preparation, content, rehearsal, review, revision, and approval; to provide relative to the authority of public and nonpublic schools to provide for school resource officers; to require that such school resource officers be armed; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Engrossed House Bill No. 368 by Representative Norton

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, change "require" to "provide"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, between "officers" and "be" insert "may"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 13 through 23, and insert the following:

"A. Any city, parish, or other local public school system and any nonpublic school may make or enter into agreements with a local law enforcement agency to provide for school resource officers. Any city, parish, or other local public school system and any nonpublic school shall ensure that any school resource officer provided by a local law enforcement agency as provided in this Section is in compliance with the provisions of Subsection B of this Section. Each school resource officer may be armed with a firearm authorized by a law enforcement agency at all times while on duty as a school resource officer."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 382—BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:409(C)(6) and Part II-C of Chapter 7 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1558.1 through 1558.7, relative to volunteer firefighters; to create the Volunteer Firefighters' Tuition Reimbursement Fund; to provide for the creation of the Volunteer Firefighters' Tuition Reimbursement Board within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and to provide for the board's membership; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility of applicants; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 450—BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1203.1(A), (J), (K), and (M) and to enact R.S. 23:1203.1.1, relative to the workers' compensation medical treatment schedule; to provide with respect to the medical advisory council; to provide with respect to the medical director; to provide for an associate medical director; to provide with respect to his qualifications; to provide definitions; to provide for supporting scientific evidence for treatment; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to Reengrossed House Bill No. 450 by Representative Ivey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, lines 16 and 17, delete "Subparagraph (F)(5)(a) of this Section." and insert "R.S. 23:1203.1.1."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 5, delete "Subparagraph (F)(5)(a) of this Section." and insert "R.S. 23:1203.1.1."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 27, delete "forty-eight hours" and insert "two business days"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 28, delete "forty-eight hours" and insert "two business days"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 539—BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 41:906 and to repeal R.S. 41:906 effective August 1, 2015, relative to the exchange of school lands; to authorize Avoyelles Parish School Board to exchange certain school lands; to provide procedures for such exchange; to provide for the land description and the reservation of mineral rights; to provide for termination of such authority; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 593—BY REPRESENTATIVES POPE AND HOFFMANN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:104(A)(9), relative to hunting licenses; provides that a nonresident student enrolled in a Louisiana high school may purchase hunting licenses for the same cost as a resident; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 618—BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:421.13, relative to educational diagnosticians; to provide for a salary supplement for certain public school educational diagnosticians who have acquired certification by the National Certification of Educational Diagnosticians Board; to provide conditions and guidelines for receiving the supplement; to provide conditions; to provide definitions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 650—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:642(B) and (C), 643, 644, 645(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (1)(a)(i), and (C), 646, 648, 649, and 651(B) and to repeal R.S. 17:3138.1(C)(7), relative to the organization of the state Department of Education; to provide for changes relative to the membership of the Remedial Education Commission; to remove the office of literacy, the office of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics, the office of college and career readiness, the office of departmental support, and the office of innovation as offices of the department and to add the office of district support to the department; to provide for changes relative to the officers of the department; to provide that the appointment of a deputy state superintendent is optional; to provide relative to the purposes and functions of the office of management and finance and office of district support; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 659—
BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON, BROADWATER, HENRY BURNS, CARMODY, CARTER, JEFFERSON, AND NANCY LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:17.1(A), 81(R)(1), 192.1(C), 235.1(B)(1), 263, 279(A), 416.13(B)(2)(introductory paragraph) and (b)(introductory paragraph) and (D)(introductory paragraph) and (3)(introductory paragraph) and (d)(iii), 416.18(A)(8), and 2112(A)(3), to enact R.S. 17:416.18(A)(10), and to repeal R.S. 17:177 and 266, relative to certain requirements for school employees, school governing authorities, and schools; to provide relative to reporting requirements with respect to required physical activity in schools, the denial of meals to students, and student examinations with respect to sight, hearing, and dyslexia; to provide relative to instruction pertaining to the state's safe haven relinquishments law, adoption awareness, and parenthood education; to provide with respect to parent orientation; to provide relative to school employee training, parental notification, and interviewing students with respect to bullying; to provide relative to the teacher bill of rights; to repeal provisions pertaining to the Legislative Academic Achievement Award and instruction relative to kindness to dumb animals; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 661—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3973(2)(a) and (b)(v)(aa), 3991(B)(1)(d) and (23) and (H), 3995(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c) and (B), and 3996(C) and (G) and to enact R.S. 17:3973(2)(b)(v)(dd) and (vii) and 3995(A)(3), (H), (I), and (J), relative to charter schools; to create a Type 3B charter school; to provide relative to charter school funding including funding for Type 3B charter schools; to provide for the applicability of certain provisions to Type 3B schools including student enrollment, acquired assets, and budget submission; to provide that a Type 5 charter school shall be considered the local education agency for funding purposes; to provide for rules adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Reengrossed House Bill No. 661 by Representative Wesley Bishop

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, between "(c)" and "and (B)" insert "and (4)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, between "purposes;" and "to provide" insert "to provide relative to administrative fees charged to certain charter schools;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, between "(c)" and "and (B)" insert "and (4)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

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

"(4)(a)(i) The state board, a local school board, and a local charter authorizer may annually charge each charter school they authorize a fee in an amount equal to two percent of the total per pupil amount as defined by this Subsection that is received by a charter school for administrative overhead costs incurred by the chartering authority for considering the charter application and any amendment thereto, providing monitoring and oversight of the school, collecting and analyzing data of the school, and for reporting on school performance. Such fee amount shall be withheld from the per pupil amount in monthly increments and shall not be applicable to any federal money or grants received by the charter school. Administrative overhead costs shall not include any cost incurred by the chartering authority to provide purchased services to the charter school. As provided by Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph, a chartering authority or the Recovery School District, if applicable, may provide other services for a charter school and charge the actual cost of providing such services, but no such arrangement shall be required as a condition for authorizing the charter school.

(ii) The state Department of Education may withhold and retain from state funds otherwise allocated to a local public school system through the minimum foundation program formula an amount equal to one quarter of one percent of the fee amount charged to a Type 3B charter school pursuant to Item (i) of this Subparagraph for administrative costs incurred by the department for providing financial oversight and monitoring of such charter schools."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 6, delete lines 10 through 13

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, at the beginning of line 14, change "(3)" to "(2)"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 724— (Substitute for House Bill No. 660 by Representative Katrina Jackson)

BY REPRESENTATIVES KATRINA JACKSON, KLECKLEY, ADAMS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CHANEY, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, FANNIN, GREENE, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HILL, HOFFMANN, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, GIROD JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, TERRY LANDRY, LORUSSO, MONTOUTCET, MORENO, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, PIERRE, PRICE, REYNOLDS, SCHEXNAYDER, SMITH, STOKES, THIERRY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2115.11, relative to student prayer gatherings; to permit student prayer gatherings; to provide conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 728— (Substitute for House Bill No. 606 by Representative Cromer)

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1121(B)(1) and (5), 1124, 1201(H), 1208(F), (G), and (H), 1226(B)(3), 1310.8(B), 1314(E), and to enact R.S. 23:1021(13) and 1201.1, relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to choice of physician; to provide with respect to medical examinations; to provide with respect to the payment of benefits; to provide for hearing procedures; to provide for notice requirements; to provide with respect to the modification, suspension, termination, or controversy of benefits; to provide for procedure; to provide for the payment of benefits for rehabilitation of injured employees; to provide for disputes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to Reengrossed House Bill No. 728 by Representative Cromer

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 7, line 4, delete "with" and insert "on the same day as" and after "compensation" insert "is"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, line 15, after "Benefits" insert a " _ "

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

Making annual appropriations for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative Fannin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 14 through 22

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 12, line 1, delete "in the amount of \$138,033,505 are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 12, delete lines 15 through 18, and insert the following:

"Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature are enacted into law.""

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 12, delete lines 26 through 31

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 13, delete lines 1 through 6

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 13, at the beginning of line 7, delete "(F)" and insert "(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 13, line 8, delete "contained in each department and budget unit"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 13, at the end of line 9, delete "\$9,854,216" and insert "\$20,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 13, delete lines 10 through 23

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 13, at the beginning of line 24, delete "(I)" and insert "(F)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 14, after line 47, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from Public Safety Services - Office of State Police to the Governor's Office of Coastal Activities Program for expenses associated with the Deepwater Horizon Event \$ 215,070"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 14, after line 47, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority to the Governor's Office of Coastal Activities Program to provide additional support \$ 30,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 17, line 45, delete "\$117,196,907" and insert "\$116,261,689"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 17, line 45, delete "(698)" and insert "(686)"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 18, line 18, delete "\$1,326,884,457" and insert "\$1,326,639,187"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 19, at the end of line 19, delete "\$1,483,807,180" and insert "\$1,482,760,516"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 19, line 23, delete "\$295,937,114" and insert "\$295,113,342"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 19, at the end of line 30, delete "\$1,483,807,180" and insert "\$1,482,760,516"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 19, after line 43, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Executive Administration Program for salaries, related benefits, and operating expenses for human resources activities, including four (4) positions to support the La. Housing Corporation \$ 378,399"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 19, after line 43, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers to the Auxiliary

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Account Program for Louisiana Equipment Acquisitions Fund (LEAF) expenditures \$ 5,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 20, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from Public Safety Services — Office of State Police to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority for expenses associated with the Deepwater Horizon event \$ 941,653

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from Public Safety Services — Office of State Police to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Program for expenses associated with the Deepwater Horizon event \$ 4,062,972

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from Public Safety Services — Office of State Police to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Program for expenses associated with the Deepwater Horizon event planning and project costs \$ 67,007,719

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Program for expenses associated with Deepwater Horizon oil spill projects to be funded by the BP Criminal Settlement \$ 56,480,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Program for expenses associated with Coastal Impact Assistance Program (CIAP) projects \$ 50,000,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Administrative Program for personnel costs \$ 1,648,977

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the State Program for the Orleans Parish Sheriff's Office for the payment of expenses related to the housing of offenders in Orleans Parish pursuant to Louisiana R.S. 15:824 \$ 2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 26, at the end of line 48, delete "\$3,175,226" and insert "\$3,114,875"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 26, after line 58, insert the following:

"Objective: Through the Senior Rx/ADRC activity, to provide 43,000 seniors and disabled adults age 21 and older who have no insurance assistance in obtaining free or reduced prescriptions through pharmaceutical companies' charitable programs and other requested services, by June 30, 2014.

Performance Indicator:

Total savings on prescription medication received by clients \$ 12,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 27, at the end of line 51, delete "\$41,302,415" and insert "\$41,242,064"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 27, at the end of line 53, delete "\$18,847,176" and insert "\$18,801,227"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 27, at the end of line 57, delete "\$22,378,319" and insert "\$22,363,917"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 27, at the end of line 58, delete "\$41,302,415" and insert "\$41,242,064"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 28, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Administrative Program for administrative coordination activities \$ 14,402"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 28, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Administrative Program for administrative coordination activities and one (1) position \$ 45,949"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 28, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Parish Councils on Aging for the Senior Centers Program \$ 1,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 30, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Office of Financial Institutions Program for human resources activities, including one (1) position \$ 51,095"

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 37, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, all information technology systems and services for this department shall remain under the authority, custody, care and control of the department."

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 37, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Commercial Program for other charges and operating expenses \$ 500,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Administrative Program for other charges and operating expenses \$ 500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 40, after line 46, insert the following:

"EXPENDITURES:
Administrative Program \$ 371,659
Civil Law Program \$ 3,315,900
Criminal Law and Medicaid Fraud Program \$ 1,375,144

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 5,062,703

MEANS OF FINANCE:
State General Fund by:

Statutory Dedications:
Overcollections Fund \$ 5,062,703

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 5,062,703"

AMENDMENT NO. 35
On page 40, after line 46, insert the following:

"EXPENDITURES:
Criminal Law and Medicaid Fraud Program \$ 1,834,548

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 1,834,548

MEANS OF FINANCE:
State General Fund by:
Statutory Dedications:
Medical Assistance Program Fraud
Detection Fund \$ 458,637
Federal Funds \$ 1,375,911

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 1,834,548"

AMENDMENT NO. 36
On page 40, after line 46, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by
Interagency Transfers to the Civil Law
Program for expenses associated with the
ongoing Deepwater Horizon litigation \$ 16,358,573"

AMENDMENT NO. 37
On page 40, after line 46, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by
Statutory Dedications out of the Louisiana
Fund to the Civil Law Program for expenses
associated with tobacco enforcement \$ 500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 38
On page 45, delete lines 25 through 40

AMENDMENT NO. 39
On page 46, at the end of line 30, delete "\$19,769,012" and insert
"\$19,888,935"

AMENDMENT NO. 40
On page 48, at the end of line 15, delete "\$6,403,020" and insert
"\$6,645,745"

AMENDMENT NO. 41
On page 50, at the end of line 14, delete "\$1,970,775" and insert
"\$2,213,500"

AMENDMENT NO. 42
On page 50, at the end of line 26, delete "\$575,761" and insert
"\$695,684"

AMENDMENT NO. 43
On page 50, at the end of line 31, delete "\$73,706,612" and insert
"\$74,069,260"

AMENDMENT NO. 44
On page 50, line 35, delete "(66)" and insert "(75)"

AMENDMENT NO. 45
On page 50, line 35, delete "\$11,450,503" and insert "\$12,462,308"

AMENDMENT NO. 46
On page 51, line 1, delete "(192)" and insert "(183)"

AMENDMENT NO. 47
On page 51, line 1, delete "\$19,125,716" and insert "\$18,113,911"

AMENDMENT NO. 48
On page 53, after line 43, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Executive & Administration Program for
expenses \$ 2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 49
On page 54, line 3, delete "\$19,603,135" and insert "\$20,603,135"

AMENDMENT NO. 50
On page 54, line 60, delete "\$25,846,325" and insert "\$26,846,325"

AMENDMENT NO. 51
On page 55, line 2, delete "\$8,419,695" and insert "\$9,419,695"

AMENDMENT NO. 52
On page 55, line 13, delete "\$25,846,325" and insert "\$26,846,325"

AMENDMENT NO. 53
On page 55, line 15, delete "(a)(i)"

AMENDMENT NO. 54
On page 58, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Poverty Point State Historic Site for
erosion repair \$ 750,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 55
On page 59, between lines 46 and 47, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Arts Program for Arts Grants \$ 1,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 56
On page 60, delete lines 53 through 55

AMENDMENT NO. 57
On page 61, line 5, delete "(37)" and insert "(36)"

AMENDMENT NO. 58
On page 61, line 23, delete "(210)" and insert "(211)"

AMENDMENT NO. 59
On page 63, line 1, delete "(3,478)" and insert "(3,431)"

AMENDMENT NO. 60
On page 63, at the end of line 1, delete "\$371,235,579" and insert
"\$361,935,579"

AMENDMENT NO. 61
On page 63, at the end of line 43, delete "\$503,797,452" and insert
"\$494,497,452"

AMENDMENT NO. 62
On page 63, delete lines 51 and 52

AMENDMENT NO. 63
On page 63, at the end of line 57, delete "\$503,797,452" and insert
"\$494,497,452"

AMENDMENT NO. 64
On page 64, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by
Statutory Dedications out of the Crescent City
Transition Fund to the Operations Program for the
costs of providing enhanced services including
lighting, mowing, litter collection, landscape
maintenance, trash can maintenance, and additional
sweeping on the Crescent City Connection Bridge
and surrounding infrastructure \$ 1,387,684

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Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Louisiana Highway Safety Fund to the Engineering Program for purchasing and installing permanent radar speed displays on interstate highways \$ 152,187

Provided, however, that of the funding appropriated herein for public transportation, no funding shall be allocated to East Baton Rouge Parish until the Capital Area Transit System (CATS) establishes and operates a bus route from Siegen Lane down U.S. Highway 61 (Airline Highway) to Woman's Hospital."

AMENDMENT NO. 65

On page 75, at the end of line 16, delete "\$114,841,285" and insert "\$119,841,285"

AMENDMENT NO. 66

On page 77, at the end of line 47, delete "\$239,676,142" and insert "\$244,676,142"

AMENDMENT NO. 67

On page 78, at the end of line 8, delete "\$10,264,149" and insert "\$12,264,149"

AMENDMENT NO. 68

On page 78, delete line 26

AMENDMENT NO. 69

On page 78, between lines 27 and 28, insert the following:

"Debt Recovery Fund \$ 5,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 70

On page 78, at the end of line 29, delete "\$239,676,142" and insert "\$244,676,142"

AMENDMENT NO. 71

On page 78, delete lines 51 and 52

AMENDMENT NO. 72

On page 79, delete lines 1 through 21

AMENDMENT NO. 73

On page 79, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Traffic Enforcement Program for the 2011 Port Security Grant and the 2013 Commercial Motor Vehicle Driver Safety Enforcement Grant \$ 642,077

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Natural Resources Restoration Trust Fund to the Traffic Enforcement Program for oil spill related expenditures \$ 88,302,344

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Oil Spill Contingency Fund to the Traffic Enforcement Program for oil spill related expenditures \$ 22,534,470

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund to the Traffic Enforcement Program for the state match relating to the 2013 Commercial Motor Vehicle Driver Safety Enforcement Grant \$ 80,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 74

On page 84, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the

Administrative Program for acquisitions including two (2) positions \$ 250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 75

On page 87, after line 41, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Field Services Program for restoration of funding associated with Families in Need of Services (FINS) reform, including fifty-four (54) positions \$ 3,200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 76

On page 88, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"The department shall submit a plan detailing the programmatic allocations of appropriations for the Medical Vendor Program in this Act to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for its review no later than October 1, 2013, and monthly thereafter. The report shall present a detailed account of actual Medical Vendor Program expenditures for Fiscal Year 2012-2013 from schedule 09-306."

AMENDMENT NO. 77

On page 88, after line 53, insert the following:

"Further, all key and supporting performance objectives and indicators for 09-310 Northeast Delta Human Services Authority, 09-375 Imperial Calcasieu Human Services Authority, 09-376 Central Louisiana Human Services District, and 09-377 Northwest Louisiana Human Services District shall be adjusted to reflect the funding appropriated in this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 78

On page 89, at the end of line 8, delete "\$24,494,706" and insert "\$24,467,907"

AMENDMENT NO. 79

On page 90, at the end of line 14, delete "\$24,494,706" and insert "\$24,467,907"

AMENDMENT NO. 80

On page 90, at the end of line 18, delete "\$4,330,551" and insert "\$4,303,752"

AMENDMENT NO. 81

On page 90, at the end of line 20, delete "\$24,494,706" and insert "\$24,467,907"

AMENDMENT NO. 82

On page 90, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Office of Behavioral Health for disaster crisis counseling services \$ 342,646"

AMENDMENT NO. 83

On page 90, at the end of line 23, delete "\$19,415,214" and insert "\$19,231,756"

AMENDMENT NO. 84

On page 91, at the end of line 58, delete "\$19,415,214" and insert "\$19,231,756"

AMENDMENT NO. 85

On page 91, at the end of line 62, delete "\$6,405,354" and insert "\$6,221,896"

AMENDMENT NO. 86

On page 91, at the end of line 65, delete "\$19,415,214" and insert "\$19,231,756"

AMENDMENT NO. 87

On page 91, after line 65, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Office of Behavioral Health for disaster crisis counseling services \$ 457,333"

AMENDMENT NO. 88

On page 92, at the end of line 3, delete "\$30,011,253" and insert "\$29,827,102"

AMENDMENT NO. 89

On page 93, at the end of line 20, delete "\$30,011,253" and insert "\$29,827,102"

AMENDMENT NO. 90

On page 93, at the end of line 24, delete "\$9,396,992" and insert "\$9,212,841"

AMENDMENT NO. 91

On page 93, at the end of line 27, delete "\$30,011,253" and insert "\$29,827,102"

AMENDMENT NO. 92

On page 94, at the end of line 10, delete "\$29,590,560" and insert "\$29,390,303"

AMENDMENT NO. 93

On page 94, at the end of line 60, delete "\$29,590,560" and insert "\$29,390,303"

AMENDMENT NO. 94

On page 95, at the end of line 4, delete "\$5,996,868" and insert "\$5,796,611"

AMENDMENT NO. 95

On page 95, at the end of line 7, delete "\$29,590,560" and insert "\$29,390,303"

AMENDMENT NO. 96

On page 95, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Office of Behavioral Health for disaster crisis counseling services \$ 450,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 97

On page 96, at the end of line 22, delete "\$4,084,246,091" and insert "\$4,085,546,091"

AMENDMENT NO. 98

On page 98, at the end of line 17, delete "\$277,176,571" and insert "\$270,397,035"

AMENDMENT NO. 99

On page 99, at the end of line 1, delete "\$691,480,626" and insert "\$690,787,837"

AMENDMENT NO. 100

On page 99, at the end of line 13, delete "\$7,446,032,094" and insert "\$7,439,859,769"

AMENDMENT NO. 101

On page 99, at the end of line 15, delete "\$2,027,803,526" and insert "\$2,025,668,352"

AMENDMENT NO. 102

On page 99, at the end of line 23, delete "\$12,135,818" and insert "\$11,971,046"

AMENDMENT NO. 103

On page 99, at the end of line 28, delete "\$4,798,782,419" and insert "\$4,794,910,040"

AMENDMENT NO. 104

On page 99, at the end of line 29, delete "\$7,446,032,094" and insert "\$7,439,859,769"

AMENDMENT NO. 105

On page 99, delete lines 30 through 34

AMENDMENT NO. 106

On page 99, delete lines 40 through 45, and insert the following:

"State General Fund (Direct) \$ 472,070"

AMENDMENT NO. 107

On page 100, delete lines 1 through 6

AMENDMENT NO. 108

On page 101, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"EXPENDITURES:
Medical Vendor Payments \$ 108,497,608
TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 108,497,608

MEANS OF FINANCE:
State General Fund (Direct) \$ 40,187,514
Federal Funds \$ 68,310,094
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 108,497,608

EXPENDITURES:
Payments to Private Providers for 125 additional New Opportunities Waiver (NOW) slots \$ 1,993,750
TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 1,993,750

MEANS OF FINANCE:
State General Fund (Direct) \$ 738,485
Federal Funds \$ 1,255,265
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 1,993,750

EXPENDITURES:
Payments to Private Providers for the Public Private Partnerships \$ 108,535,435
Uncompensated Care Costs Payments for the Public Private Partnerships \$ 174,236,930
TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 282,772,365

MEANS OF FINANCE:
State General Fund (Direct) \$ 74,586,823
State General Fund by:
Fees & Self-generated Revenues \$ 14,000,000
Federal Funds \$ 194,185,542
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 282,772,365"

AMENDMENT NO. 109

On page 102, delete lines 1 through 7

AMENDMENT NO. 110

On page 103, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues for the Louisiana Rural Health Information Exchange (LaRHIX) \$ 1,000,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by

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Statutory Dedications out of the Telecommunications for the Deaf Fund to the Management and Finance Program, in the event House Bill No. 75 or House Bill No. 238 of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law \$ 1,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 111 On page 103, at the end of line 20, delete "\$24,024,157" and insert "\$23,907,923"

AMENDMENT NO. 112 On page 104, at the end of line 14, delete "\$24,024,157" and insert "\$23,907,923"

AMENDMENT NO. 113 On page 104, at the end of line 18, delete "\$5,163,114" and insert "\$5,046,880"

AMENDMENT NO. 114 On page 104, at the end of line 21, delete "\$24,024,157" and insert "\$23,907,923"

AMENDMENT NO. 115 On page 104, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Office of Behavioral Health for disaster crisis counseling services \$ 862,646"

AMENDMENT NO. 116 On page 107, at the end of line 27, delete "\$20,636,538" and insert "\$20,541,621"

AMENDMENT NO. 117 On page 108, at the end of line 10, delete "\$20,636,538" and insert "\$20,541,621"

AMENDMENT NO. 118 On page 108, at the end of line 14, delete "\$3,023,861" and insert "\$2,928,944"

AMENDMENT NO. 119 On page 108, at the end of line 17, delete "\$20,636,538" and insert "\$20,541,621"

AMENDMENT NO. 120 On page 108, line 20, delete "(1,148)" and insert "(1,175)"

AMENDMENT NO. 121 On page 110, at the end of line 2, delete "\$35,976,007" and insert "\$35,989,278"

AMENDMENT NO. 122 On page 110, at the end of line 8, delete "\$6,834,531" and insert "\$6,821,260"

AMENDMENT NO. 123 On page 110, line 15, delete "units" and insert "units, including eleven (11) positions "

AMENDMENT NO. 124 On page 110, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following: "Interagency Transfers \$ 268,913"

AMENDMENT NO. 125 On page 110, at the end of line 20, delete "\$383,913" and insert "\$115,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 126 On page 110, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) for the continued operation of the Children's Special Health Services Clinics across the state, including eight (8) positions \$ 793,935"

AMENDMENT NO. 127 On page 111, at the end of line 1, delete "\$114,417,662" and insert "\$113,138,117"

AMENDMENT NO. 128 On page 111, at the end of line 62, delete "\$271,610,057" and insert "\$270,330,512"

AMENDMENT NO. 129 On page 112, at the end of line 2, delete "\$134,197,425" and insert "\$133,964,091"

AMENDMENT NO. 130 On page 112, at the end of line 8, delete "\$3,042,920" and insert "\$3,276,254"

AMENDMENT NO. 131 On page 112, at the end of line 9, delete "\$37,464,906" and insert "\$36,185,361"

AMENDMENT NO. 132 On page 112, at the end of line 10, delete "\$271,610,057" and insert "\$270,330,512"

AMENDMENT NO. 133 On page 112, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds for disaster crisis counseling services \$ 2,320,529"

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers to the Behavioral Health Community Program for substance abuse and addictive disorders services provided to Temporary Assistance for Needed Families (TANF) recipients \$ 351,097"

AMENDMENT NO. 134 On page 118, line 1, delete "(158)" and insert "(146)"

AMENDMENT NO. 135 On page 124, between lines 41 and 42, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Public Safety Services, Office of State Police, to the Management and Finance Program for expenditures associated with the Deepwater Horizon event \$ 175,000"

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Oilfield Site Restoration Fund to the Management and Finance Program for additional oilfield site restorations \$ 4,712,550"

AMENDMENT NO. 136 On page 126, between lines 46 and 47, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Oil and Gas Regulatory Fund to the Oil and Gas Regulatory Program for expenditures related to legacy suits \$ 600,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 137 On page 127, after line 48, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Department of

Public Safety, Public Safety Services, Office of State Police, to the Coastal Management Program for expenditures associated with the Deepwater Horizon event \$ 121,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 138
On page 128, line 5, delete "(612)" and insert "(631)"

AMENDMENT NO. 139
On page 129, after line 44, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Alcohol and Tobacco Control Program for operating services in Jefferson and Shreveport areas \$ 95,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Office of the Attorney General to the Tax Collection Program for expenditures associated with the Tobacco Arbitration Settlement \$ 250,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Office of the Attorney General to the Alcohol and Tobacco Control Program for expenditures associated with the Tobacco Arbitration Settlement \$ 250,000

Provided, however, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of financing for the Alcohol and Tobacco Control Program in this agency by reducing the appropriation out of State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues for operating services, rental space in the Baton Rouge office by \$95,000."

AMENDMENT NO. 140
On page 131, at the end of line 21, delete "\$5,656,469" and insert "\$5,197,578"

AMENDMENT NO. 141
On page 131, at the end of line 23, delete "\$587,050" and insert "\$1,045,941"

AMENDMENT NO. 142
On page 131, line 28, delete "(373)" and insert "(371)"

AMENDMENT NO. 143
On page 131, at the end of line 28, delete "\$39,480,668" and insert "\$39,370,337"

AMENDMENT NO. 144
On page 132, at the end of line 47, delete "\$39,480,668" and insert "\$39,370,337"

AMENDMENT NO. 145
On page 132, at the end of line 54, delete "\$24,330,852" and insert "\$24,135,437"

AMENDMENT NO. 146
On page 132, at the end of line 57, delete "\$156,145" and insert "\$31,229"

AMENDMENT NO. 147
On page 132, between lines 57 and 58, insert the following:

" Clean Water State Revolving Fund \$ 210,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 148
On page 132, at the end of line 59, delete "\$39,480,668" and insert "\$39,370,337"

AMENDMENT NO. 149
On page 132, after line 59, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Public Safety Services, Office of State Police to the Environmental Compliance Program for expenditures associated with the Deepwater Horizon Event \$ 1,072,102"

AMENDMENT NO. 150
On page 133, line 3, delete "(187)" and insert "(185)"

AMENDMENT NO. 151
On page 133, at the end of line 3, delete "\$15,202,994" and insert "\$15,091,677"

AMENDMENT NO. 152
On page 133, at the end of line 49, delete "\$15,202,994" and insert "\$15,091,677"

AMENDMENT NO. 153
On page 133, at the end of line 53, delete "\$10,550,099" and insert "\$10,103,866"

AMENDMENT NO. 154
On page 133, between lines 54 and 55, insert the following:

"Clean Water State Revolving Fund \$ 210,000
Oil Spill Contingency Fund \$ 124,916"

AMENDMENT NO. 155
On page 133, at the end of line 56, delete "\$15,202,994" and insert "\$15,091,677"

AMENDMENT NO. 156
On page 133, after line 56, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Public Safety Services, Office of State Police to the Environmental Services Program for expenditures associated with the Deepwater Horizon Event \$ 69,312"

AMENDMENT NO. 157
On page 134, line 3, delete "(45)" and insert "(49)"

AMENDMENT NO. 158
On page 134, at the end of line 3, delete "\$55,182,962" and insert "\$55,404,610"

AMENDMENT NO. 159
On page 134, at the end of line 17, delete "\$55,182,962" and insert "\$55,404,610"

AMENDMENT NO. 160
On page 134, at the end of line 22, delete "\$15,805,801" and insert "\$16,377,449"

AMENDMENT NO. 161
On page 134, at the end of line 24, delete "\$24,757,120" and insert "\$24,407,120"

AMENDMENT NO. 162
On page 134, at the end of line 28, delete "\$55,182,962" and insert "\$55,404,610"

AMENDMENT NO. 163
On page 134, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General fund by Interagency Transfer from the Department of

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Public Safety and corrections, Public Safety Services, Office of State Police to the Support Services Program for expenditures associated with the Deepwater Horizon Event \$ 37,155"

AMENDMENT NO. 164 On page 137, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Office of Workforce Development Program for Louisiana Vocational Rehabilitation Services (LRS) projects \$ 203,017"

AMENDMENT NO. 165 On page 138, at the end of line 43, delete "95.5%" and insert "96%"

AMENDMENT NO. 166 On page 139, between lines 37 and 38, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Enforcement Program for the purpose of utilizing a Federal Joint Enforcement Grant to allow the Enforcement Division the ability to patrol and enforce compliance with state and federal fishing regulations offshore past the state's three mile Inter Continental Shelf and up to two hundred miles out into the Gulf of Mexico \$ 1,200,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 167 On page 139, line 40, delete "(216)" and insert "(218)"

AMENDMENT NO. 168 On page 141, line 3, delete "(229)" and insert "(227)"

AMENDMENT NO. 169 On page 146, delete lines 12 through 47

AMENDMENT NO. 170 On page 148, line 3, delete "(22,657)" and insert "(20,472)"

AMENDMENT NO. 171 On page 148, at the end of line 3, delete "\$820,642,838" and insert "\$816,393,618"

AMENDMENT NO. 172 On page 149, at the end of line 7, delete "\$820,642,838" and insert "\$816,393,618"

AMENDMENT NO. 173 On page 149, at the end of line 9, delete "\$254,542,534" and insert "\$103,293,314"

AMENDMENT NO. 174 On page 149, at the end of line 14, delete "\$519,640,279" and insert "\$294,265,343"

AMENDMENT NO. 175 On page 149, at the end of line 20, delete "\$820,642,838" and insert "\$816,393,618"

AMENDMENT NO. 176 On page 149, at the end of line 25, delete "\$14,292,345" and insert "\$15,492,345"

AMENDMENT NO. 177 On page 149, at the end of line 27, delete "\$2,820,000" and insert "\$2,420,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 178 On page 149, at the end of line 28, delete "\$4,775,000" and insert "\$3,975,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 179 On page 149, delete lines 33 through 47

AMENDMENT NO. 180 On page 150, line 2, delete "and the Rapid Response Fund"

AMENDMENT NO. 181 On page 150, delete lines 20 through 36, and insert the following:

"SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE STATE GENERAL FUND (DIRECT) AND THE OVERCOLLECTIONS FUND in the event House Bill Nos. 452, 456, 571, 653, and 696 of the 2013 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature are enacted into law. (See Preamble Section 18 (D) (1))."

AMENDMENT NO. 182 On page 150, line 24, delete "\$138,033,505" and insert "\$450,140,279"

AMENDMENT NO. 183 On page 150, at the end of line 42, delete "\$7,419,096" and insert "\$7,417,812"

AMENDMENT NO. 184 On page 151, at the end of line 11, delete "\$9,549,096" and insert "\$9,547,812"

AMENDMENT NO. 185 On page 151, at the end of line 17, delete "\$39,429" and insert "\$38,145"

AMENDMENT NO. 186 On page 151, at the end of line 19, delete "\$9,549,096" and insert "\$9,547,812"

AMENDMENT NO. 187 On page 151, at the end of line 39, delete "\$74,048,682" and insert "\$53,048,682"

AMENDMENT NO. 188 On page 152, at the end of line 22, delete "\$264,540,377" and insert "\$243,540,377"

AMENDMENT NO. 189 On page 152, at the end of line 30, delete "\$88,637,166" and insert "\$67,637,166"

AMENDMENT NO. 190 On page 152, at the end of line 31, delete "\$264,540,377" and insert "\$243,540,377"

AMENDMENT NO. 191 On page 152, at the end of line 34, delete ""\$100,300,000."" and insert ""\$13,340,395""

AMENDMENT NO. 192 On page 152, delete lines 37 through 42

AMENDMENT NO. 193 On page 153, at the end of line 27, delete "\$827,292,717" and insert "\$666,900,618"

AMENDMENT NO. 194 On page 153, at the end of line 28, delete "\$827,292,717" and insert "\$666,900,618"

AMENDMENT NO. 195 On page 153, at the end of line 31, delete "\$162,781,728" and insert "\$94,539,707"

AMENDMENT NO. 196 On page 153, at the end of line 32, delete "\$542,636,039" and insert "\$494,983,500"

AMENDMENT NO. 197

On page 153, at the end of line 34, delete "\$19,968,890" and insert "\$19,423,309"

AMENDMENT NO. 198

On page 153, at the end of line 38, delete "\$3,154,419" and insert "\$3,700,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 199

On page 153, at the end of line 39, delete "\$73,757,054" and insert "\$29,713,934"

AMENDMENT NO. 200

On page 153, at the end of line 40, delete "\$827,292,717" and insert "\$666,900,618"

AMENDMENT NO. 201

On page 153, between lines 40 and 41, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors for allocation among its respective institutions for deferred maintenance and general operations \$ 10,000,000

Provided, however, that of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund appropriated above, the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors shall allocate the following: the amount of \$1,000,000 to the Louisiana State University - Agricultural Center; and the amount of \$1,000,000 to the Pennington Biomedical Research Center."

AMENDMENT NO. 202

On page 155, at the end of line 9, delete "\$340,323,500" and insert "\$340,595,178"

AMENDMENT NO. 203

On page 156, at the end of line 3, delete "\$10,723,342" and insert "\$10,714,452"

AMENDMENT NO. 204

On page 156, at the end of line 46, delete "\$96,897,721" and insert "\$96,760,870"

AMENDMENT NO. 205

On page 157, between lines 34 and 35, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - New Orleans and the Tulane University Health Services Center for the Louisiana Cancer Research Center \$ 488,267

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - New Orleans and the Tulane University Health Sciences Center for the Louisiana Cancer Research Center for smoking prevention mass media programs \$ 333,118

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - New Orleans for a projected tuition increase pursuant to R.S. 17:3351.11(D) \$ 1,015,682"

AMENDMENT NO. 206

On page 157, at the end of line 38, delete "\$289,709,271" and insert "\$129,682,592"

AMENDMENT NO. 207

On page 158, after line 47, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - Shreveport for the Cancer Center \$ 319,428

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - Shreveport for a projected tuition increase pursuant to R.S. 17:3351.11(D) \$ 449,924

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues from operational reserves for cash flow for the hospital to the medical school operated by the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - Shreveport \$ 41,480,383

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the LSU Health Sciences Center - Shreveport for the provision of medical services to Medicaid eligibles enrolled in the Bayou Health prepaid plans \$ 3,451,777

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center - Shreveport for termination pay \$ 2,339,157"

AMENDMENT NO. 208

On page 159, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to E. A. Conway Medical Center for the provision of medical services to Medicaid eligibles enrolled in the Bayou Health prepaid plans \$ 812,193

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers to E. A. Conway Medical Center for uncompensated care costs \$ 657,879

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the E. A. Conway Medical Center for termination pay \$ 1,008,172

Huey P. Long Medical Center - Authorized Positions (0)
State General Fund \$ 0
Total Financing \$ 0

EXPENDITURES:
Huey P. Long Medical Center \$ 10,807,843

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 10,807,843

MEANS OF FINANCE:
State General Fund by:
Interagency Transfers \$ 8,646,439
Fees & Self-generated Revenues \$ 1,215,846
Federal Funds \$ 945,558

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 10,807,843

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to Huey P. Long Medical Center for the provision of medical services to Medicaid eligibles enrolled in the Bayou Health prepaid plans \$ 74,868

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Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the Huey P. Long Medical Center for termination pay \$ 652,671"

AMENDMENT NO. 209 On page 159, at the end of line 18, delete "\$7,783,836" and insert "\$7,775,561"

AMENDMENT NO. 210 On page 160, at the end of line 3, delete "\$21,237,240" and insert "\$21,216,315"

AMENDMENT NO. 211 On page 160, at the end of line 48, delete "\$24,975,833" and insert "\$24,879,486"

AMENDMENT NO. 212 On page 161, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Tobacco Tax Health Care Fund to the Louisiana State University Agricultural Center for general operations \$ 84,188"

AMENDMENT NO. 213 On page 161, at the end of line 14, delete "\$18,905,284" and insert "\$18,892,067"

AMENDMENT NO. 214 On page 162, at the end of line 7, delete "\$921,352" and insert "\$918,231"

AMENDMENT NO. 215 On page 162, at the end of line 37, delete "\$81,485,724" and insert "\$81,391,829"

AMENDMENT NO. 216 On page 162, at the end of line 38, delete "\$81,485,724" and insert "\$81,391,829"

AMENDMENT NO. 217 On page 162, at the end of line 44, delete "\$2,882,243" and insert "\$2,788,348"

AMENDMENT NO. 218 On page 162, at the end of line 49, delete "\$81,485,724" and insert "\$81,391,829"

AMENDMENT NO. 219 On page 162, between lines 49 and 50, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the Southern University Board of Supervisors for allocation among its respective institutions for deferred maintenance and general operations \$ 10,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 220 On page 164, at the end of line 16, delete "\$47,774,428" and insert "\$47,712,949"

AMENDMENT NO. 221 On page 165, at the end of line 3, delete "\$8,743,883" and insert "\$8,737,171"

AMENDMENT NO. 222 On page 166, at the end of line 3, delete "\$12,255,172" and insert "\$12,237,599"

AMENDMENT NO. 223 On page 166, at the end of line 51, delete "\$7,251,480" and insert "\$7,245,191"

AMENDMENT NO. 224 On page 167, at the end of line 26, delete "\$5,460,761" and insert "\$5,458,919"

AMENDMENT NO. 225 On page 168, at the end of line 8, delete "\$517,083,611" and insert "\$516,543,515"

AMENDMENT NO. 226 On page 168, at the end of line 9, delete "\$517,083,611" and insert "\$516,543,515"

AMENDMENT NO. 227 On page 168, at the end of line 15, delete "\$16,164,658" and insert "\$15,638,062"

AMENDMENT NO. 228 On page 168, at the end of line 16, delete "\$433,294" and insert "\$419,794"

AMENDMENT NO. 229 On page 168, at the end of line 17, delete "\$517,083,611" and insert "\$516,543,515"

AMENDMENT NO. 230 On page 168, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the University of Louisiana Board of Supervisors for allocation among its respective institutions for deferred maintenance and general operations \$ 10,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 231 On page 169, at the end of line 25, delete "\$36,938,317" and insert "\$36,901,247"

AMENDMENT NO. 232 On page 170, at the end of line 17, delete "\$36,337,146" and insert "\$36,302,555"

AMENDMENT NO. 233 On page 171, at the end of line 8, delete "\$66,805,700" and insert "\$66,740,230"

AMENDMENT NO. 234 On page 172, at the end of line 3, delete "\$41,721,671" and insert "\$41,665,951"

AMENDMENT NO. 235 On page 173, at the end of line 3, delete "\$47,223,027" and insert "\$47,170,550"

AMENDMENT NO. 236 On page 174, at the end of line 3, delete "\$48,379,784" and insert "\$48,336,538"

AMENDMENT NO. 237 On page 175, at the end of line 3, delete "\$77,945,991" and insert "\$77,877,462"

AMENDMENT NO. 238 On page 176, at the end of line 3, delete "\$84,340,772" and insert "\$84,252,497"

AMENDMENT NO. 239 On page 177, at the end of line 3, delete "\$75,167,203" and insert "\$75,082,485"

AMENDMENT NO. 240

On page 178, at the end of line 9, delete "\$170,967,111" and insert "\$170,780,914"

AMENDMENT NO. 241

On page 178, at the end of line 10, delete "\$170,967,111" and insert "\$170,780,914"

AMENDMENT NO. 242

On page 178, at the end of line 10, delete "\$170,967,111" and insert "\$170,796,414"

AMENDMENT NO. 243

On page 178, at the end of line 15, delete "\$144,131" and insert "\$139,931"

AMENDMENT NO. 244

On page 178, at the end of line 17, delete "\$362,712" and insert "\$351,712"

AMENDMENT NO. 245

On page 178, at the end of line 18, delete "\$5,239,780" and insert "\$5,069,083"

AMENDMENT NO. 246

On page 178, at the end of line 20, delete "\$170,967,111" and insert "\$170,780,914"

AMENDMENT NO. 247

On page 178, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the Louisiana Community and Technical Colleges Board of Supervisors for allocation among its respective institutions for deferred maintenance and general operations \$ 10,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 248

On page 178, delete lines 21 through 23, and insert the following:

"Out of the funds and authorized positions appropriated herein to the Louisiana Community and Technical Colleges Board of Supervisors, the following amounts shall be allocated to each higher education institution as necessary to primarily reflect enrollment growth patterns. Further, in the event that any legislative instruments of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature providing for the transfer of technical college campuses to any of the system's higher education institutions are enacted into law, or in the event of the completion of any projects enumerated in R.S. 17:3394.1 through 3394.3, the Louisiana Community and Technical Colleges Board of Supervisors is hereby authorized to adjust fees and self-generated revenues of the affected colleges so as to properly account for student enrollment. Any such adjustments made by the board shall not impact the board's allocation of any funds based on performance."

AMENDMENT NO. 249

On page 179, at the end of line 18, delete "\$19,595,229" and insert "\$19,579,768"

AMENDMENT NO. 250

On page 180, at the end of line 8, delete "\$56,339,434" and insert "\$56,286,139"

AMENDMENT NO. 251

On page 181, at the end of line 3, delete "\$4,390,593" and insert "\$4,385,740"

AMENDMENT NO. 252

On page 181, at the end of line 51, delete "\$20,595,995" and insert "\$20,583,417"

AMENDMENT NO. 253

On page 182, between lines 30 and 31, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees & Self-generated Revenues to the Louisiana Community and Technical Colleges Board of Supervisors for Bossier Parish Community College due to projected enrollment increases \$ 2,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 254

On page 182, at the end of line 33, delete "\$14,330,654" and insert "\$14,308,992"

AMENDMENT NO. 255

On page 183, at the end of line 18, delete "\$5,021,256" and insert "\$5,016,840"

AMENDMENT NO. 256

On page 184, at the end of line 3, delete "\$9,917,843" and insert "\$9,904,473"

AMENDMENT NO. 257

On page 184, at the end of line 51, delete "\$9,265,515" and insert "\$9,238,607"

AMENDMENT NO. 258

On page 185, at the end of line 18, delete "\$7,369,176" and insert "\$7,356,292"

AMENDMENT NO. 259

On page 186, at the end of line 8, delete "\$5,403,548" and insert "\$5,399,202"

AMENDMENT NO. 260

On page 187, at the end of line 3, delete "\$4,839,545" and insert "\$4,832,104"

AMENDMENT NO. 261

On page 187, at the end of line 38, delete "\$3,898,323" and insert "\$3,889,340"

AMENDMENT NO. 262

On page 188, delete line 34, and insert the following:

"Administrative and Shared Services - Authorized Positions (99) \$ 11,163,843"

AMENDMENT NO. 263

On page 189, delete line 1, and insert the following:

"Louisiana School for the Deaf - Authorized Positions (118) \$ 8,468,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 264

On page 191, at the end of line 15, delete "\$20,289,628" and insert "\$22,179,347"

AMENDMENT NO. 265

On page 191, at the end of line 17, delete "\$4,238,177" and insert "\$2,348,458"

AMENDMENT NO. 266

On page 191, delete line 24, and insert the following:

"LSEC Education - Authorized Positions (198) \$ 15,329,518"

AMENDMENT NO. 267

On page 192, at the end of line 21, delete "\$15,691,192" and insert "\$15,329,518"

AMENDMENT NO. 268

On page 192, at the end of line 24, delete "\$15,580,022" and insert "\$15,218,348"

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AMENDMENT NO. 269

On page 192, at the end of line 29, delete "\$15,691,192" and insert "\$15,329,518"

AMENDMENT NO. 270

On page 193, at the end of line 37, delete "\$5,126,142" and insert "\$6,087,089"

AMENDMENT NO. 271

On page 193, at the end of line 39, delete "\$4,593,640" and insert "\$3,632,693"

AMENDMENT NO. 272

On page 196, at the end of line 23, delete "\$4,926,042" and insert "\$5,339,716"

AMENDMENT NO. 273

On page 196, at the end of line 25, delete "\$953,255" and insert "\$539,581"

AMENDMENT NO. 274

On page 196, delete lines 29 through 32

AMENDMENT NO. 275

On page 198, line 13, delete "(245)" and insert "(257)"

AMENDMENT NO. 276

On page 198, at the end of line 13, delete "\$100,572,219" and insert "\$99,672,219"

AMENDMENT NO. 277

On page 201, at the end of line 9, delete "\$127,742,864" and insert "\$126,842,864"

AMENDMENT NO. 278

On page 201, at the end of line 14, delete "\$10,778,407" and insert "\$9,878,407"

AMENDMENT NO. 279

On page 201, at the end of line 16, delete "\$127,742,864" and insert "\$126,842,864"

AMENDMENT NO. 280

On page 201, delete lines 17 through 23

AMENDMENT NO. 281

On page 201, delete lines 24 through 26

AMENDMENT NO. 282

On page 201, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Department of Children and Family Services to the District Support Program for the Early Childhood Education, Quality Improvement, and Head Start Programs \$ 9,777,865"

AMENDMENT NO. 283

On page 203, delete lines 49 through 52

AMENDMENT NO. 284

On page 203, after line 52, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to Subgrantee Assistance for various academic improvement initiatives and the School Choice Pilot Program \$ 382,661

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Student-Centered Goals Program for the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program (SSEEP) \$ 46,805,579"

AMENDMENT NO. 285

On page 205, at the end of line 3, delete "\$3,461,265,205" and insert "\$3,441,025,205"

AMENDMENT NO. 286

On page 205, at the end of line 41, delete "\$3,461,265,205" and insert "\$3,441,025,205"

AMENDMENT NO. 287

On page 205, at the end of line 44, delete "\$3,204,206,282" and insert "\$3,178,171,141"

AMENDMENT NO. 288

On page 205, at the end of line 49, delete "\$145,953,923" and insert "\$155,606,064"

AMENDMENT NO. 289

On page 205, at the end of line 50, delete "\$3,461,265,205" and insert "\$3,441,025,205"

AMENDMENT NO. 290

On page 208, at the end of line 45, delete "\$7,075,779" and insert "\$9,589,424"

AMENDMENT NO. 291

On page 208, at the end of line 47, delete "\$6,395,704" and insert "\$3,882,059"

AMENDMENT NO. 292

On page 208, after line 49, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees & Self-generated Revenues and ten (10) classified authorized positions to the Instruction Program to provide special education and related services to children with exceptionalities \$ 997,739"

AMENDMENT NO. 293

On page 209, at the end of line 6, delete "\$44,885,052" and insert "\$43,585,052"

AMENDMENT NO. 294

On page 209, at the end of line 33, delete "\$44,885,052" and insert "\$43,585,052"

AMENDMENT NO. 295

On page 209, at the end of line 37, delete "\$31,889,668" and insert "\$30,589,668"

AMENDMENT NO. 296

On page 209, at the end of line 40, delete "\$44,885,052" and insert "\$43,585,052"

AMENDMENT NO. 297

On page 209, between lines 40 and 41, insert the following:

"EXPENDITURES:
W. O. Moss Regional Medical Center - Authorized Positions (0) \$ 22,332,529

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 22,332,529

MEANS OF FINANCE:

State General Fund (Direct) \$ 1,690,111
State General Fund by:
Interagency Transfers \$ 10,890,083
Fees & Self-generated Revenues \$ 1,814,832
Federal Funds \$ 7,937,503

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 22,332,529

EXPENDITURES:

Washington-St. Tammany Regional

Medical Center - Authorized Positions (0)	\$ 27,040,884
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ 27,040,884</u>
MEANS OF FINANCE:	
State General Fund (Direct)	\$ 2,061,734
State General Fund by:	
Interagency Transfers	\$ 13,923,325
Fees & Self-generated Revenues	\$ 5,574,658
Federal Funds	<u>\$ 5,481,167</u>
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING	<u>\$ 27,040,884</u>
Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the LSU Health Care Services Division for termination pay	\$ 20,000,000"
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 298</u>	
On page 210, at the end of line 5, delete "\$145,899,030" and insert "\$143,899,030"	
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 299</u>	
On page 210, at the end of line 40, delete "\$167,051,709" and insert "\$165,051,709"	
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 300</u>	
On page 210, at the end of line 42, delete "\$167,051,709" and insert "\$165,051,709"	
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 301</u>	
On page 210, at the end of line 43, delete "\$167,051,709" and insert "\$165,051,709"	
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 302</u>	
On page 210, between lines 43 and 44, insert the following:	
"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to Local Housing of State Adult Offenders Program for an increase based on projected occupancy rates	\$ 9,800,000"
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 303</u>	
On page 211, line 52, delete "\$300,000" and insert "\$350,000"	
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 304</u>	
On page 212, line 45, delete "\$39,091,341" and insert "\$39,141,341"	
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 305</u>	
On page 214, line 10, delete "\$300,000" and insert "\$350,000"	
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 306</u>	
On page 215, line 33, delete "\$39,091,341" and insert "\$39,141,341"	
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 307</u>	
On page 215, delete line 41, and insert the following:	
"the Crowell Elementary School Gymnasium for acquisitions and repairs	\$ 75,000"
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 308</u>	
On page 215, delete lines 48 through 50, and insert the following:	
"Visitor Enterprise Fund to the St. Mary Parish Tourist Commission for the signage program	\$ 50,000"
<u>AMENDMENT NO. 309</u>	
On page 216, delete lines 4 and 5, and insert the following:	
"Tourist Commission for the Bayou Teche Canoe and Pirogue Race	\$ 15,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 310

On page 216, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that from the funds appropriated herein out of the Iberia Parish Tourist Commission Fund, the monies in the fund shall be allocated and distributed as follows: \$10,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the Jeanerette Museum; \$10,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the Bayou Teche Museum. The remaining monies in the fund shall be allocated and distributed as follows: forty-five percent (45%) to the Iberia Parish Visitors and Convention Bureau, thirty-seven percent (37%) to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission, sixteen percent (16%) to the Iberia Economic Development Authority, and two percent (2%) to the Iberia Sports Complex Commission.

Provided, however, that in the event that the monies in the fund exceed \$1,200,000 for the 2013-2014 Fiscal Year, out of the funds appropriated herein out of the Jefferson Parish Convention Center Fund, \$350,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the Jefferson Performing Arts Society - East Bank, \$200,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the Jefferson Performing Arts Society - City of Westwego, \$50,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the city of Westwego for the Westwego Farmers and Fisherman's Market, \$250,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the city of Gretna for the Marketing Program for the Gretna Festival, and \$100,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the City of Gretna - Heritage Festival. In the event that total revenues deposited in this fund are insufficient to fully fund such allocations, each entity shall receive the same pro rata share of the monies available, which its allocation represents to the total.

Provided, however, that of the funds appropriated herein to East Carroll Parish out of the East Carroll Visitor Enterprise Fund, one hundred percent shall be allocated and distributed to Doorway to Louisiana, Inc. D/B/A East Carroll Parish Tourism Commission. In the event that total revenues deposited in this fund are insufficient to fully fund such allocation, Doorway to Louisiana, Inc. shall receive the same pro rata share of the monies available which its allocation represents to the total.

Further provided, that from the funds appropriated herein out of the Richland Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund, \$25,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the town of Delhi of which amount \$5,000 shall be allocated to the Delhi Municipal Golf Course and the remainder shall be allocated for the Cave Theater, \$10,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the town of Mangham for downtown development, and \$25,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the town of Rayville for downtown development. In the event that total revenues deposited in this fund are insufficient to fully fund such allocations, each entity shall receive the same pro rata share of the monies available which its allocation represents to the total.

Further provided, that from the funds appropriated herein out of the Madison Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund, \$12,500 shall be allocated and distributed to the Madison Parish Historical Society, and \$10,000 shall be allocated and distributed to the city of Tallulah for beautification and repair projects. In the event that total revenues deposited in this fund are insufficient to fully fund such allocations, each entity shall receive the same pro rata share of the monies available which its allocation represents to the total."

AMENDMENT NO. 311

On page 217, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that of the funding allocated herein to Ouachita Parish under the Parish Transportation Program (R.S. 48:751-756(A)), eight percent (8%) shall be allocated to the town of Richwood."

AMENDMENT NO. 312

On page 219, line 4, delete "\$37,113,535" and insert "\$36,113,535"

AMENDMENT NO. 313

On page 219, line 8, delete "\$37,113,535" and insert "\$36,113,535"

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AMENDMENT NO. 314

On page 219, line 10, delete "\$20,903,275" and insert "\$19,903,275"

AMENDMENT NO. 315

On page 219, line 14, delete "\$37,113,535" and insert "\$36,113,535"

AMENDMENT NO. 316

On page 219, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Mega-Project Development Fund to the Debt Service and State Commitments Program for the IBM Services Center in Baton Rouge \$ 15,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 317

On page 219, line 22, delete "\$10,000,000" and insert "\$2,500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 318

On page 221, line 13, delete "\$574,750" and insert "\$561,474"

AMENDMENT NO. 319

On page 221, delete lines 47 through 55, and insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Overcollections Fund to the Parish of Orleans pursuant to the Casino Support Services contract between the State of Louisiana, and through its governing authority the city of New Orleans, in the event that House Bill No. 320 of the 2013 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature is not enacted into law \$ 3,600,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 320

On page 221, after line 55, insert the following:

"Section 1.1.A. For the satisfaction and payment of consent judgments, stipulated judgments, and other judgments against the state, if such judgments are final, and notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 49:112, the provisions of this Section contain appropriations in the total amount of Eleven Million Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, be it more or less estimated, as specifically provided in each Subsection. Provided, however, that all judgments provided for in this Section shall be paid as to principal, interest, court costs, and expert witness fees as provided in said judgments, it being the intent herein that when the provisions of any judgment conflict with the provisions of the respective House Bill or this Act, the provisions of the judgment shall be controlling. Any other provision of any such House Bill or this Act, not in conflict with the provisions of such judgment, shall control. Payment shall be made as to any such judgment only after presentation to the state treasurer of documentation required by the state treasurer. Further, all judgments provided for in this Section shall be deemed to have been paid on the effective date of the Act, and interest shall cease to run as of that date.

B. There is hereby appropriated the sum of Five Million Four Hundred Thirty Thousand and No/100 (\$5,430,000.00) Dollars, be it more or less estimated, out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to be allocated to pay the consent judgments, stipulated judgments, and other judgments against the state, if such judgments are final and if such judgments are delineated in the following House Bills introduced in the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature:

- House Bill No. 11 by Representative Foil
House Bill No. 12 by Representative Guinn
House Bill No. 13 by Representative Hazel
House Bill No. 26 by Representative Schroder
House Bill No. 27 by Representative Thibaut
House Bill No. 28 by Representative Chaney
House Bill No. 29 by Representative Foil

- House Bill No. 30 by Representative Foil
House Bill No. 78 by Representative Hoffmann
House Bill No. 80 by Representative Schroder
House Bill No. 84 by Representative Barrow
House Bill No. 124 by Representative Hazel
House Bill No. 132 by Representative Fannin
House Bill No. 133 by Representative Lorusso
House Bill No. 134 by Representative Lorusso
House Bill No. 136 by Representative Simon
House Bill No. 137 by Representative Edwards
House Bill No. 138 by Representative Ritchie
House Bill No. 157 by Representative Willmott
House Bill No. 196 by Representative Thierry
House Bill No. 199 by Representative Miller
House Bill No. 201 by Representative Foil
House Bill No. 210 by Representative Pylant
House Bill No. 252 by Representative Geymann
House Bill No. 270 by Representative Stuart Bishop
House Bill No. 276 by Representative Geymann
House Bill No. 296 by Representative Alfred Williams
House Bill No. 302 by Representative Montoucet
House Bill No. 305 by Representative Johnson
House Bill No. 317 by Representative Leger
House Bill No. 336 by Representative Garofalo
House Bill No. 398 by Representative Miller
House Bill No. 403 by Representative Tim Burns
House Bill No. 495 by Representative Moreno
House Bill No. 611 by Representative Edwards
House Bill No. 672 by Representative Kleckley
House Bill No. 676 by Representative Guinn

C. The sum of Two Thousand and No/100 (\$2,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Derrick Battise v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development", bearing Number 138838 on the docket of the Thirty-Second Judicial District Court, parish of Terrebonne, state of Louisiana.

D. The sum of Two Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand and No/100 (\$225,000.00) Dollars to be apportioned as follows: Fifty-Six Thousand Two Hundred Fifty and No/100 (\$56,250.00) Dollars to John Britton, individually, Fifty-Six Thousand Two Hundred Fifty and No/100 (\$56,250.00) Dollars to Peggy Britton, individually; Fifty-Six Thousand Two Hundred Fifty and No/100 (\$56,250.00) Dollars to Anthony Bourgeois and Tiffany Bourgeois, cumulatively, as individuals in capacity, and Fifty-Six Thousand Two Hundred Fifty and No/100 (\$56,250.00) Dollars to Anthony Bourgeois and Tiffany Bourgeois on behalf of the minor Dallin Bourgeois, is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "John Britton, Peggy Britton Anthony and Tiffany Bourgeois, individually and on behalf of Dallin Bourgeois v. Kenneth Vallone, et al", bearing Number 95,208, on the docket of the Twenty-Third Judicial District Court, parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana.

E. The sum of One Hundred Thousand and No/100 (\$100,000.00) Dollars to be apportioned as follows: Twenty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-Six and 67/100 (\$29,666.67) Dollars in favor of plaintiff Joshua Gaines, Twenty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-Six and 67/100 (\$29,666.67) Dollars in favor of plaintiff Deivorin Walker, and Twenty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-Six and 66/100 (\$29,666.66) Dollars in favor of plaintiff Joshua Gaines, is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Mary L. Walker as the legal tutrix of Ivory Jerome Walker v. Kansas City Southern Railway Company, et al" consolidated with "Latresa Gaines, et al v. Kansas City Southern Railroad Company, et al", bearing Numbers 35,898 and 35,901, respectively, on the docket of the Second Judicial District Court, parish of Bienville, state of Louisiana.

Section 1.2. The sum of Four Million One Hundred Four Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five and 84/100 (\$4,104,285.84) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources to be used to satisfy the judgment regarding royalties in the suit entitled "State of Louisiana *ex rel* Plaquemines Parish School Board v. Louisiana Department of Natural Resources", bearing Number 57-419, Division "A", on the docket of the Twenty-Fifth Judicial District Court, parish of Plaquemines, state of Louisiana.

Section 1.3. The sum of Sixty-Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Four and 02/100 (\$68,704.02) Dollars, plus court costs in the amount of Seven Hundred and No/100 (\$700.00) Dollars, is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to be used to satisfy the requirements of the settlement agreement and release executed by the board and Alberta W. Sims for resolution of the suit entitled "Alberta W. Sims v. Louisiana State Elementary and Secondary Education Board", bearing Number 605,952 on the docket of the Nineteenth Judicial District Court, parish of East Baton Rouge, state of Louisiana.

Section 1.4. The sum of One Million Three Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Seven Hundred Six and 47/100 (\$1,333,706.47) Dollars, plus interest from February 24, 2011 is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to McNeese State University and the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System to pay the judgment awarding attorney's fees, expenses and costs to plaintiffs in the matter of "Collette Josey Covington and Jade Covington v. McNeese State University and the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System" bearing No. 2001-2355 on the docket of the Fourteenth Judicial District Court, parish of Calcasieu, state of Louisiana.

Section 1.5. The sum of Ten Thousand and No/100 (\$10,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Mary C. Ferroni, Wife of/and Richard A. Machen, City of Slidell, ABC Insurance Company, and XYZ Insurance Company and the State of Louisiana", bearing Number 2004-12760, on the docket of the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court, parish of St. Tammany, state of Louisiana.

Section 1.6. The sum of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand and No/100 (\$250,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 to be used to pay the judgment awarding compensation for wrongful conviction and incarceration in the matter of "Eddie Triplett v. State of Louisiana", bearing Criminal District Court No. 400-740 Section "J" on the docket of the Criminal District Court, parish of Orleans, state of Louisiana.

Section 1.7. The sum of Five Hundred Thousand and No/100 (\$500,000.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana by Statutory Dedications from the Overcollections Fund for Fiscal Year 2012-2013 which shall be payable to plaintiffs through Hancock Bank, as escrow agent, into escrow account number I097000229 for partial payment of the judgment rendered in the class action suit entitled "Jean Boudreaux, et al. v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development, et al", bearing Number 71,408 on the docket of the Twenty-First Judicial District Court, parish of Tangipahoa, state of Louisiana, which payment shall be deemed to be the last payment until a signed settlement is agreed upon.

All judgments provided for in this Section shall be paid as to principal, interest, court costs, and expert witness fees as provided in said judgments, it being the intent herein that when the provisions of any judgment conflict with the provisions of this Act, the provisions of the judgment shall be controlling. Any other provision of this Act, not in conflict with the provisions of such judgment, shall control.

Payment shall be made as to any such judgment only after presentation to the state treasurer of documentation required by the state treasurer.

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AMENDMENT NO. 321

On page 223, at the end of line 47, delete "and Eleven" and insert "Four"

AMENDMENT NO. 322

On page 223, at the beginning of line 49, delete "\$11,201,724" and insert "\$4,201,724.00"

AMENDMENT NO. 323

On page 224, delete lines 1 through 10

AMENDMENT NO. 324

On page 233, delete lines 3 through 8

AMENDMENT NO. 325

On page 233, delete line 9, and insert the following:
"Section 20. The provisions of this Act shall"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 151—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6026(E)(1), relative to tax credits; to extend the effectiveness of certain tax credits related to the Cane River Heritage Area Development Zone; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 166—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(1), (2), and (3), relative to the severance tax; to provide relative to the severance tax on trees, timber, and pulpwood; to provide relative to the valuation of such natural resources; to authorize the Louisiana Tax Commission to assist in valuation of such natural resources; to provide for certain definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 182—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(10)(e), relative to sales and use taxes; to provide relative to the definition of "sale at retail" for purposes of the exemption for certain agricultural commodities used in preparing crops or animals for market; to provide relative to the promulgation of rules by the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 193—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6036(B)(8), relative to tax credits; to provide relative to the ports of Louisiana tax credit; to provide relative to certain activities on projects which qualify for such

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tax credit; to provide for certain definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 193 by Representative Gisclair

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete "R.S. 47:6036(B)(8)" and insert "the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6036(B)(2), R.S. 47:6036(B)(8) and (13), (C)(1)(b) and (c), and (G)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "credit;" insert " to provide the term of the credit; to provide for the activities and projects to which the credit applies; to provide with respect to certain determinations and certifications;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete line 7, and insert the following: "Section 1. The introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6036(B)(2), R.S. 47:6036(B)(8) and (13), (C)(1)(b) and (c), (G), are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following: "(2) "Capital costs" shall mean and include all costs and expenses incurred paid after July 1, 2013, by one or more investing companies in connection with the acquisition, construction, installation, and equipping of a qualifying project during the period commencing with the date on which the acquisition, construction, installation, and equipping commences and ending on the date on which the qualifying project is placed in service. Capital costs shall include, but not be limited to the following: * * *

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 14, after "activity" change "shall mean and include any" to "shall mean and include means trade or business activity conducted on premises in which a duly recognized port authority has an ownership, leasehold, or other possessory interest and such premises are used as part of the operations of a duly recognized port authority, which is a any"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 15, delete "1997" and insert "1997 2012"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, delete lines 18 through 20, and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 6, and insert the following: "Handling), Industry Number 336611 (Ship Building and Repair), Industry Number 213112 (Support Activities for Oil and Gas Operations), when the trade or business is conducted on premises in which a duly recognized port authority has an ownership, leasehold, or other possessory interest and such premises are used as part of the operations of a duly recognized port authority, including the above trades and businesses as they may hereafter be reclassified in any subsequent publication of the NAICS or similar classification system developed in conjunction with the United States Department of Commerce and Office of Management and Budget. * * *

(13) "Qualifying project" shall mean and include a project to be sponsored or undertaken by a public port and one or more investing companies that have has a capital cost of not less than five one and one-half million dollars and at which the predominant trade or business activity conducted will constitute industrial, warehousing, or port and harbor operations and cargo handling, including any port or port and harbor activity. However, "qualifying project" shall not mean bulk liquid or gas facilities. * * *

C. Investor tax credit.

(1) * * * (b) The Investor Tax Credit provided for in this Subsection shall be issued granted by the Department of Economic Development for a qualifying project if the commissioner of administration, after approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, and the state bond commission certifies to the secretary of the department that there will be sufficient revenue received by the state to offset the effect to the state of the tax credits provided for the capital costs of the project, whether from increased port or port and harbor activity because of the grant of the tax credit or otherwise securing the project will result in a significant positive economic benefit to the state. "Significant positive economic benefit" means net positive tax revenue that shall be determined by taking into account direct, indirect, and induced impacts of the project based on a standard economic impact methodology utilized by the commissioner, and the value of the credit, and any other state tax and financial incentives that are used by the department to secure the project. If the commissioner with the approval of the committee so certifies, then the Department of Economic Development may grant a tax credit equal to the total capital costs of a such qualifying project to be taken at five percent per tax year; or shall grant such other amount of tax credit to be taken at such other percentage which is warranted by the significant positive economic benefit determined by the commissioner, but no tax credit granted for a qualifying project shall exceed two million five hundred thousand dollars per tax year. However, the total amount of tax credits granted on a qualifying project shall not exceed the total cost of the project. In addition, the Investor Tax Credits granted by the department to any recipient pursuant to this Section shall be limited to an amount which shall not result in a reduction of tax liability by all recipients of such credits to exceed six million two hundred fifty thousand dollars in any fiscal year.

(c) The tax credit Any tax credits granted pursuant to Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph shall be earned by investors at the time expenditures are made by an investing company; however, such tax credits shall not be applied against a tax liability before July 1, 2014, and not until the project is approved by the department after certification from the commissioner with the approval of the committee and the state bond commission and capital cost expenditures are certified by the department. The Department of Economic Development shall certify capital cost expenditures no less than twice during the duration of the qualifying project unless the investing company agrees, in writing, to reimburse the Department of Economic Development for the costs of any additional certifications. * * *

G. Termination of Investor Tax Credits.

The provisions of Subsection C of this Section shall be effective until January 1, 2017 January 1, 2020, and no investor tax credit pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be granted after such date. * * *

Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2013; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2013, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 220— BY REPRESENTATIVES HAVARD AND HARRIS AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:604.2, relative to the functions and duties of the Legislative Fiscal Office; to require certain reports regarding the General Appropriation Bill; to provide for the availability of such reports; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 281—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2006(A)(2)(b), (B)(2)(e), and (E)(2)(b), to enact Part IV-A of Chapter 11 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2151 through 2161, and to repeal R.S. 28:567 through 573 and Part XIII of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:1058.1 through 1058.10, relative to behavioral health services providers; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to establish a behavioral health services providers license; to provide rulemaking authority; to provide for license issuance and renewal; to require a licensing fee; to prohibit operating without a license; to provide for penalties and remedies; to provide for opioid treatment programs; to provide for right of inspection; to provide for drug-free zones; to repeal provisions relative to the licensing of mental health clinics; to repeal provisions relative to the licensing of substance abuse/addiction treatment facilities; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 316—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KATRINA JACKSON AND JAMES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1517.1, relative to tax incentives; to require state agencies which administer tax credits and tax rebates to make certain reports; to provide relative to the contents of such reports; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 316 by Representative Katrina Jackson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "limitations;" and before "to" insert "to exclude certain programs from applicability;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 12, after "benefit" insert "and any other economic benefits produced by such tax incentive"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, after line 20, insert the following:
"H. This Section shall not apply to programs which have a sunset date on or before July 1, 2009."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 325—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.64.1, relative to the parish of Iberville; to authorize the governing authority of the parish to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax; to provide for the use of the proceeds of the tax; to provide for voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 421—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2156(C)(3), relative to contractor license renewal fees; to provide for an additional fee; to provide for an option to not participate; to provide for dedication and allocation of the fee; to provide for distribution to accredited public university or community college schools of construction management or construction technology; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 421 by Representative Ponti

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 2 and 3, and insert the following: "dedicated and allocated as provided in this Paragraph to any public university in this state or any community college school of construction management or construction technology in this state that is accredited by either the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 26, after "source," delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 27 through 29 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 5

On motion of Senator Martiny, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 430—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:222(B)(1)(b), (c), and (g), (2)(a) and (d), (3)(a), (b), and (e), (5)(b), and (12)(c), relative to fees chargeable by secretary of state; to authorize the secretary of state to increase certain fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 452—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To provide relative to special treasury funds; to provide for the transfer, dedication, use, and appropriations as specified of certain treasury funds; to provide for the deposit of certain funds into the state treasury; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 452 by Representative Fannin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "provide" to "amend and reenact R.S. 39:82(A), 87.5(E)(2), and 352, R.S. 40:600.90(A)(1)(a) and (2)(c), and R.S. 47:302.2(B) and 332.6(B), and to enact Subpart H of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.11, and R.S. 47:302.2(C)(1)(g) and (E), to repeal R.S. 39:87.5(B) and Section 4 of Act 597 of the 2012 Regular Session, and to provide"

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, change "treasury;" to "treasury; to establish the Payments Towards the UAL Fund; to provide for the term of the executive director of the Louisiana Housing Corporation; to provide for the use of monies in the Shreveport Riverfront and Convention Center and Independence Stadium Fund; to establish the FMAP Stabilization Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to abolish the Incentive Fund and the Budget Stabilization Replenishment Fund;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following: "(N) The state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to transfer One Million Ninety-Four Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-Three Dollars from the Overcollections Fund into the Prepaid Wireless 911 Services Fees and Self-Generated Revenues for prior year collections.

(O) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer One Million One Hundred One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-One Dollars from the Underwater Obstruction Removal Fund into the Oil and Gas Regulatory Fund.

(P) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the state treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer Nine Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Three Dollars from the Community Water Enrichment Fund into the Overcollections Fund."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 25, after "to transfer" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 26 and 27, and insert the following: "Thirteen Million One Hundred Thirty-Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-One Dollars of Fees and Self-Generated Revenues collected by the Department of Revenue to the Overcollections Fund."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, delete lines 16 and 17

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 5, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following: "Section 4. (A) The state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to transfer One Hundred Million Dollars from the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund to the state general fund.

(B) The state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to transfer Seventy-Seven Million Dollars from the Louisiana Mega-Project Development Fund to the state general fund.

(C) The state treasury is hereby authorized and directed to transfer Ten Million Dollars from the Rapid Response Fund to the state general fund.

Section 5. R.S. 39:82(A), 87.5(E)(2), and 352 are amended and reenacted and Subpart H of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.11, is enacted to read as follows:

§82. Remission of cash balances to the state treasurer; authorized withdrawals of state monies after the close of the fiscal year

A. All cash balances occurring from appropriations made by legislative act or by the Interim Emergency Board regardless of date of passage to any state agency for which no bona fide liability exists on the last day of each fiscal year shall be remitted to the state treasurer by the fifteenth day following the last day of the fiscal year. Any appropriations including those made by the Interim Emergency Board of the preceding fiscal year remaining at the end of the fiscal year against which bona fide liabilities existed as of the last day of the fiscal year may be withdrawn from the state treasury during the forty-five day period after the last day of the fiscal year only as such liabilities come due for payment. Prior to placing monies associated with such unexpended appropriations into the state general fund, the state treasurer shall make deposits to the ~~Incentive Payments Towards the UAL Fund~~ as are necessary to satisfy the requirements of R.S. ~~39:87.5~~ 39:100.11.

§87.5. Exceptional Performance and Efficiency Incentive Program; ~~Incentive Fund~~

E. Rewards.

(2) The payment of such rewards shall be effectuated through presentation of a warrant by the respective agency to the state treasurer, accompanied by a copy of the committee resolution indicating the granting of the reward and the amount to be paid from funds appropriated ~~from the Incentive Fund~~ in that fiscal year. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Title to the contrary, the commissioner of administration shall implement any internal budgetary adjustments necessary to incorporate reward monies into the budget of the recipient agency for expenditure pursuant to the respective resolution.

SUBPART H. PAYMENTS TOWARDS THE UAL FUND

§100.11. Payments Towards the UAL Fund

A. For Fiscal Year 2013-2014, the Payments Towards the UAL Fund, hereinafter referred to as the "fund", is hereby created in the state treasury. The source of monies deposited into the fund shall be a portion of the unexpended monies returned to the state general fund at the end of the fiscal year and any monies appropriated to the fund. The state treasurer shall transfer to the fund all cash balances from unexpended and unencumbered state general fund appropriations which are subject to remission to the state treasury under the provisions of R.S. 39:82. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund. Monies in the fund shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund, and any interest earned on the investment of monies in the fund shall be credited to the fund.

B. Monies in the fund shall be subject to appropriation exclusively to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana for application to the balance of the unfunded accrued liability of such systems existing as of June 30, 1988, in proportion to the balance of such unfunded accrued liability of each such system. Any such payments to the public retirement systems shall not be used, directly or indirectly, to fund cost-of-living increases for such systems.

§352. Cancellation of unexpended portions of appropriations; exceptions

Whenever any specific appropriation is made to meet any item of expenditure which occurs annually by provision of law or for contingent expense, and any portion of it remains unexpended at the end of the year for which the specific appropriation was made, after all legal claims against it for the year have been paid, the commissioner of administration shall cancel any balance of the appropriation, and each succeeding year he shall open a new account for the appropriation which may be made for that particular year, without carrying forward any unexpended balance of appropriation made for any previous year. This provision shall not apply to appropriations made to pay the debt of the state, principal and interest. Prior to placing monies associated with such unexpended appropriations into the state general fund, the state treasurer shall make deposits to the ~~Incentive Payments Towards the UAL Fund~~ as are necessary to satisfy the requirements of R.S. ~~39:87.5~~ 39:100.11.

Section 6. R.S. 40:600.90(A)(1)(a) and (2)(c) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§600.90. Officers of the corporation; duties; liability

A. Executive director.

(1) Appointment.

(a) The board of directors of the corporation shall appoint an executive director of the corporation subject to confirmation by the Senate for a term not to exceed three years. Any person appointed shall meet all the requirements for being a member of the board of directors except for the requirement of R.S. 40:600.89(A)(2)(a).

(2) Duties; requirements.

(c) The executive director of the corporation shall ~~serve at the pleasure of the board of directors~~ only be terminated for cause.

Section 7. R.S. 47:302(B) and 332.6(B) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 47:302.2(C)(1)(g) and (E) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§302.2. Disposition of certain collections in the city of Shreveport

* * *

B. The monies in the Shreveport Riverfront and Convention Center and Independence Stadium Fund shall be subject to annual appropriation by the legislature. Except as provided in Subsections (D) and (E) of this Section, the monies in the fund shall be available exclusively for the purposes provided in Subsection C of this Section. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund shall remain in the fund. The monies in the fund shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as the monies in the state general fund, and all interest earned shall be deposited into the state general fund.

C. Subject to an annual appropriation by the legislature, monies in the fund shall be used as follows:

(1) For allocation from all monies in the fund in the following amounts:

- * * *
- (g)(i) The Redbud Festival in Vivian, Five Thousand Dollars.
 - (ii) The Sunflower Festival in Gilliam, Five Thousand Dollars.
 - (iii) The Poke Salad Festival in Shreveport, Five Thousand Dollars.
 - (iv) The Oil City Gusher Days in Oil City, Five Thousand Dollars.

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E. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section to the contrary, for the 2013-2014 Fiscal Year, the amount of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars shall be allocated to the Secretary of State for the restoration of the Shreveport Water Works Museum.

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§332.6. Disposition of certain collections in the city of Shreveport

B. The monies in the Shreveport Riverfront and Convention Center and Independence Stadium Fund shall be subject to an annual appropriation by the legislature. The monies in the fund shall be available exclusively for the purposes provided in R.S. 47:302.2(C) and (D). However, forty thousand dollars of the monies deposited in the fund shall be allocated annually to Pamoja Art Society for African-American cultural activities in Shreveport, fifty thousand dollars of the monies deposited into the fund shall be allocated annually to The Shreveport Multicultural Center, Inc., and ~~ten~~ fifteen thousand dollars of the monies deposited in the fund shall be allocated annually to the Rho Omega and Friends, Inc. for the Good Time Rho Festival. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund shall remain in the fund. The monies in the fund shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as the monies in the state general fund, and all interest earned shall be deposited in the state general fund.

Section 8.A. In order to help mitigate the budget shortfall resulting from Congressional actions, which occurred shortly after the end of the 2012 Regular Session, which caused a decrease in the state's Federal Medical Assistance Percentage (FMAP) rate to the lowest point in over twenty years, the FMAP Stabilization Fund, hereafter referred to as the fund, is hereby created in the state treasury.

B. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, including Act 597 of 2012, after complying with the provisions of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the allocation of monies to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, the treasurer shall make the deposits required by this Act. The treasurer shall deposit into the fund the difference between the official forecast of revenue available for expenditures for Fiscal Year 2011-2012 adopted by the Revenue Estimating Conference on April 24, 2012, and actual collections of revenue available for expenditures in Fiscal Year 2011-2012 to be promulgated by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, not to exceed the amount of One Hundred Thirteen Million Two Hundred Twenty Thousand Eight Hundred and Seven Dollars.

C. Monies in the fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on investment of monies in the fund shall be deposited in and credited to the fund. Monies in the fund shall be used or expended as further provided by law.

Section 9. R.S. 39:87.5(B) and Section 4 of Act 597 of the 2012 Regular Session are hereby repealed."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 5, line 18, change "Section 4. Sections 1, 4 and 5" to "Section 10. Sections 1, 5, and 8 through 11"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, line 22, change "Sections 1, 4 and 5" to "Sections 1, 5, and 8 through 11"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 24, change "Section 5. Sections 2 and 3" to "Section 11. Sections 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, line 25, change "Sections 2 and 3" to "Sections 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 456—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To enact the Louisiana Tax Delinquency Amnesty Act of 2013; to provide for definitions; to require the Department of Revenue to establish a tax amnesty program as provided for in this Act; to provide for terms and conditions of the program; to provide for the disposition of the monies collected pursuant to the tax amnesty program; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 456 by Representative Robideaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 11, after "period" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 12, and on line 13, delete " 31, 2015, at the discretion of the secretary." and insert: "of at least two months duration occurring prior to December 31, 2013, at the discretion of the secretary."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 16, change "Except" to the following: "Notwithstanding the terms or provisions of any other Act or other provisions of law to the contrary, and except"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete line 20, and insert: "for payment not later than May 31, 2013; or"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 21, and insert:
"(2) Taxes for taxable periods that began before"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 26 and 27

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete line 28, on line 29, delete "amnesty period" and insert:
"application. Notwithstanding the terms or provisions of any other Act or other provisions of law to the contrary, if the amnesty application is approved"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 29, after "shall waive" change "all" to "one-half of"

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AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 30, after "applied." delete the remainder of the line, delete line 31, on page 4, delete line 1, and on line 2, delete "periods for which amnesty is applied."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 25, after "Section 4." insert "A."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 6, line 3, after "Act." delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 1 through 7, and insert:

"B.(1)All remaining monies collected pursuant to this Act shall be paid into the state treasury. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund and prior to any money being placed into the general fund or any other fund, an amount equal to received pursuant to Paragraph (1) of this Subsection shall be credited by the Treasurer to a special fund hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the 2013 Amnesty Collections Fund. The money in the fund shall be used solely and exclusively as provided for in Paragraph (3) of this Subsection.

(2)(a)(i)The money in the fund shall be invested by the Treasurer in the same manner as money in the state general fund and interest earned on the investment of the money shall be credited to the fund after compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund.

(ii) All unexpended and unencumbered money in the fund at the end of the year shall remain in the fund.

(3) The money in the fund shall be used solely and exclusively as follows:

(a) For Fiscal Year 2013-2014, the Treasurer shall transfer from the 2013 Amnesty Collection Fund the first ten million dollars into the Rapid Response Fund, next, seventy-seven million dollars into the Louisiana Mega-Project Development Fund provided for in R.S. 51:2365, and, last, one hundred million dollars into the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund provided for in Article VII, Section 10.2 of the Constitution of Louisiana.

(b) Of the money remaining in the fund on July 1, 2014, the legislature may only appropriate one-half for any purpose in Fiscal Year 2014-2015.

(c) The legislature may appropriate the balance remaining in the fund for any purpose in Fiscal Year 2015-2016."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 500—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(F)(2) and 1300.33(A) and R.S. 33:9100.21(B)(1) and (F)(2)(d), relative to election dates; to provide for the election dates that may be used for elections relative to security or neighborhood improvement districts in certain parishes; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 516—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Sections 4 (introductory paragraph), 4D, 4G, 4M, 20A, and 23 and to enact Section 20F of Act No. 305 of the 1978 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Act No. 657 of the 1979 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 99 of the 1980 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 9 of the 1980 Second Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, Act No. 287 of the 1982 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 572 of the 1984 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 390 of the 1987 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 43 of the 1992 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act No. 1013 of the 1993 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act Nos. 13 and 42 of

the 1994 Regular Session of the Legislature, Act Nos. 1174 and 1176 of the 1997 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Act No. 72 of the 2002 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, all relative to the Ernest N. Morial-New Orleans Exhibition Hall Authority, to grant additional powers to the authority, to provide for the issuance of bonds and other obligations of the authority to finance expansion projects; to provide for additional bonding capacity of the authority; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 571—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(A)(3) and (B)(3) and 1791 and to enact R.S. 47:6302 and R.S. 51:3116 and 3122, relative to rebates and rebate programs, to provide requirements for rebate contracts; to provide for the administration of rebate programs; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 571 by Representative Robideaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "1791" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 through 5, and insert the following: ", relative to enterprise zones; to provide requirements for incentives; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for approval in certain parishes for rural enterprise zones; to provide for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 8 through 17

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 18, change "Section 2." to "Section 1."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, delete lines 1 through 23

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 24, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, at the end of line 26, after "Act" change the period "." to a comma "," and insert "or for which advanced notification has been filed on or after the effective date of this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 27, change "Section 4." to "Section 3."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 629—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER, BARRAS, BURFORD, GUILLORY, HAZEL, HOFFMANN, JAMES, STOKES, THOMPSON, WHITNEY, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:451(C) and R.S. 47:1603(A) and to enact R.S. 36:458(H) and R.S. 47:1676, 1676.1, and 1677, relative to collections by the Department of Revenue; to establish the office of debt recovery within the Department of Revenue to collect certain delinquent debts owed to or collected by the state; to provide for definitions; to provide for the

administration of the collection of certain debts; to authorize the office to collect certain debt of political subdivisions under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the procedure for collection of certain debts; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to authorize the collection of a fee; to provide for the establishment of an electronic debt registry; to provide relative to the information maintained in the registry; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for the waiver of penalty for delinquent filing or delinquent payment under certain circumstances; to authorize establishment of certain programs; to establish the Debt Recovery Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of the monies in the fund; to authorize the establishment and use of a financial institution data match system; to authorize the acquisition and use of certain information from a financial institution; to authorize the payment of certain fees for acquisition of data match request files; to provide for the confidentiality of certain information; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 629 by Representative Broadwater

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 19 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 22, 2013, on page 3, line 6, after "(2)" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: "Each agency shall refer non-final delinquent debts requiring legal action or legal proceedings, other than administrative proceedings within such agency, to the attorney"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 19 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 22, 2013, on page 3, at the end of line 7, insert a comma "," and insert "or other time period as provided"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 19 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 22, 2013, on page 3, line 9, after "general and" and before "or" delete "other agencies" and insert "any such agency"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

Delete Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 41 and 42 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 22, 2013.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, change "47:1676," to "R.S. 47:1508(B)(33), 1676,"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 3, change "47:1676," to "R.S. 47:1508(B)(33), 1676,"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:
 "§1508. Confidential character of tax records
 * * *"

B. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent:
 * * *

(33) The sharing or furnishing, in the discretion of the secretary, of information to the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospital's tax filing unit for the purposes of complying with mandatory requirements in accordance with federal law.
 * * **"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, line 4, change "or" to "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 7, delete lines 19 through 22

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 7, line 24, change "of the delinquent debt," to "of debt which has become final after the initial effective date of this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 7, line 29, after "Section" delete the remainder of the line and on page 8, delete lines 1 and 2, and insert the following: "shall be transferred to the referring agency within thirty days after the end of the month in which the monies were collected and shall be used by such agency as they would have been had they been timely collected. However, any monies collected for delinquent debt as a result of nonpayment of tax liabilities pursuant to Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, after deposit into the state general fund, the first five million dollars shall be appropriated by the legislature beginning in Fiscal Year 2013-2014, and for four consecutive fiscal years thereafter, to the Office of State Police for a training academy class."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 645—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:821(B)(36) and (37) and Chapter 18 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:2391 through 2453, and to repeal R.S. 22:821(B)(28) and Subpart F of Part III of Chapter 4 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 22:1121 through 1144, relative to an internal claim and appeals process and external review procedures for health insurance issuers; to provide requirements for such process and procedures; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to utilization review organizations and independent review organizations, including their licensure or certification by the commissioner of insurance; to provide for fees; to provide for compliance, penalties, and other regulatory matters; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 671—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FOIL, ADAMS, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, BROADWATER, BROSSETT, CARMODY, CHANEY, GAINES, GUINN, HARRISON, HOFFMANN, HONORE, TERRY LANDRY, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, SCHEXNAYDER, AND SEABAUGH
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351.11(E) and 3351.17 through 3351.19, relative to tuition and mandatory fee amounts for public postsecondary education institutions; to authorize each public postsecondary education management board to impose certain tuition and fee amounts at certain institutions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 698—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6102, 6103(A)(1) and (2), and 6109(A) and to enact R.S. 47:6103(C), relative to income tax credits; to provide relative to school readiness tax credits; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for the administration and recapture of such credits; to require certain recommendations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

Conference Committee Reports

The following reports were received and read:

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-embryo transfer order relative to a gestational surrogacy contract; to provide for matters relative to multiple attempts at in utero embryo transfer; 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 carrier 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.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 162 By Senator Gary Smith

May 28, 2013

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 162 by Senator Gary Smith, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1, proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 15, 2013, be adopted.
2. That House Floor Amendment No. 1, numbered HFASB162 421 3625, proposed by Representative Hodges and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2013, be adopted.
3. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 2, proposed by Representative Hoffmann and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2013, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senators: Gary L. Smith Jr.

Representatives: Walt Leger III

Ben Nevers Edwin R. Murray

Neil C. Abramson Joseph P. Lopinto

Senator Gary Smith moved that the Conference Committee Report be adopted.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Erdey Murray
Adley Gallot Nevers
Allain Guillory Peacock
Amedee Heitmeier Peterson
Appel Kostelka Riser
Broome LaFleur Smith, G.
Brown Long Smith, J.
Buffington Martiny Tarver
Chabert Mills Thompson
Claitor Morrell White
Dorsey-Colomb Morrish
Total - 32

NAYS

Cortez Crowe Perry
Total - 3

ABSENT

Donahue Walsworth
Johns Ward
Total - 4

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted.

Explanation of Vote

Senator Long stated he intended to vote nay on Senate Bill No. 162, and asked that the Official Journal so state.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the House of Representatives with Amendments

SENATE BILL NO. 18— BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:4.9, relative to certain food products prepared in home for public consumption and the application of the state Sanitary Code; to provide for preparation of cakes and cookies in home for public consumption; to provide for exceptions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 18 by Senator Ward

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 23 through 26

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 18 by Senator Ward

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, change ", cakes, and cookie products" to "products, cakes, and cookies"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, change "sanitary code" to "Sanitary Code"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 13, change ", cakes, and cookie products" to "products, cakes, and cookies"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 14, change "and wherever possible, be of" to "and, wherever possible, be composed of"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 18, change ", cakes, and cookie products which" to "products, cakes, and cookies that"

Senator Ward moved to reject the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Donahue	Morrish
Adley	Dorsey-Colomb	Murray
Allain	Erdey	Nevers
Amedee	Gallot	Peacock
Appel	Guillory	Perry
Broome	Heitmeier	Riser
Buffington	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Chabert	Long	Smith, J.
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Brown	LaFleur	Tarver
Johns	Peterson	White
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate rejected the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 20—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:19(A)(1)(b)(i) and to enact R.S. 42:19.1, relative to political subdivisions; to provide publication and other requirements prior to consideration of and action upon certain matters at meetings of political subdivisions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 20 by Senator Allain

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete "amend and reenact R.S. 42:19(A)(1)(b)(i) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." delete "R.S. 42:19(A)(1)(b)(i) is hereby amended and reenacted and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 15

Senator Allain moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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	Riser
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Brown	Peterson
Johns	Tarver
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

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.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 25 by Senator Broome

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 27, after "collection" delete the period "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 28 and 29 in their entirety and insert a semi-colon ";" and "however, the district may enter into an agreement with the sheriff to authorize the sheriff to retain a collection fee."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, line 6, after "39:1301 et seq." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 7 in its entirety

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Senator Broome moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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 Smith, J.
Chabert Long Tarver
Claitor Martiny Thompson
Cortez Mills Walsworth
Crowe Morrell Ward
Donahue Morrish White
Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 33— BY SENATOR BROWN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:31 and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11), 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.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Price to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 33 by Senator Brown

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 27, after "disclosure" delete the period "." and insert a comma "," and the following: "except, such exemption shall not apply with respect to the aggregated number of minorities hired and the positions for which they were hired."

Senator Brown moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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 Smith, J.
Chabert Long Tarver

Claitor Martiny Thompson
Cortez Mills Walsworth
Crowe Morrell Ward
Donahue Morrish White
Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 46— BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:783(F)(8), relative to expenses of the offices of clerks of courts; to require the payment of group insurance premium costs for certain retired personnel in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Foil to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 46 by Senator Dorsey-Colomb

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after "fund" and before "one" delete the comma ",":

Senator Dorsey-Colomb moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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.
Buffington LaFleur Smith, J.
Chabert Long Tarver
Claitor Martiny Thompson
Cortez Mills Walsworth
Crowe Morrell Ward
Donahue Morrish White
Dorsey-Colomb Murray
Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Brown
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 61—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1113(D)(1)(a)(ii)(qq) and to enact R.S. 42:1123(43), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for an exception to the prohibition of a public servant from doing business with a person who has a business relationship with the agency of the public servant under certain circumstances; to prohibit the contracting authority of the executive director and each member of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 61 by Senator Morrish

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and insert "enact R.S. 42:1123(43), relative"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 6 and 7, and insert "provide for related"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert "R.S."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 12 through 17, and delete page 2, and insert the following:

"§1123. Exceptions

This Part shall not preclude:

* * *

(43) A member of a governing authority of a municipality with a population of five thousand or less, according to the latest decennial census, or a legal entity in which the member exercises control or owns an interest in excess of twenty-five percent from performing bona fide compensated services for any person who has or is seeking to obtain a contractual or other business or financial relationship with the municipality subject to the following requirements:

(a) The governing authority member recuses himself on all matters involving the municipality and the person.

(b) The terms and conditions of the services performed by the governing authority member are customary and reasonable and the compensation received by the governing authority member is commensurate with the level of the service provided.

Senator Morrish moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Crowe
Donahue
Total - 36

Mills
Morrell

Ward
White

NAYS

Claitor
Total - 2

Peterson

ABSENT

Peacock
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 86—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1106(A) and (D) and 1110 and to enact R.S. 37:1107(F) and (G), 1116(C) and (D), and 1123, relative to the Louisiana Mental Health Counselor Licensing Act; to provide for fees; to provide for counselor intern and marriage and family therapist intern registrations; to provide for temporary licenses and registrations; to provide for criminal history record information; to provide for costs of administrative proceedings; to provide for the recovery of certain costs on judicial review; to provide for terms, procedures, and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 86 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 25, change "one" to "five"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 26, delete "five hundred"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 6, after "applicant" and before "or" insert a comma " , " and "registrant,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, line 27, after "all" and before "licensees" insert "applicants," and after "licensees" and before "or" insert a comma " , "

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 86 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(D) and 1110" insert "and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(23)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 9, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:
"Section 2. R.S. 44:4.1(B)(23) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§4.1. Exceptions

* * *

B. The legislature further recognizes that there exist exceptions, exemptions, and limitations to the laws pertaining to public records throughout the revised statutes and codes of this state. Therefore, the following exceptions, exemptions, and limitations are hereby continued in effect by incorporation into this Chapter by citation:

* * *

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(23) R.S. 37:74, 86, 90, 147, 691, 711.10, 763, 763.1, 781, 920.1, 969.1, 1123(E), 1277, 1278, 1285, 1326, 1518, 1745.15, 1747, 1806, 2156.1, 2406, 2505.1, 3481, 3507.1

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 9, at the beginning of line 8, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 86 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 29, following "including" and before "but" delete ";

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 29, following "to" and before "the" delete ";

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 20, following "include," and before ", that the" change "but not limited to" to "at a minimum"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, line 20, following "include," and before "the applicant" change "but not limited to," to "at a minimum, that"

Senator Morrell moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, ABSENT. Lists Crowe, Peacock.

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 90—

BY SENATORS MILLS, APPEL, BROOME, CORTEZ, CROWE, JOHNS, LONG, MARTINY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, RISER, TARVER, THOMPSON AND WARD AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, ANDERS, BARROW, BROADWATER, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, COX, DOVE, FRANKLIN, GAROFALO, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HONORE, HOWARD, IVEY, KATRINA JACKSON, JOHNSON, LEBAS, LORUSSO, MILLER, MONTOUCEY, JAY MORRIS, ORTEGO, POPE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, SEABAUGH, SIMON, ST. GERMAIN, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THOMPSON, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.35.1(7), 1299.35.2(A), 1299.35.19(introductory paragraph) and (1) and to enact R.S. 40:1299.35.2.1, relative to abortions; to amend the definition of "physician"; to provide for certain requirements which must be met by a physician who performs an abortion; to provide for drugs or chemicals used; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 90 by Senator Mills

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, after "Louisiana and" and before "completed" insert "is currently enrolled in or has"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 5, after "gynecology" and before the period "." insert "or family medicine"

Senator Mills moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 36

NAYS

Table with 2 columns: Name, NAYS. Lists Murray, Peterson.

Total - 2

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, ABSENT. Lists Morrell.

Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 94— BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 1-B of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:325 through 327, relative to sentencing by courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court; to provide certain sentencing procedures and policies for such district court divisions; to provide for the development and use of an assessment tool and evaluation report for sentencing purposes; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 94 by Senator Nevers

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 8, after "office," and before "An" insert: "**However, upon the court's own motion or by motion of defense counsel, for good cause shown, the court may order the administration of a subsequent assessment.**"

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Edwards to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 94 by Senator Nevers

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, between lines 11 and 12, insert: "**Chapter 1-B. SENTENCING POLICY: USE OF RISK AND NEEDS ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION TOOL**"

Senator Nevers moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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	Smith, J.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrish	White
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 133—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:9004(B)(1) and to repeal R.S. 47:9004(B)(4), relative to the board of directors of the Louisiana Lottery Corporation; to provide relative to the duty of certain board members to disclose certain business relationships to the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs; to remove the requirement to disclose the names of all business or professional clients; to provide relative to potential candidates for board members submitted to the governor; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 133 by Senator Amedee

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "repeal" delete "amend and reenact R.S. 47:9004(B)(1) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "clients;" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete line 7 in its entirety and insert "and to provide"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 17 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 5 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

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

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the beginning of line 7, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

Senator Amedee moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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	Smith, J.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver
Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrish	White
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 152—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1561, relative to courts and judicial procedure; to authorize courts exercising juvenile jurisdiction to establish a gun court docket; to authorize a probation supervision program by local rule; to provide certain terms and conditions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Lopinto to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 152 by Senator Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 9, delete "A."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 11, after "establish" and before "probation" delete "a" and insert "an intensive"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 13, delete the period "." and insert the following "under the direction of the office of juvenile justice."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 14 through 17 in their entirety

Senator Murray moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Dorsey-Colomb, Peacock. 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, Morrish. Lists Erdey.

Total - 2

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

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. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Robideaux to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 175 by Senator Heitmeier

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 13, after "than" delete "fifty" and insert "seventy"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 16, at the beginning of the line, delete "fifty" and insert "seventy"

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Connick to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 175 by Senator Heitmeier

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 24 and 25 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"B. The legislative auditor shall audit the fund annually and the expense of such audit shall be paid by the assessor of the parish of Orleans."

Senator Heitmeier moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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 - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

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

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 182—

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:176(A)(introductory paragraph) and (E), to enact R.S. 17:176(J), and to repeal R.S. 17:176(F), (G), (H), and (I) and 236.3, relative to cocurricular and extracurricular activities, including interscholastic athletics; to provide relative to the responsibilities of local schools and school systems and the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education with respect to such activities; to provide relative to state and local policies, rules, and regulations governing student participation in such activities; to repeal statutory provisions declared unconstitutional by the courts; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Hensgens to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 182 by Senator Cortez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "and (E)" delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 3, delete "17:176(J),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, after "reenacted" and before "to read" delete "and R.S. 17:176(J) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 12 through 19 in their entirety

Senator Cortez moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Ward
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 191—

BY SENATORS MORRELL AND MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVES BROSSETT AND LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(D), (E)(1)(e) and (2)(e), and (F)(6), 467(4), and 514, relative to parochial and municipal elections in certain parishes; to provide relative to the qualifying period, the dates for primary, general, special, bond, tax or other elections and inauguration; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 191 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "and (F)(6)" delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line and insert "and 467(4),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "elections" delete "and inauguration;" and insert a semicolon ";"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "and (F)(6)" delete the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete lines 13 through 19

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, at the beginning of line 20, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete line 21

Senator Morrell moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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.
Buffington	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Dorsey-Colomb	Murray	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Brown
Total - 2

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 222—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1403, 1404(A), 1405, 1415, 1419 through 1422, 1425(A) and (B), and 1428(A), to enact R.S. 46:1406 and 1407, and to repeal R.S. 46:1408, 1409, 1412, 1413, and 1424, relative to child care facilities; to provide for licensure requirements; to provide for transitional provisions; to provide for licensure procedures; to provide for rules; to provide for disclosure; to provide for agencies and facilities subject to regulation; to provide for revocation or refusal to renew licenses; to provide for violations; to provide for appeals; to provide for penalties; to provide for injunctive relief; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments.

On motion of Senator Walsworth, the bill was returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

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SENATE BILL NO. 240—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1381.7, relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to the Orleans Parish Criminal District Court; to provide relative to the office of the clerk of court; to authorize the levy of certain court costs under certain circumstances for the defraying of operating expenses of the clerk; to provide terms, conditions, procedures and requirements; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 240 by Senator Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 13, after "Section 2." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 14 through 17 in their entirety and insert the following: "The provisions of this Act shall become effective upon approval of the Judicial Council."

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Arnold to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 240 by Senator Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 20, 2013.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 13 through 17 and insert:
"Section 2. Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed as giving to the city of New Orleans any rights, powers, authority, or jurisdiction over any constitutional officers, their deputies, employees, subordinates, or over any state or district officers, their deputies, subordinates, or employees. The legislature finds that adequate funding of the office of Clerk of the Criminal District Court for the parish of Orleans is necessary for the efficient performance of the powers and duties required of a judicial officer of the state. Pursuant to the exercise of the police power of the state, actions for obtaining adequate funding are necessary to promote judicial efficiency and to protect and promote the lives, health, morals, comfort, and general welfare of people as a whole. The amounts to be appropriated and paid by the city of New Orleans for expenses, including salaries and maintenance of constitutional officers, their deputies, subordinates, and employees shall not be reduced by the city of New Orleans without the consent of the legislature.

Section 3. The legislature further finds that state statutes mandating payment by the city of New Orleans to the state's employees and officers of the Clerk for the Criminal District Court for the parish of Orleans constitute a valid exercise of state's police power, and such statutes do not violate the provisions of the Louisiana Constitution of 1921 or the Louisiana Constitution of 1974.

Section 4. The provisions of this Act shall become effective upon approval of the Judicial Council."

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Arnold to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 240 by Senator Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 20, 2013.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

Delete House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Arnold and adopted by the House on May 29, 2013.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "court;" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 5 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 6, delete "procedures and requirements;" and insert "to provide relative to funding;"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 10, after "§1381.7." delete the remainder of the line and insert "Clerk of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, delete lines 12 through 17 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 17 in their entirety and insert:

"A. The legislature finds that adequate funding of the office of Clerk of the Criminal District Court for the parish of Orleans is necessary for the efficient performance of the powers and duties required of a judicial officer of the state. Pursuant to the exercise of the police power of the state, actions for obtaining adequate funding are necessary to promote judicial efficiency and to protect and promote the lives, health, morals, comfort, and general welfare of people as a whole. The amounts to be appropriated and paid by the city of New Orleans for expenses, including salaries and maintenance of constitutional officers, their deputies, subordinates, and employees shall not be reduced by the city of New Orleans without the consent of the legislature.

B. The legislature further finds that state statutes mandating payment by the city of New Orleans to the state's employees and officers of the Clerk for the Criminal District Court for the parish of Orleans constitute a valid exercise of state's police power, and such statutes do not violate the provisions of the Louisiana Constitution of 1921 or the Louisiana Constitution of 1974.

C. Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed as giving to the city of New Orleans any rights, powers, authority, or jurisdiction over any constitutional officers, their deputies, employees, subordinates, or over any state or district officers, their deputies, subordinates, or employees.

Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2013."

Senator Murray moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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.
Buffington	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrish	White
Dorsey-Colomb	Murray	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Brown Morrell
 Donahue Ward
 Total - 4

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

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.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 242 by Senator Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1
 On page 3, line 10, following "any" and before "assessment" delete "hotel"

Senator Murray moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Morrell
Allain	Gallot	Morrish
Amedee	Guillory	Murray
Appel	Johns	Nevers
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, G.
Buffington	LaFleur	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Cortez	Martiny	
Donahue	Mills	
Total - 25		

NAYS

Claitor	Perry	Thompson
Crowe	Peterson	Walsworth
Erdey	Riser	
Total - 8		

ABSENT

Adley	Heitmeier	Ward
Brown	Peacock	White
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
 Returned from the House of Representatives
 with Amendments, Subject to Call**

Called from the Calendar

Senator Johns asked that Senate Bill No. 101 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 101—
 BY SENATOR JOHNS
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:752(A) and (D)(introductory paragraph), 753(B) and (C), and 936(G)(8)(f) and (g) and (9), and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11), and to enact R.S. 22:752(E) and (F), 753(D), (E), (F), (G), (H), (I), and (J), and 936(G)(8)(h) and (i) and (J)(7), relative to life insurance reserves; to provide with respect to policies under standard valuation law; to provide relative to standard nonforfeiture law for life insurance; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 101 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1
 On page 3, line 16, change "Paragraph (2) of Subsection E of this Section" to "Paragraph (E)(2) of this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
 On page 4, line 10, change "commissioner's reserve valuation methods" to "Commissioner's Reserve Valuation Methods"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
 On page 6, line 16, change "reserve valuation methods" to "Reserve Valuation Methods"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
 On page 18, line 4, delete "(8) of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
 On page 18, line 10, delete "(8) of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
 On page 20, line 17, change "1" to "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
 On page 22, line 11, following "minimum" and before "in" insert "provided"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
 On page 23, line 21, delete "{"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
 On page 23, line 22, change "}" to "1"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
 On page 24, line 13, change "Paragraphs (1) and (4) of Subsection G" to "Paragraphs (G)(1) and (4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
 On page 25, line 15, change "Paragraphs (1) and (4) of Subsection G" to "Paragraphs (G)(1) and (4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
 On page 26, line 12, change "At" to "Has at"

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AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 26, line 13, change "A" to "Meets the"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 26, line 17, following "risks" and before "and" insert " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 27, line 7, change "where" to "when"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 27, line 9, change "where" to "when"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 28, line 9, change "commissioners" to "commissioner's"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 28, line 14, change "commissioners" to "commissioner's"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 28, line 27, change "commissioners" to "commissioner's"

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Huval to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 101 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 24, line 22, after "(4)" and before "The" insert "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 25, at the beginning of line 2, change "(5)" to "(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 25, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:
"(5) The commissioner shall have the authority to promulgate rules and regulations to register and regulate navigators that receive funding or certification from any state or federal governmental agency."

Senator Johns moved to reject the amendments proposed by the House.

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	Smith, J.
Buffington	Long	Tarver
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Crowe	Morrell	Walsworth
Donahue	Morrish	White
Dorsey-Colomb	Murray	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Claitor	Cortez	Mills
Total - 3		

ABSENT

Ward
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate rejected the amendments proposed by the House.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Erdey asked that Senate Bill No. 180 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 180—

BY SENATORS ERDEY AND LAFLEUR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:3, 1921, 1922, 1926, 1927, 1928(A)(introductory paragraph), and 1929(A), and R.S. 36:681(C)(1), to enact R.S. 36:691.1, and to repeal R.S. 36:691, relative to the Department of Insurance; to provide with respect to the division of insurance fraud; to provide for powers and duties of the division of insurance fraud; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 180 by Senator Erdey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 25, change "then be turned" to "turn the matter"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 1, following "fraud" delete " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 7, change "Identification Center" to "Information Center,"

Senator Erdey moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Ward
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

Called from the Calendar

Senator LaFleur asked that Senate Bill No. 148 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 148—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1102(18)(b), relative to 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.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 148 by Senator LaFleur

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, change "professional" to "attest"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, change "professional" to "attest"

Senator LaFleur moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Claitor	Peterson
Total - 2	

ABSENT

Ward
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

Senate Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 128—
BY SENATOR MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Board of Home Inspectors to study applicable Louisiana law and rules to determine whether amendments are necessary in order to expand the scope of practice of home inspectors to ensure that Louisiana home buyers are adequately protected and informed about the condition of residential resale buildings.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

The resolution was read by title. On motion of Senator Mills, the Senate Resolution was adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 88—
BY SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to adopt the Constitution Restoration Act, which will limit the jurisdiction of the federal courts and preserve the right to acknowledge God to the states and to the people and resolve the issue of improper judicial intervention in matters relating to the acknowledgment of God.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

The 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

Adley	Dorsey-Colomb	Murray
Allain	Erdey	Perry
Amedee	Gallot	Riser
Appel	Guillory	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Buffington	LaFleur	Thompson
Chabert	Long	Walsworth
Cortez	Martiny	Ward
Crowe	Mills	White
Donahue	Morrish	
Total - 29		

NAYS

Morrell	Peterson
Total - 2	

ABSENT

Mr. President	Heitmeier	Peacock
Brown	Johns	Tarver
Claitor	Nevers	
Total - 8		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 111—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Vital Records Registry of the Office of Public Health of the Department of Health and Hospitals to take certain actions, and the attorney general to establish and provide for a board, all relating to rehabilitation of Gilbert Memorial Park in Baton Rouge.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 111 by Senator Dorsey-Colomb

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 5, and insert "To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of the Attorney General, and Louisiana Cemetery Board to take all appropriate action and work in conjunction as necessary to provide information identifying persons interred in Gilbert Memorial Park."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 9 and 10

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 16, after "Mr." insert "Lymus"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 20 through 30, and insert "WHEREAS, for these reasons it is necessary and appropriate that the Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of the Attorney General, and Louisiana Cemetery Board take all appropriate actions and work in conjunction as necessary to provide information identifying persons interred in Gilbert Memorial Park.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to assist the attorney general, the board, and any subsequent owner of the cemetery in compiling information appropriate and necessary in reconstructing the records of the cemetery."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 9, and insert: "BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Health and Hospitals shall also transmit information as appropriate to the Office of the Attorney General for the purpose of determining whether further action by the attorney general is warranted regarding Gilbert Memorial Park.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of the Attorney General, Louisiana Cemetery Board, and the state-appointed receiver managing Gilbert Memorial Park shall work in conjunction to determine the most appropriate and readily available means, including public service announcements and other communications, to make information available to families and loved ones regarding persons determined to be interred in Gilbert Memorial Park.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in order to facilitate and ensure maximum community involvement and public participation in such communications, the department, Cemetery Board, and attorney general shall consult on a regular basis and seek the advice of a board, to be known as the Lillian Jackson Memorial Board, composed of the following persons who shall serve without compensation or reimbursement for expenses:"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete lines 24 through 30

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, delete lines 1 through 20, and insert "BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of the Attorney General, Louisiana Cemetery Board, and the state-appointed receiver managing Gilbert Memorial Park are hereby urged and requested, in consultation with the Lillian Jackson Memorial Board, to take all appropriate action on behalf of the state to recognize, honor, and commemorate those interred in Gilbert Memorial Park, including the acceptance of donations from any source in the form of money, materials, labor, and maintenance for the purpose of erecting a commemorative marker in Gilbert Memorial Park.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals, the attorney general, and the director of the Louisiana Cemetery Board."

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

The resolution was read by title. Senator Dorsey-Colomb moved to adopt the amended 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	Smith, J.
Buffington	Long	Tarver
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White
Dorsey-Colomb	Murray	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Claitor
Total - 1

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 114—

BY SENATOR AMEDEE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to meet and function as a joint committee to study the issues relative to the merger of one or more state departments.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 114 by Senator Amedee

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 4, between "The" and "Civil" insert "State"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 11, between "the" and "Civil" insert "State" and between "Commission," and "the" insert "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 12, after "government" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 13, and insert a period "."

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

The resolution was read by title. Senator Amedee moved to adopt the amended 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	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White
Total - 39		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TALBOT, CARMODY, GAROFALO, AND
LORUSSO**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the attorney general to review the laws relative to lobbying by public servants and the use of public funds for lobbying, public relations, and related purposes and to report thereon, including any recommendations related thereto, to the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs no later than September 15, 2013, and to request the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to meet and to function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations relative to lobbying by public servants and the use of public funds for lobbying, public relations, and related purposes no later than thirty days prior to the convening of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 21 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, between "purposes" and "no" insert "to the legislature"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 13, between "purposes" and "no" insert "to the legislature"

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

Floor Amendments

Senator Martiny proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senators Martiny and Alario to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 21 by Representative Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "direct" and insert "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "by" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 3, after "of" delete "public" and insert "state general"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, after "by" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 10, after "of" delete "public" and insert "state general"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 14, after "by" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, line 14, after "of" delete "public" and insert "state general"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 1, line 17, after "of" delete "public" and insert "state general"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 1, line 18, after "by" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 4, delete "direct" and insert "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 4, after "by" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, line 5, after "of" delete "public" and insert "state general"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, line 12, after "by" insert "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 2, at the beginning of line 13, before "funds" delete "public" and insert "state general"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Martiny moved to concur in the amended House 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	Smith, J.
Buffington	LaFleur	Tarver

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Chabert	Long	Thompson
Claitor	Martiny	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Crowe	Morrish	White
Donahue	Murray	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell
Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Department of Health and Hospitals to ensure transparency in its Medicaid managed care programs through annual reports to the legislature on the coordinated care network initiative known as "Bayou Health", the Louisiana Behavioral Health Partnership, and the Coordinated System of Care.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Broome moved to concur in the House 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	Smith, J.
Buffington	Long	Tarver
Chabert	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White
Dorsey-Colomb	Murray	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Claitor
Total - 1

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 120—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to ban the importation into the United States of shrimp from countries that have experienced early mortality syndrome in their shrimp industry.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 120 by Representative Harrison

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 4, and insert:

"To memorialize the Congress of the United States to study the causes, effects, prevention, and treatment of early mortality syndrome in the national and international shrimp industry and take all appropriate actions necessary to fully protect the shrimp industry in Louisiana and other states from this disease."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 20, and insert the following:

"WHEREAS, Congress should fully utilize and bring to bear all available means of research and study to determine the causes, effects, prevention, and treatment of early mortality syndrome in the shrimp industry and take all appropriate actions necessary to fully protect the shrimp industry in Louisiana and other states from this disease; and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 10 and insert the following:

"WHEREAS, throughout the Gulf of Mexico the shrimp industry in Louisiana and other states is a multibillion dollar industry of vital importance to the economic well-being of the region, and is still threatened by and suffering from the enormous impacts of recent natural and manmade disasters.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby memorialize the Congress of the United States to study the causes, effects, prevention, and treatment of early mortality syndrome in the national and international shrimp industry and take all appropriate actions necessary to fully protect the shrimp industry in Louisiana and other states from this disease."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Claitor
Total - 2

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 143—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES HAZEL, ANDERS, ARNOLD, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, CARMODY, CHANEY, FANNIN, GUINN, HOWARD, KATRINA JACKSON, JOHNSON, JONES, MONTUCET, JAY MORRIS, ORTEGO, PONTI, PUGH, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, AND ST. GERMAIN AND SENATORS BUFFINGTON, CORTEZ, GUILLORY, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, NEVERS, PEACOCK, RISER, GARY SMITH, THOMPSON, AND WALSWORTH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to give "qualified mortgage" status to all balloon loans held in portfolio by a bank and to urge and request the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau to expand the definition of "rural" for balloon loan qualified mortgages.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Thompson moved to concur in the House 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	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White
Total - 39		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

HOUSE BILL NO. 23—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(D)(7), relative to expenses of the clerks of court; to authorize an automobile expense allowance for the clerks of court for certain parishes; to require the purchase of automobile insurance for bodily injury and property damage; to allocate surplus funds to the expense allowance; to prohibit additional expenses from being paid by the state or local governing authority; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Appel	Riser
Claitor	Walsworth
Total - 4	

ABSENT

Allain
 Total - 1

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 122—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2126, relative to ad valorem taxation; to provide relative to the assessment of certain property; to authorize an assessor to make separate assessments of certain property under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Amedee
 Heitmeier
 Total - 2

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 128—

BY REPRESENTATIVES JONES, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BARROW, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROWN, HENRY BURNS, BURRELL, COX, EDWARDS, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HARRISON, HAVARD, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, NORTON, POPE, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RITCHIE, SCHEXNAYDER, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1981(B) and to enact R.S. 33:2201(B)(21) and (22), relative to survivor's benefits for firemen and law enforcement officers; to provide for compensation for the surviving spouses and children of firemen and law enforcement officers employed by certain Indian tribes or tribal units, correctional officers employed by the Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for the definition of firemen and law enforcement officer; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: 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, Smith, J., Chabert, Long, Tarver, Claitor, Martiny, Thompson, Cortez, Mills, Walsworth, Crowe, Morrell, Ward, Donahue, Morrish, White

Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 416—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

AN ACT

To enact Subpart KK of Part I 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 state individual income tax return checkoffs for certain donations; to provide for a method for individuals to donate all or a portion of any refund due to them to provide support for the cost of maintaining decorative lighting on the Crescent City Connection; to provide for the administration and disbursement of donated monies; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

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, Smith, J., Chabert, Long, Tarver, Claitor, Martiny, Thompson, Cortez, Mills, Walsworth, Crowe, Morrell, Ward, Donahue, Morrish, White

Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 549—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, ABRAMSON, BARROW, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROSETT, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, FOIL, GUILLORY, HUNTER, JAMES, LEBAS, LEOPOLD, MORENO, JIM MORRIS, SIMON, ST. GERMAIN, STOKES, THIERRY, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS AND SENATORS BROOME, HEITMEIER, AND MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:651(CC), 802.23, and Chapter 37-A of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2211 through 2216, and to repeal Chapter 37 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2201 through 2205, relative to a fund for support of scientific research and development; to establish the MediFund as a special fund for advancement of biosciences and medical centers of excellence; to provide for purposes of the fund; to create and provide for the composition of a governing board for the fund; to provide for duties and authority of the governing board; to provide guidelines for programs and projects to be funded by the MediFund; to establish a termination date for the MediFund; to repeal provisions relative to the Dedicated Research Investment Fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 563—

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6015(B), (C)(2)(c), (G), (H), and (I) and to enact R.S. 47:6015(J), relative to the research and development tax credit; to provide for eligibility for the credit; to provide with respect to administration of the credit; to provide for the examination of certain records; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White
Total - 39		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 630—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, BROSETT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, JEFFERSON, MORENO, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS AND SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6019(A)(1)(a), (2)(a), and (3)(b)(i)(cc), (B)(1)(a), and (C), relative to tax credits for the rehabilitation of historic structures; to provide for income and corporation franchise tax credits for costs associated with the rehabilitation of historic structures; to provide for certain eligible municipalities and qualifications; to provide with respect to definitions; to provide for certain notifications and requirements; to extend the taxable periods in which the tax credit shall be applicable; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Claitor
Total - 2

Peterson

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

Rules Suspended

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

Message from the House

PASSED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

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 with respect to certain costs related to retired employees; to provide for effectiveness and for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 3—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1732(14)(a), relative to employers participating in the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for participation by certain Calcasieu Parish entities; to include the West Calcasieu Parish Community Center Authority and the Vinton Public Power Authority in the definition of employer; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 256—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6035(C), relative to tax credits for vehicles using alternative fuels; to specify the inapplicability of the credit for costs related to certain vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 204—

BY SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, BROWN, CORTEZ, CROWE, DORSEY-COLOMB, GALLOT, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, GARY SMITH AND WHITE AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, ARNOLD, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BROSETT, DANAHAY, DIXON, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HAZEL, TERRY LANDRY, LEGER, LEOPOLD, MONTOU CET, MORENO, ORTEGO, PRICE, RICHARD, SMITH AND WHITNEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3394.3(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B) and to enact R.S. 17:3394.3(C) and R.S. 39:1367(E)(2)(b)(v), relative to the issuance of bonds for the financing of capital improvements and enhancements to certain facilities and properties of colleges within the Louisiana

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Community and Technical Colleges System; to list the projects to be financed; to require private match funds for such projects; to provide that no state funds shall be appropriated for such bonds or projects until July 1, 2015; to provide that such bonds shall not be included in the definition of net state tax supported debt; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 207—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

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

Reported with amendments.

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

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

May 30, 2013

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **Senate Bill No. 202** by Senator Nevers:

Representatives Hensgens, Carter and N. Landry.

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

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

May 30, 2013

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **Senate Bill No. 218** by Senator Morrell:

Representatives Billiot, St. Germain and Connick.

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

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

May 30, 2013

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members,

on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **Senate Bill No. 247** by Senator Nevers:

Representatives Pope, G. Jackson and Edwards.

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 158—
BY SENATOR LONG

A RESOLUTION

To commend Kevin Mawae on being named to the 2013 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 159—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

A RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the commissioner of administration to take all necessary action to ensure that each department, office, agency, board, and commission of the executive branch of state government which maintains a website on the Internet include the name and contact information for each custodian of public records for that entity on the website.

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

Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 123—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE JONES
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the dedicated efforts of the citizens of the city of Franklin and of St. Mary Parish in creating the No Hitchin' folklife play.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 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. 173 HCR NO. 174 HCR NO. 175

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

House Concurrent Resolutions
on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 173—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WILLMOTT, ANDERS, BARROW, BURFORD,
COX, HARRIS, HAVARD, HENSGENS, HILL, HOFFMANN, KATRINA
JACKSON, LEBAS, JAY MORRIS, POPE, SIMON, STOKES, WHITNEY,
AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Barbara Morvant upon her retirement as executive director of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing and to recognize her unwavering passion, dedication, and contributions to the prosperity of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing as she prepares to pass the torch to new leadership for the future.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 174—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations relative to Code of Evidence Article 902 to provide for certain self-authenticated records and to report its findings and recommendations to the Louisiana Legislature no later than February 1, 2014.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 175—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to codify into law a United States Department of Defense standard for religious freedom that would be applied to all uniformed services.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS

Senator Neil Riser, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs, submitted the following report:

May 30, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to submit the following report:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 121—

BY SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and the House Committee on Ways and Means to meet jointly and study the issues related to authorizing homeowners, age sixty-five years or older with financial hardship, to postpone payment of ad valorem taxes on their homestead until death and to make recommendations to the legislature.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 248—

BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.72, relative to sales tax exemption; to provide relative to the sales and use tax exemption on the sale of gold and silver bullion coins; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 131—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A)(3)(b) and (4)(b)(introductory paragraph) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for consideration of certain legislative instruments during regular sessions; to provide relative to subject matter restrictions for regular sessions; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 375—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:4(R), to enact Chapter 4-B of Title 28 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 28:461 through 470, and to repeal Part III of Chapter 8 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:1971 through 1979, relative to the early intervention program of this state for infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families; to establish the official name of such program; to provide for definitions; to provide for duties of the Department of Health and Hospitals relative to program administration; to provide requirements for a statewide system of services; to provide relative to payment for services; to allow for uses of funds for provision of certain services to eligible persons; to provide for authority to establish a statewide system of payments; to provide for authority to establish a schedule of fees for services provided to certain recipients; to create and provide for duties of the Louisiana State Interagency Coordinating Council for EarlySteps: Louisiana's Early Intervention Program for Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities and their Families; to authorize promulgation of rules by the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for continuation of effectiveness of certain administrative rules; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 617—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ORTEGO, KLECKLEY, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BROWN, BURRELL, CHANEY, COX, DIXON, DOVE, EDWARDS, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HAZEL, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, JEFFERSON, NANCY LANDRY, LORUSSO, MONToucET, POPE, RICHARD, SCHEXNAYDER, SMITH, WHITNEY, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To enact Subpart KK of Part I 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 and Subpart LL of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.191, relative to state individual income tax return checkoffs for certain donations; to provide for a method for individuals to donate a portion of any refund due to them to the Louisiana National Guard Honor Guard for Military Funerals; to provide for a method for individuals to donate a portion of any refund due to them to Bastion Community of Resilience; to provide for the disposition of such donated monies; to establish the Honor Guard for Military Funerals Fund as a special escrow fund in the state treasury; to establish the Bastion Community of Resilience Fund as a special escrow fund in the state treasury; to provide for the administration and use of monies in the funds; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Revenue to make certain deposits into the funds; to provide for reporting; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

May 30, 2013

HOUSE BILL NO. 653—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:306(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 47:302(U), relative to state sales and use taxes; to provide with respect to the collection of tax on transactions involving certain tangible personal property and services; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 681—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6035(B)(1), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for conversion of vehicles to alternative fuel usage; to provide for the definition of "alternative fuel"; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 682—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(16)(b)(ii), relative to sales and use tax; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to the definition of tangible personal property; to provide for the definition relating to gold, silver, or numismatic coins, or platinum, gold, or silver bullion; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 723— (Substitute for House Bill No. 622 by Representative Tim Burns)
BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1705.1, relative to ad valorem tax millages; to provide with respect to constitutionally authorized millage increases in certain parishes; to provide public hearing requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 726— (Substitute for House Bill No. 455 by Representative Leger)
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6016.1, relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act; to authorize a premium tax credit for investments in low-income community development; to provide for the amount of the tax credit; to provide for eligibility for and usage of the tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
NEIL RISER
Chairman

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

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

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BY SENATOR CROWE
AN ACT

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 617—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ORTEGO, KLECKLEY, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BROWN, BURRELL, CHANEY, COX, DIXON, DOVE, EDWARDS, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HAZEL, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, JEFFERSON, NANCY LANDRY, LORUSSO, MONTUCET, POPE, RICHARD, SCHEXNAYDER, SMITH, WHITNEY, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS
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Reported favorably by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:306(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 47:302(U), relative to state sales and use taxes; to provide with respect to the collection of tax on transactions involving certain tangible personal property and services; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Engrossed House Bill No. 653 by Representative Robideaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 2, after "allowed" change "one" to "935"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, delete lines 9 through 13

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 14, change "(c)" to "(b)"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 681—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6035(B)(1), relative to income tax credits; to provide with respect to the tax credit for conversion of vehicles to alternative fuel usage; to provide for the definition of "alternative fuel"; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

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To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(16)(b)(ii), relative to sales and use tax; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to the definition of tangible personal property; to provide for the definition relating to gold, silver, or numismatic coins, or platinum, gold, or silver bullion; and to provide for related matters.

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

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BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1705.1, relative to ad valorem tax millages; to provide with respect to constitutionally authorized millage increases in certain parishes; to provide public hearing requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 723 by Representative Tim Burns

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 10, change "2010" to "most recent"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 11, after "All" insert "non-elected"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 16, after "all" insert "non-elected"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 726— (Substitute for House Bill No. 455 by Representative Leger)
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6016.1, relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act; to authorize a premium tax credit for investments in low-income community development; to provide for the amount of the tax credit; to provide for eligibility for and usage of the tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 726 by Representative Leger

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 5, line 11, change "twenty days" to "thirty days"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 6, line 12, change "one hundred ten" to "fifty-five"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 6, lines 15 through 17, delete "The department shall accept applications for the remaining fifty-five million dollars of such authority beginning on August 1, 2014"

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

The following petitions, memorials and communications were received and read:

May 30, 2013

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

March 6, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Member to the Louisiana Agricultural Commodities Commission

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:3403. I have appointed the following individual as a member of the Louisiana Agricultural Commodities Commission and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Member

Mr. Donald Berken
616 South Joseph St.
Welsh, LA 70591
American Rice Growers Cooperative Association
APPT DATE: February 5, 2013-Concurrent
VICE: Self

I am confident that Mr. Berken meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Agricultural Commodities Commission honorably. Hence, I submit his name for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

April 17, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Appointment of the Louisiana Aquatic Chelonian Research and Promotion Board

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in Louisiana Revised Statutes 3:559.23, I have appointed the attached list of individuals as members and alternates of the Louisiana Aquatic Chelonian Research and Promotion Board and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Members

Joseph Williams
258 Hudson Ln.
Jonesville, LA 71343
Independent Turtle Farmers of Louisiana
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Alternate

Kenny Davis
201 Lake View Rd.
Jonesville, LA 71343
Independent Turtle Farmers of Louisiana
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: ADD

George F. White Jr.
458 Hwy. 3101
Jonesville, LA 71343
Independent Turtle Farmers of Louisiana
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Barbara Jolly
P.O. Box 834
Jonesville, LA 71343
Independent Turtle Farmers of Louisiana
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: ADD

Howard Spann
195 S & C Farm Ln.
Harrisonburg, LA 71340
Licensed farmer not a member of any trade organization
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Shirley Neal

Robert Beall Jr.
22026 H & S Ln.
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
Licensed farmer not a member of any trade organization
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: ADD

Roy Nugent
3838 Hwy. 568
Ferriday, LA 71334
Licensed farmer not a member of any trade organization
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Lyndon Blanchard

Ronald Parker
P.O. Box 353
Swartz, LA 71281
Licensed farmer not a member of any trade organization
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: ADD

Jesse Evans
1609 Loup Rd.
Jonesville, LA 71343
Louisiana Turtle Farmers Association
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Darla Blanchard
P.O. Box 111
Pierre Part, LA 70339
Louisiana Turtle Farmers Association
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Eddie Jolly

Member

Keith Boudreaux
13202 Hwy. 22
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
Louisiana Turtle Farmers Association
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Kenneth Landry

Alternate

Felix Blanchard
955 Hwy. 402
Napoleonville, LA 70390
Pet Turtle Cooperative Association
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Diane Strange

Gary Alleman
114 Possum Dr.
Pierre Part, LA 70339
Pet Turtle Cooperative Association
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Harvey Kliebert

Lyndon Blanchard
P.O. Box 111
Pierre Part, LA 70339
Pet Turtle Cooperative Association
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: ADD

Dianne Strange
1008 Good Rd.
Jonesville, LA 71343
Knowledge of the aquatic chelonian industry
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: David Barnes

Sharla Morace
11480 Hwy. 129
Monterey, LA 71354
Knowledge of the aquatic chelonian industry
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: ADD

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Aquatic Chelonian Research and Promotion Board. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN, DVM
Commissioner

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

July 3, 2012

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Senate- State of Louisiana
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of the Director of Boll Weevil Eradication Commission

Dear President Alario:

May 30, 2013

In accordance with the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 3:1604(I), I have reappointed Marc Bordelon as Director of the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission, within the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry and, therefore, respectfully request the required consent of the Senate.

Marc Bordelon - Director of Boll Weevil Eradication Commission
9598 Hwy. 1195
Marksville, LA 71351

As required by law, the Boll weevil Eradication Commission met June 26, 2012 and approved the selection of Marc Bordelon. I am confident that Marc meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Department of Agriculture and Forestry honorably. Hence, I submit his name for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

July 3, 2012

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:1604, I have appointed the following individuals as members and alternates of the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Members:
John L. "Jack" Dailey
166 Jack Dailey Rd.
Extension, LA 71239
VICE: Self
TERM: June 15, 2012- Concurrent
LA Farm Bureau Federation

Alternates:
Travis Walker
459 Longview Rd.
Winnsboro, LA 71295
VICE: Self
TERM: June 15, 2012- Concurrent
LA Farm Bureau Federation

Dan P. "Danny" Logan Jr.
P.O. Box 159
Gilliam, LA 71029
VICE: Self
TERM: June 15, 2012- Concurrent
LA Farm Bureau Federation

Boyd Holley
704 Hollyhurst Ext.
Bastrop, LA 71220
VICE: Self
TERM: June 15, 2012- Concurrent
LA Cotton and Grain Association

William B. "Ben" Guthrie
P.O. Box 238
Newellton, LA 71357
VICE: Self
TERM: June 15, 2012- Concurrent
LA Cotton and Grain Association

George G. Lacour Jr.
P.O. Box 280
Morganza, LA 70759
VICE: Self
TERM: June 15, 2012- Concurrent
LA Cotton and Grain Association

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

April 4, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:1604, I have appointed William B. "Ben" Guthrie as a member of the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

William B. "Ben" Guthrie
P.O. Box 238
Newellton, LA 71357
VICE: Vacant (Ronnie Todd Kennedy)
TERM: December 20, 2012-Concurrent
Independent Cotton Grower

Mr. Guthrie resigned his position as an alternate on the commission in order to be appointed as the member filling the position of Independent Cotton Grower. I am confident that Mr. Guthrie meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission honorably. Hence, I submit his name for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

March 13, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Senate - State of Louisiana
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Louisiana Crawfish Promotion and Research Board

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:556.3, I have appointed the attached list of individuals as members of the Louisiana Crawfish Promotion and Research Board and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Mr. Ralph Babin
334 Rodriguez Dr.
Raceland, LA 70394
LA Crawfish Farmers Assn.,
East of Atchafalaya
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012 -Concurrent
VICE: self

Ms. Chandra Scarber
1713 Lake Ave.
Metairie, LA 70005
LA Restaurant Association
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012 -Concurrent
VICE: M. Maenza

Mr. Greg Benhard
P.O. Box 68
Palmetto, LA 71358
Artificial Bait Producer

Mr. Bill Pizzolato
5215 Plank Rd.
Baton Rouge, LA 70805
Crawfish Retailer

May 30, 2013

APPT DATE: June 5, 2012 -Concurrent
VICE: self

Mr. Mike Bienvenu
1021 Vicknair Rd.
St. Martinville, LA 70582
Wild Crawfisherman
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012 -Concurrent
VICE: self

Mr. Robert Buller
370 Daniel Rd.
Bunkie, LA 71322
LA Crawfish Farmers Assn.,
North of U.S. Hwy 190
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012 -Concurrent
VICE: self

Mr. Greg Faulk
416 Doucet Rd., Ste. 7A
Lafayette, LA 70503
LA Farm Bureau Federation
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: self

Mr. Wylie B. Jewell Jr.
P.O. Box 256
Maringouin, LA 70757
Wild Crawfisherman
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: self

Mr. Jody Meche
P.O. Box 694
Henderson, LA 70517
Wild Crawfisherman
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: self

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Crawfish Promotion and Research Board honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY**

February 15, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:4154. I have appointed the following individuals as members of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

James Paul Alford
28752 Glen Guy Rd.
Mt. Hermon, LA 70450
Dairy Producer - State Area 2
TERM: 6/5/12-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Donald B. Fisher
1208 Hwy. 172
Keatchie, LA 71046
Dairy Producer - State Area 1
TERM: 6/5/12-Concurrent
VICE: Self

APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: self

Mr. Wayne Romig
11665 Hwy. 76
Maringouin, LA 70757
Wild Crawfisherman
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: self

Mr. David Savoy
153 Levin Savoy Ln.
Church Point, LA
Crawfish Processor
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: T. Guidry

Mr. Rudy Sparks
P.O. Box 460
Patterson, LA 70392
LA Landowners Association
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: self

Mr. Kip Lastrapes
P.O. Box 53373
Lafayette, LA 70505
LA Crawfish Farmers Assn., West of
Atchafalaya
APPT DATE: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Vacant (F. Stroud)

Harvey Burford
P.O. Box 68
Gloster, LA 71030
Dairy Producer - State Area 1
TERM: 6/5/12-Concurrent
VICE: VACANT

Lanny P. Conerly
18436 J.T. Conerly Rd.
Kentwood, LA 70444
Dairy Producer - State Area 2
TERM: 6/5/12-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Russell Creel
47593 Westmoreland Rd.
Franklinton, LA 70438
Dairy Producer - State Area 2
TERM: 6/5/12-Concurrent
VICE: Self

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY**

February 5, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Alternate Members to the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:4154. I have appointed the following individuals as alternate members of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Mack Brown
27367 Brown Farm Rd.
Mt. Hermon, LA 70450
Alternate for James Paul Alford -
Dairy Producer - State Area 2
TERM: 12/04/12-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Royce Salley
353 Salley Ln.
Belmont, LA 71406
Alternate for Donald B. Fisher -
Dairy Producer - State Area 1
TERM: 12/04/2012-Concurrent
VICE: "Donnie" Fisher

Galen Nightingale
286 Lee Eason Rd.
DeRidder, LA 70634
Alternate for Harvey Burford -
Dairy Producer - State Area 1
TERM: 12/04/2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Joy Womack
21833 Noble Reames Rd.
Zachary, LA 70791
Alternate for Robert M. Sharkey Jr. -
Dairy Producer - State Area 2
TERM: 12/04/2012-Concurrent
VICE: Robert M. Sharkey Jr.

Daryl Robertson
P.O. Box 605
Pine Grove, LA 70453
Alternate for Lanny P. Conerly -
Dairy Producer - State Area 2
TERM: 12/04/2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Eugene Robertson
1500 Hwy. 1041
Pine Grove, LA 70453
Alternate for Susan Sharkey -
Dairy Producer-State Area 2-Farm
Bureau
TERM: 12/04/2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Steven Branch
29141 Luke Pace
Angie, LA 70426
Alternate for Russell Creel -
Dairy Producer - State Area 2
TERM: 12/04/2012-Concurrent
VICE: James B. Rogers

Taylor Miller
6255 Hwy. 132
Baskin, LA 71219-9671
Alternate for Jerry L. Simpson -
Dairy Producer-State Area 1-Farm Bureau
TERM: 12/04/2012-Concurrent
VICE: Jerry L. Simpson

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

April 2, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President, Louisiana State Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Louisiana Horticulture Commission

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:3801, I have appointed the following individuals as members of the Louisiana Horticulture Commission.

Mr. Zefferino Capitani Von Kurnatowski
548 Kenmore Avenue
Baton Rouge, LA 70806
Licensed Arborist
TERM: 3/15/2013-second year of each administration
VICE: self

Mr. Steven Hoover
525 Esplanade Avenue
LaPlace, LA 70068
Licensed Utility Arborist
TERM: 3/15/2013-second year of each administration
VICE: self

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and this board or commission honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

March 6, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Livestock Brand Commission Members

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:732, I have appointed the following individuals to the Livestock Brand Commission and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Mr. Henry Capdeboscq
58451 Hwy. 445
Husser, LA 70442
Louisiana Forestry Association
APPT DATE: March 4, 2013-Concurrent
VICE: Vacant (Kent LeDoux)

Honorable Ivy Woods
Sheriff of Jefferson Davis Parish
P.O. Box 863
Jennings, LA 70546
Alternate for At Large South position
APPT DATE: September 28, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Vacant (Craig Webre)

I am confident that these individuals meet the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Livestock Brand Commission honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY

March 22, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Senate - State of Louisiana
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:730.3. I have appointed the following individuals as members of the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Chris Olah
P.O. Box 333
Albany, LA 70711
Ag Chemical consultant
TERM: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Rhonda Poche
P.O. Box 807
Springfield, LA 70462
Producer
TERM: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Mark Liuzza
12054 Jack Liuzza Ln.
Amite, LA 70422
Producer
TERM: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Kevin Liuzza
14342 New Genessee Rd.
Tickfaw, LA 70466
Producer
TERM: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Heather Robertson
22061 Robertson Ln.
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
Producer
TERM: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

William Fletcher
22119 Mayhaw Ln.
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
Producer - Vice: Self
TERM: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

Eric Morrow
22602 Fletcher Rd.
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
Producer

May 30, 2013

TERM: June 5, 2012-Concurrent
VICE: Self

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY**

March 11, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Member to the Louisiana Weights & Measures Commission

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:4603. I have appointed the following individual as a member of the Louisiana Weights & Measures Commission and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Mr. Marcy LeBlanc Sr.
1434 North Burnside Ave., Ste. 34
Gonzales, LA 70737
LA Retailers Association
APPT DATE: March 6, 2013 - Concurrent
VICE: Roy F. Amedee Sr.

I am confident that this individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Weights and Measures Commission honorably. Hence, I submit his name for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY**

March 20, 2013

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Louisiana Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Member to the Louisiana Commission on Weights and Measures

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:4603. I have appointed the following individual as a member of the Louisiana Commission on Weights and Measures and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Mr. Frankie LoPinto
P.O. Box 219
Amite, LA 70422
Louisiana Livestock Market Association

TERM: 03/20/2013-Concurrent
VICE: Self

I am confident that Mr. Lopinto meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Commission on Weights and Measures honorably. Hence, I submit his name for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,
MIKE STRAIN DVM
Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILY SERVICES

March 12, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:475, I have appointed Ms. Sharon K. Tucker as Deputy Secretary of Operations for the Louisiana Department of Children and Family Services.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of Children and Family Services and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

DEPUTY SECRETARY OF OPERATIONS
(Effective October 22, 2012)
Ms. Sharon K. Tucker Vice: Vacant (Denise Fair)
P.O. Box 3776
Baton Rouge, LA 70821

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me, should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
SUZY SONNIER
Secretary

**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 15, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario, Jr.
President
Louisiana Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear President Alario:

In accordance with La R.S. 36:207 (A)(2), I have appointed Mr. Mark Tullos as assistant secretary of the office of state museum and Mrs. Rebecca Hamilton as assistant secretary of the office of the state library. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Louisiana Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
Mr. Mark Tullos Vice: Robert Wheat
312 Karen Dr.
Lafayette, LA 70503

Appointed by Lt. Governor effective January 22, 2013
Term: Pleasure of Lt. Governor

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
Mrs. Rebecca Hamilton Vice: Self
13514 Kimble Dr.
Baton Rouge, LA 70810
Appointed by Lt. Governor effective May 10, 2013
Term: Pleasure of Lt. Governor

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best regards, I am
Very truly yours,
JAY DARDENNE
Lieutenant Governor

**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 15, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario, Jr.
President
Louisiana Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear President Alario:

In accordance with LA R.S. 51:1318, I have appointed the following to serve on the Encore Louisiana Commission to serve a term concurrent with that of the lieutenant governor. In that regard, I hereby submit to you these names for consideration for Senate confirmation as required by law:

Ms. Linda Curtis-Sparks Vice: Deborah Randolph
Sabine Parish Tourism Commission
1601 Texas Hwy.
Many, LA 71449
Appointed April 9, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Crossroads

Ms. Marian Dehan Vice: Iftekhar Amin
The Oaks of Louisiana
600 East Flourney Lucas Rd.
Shreveport, LA 71115
Appointed April 9, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Sportsmans Paradise

Mr. Lawrence Collins Vice: Nancy McPherson
1346 Cicero Ave. N.
Baton Rouge, LA 70816
Appointed April 9, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Plantation Country

Mr. Robert Brown Vice: Betty Coates Stewart
3965 Constance St.
New Orleans, LA 70115
Appointed April 9, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Greater New Orleans

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best regards, I am
Very truly yours,
JAY DARDENNE
Lieutenant Governor

**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

March 5, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R. S. 25:2, I have appointed the following individual to the board of commissioners of the State Library of Louisiana. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the board of commissioners of the State Library of Louisiana, and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Louis Covington Vice: Vacant (Bennie "Bibb" Ingram)
119 East Madison
P.O. Box 597
Haughton, La. 71037
Appointed: January 14, 2013
Term: January 14, 2018
Seat: Appointed by the lieutenant governor; at large

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Very truly yours,
JAY DARDENNE
Lieutenant Governor

**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 14, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear President Alario:

In accordance with R.S. 25:341, I have appointed the following individuals to the Board of Directors of the Louisiana State Museum to serve a term concurrent with that of the lieutenant governor. In that regard, I hereby submit to you these names for consideration for Senate confirmation as required by law:

Mr. Jerry F. Adams Vice: Self
P.O. Box 365
Patterson, LA 70392
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Wedell-Williams Foundation

Ms. Madlyn B. Bagneris Vice: Self
5000 Bancroft Dr.
New Orleans, LA 70122
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Civil Rights Museum

Mr. William Curl Vice: Self
3220 Maine Ave.
Kenner, LA 70065
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Sports Hall of Fame Foundation

May 30, 2013

Michael M. Davis Vice: Self
P.O. Box 6764
Metairie, LA 70009
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Friends of the Cabildo

Rosemary Upshaw Ewing Vice: Self
296 Country Ln.
Quitman, LA 71268
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Jeffrey Pipes Guice Vice: Self
4130 Prytania St., #4
New Orleans, LA 70115
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Janet V. Haedicke, Ph.D. Vice: Self
3502 Deborah Dr.
Monroe, LA 71201
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Allen J. "A.J." Gibbs Vice: Sandra T. Herman
87 English Turn Dr.
New Orleans, LA 70131
Appointed June 6, 2012 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Thomas Frere Kramer, M.D. Vice: Susan Brunner
4484 Irish Bend Rd.
Franklin, LA 70538
Appointed April 25, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Aleta Leckelt Vice: Self
P.O. Box 2794
Houma, LA 70361
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Friends of the E.D. White Historic Site

E. Ralph Lupin, M.D. Vice: Self
828 Chartres St.
New Orleans, LA 70116
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

H.Wayne McCullen Vice: Self
604 Monroe Dr.
Natchitoches, LA 71457
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Lawrence N. Powell, Ph.D. Vice: Self
2310 Metairie Ct.
Metairie, LA 70001
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Louisiana Historical Association

Anne F. Redd Vice: Self
1427 Fourth St.
New Orleans, LA 70130
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Donna B. Winters Vice: Self
3560 Hwy. 134
Lake Providence, LA 71254
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Philip Woollam Vice: Self
P.O. Box 30308
New Orleans, LA 70190
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: Represents Louisiana Museum Foundation

Diane K. Zink Vice: Self
1636 Valence St.
New Orleans, LA 70115
Appointed May 10, 2013 by Lt. Governor
Seat: At-Large

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best regards, I am
Very truly yours,
JAY DARDENNE
Lieutenant Governor

**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 17, 2013

Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana State Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with R.S. 51:1256, I have appointed the following individuals to the Louisiana Tourism Development Commission to serve at the pleasure of the lieutenant governor. In that regard, I hereby submit to you the following names for consideration for Senate confirmation as required by law:

Phil Faul Vice: Self
P.O. Box 1738
Scott, LA 70583
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Restaurant Assn.

Kristin McLaren Mickal Vice: Self
106 Trinity Ln.
Mandeville, LA 70471
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Seat: At-large

Diane D'Amico Vice: Self
2727 Monroe Hwy.
Pineville, LA 71360
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Hotel & Lodging Association
(formerly LA Hotel-Motel Association)

Alice Scarborough Vice: Self
1120 McKay Cir.
Montgomery, LA 70554
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Attractions Association

Mark L. Bernard Vice: Self
1060 Lynn Romero Dr.
Breaux Bridge, LA 70517
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Association Fairs & Festivals

Alana Cooper Vice: Self
5257 New Natchitoches Rd.
West Monroe, LA 71292

Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Travel Promotion Association

Maurice LeBlanc Vice: Self
20073 River Crest Dr.
Hammond, LA 70403
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Campground Owners Association

Ralph H. Ney Vice: Self
5166 Elm Ridge Dr.
Baton Rouge, LA 70817
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Hotel & Lodging Association
(formerly LA Hotel-Motel Association)

Mary Ann Nunley Vice: Self
1032 Williams Ave.
Natchitoches, LA 71457
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Seat: At-large

Emily Ziober Vice: Self
2932 Sarpy Ave.
Baton Rouge, LA 70820-5423
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Seat: At-large

Janice DeLerno Vice: Bonnie Rabe
8860 Highland Rd.
Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Bed & Breakfast Association

Greg Reggio Vice: Self
3000 48th St.
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Restaurant Association

Shelley Johnson Vice: Self
4301 Oaklawn
Lake Charles, LA 70605
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Association of Convention & Visitor Bureaus

Elizabeth McInnis Vice: Self
2827 Toulon Dr., Apt. D
Baton Rouge, LA 70816
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Association of Museums

Brandy Evans Vice: Self
3224 Cloverdale Pl.
Bossier City, LA 71111
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Seat: At-large

Linda Curtis-Sparks Vice: Self
7395 New Hope Rd.
Many, LA 71449
Appointed: May 16, 2013
Represents LA Trust for Historic Preservation
(formerly LA Preservation Alliance, Inc.)

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter and please let me know if you require additional information.

Very truly yours,
JAY DARDENNE
Lieutenant Governor

STATE OF LOUISIANA
OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE, RECREATION, & TOURISM

May 21, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with La. R.S. 25:902, as the State Historic Preservation Officer, I have appointed the following members to the Louisiana National Register Review Committee effective June 25, 2012.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Department of Culture, Recreation, and Tourism and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Lestar Martin Vice: Self
2955 Mt. Lebanon Rd.
P.O. Box 129
Gibsland, LA 71028
Term: 6/25/2012-6/24/2015
Seat: Historic Architect

Dr. Rebecca Saunders Vice: Self
Museum of Natural Sciences
Louisiana State University
119 Foster Hall
Baton Rouge, LA 70803
Term: 6/25/2012-6/24/2015
Seat: Prehistoric/Historic Archaeology

Dr. John Hall Vice: Self
320 Gramercy Ct.
Shreveport, LA 71106
Term: 6/25/2012-6/24/2015
Seat: Historian

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
PAM BREAUX
Assistant Secretary
Office of Cultural Development

FLORIDA PARISHES JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION

May 23, 2013

Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission

Dear Senator Alario:

Pursuant to R. S. 15:1094.1(A), the judges of the Twenty-Second Judicial District have appointed Mr. Salvadore Mulé to serve as a commissioner on the Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission.

In that regard, we hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

May 30, 2013

Mr. Salvatore Mulé
76334 Robinson Rd.
Folsom, LA 70437
Appointed by the 22nd Judicial Court Judges
Appointed: June 5, 2012
Term: February 28, 2015
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
TONIA DELEON
Secretary

FLORIDA PARISHES JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION

May 23, 2013

Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission

Dear Senator Alario:

Pursuant to R. S. 15:1094.1(A), I have appointed Mr. Richard A. Wood to serve as a commissioner on the Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Richard A. Wood
504 Keeneland Dr.
Madisonville, LA 70447
Appointed by the 22nd Judicial District Attorney
Appointed: June 5, 2012
Term: February 28, 2015
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
TONIA DELEO
Secretary

**STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HOSPITALS**

May 8, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President, Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:255, I have appointed Ms. Courtney Phillips as Interim Deputy Secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of Health and Hospitals and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

INTERIM DEPUTY SECRETARY
(Effective May 8, 2013)
Ms. Courtney Phillips
P.O. Box 629
Baton Rouge, LA 70821
Vice: Vacant (Kathy Hawkins Kliebert)
Seat: Interim Deputy Secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals
Term: Pleasure

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
KATHY HAWKINS KLIBERT
Secretary

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

October 29, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Alario:

The Louisiana Health Care Commission was created with its members serving terms of two years. The new study period for the two-year term began July 1, 2011 and continues through June 30, 2013. Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 22:2161, I have appointed the following individual as a member of the Louisiana Health Care Commission.

Eric T. Baumgartner, MD, MPH
Vice: VACANT (Derrell Cohoon)
Director, Policy and Program Planning
Louisiana Public Health Institute
1515 Poydras St., Ste. 1200
New Orleans, LA 70112
Appointed: 10/29/12
Term: 06/30/2013
Seat: At Large

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law.

If further information is needed, please call me or have a member of your staff contact Crystal Marchand Campbell, Executive Director of the Louisiana Health Care Commission to coordinate Senate confirmation.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

August 22, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Alario:

The Louisiana Health Care Commission was created with its members serving terms of two years. The new study period for the two year term began July 1, 2011 and continues through June 30, 2013. Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in

Louisiana Revised Statute 22:2161, I have appointed the following individual as a member of the Louisiana Health Care Commission.

Mr. Derrell Cohoon Vice: Vacant
714 N. 5th St.
Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Appointed: 08/22/2012
Term: 06/30/2013
Seat: America's Health Insurance Plans

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law.

If further information is needed, please call me or have a member of your staff contact Alison Ferguson, Executive Director of the Louisiana Health Care Commission to coordinate Senate confirmation.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

January 9, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Alario:

The Louisiana Health Care Commission was created with its members serving terms of two years. The new study period for the two year term began July 1, 2011 and continues through June 30, 2013. Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in Louisiana Revised Statute 22:2161, I have appointed the following individual as a member of the Louisiana Health Care Commission.

Ms. Hedy S. Hebert Vice: Vacant (B. Ronnell Nolan)
550 Boardwalk Blvd.
Bossier City, LA 71111
Appointed: 01/09/13
Term: 06/30/2013
Seat: Louisiana Association of Health Underwriters

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law.

If further information is needed, please call me or have a member of your staff contact Crystal Marchand Campbell, Executive Director of the Louisiana Health Care Commission to coordinate Senate confirmation.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

April 29, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 36:681 et seq., I am reappointing Mr. Patrick Winston Bell as Deputy Commissioner for Minority Affairs for the Louisiana Department of Insurance. His information is as follows:

Patrick Winston Bell
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Minority Affairs
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 202 Bryant St., Thibodaux, LA 70302
Appointment Effective: June 5, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director, to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

April 29, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with LSA-R. S. 36:681 et seq., I am reappointing Ms. Caroline E. Brock as Deputy Commissioner of Financial Solvency for the Louisiana Department of Insurance. Her information is as follows:

Caroline E. Brock
Title: Deputy Commissioner for
the Office of Financial Solvency
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 12627 Fairhaven Dr.,
Baton Rouge, LA 70815
Appointment Effective: June 5, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director, at to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

April 29, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

May 30, 2013

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 36:681 et seq., I am reappointing Mr. Warren Edgar Byrd Executive Council for the Louisiana Department of Insurance. His information is as follows:

Warren Edgar Byrd
Title: Executive Counsel
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 512 Cornell Ave., Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Appointment Effective: June 5, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director, to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

April 29, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 36:681 et seq., I am reappointing Ms. Emma L. Fontenot as Deputy Commissioner for the Office of Health for the Louisiana Department of Insurance. Her information is as follows:

Emma L. Fontenot
Title: Deputy Commissioner for the Office of Health
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 1439 Salisbury Dr.,
Baton Rouge, LA 70816
Appointment Effective: June 5, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director, to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

October 8, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Ron C. Henderson
Title: Commissioner for Consumer Advocacy
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 18024 Timber View Drive,
Prairieville, Louisiana 70769
Appointment Effective: October 2, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. For your records, the previous incumbent, Clarissa Preston, resigned from her position effective October 1, 2012. Please contact Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director, to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

July 3, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Ileana Garcia Ledet
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Public Affairs
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 6135 Esplanade Avenue,
Baton Rouge, LA 70806
Appointment Effective: July 3, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. For your records, the previous incumbent, Amy Wynne David, resigned from her position effective June 29, 2012. Please contact Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

April 29, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 36:681 et seq., I am reappointing Mr. Edward Francis O'Brien Jr. as Deputy Commissioner Property and Casualty for the Louisiana Department of Insurance. His information is as follows:

Edward Francis O'Brien Jr.
Title: Deputy Commissioner Property and Casualty
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 5144 Claycut Rd.,
Baton Rouge, LA 70806
Appointment Effective: June 5, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director, to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

April 29, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 36:681 et seq., I am reappointing Mr. Allan J. Pursnell as Deputy Commissioner for the Office of Receivership for the Louisiana Department of Insurance. His information is as follows:

Allan J. Pursnell
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Office of Receivership
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 722 Louray Dr.,
Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Appointment Effective: June 5, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director, to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

April 29, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 36:681 et seq., I am reappointing Mr. Barry Eugene Ward as Deputy Commissioner for Licensing and Compliance for the Louisiana Department of Insurance. His information is as follows:

Barry Eugene Ward
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Licensing and Compliance
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 5328 Kennesaw Dr.,
Baton Rouge, LA 70817
Appointment Effective: June 5, 2012

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Pamela Croxton, Human Resources Director, to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

March 4, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission
Louisiana State Bar Association

Dear Senator Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 13:42, as president of the Louisiana State Bar Association, I am appointing Donald R. Abaunza as a member of the Judicial Compensation Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Donald R. Abaunza Vice: Larry Feldman Jr.
Liskow & Lewis, PLC
701 Poydras St., Ste. 5000
New Orleans, LA 70139
Appointed: August 9, 2012
Term: August 9, 2016

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,
JOHN H. MUSSER IV
2012-2013 President

**STATE OF LOUISIANA
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

March 4, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 13:42, this letter is to advise that I have appointed Representative Jeff Arnold as a member of the Judicial Compensation Commission in place of former

May 30, 2013

Representative Rosalind Jones. I have also reappointed Representative Nicholas J. Lorusso as a member of the Judicial Compensation Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Judicial Compensation Commission and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

The Honorable Jeffery J. "Jeff" Arnold
State Representative-District 102
3520 General DeGaulle, Ste. 3071
New Orleans, LA 70114
Vice: Representative Rosalind Jones
Appointed: November 26, 2012
Term: November 26, 2016

The Honorable Nick Lorusso
State Representative-District 94
3535 Canal St., Ste. 103
New Orleans, LA 70119
Vice: Self
Appointed: November 26, 2012
Term: November 26, 2016

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If I or my staff can be of any assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,
CHUCK KLECKLEY
Speaker

**SECOND PARISH COURT
PARISH OF JEFFERSON**

March 6, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission by the Louisiana City Judges Association

Dear Senator Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 13:42, as president of the Louisiana City Judges Association, I am reappointing Judge Grace Gasaway as a member of the Judicial Compensation Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Judge Grace B. Gasaway Vice: Self
P.O. Box 1224
Hammond, LA 70404
Term: August 15, 2015

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,
ROY M. CASCIO
President, Louisiana City Judges Association

**SENATE
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

July 19, 2012

Honorable Daniel R. Martiny
State Senator
131 Airline Drive
Ste. 201
Metairie, LA 70001

RE: Judicial Compensation Commission

Dear Senator Martiny:

In accordance with R. S. 13:42, I hereby appoint you to serve as one of the Senate members on Judicial Compensation Commission.

I appreciate your willingness to serve in this important role. Please call if I can be of any assistance.

Sincerely,
JOHN A. ALARIO JR.
Senate President

**COURT OF APPEAL
SECOND CIRCUIT
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

March 7, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission By Chair of the Louisiana Conference of Court Appeal Judges

Dear Senator Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 13:42, Chief Judge Ulysses Gene Thibodeaux has been reappointed by the Louisiana Conference of Court of Appeal Judges as a member of the Judicial Compensation Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

The Honorable Ulysses Gene Thibodeaux Vice: Self
Chief Judge 3rd Court of appeal
P.O. Box 16577
Lake Charles, LA 70616
Term: August 15, 2015

Please contact my office should you require anything further.

Sincerely,
FELICIA TONEY WILLIAMS
Chair, Louisiana Conference of Court Appeal Judges

LSU HEALTH CARE SERVICES DIVISION

June 5, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with L. R.S. 17:1519.7B the board has appointed the following member to the community advisory committee of the LSU Health Care Services Division. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment effective June 5, 2012 and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Albert Foulcard
700 Magnolia St.
Franklin LA 70538
Vice: Donna Baltakis
Seat: Represents Franklin area served by University Medical Center in Lafayette
Term: Six years

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
ROXANE TOWNSEND, M.D.
Chief Executive Officer

LSU HEALTH CARE SERVICES DIVISION

June 5, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with L. R.S. 17:1519.7B the board has appointed the following member to the community advisory committee of the LSU Health Care Services Division. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment effective June 5, 2012 and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Craig G. Gregory
616 Zimmerman St.
Breaux Bridge, LA 70517
Vice: Vacant (Sydney Mae Durand)
Seat: Represents area served by University Medical Center in Lafayette
Term: Six years

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
ROXANE TOWNSEND, M.D.
Chief Executive Officer

**CLINICAL LABORATORY PERSONNEL COMMITTEE
LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

June 6, 2012

The Honorable John J. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with L. R.S. 37:1314, the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners has appointed the following member to the Clinical Laboratory Personnel Committee. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Effective: 06/06/12
James Taylor, MD
14050 Peairs Rd.
Zachary, LA 70791
Vice: Charles Reed, MD
Seat: Submitted by the Louisiana State Medical Society;
Rural Family Practitioner; 6th Congressional District
Term: 06/05/15

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
PATSY JARREAU
Associate Director
Clinical Laboratory Personnel

**COUNCIL
PARISH OF ST. MARY**

September 4, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:322.1, the St. Mary Parish Council has appointed Mr. Joseph J. Foret Jr. to the Board of Commissioners of the Morgan City Harbor and Terminal District.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment by the St. Mary Parish Council on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Effective August 22, 2012 - Mr. Joseph J. Foret Jr.
P.O. Box 142
Amelia, LA 70340

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation in this matter, and should you have any questions or need additional information please contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly,
KEVIN J. VOISIN
Chairman, St. Mary Parish Council

CITY OF MORGAN CITY

April 30, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President, Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:322.1, the Mayor and Council of the City of Morgan City has appointed Mr. Scott Melancon and Mr. Tim Matthews to the board of commissioners of the Morgan City Harbor and Terminal District.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

(Effective January 14, 2013)
Mr. Scott Melancon Vice: Self
37 Marquis Manor

May 30, 2013

Morgan City, LA 70381
Term: December 31, 2016

(Effective April 23, 2013)
Mr. Tim Matthews Sr. Vice: Vacant (Joseph "Joe" Jones)
P.O. Box 66
Morgan City, LA 70381
Term: December 31, 2016

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Very truly yours,
FRANK P. GRIZZAFFI III
Mayor

ST. JAMES PARISH GOVERNMENT

May 22, 2013

Senator John Alario
Louisiana State Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Mr. Stanley Brazile

Dear Senator Alario,

As Parish President, it is my desire to support the continuing appointment of Mr. Stanley Bazile to the board of commissioners of the Port of South Louisiana. Mr. Bazile's information is as follows:

Mr. Stanley Bazile
1170 Magnolia Heights
Vacherie, LA 70090

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need anything further.

Sincerely,
TIMOTHY P. ROUSSEL
Parish President

**STATE OF LOUISIANA
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

February 7, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Louisiana Public Defender Board

Dear Senator Alario and Members of the Louisiana State Senate:

Pursuant to Louisiana Revised Statute 15:146, please be advised that I hereby reappoint Mr. Addison K. Goff IV to the Louisiana Public Defender Board.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the appointment to the Louisiana Public Defender Board and submit his name to you for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Addison K. Goff IV
P.O. Box 2050
Ruston, LA 71273-2050
Seat: Appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives
Effective: 02/24/13
Term: 02/24/17

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
CHUCK KLECKLEY
House Speaker

**SENATE
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

January 16, 2013

Mr. C. Frank Holthaus
deGravelles, Palmintier, Holthaus & Fruge
618 Main St.
Baton Rouge, LA 70801-1910

RE: Louisiana Public Defender Board

Dear Mr. Holthaus:

In accordance with R. S. 15:146(B)(3)(c), the Louisiana Public Defender Board is created and established within the Office of the Governor and provides for the supervision, administration, and delivery of a statewide public defender system. The Board consists of fifteen members with one member appointed by the President of the Senate.

It is my pleasure to re-appoint you to serve on the Board. I appreciate your willingness to serve in this important role. Please call if I can be of any assistance.

Sincerely,
JOHN A. ALARIO JR.
Senate President

LOUISIANA STATE LAW INSTITUTE

April 9, 2013

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

RE: Appointment to the Louisiana Public Defender Board by the Louisiana State Law Institute's Children's Code Committee

Dear President Alario:

Pursuant to La. R.S. 15:146(B)(3)(j), the Louisiana Chapter of the Louisiana State Law Institute's Children's Code Committee has the authority to appoint one member to the Public Defender Board. On behalf of the Children's Code Committee, I hereby appoint Hector Linares to the Louisiana Public Defender Board.

Mr. Linares can be contacted at Paul M. Hebert Law Center, Room W153, 1 E. Campus Dr., Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA 70803.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the appointment to the Public Defender Board and submit his name to you for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,
WILLIAM E. CRAWFORD
Director

LOUIS A. MARTINET SOCIETY
LOUISIANA CHAPTER

July 26, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Appointment to the Louisiana Public Defender Board By the President of the Louisiana Chapter of the Louis A. Martinet Society

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to La. R.S. 15:146(B)(3)(i), please be advised that I, as President of the Louisiana Chapter of the Louis A. Martinet Society, hereby make the following appointment to the Louisiana Public Defender Board (LPDB):

Reappointment of:

Gina Womack
1600 Oretha Castle Haley Blvd.
New Orleans, LA 70113
Appointed: 07/26/2012
Term: 06/20/16

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
HALIMA NARCISSE SMITH
President

PARISH OF JEFFERSON
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

May 23, 2013

Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Southeast Regional Airport Authority

Dear Senator Alario:

Pursuant to R. S. 2:705 I have appointed Raymond M. Rathle to the board of commissioners of the Southeast Regional Airport Authority.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Raymond M. Rathle
401 Iona St.
Metairie, LA 70005
Appointed by: Jefferson Parish President John F. Young Jr.
Appointed: June 5, 2012
Term: Concurrent
Vice: Raymond M. Rathle

Regards,
JOHN F. YOUNG JR.
Jefferson Parish President

CITY OF KENNER
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

May 23, 2013

Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Southeast Regional Airport Authority

Dear Senator Alario:

Pursuant to R. S. 2:705 I have appointed Deborah Settoon to the board of commissioners of the Southeast Regional Airport Authority.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Deborah Settoon
5321 Toby Ln.
Kenner, LA 70065
Appointed by: City of Kenner Mayor Michael S. Yenni
Appointed: June 5, 2012
Term: Concurrent
Vice: Deborah Settoon

Regards,
MICHAEL S. YENNI
Mayor

STATE OF LOUISIANA
OFFICE OF WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES
OFFICE OF SECRETARY

December 18, 2012

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in Louisiana Revised Statute 56:331, I have appointed the following individuals as members of the Louisiana Crab Task Force, and therefore, respectfully submit this to you for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Alan Matherne - Position/University Marine Biologist
LSU AgCenter
511 Roussel St.
Houma, LA 70360
Vice: Mark C. Benfield
Appointed: September 17, 2012

Dr. Rex Caffey - Position/LSU Fisheries Economist
179 Ag Admin. Bldg.
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, LA 70894-5100
Vice: Walter R. Keithly, Jr. Ph.D.
Appointed: September 17, 2012

Mr. Eric Melerine - Position/Hard Crab Fisherman
2125 Farmsite Rd.
Violet, LA 70092-3611
Vice: Vacant (Randall J. Cramer)
Appointed: October 29, 2012

May 30, 2013

Mr. Donnye L. Bourn - Position/Hard Crab Fisherman
21217 Bourn Ln.
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
Vice: Peter L. Peterson
Appointed: October 29, 2012

Dr. Jack Isaacs - Position/Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
Economist
Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
P.O. Box 98000
Baton Rouge, LA 70898-9000
Vice: David Ray Lavergne
Appointed: September 17, 2012

Kernny Comardelle - Position/Crab Dealer or Processor
Bayou Blue Crab
242 Octavia St.
Larose, LA 70373
Vice: Patricia "Pat" Templet
Appointed: September 17, 2012

In addition to my request for confirmation of the members named above, I respectfully request your reappointment of the following members of the Louisiana Crab Task Force.

Dr. Julie Anderson - Position/LSU Sea Grant Biologist
Assistant Professor
LSU AgCenter & Louisiana Sea Grant
114 RNR Bldg.
Baton Rouge, LA 70803
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Gary Bauer - Crab Dealer/Processor
Pontchartrain Blue Crab, Inc.
38327 Salt Bayou Rd.
Slidell, LA 70461
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Roy Meek - Crab Dealer/Processor
P.O. Box 645
Larose, LA 70373
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Trudy Luke - Soft Shell Crab Producer
8239 Shrimpers Row
Dulac, LA 70353
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Pete Gerica - Soft Shell Crab Producer
Rt. 6, Box 285K
New Orleans, LA 70129
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

L. J. Sandras - Hard Crab Fisherman
427 Aragon Rd.
Montegut, LA 70373
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Keith Watts - Hard Crab Fisherman
39161 Everett Ln.
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Rodney Parfait - Hard Crab Fisherman
220 Sterling Dr.
Houma, LA 70363
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Kim Alfonso - Hard Crab Fisherman
2016 Flamingo Dr.
St. Bernard, LA 70085
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Carl Britt - Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
Marine Biologist
Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
P.O. Box 1190
Lacombe, LA 70445
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Lt. Col. Jeff Mayne - Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
Enforcement
Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
P.O. Box 98000
Baton Rouge, LA 70898
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

Melissa Trosclair Daigle - LSU Sea Grant Attorney
Legal Coordinator
Louisiana Sea Grant
205 Sea Grant Bldg.
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, LA 70803
Vice: Self
Appointed: June 6, 2012

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain
Very truly yours,
ROBERT J. BARHAM
Secretary

Rules Suspended

Senator Donahue asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 325 from the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 325—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.64.1, relative to the parish of Iberville; to authorize the governing authority of the parish to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax; to provide for the use of the proceeds of the tax; to provide for voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Donahue asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 430 from the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 430—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:222(B)(1)(b), (c), and (g), (2)(a) and (d), (3)(a), (b), and (e), (5)(b), and (12)(c), relative to fees chargeable by secretary of state; to authorize the secretary of state to increase certain fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Donahue asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 571 from the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 571—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1787(A)(3) and (B)(3) and 1791 and to enact R.S. 47:6302 and R.S. 51:3116 and 3122, relative to rebates and rebate programs, to provide requirements for rebate contracts; to provide for the administration of rebate programs; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Donahue asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 671 from the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 671—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FOIL, ADAMS, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, BROADWATER, BROSSETT, CARMODY, CHANEY, GAINES, GUINN, HARRISON, HOFFMANN, HONORE, TERRY LANDRY, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, SCHEXNAYDER, AND SEABAUGH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351.11(E) and 3351.17 through 3351.19, relative to tuition and mandatory fee amounts for public postsecondary education institutions; to authorize each public postsecondary management board to impose certain tuition and fee amounts at certain institutions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 18

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House to consider the disagreement on **Senate Bill No. 18**:

Senators Ward,
Amedee
and Heitmeier.

Appointment of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 101

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House to consider the disagreement on **Senate Bill No. 101**:

Senators Johns,
Morrish
and Broome.

Conference Committee Reports Received

May 30, 2013

HOUSE BILL NO. 90—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405.1, relative to the issuance of bulletproof vests to peace officers; to authorize the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to make available for purchase bulletproof vests which are no longer utilized by the department; to provide that sales be conducted pursuant to regulations of the Louisiana Property Assistance Association; to provide for the

assessment of a fee; to provide for a limitation of liability; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 222—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:75(G) and 79(B)(3), relative to certified public accountants; to provide for qualifications; to provide relative to enforcement against holders of certificates; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 719— (Substitute for House Bill No. 109 by Representative Howard)
BY REPRESENTATIVES HOWARD AND ARMES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:325(A)(11) and (12), (B), (C), and (D), to enact R.S. 56:325(E), and to repeal R.S. 56:315(A)(13), relative to recreational fishing daily take and possession limits; to provide relative to the possession limit for crappie taken from Toledo Bend Reservoir on a recreational license; to provide relative to possession of fish filets on the water; and to provide for related matters.

The Conference Committee Reports for the above legislative instruments lie over under the rules.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Senator Jack Donahue, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:

May 30, 2013

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 122—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCE AND SENATOR THOMPSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services on or before February 1, 2014, an application for a Section 1115 Medicaid demonstration waiver that will allow the use of costs not otherwise matchable authority to receive federal matching funds for designated state and local health programs and to reinvest unencumbered state funds into the Medicaid program.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

May 30, 2013

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 92— BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:2(5) and 36(A)(3)(a) and (B)(5), relative to public finance; to provide for the definition of positions contained in appropriation bills; to provide for the inclusion of certain information in the executive budget and supporting document; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 238— BY REPRESENTATIVES PATRICK WILLIAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BURRELL, COX, DIXON, GAINES, GISCLAIR, HONORE, HUNTER, GIROD JACKSON, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, LAMBERT, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, MONTOUCET, MORENO, NORTON, ORTEGO, PIERRE, POPE, PRICE, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SMITH, THIERRY, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1061(A)(1), (2), and (3), relative to the telecommunication tax for the deaf; to provide with respect to the amount of the tax levied; to provide with respect to those telecommunication services to which the tax is levied; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for the amount of the deduction certain companies are authorized to retain for the collection of such tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 437— BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS, ARNOLD, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BROWN, BURFORD, CARMODY, CHAMPAGNE, CONNICK, DANAHAY, GAROFALO, GEYMANN, GREENE, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENRY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HOWARD, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, LEOPOLD, MILLER, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, POPE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, TALBOT, AND THOMPSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:24(A), 34(A), 51(A), and 54(A), relative to the budget process; to provide for the official forecast; to provide for the powers, duties, and functions of the Revenue Estimating Conference; to require certain contents in the executive budget; to provide for the contents of the General Appropriation Bill and other appropriation bills; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 501— BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO AND WESLEY BISHOP AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6034(A), (B)(4), (8), (9), (10), and (11), (C)(1)(a)(ii)(aa) and (3), (E)(1)(e), and (F), to enact R.S. 47:6034(H), and to repeal R.S. 47:6034(C)(1)(b), (e), and (f), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the state-certified musical or theatrical facility infrastructure income tax credit; to extend the sunset of the tax credit in certain circumstances; to provide a deadline for certain projects to receive initial certification for the tax credit; to provide relative to certain definitions; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide with respect to the application for such tax credits and certification of productions and infrastructure projects; to provide for the disallowance of credits; to provide for the recovery of credits; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 620— BY REPRESENTATIVES GEYMANN, REYNOLDS, ARNOLD, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BURFORD, CARMODY, CHAMPAGNE, CONNICK, DANAHAY, GAROFALO, GREENE, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENRY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HOWARD, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, LEOPOLD, MILLER, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, POPE, PYLANT, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, TALBOT, THIERRY, AND THOMPSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:36(A)(3)(b) and 51(A) and to enact R.S. 24:513(D)(7) and R.S. 39:36(A)(6), relative to budgetary controls and priorities; to require certain items be included in the executive budget; to require the General Appropriation Bill include separate recommendations for discretionary and nondiscretionary spending in certain circumstances; to provide for the powers and duties of the legislative auditor; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 705— BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030, relative to tax credits; to repeal the tax credit for wind energy systems; to establish a tax credit for certain solar energy systems; to provide authorization for a credit against taxes in which the credit can be claimed; to provide the manner in which the credit may be claimed; to provide for a refund of any credit in excess of the tax liability; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, JACK DONAHUE Chairman

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX AN ACT

To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 2 by Representative Robideaux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 8, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted on May 28, 2013, on page 2, deletes lines 12 and 13, and insert the following:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'Priority 5' for \$4,100,000 and 'Total' for \$22,576,400.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 70, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 12, delete lines 32 through 34, and insert the following:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'Priority 5' for \$40,000.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 81, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 14, delete lines 27 through 29, and insert the following:

"Priority 2 \$ 45,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 82, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 14, delete lines 34 through 36, and insert the following:

"Priority 5 \$ 30,000
Total \$ 65,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 130, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 22, delete lines 24 through 26, and insert the following:

"Priority 5 \$ 225,000
Total \$ 600,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 142, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 24, delete lines 13 through 15, and insert the following:

"Priority 5 \$ 60,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 143, approved by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 24, delete lines 19 through 21, and insert the following:

"Priority 5 \$ 50,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 193, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 31, delete lines 28 through 30, and insert the following:

"Priority 2 \$ 195,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 197, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 32, delete lines 24 through 26, and insert the following:

"Priority 2 \$ 25,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 198, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 32, delete lines 30 through 32, and insert the following:

"Priority 2 \$ 60,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

Delete Senate Committee Amendment Nos. 5 and 6 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013.

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 21

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 16, delete lines 5 through 14, and insert the following:

"Priority 1 \$ 13,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 19, delete lines 36 through 38, and insert the following:

"Priority 5 \$ 400,000
Total \$ 1,150,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 30, delete line 13, and insert the following:

"Payable from Transportation Trust Fund-Regular \$ 1,500,000
Payable from the balance of Transportation Trust Fund - Regular previously allocated under the authority of Act 20 of 1999 for Department of Transportation and Development, Engineering and Operations, Fleet Landing Facility Relocation (West Baton Rouge) \$ 210,590
Total \$ 1,710,590"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 30, delete line 17, and insert the following:

"Payable from Transportation Trust Fund-Regular \$ 2,000,000
Payable from the balance of Transportation Trust Fund - Regular previously allocated under the authority of Act 21 of 2000 for Department of Transportation and Development, Engineering and Operations, Fleet Landing Facility Relocation (West Baton Rouge) \$ 250,000
Total \$ 2,250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 33, delete lines 43 through 48

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 37, between lines 1 and 2, insert the following:

"(1143) Replace Bridge at Fools Bay, Grassy Lake WMA, Planning and Construction (Avoyelles) \$ 930,000
Payable from Russell Sage Fund #2

(1319) Replace Red River Yakey Road Bridge, Planning and Construction (Concordia) \$ 912,000"
Payable from Russell Sage Fund #2

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 37, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

"(2048)Replace Bayou Natchitoches Bridge, Grassy Lake WMA, Planning and Construction (Avoyelles) \$ 686,000
Payable from Russell Sage Fund #2 \$ 160,000
Payable from Federal Funds \$ 846,000"
Total

(2049)Replace Roaring Bayou Bridge, Big Lake WMA, Planning and Construction (Franklin) \$ 1,002,000"
Payable from Russell Sage Fund #2

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 37, delete lines 43 through 48

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AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 38, delete line 24, and insert the following:

"Priority 5	\$ 50,000,000
Payable from Fees and Self-Generated Revenues	\$ 50,000,000
Total	<u>\$ 100,000,000</u>

Provided, however, that this appropriation of Fees and Self-Generated Revenues is in lieu of Fees and Self-Generated Revenues appropriated in Act 22 of 2011 to LSU Baton Rouge for Patrick Taylor Hall Renovation, Planning and Construction."

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 40, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

"(208)EBR Parish Cooperative Extension Outreach and Education Facility Payable from Fees and Self-Generated Revenues	\$ 2,400,000"
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AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 42, delete lines 22 through 27

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 42, delete lines 29 through 32

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 42, delete lines 42 through 44, and insert the following:

"Priority 2	<u>\$ 350,000"</u>
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AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 43, delete lines 1 through 4

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 43, delete lines 10 through 14

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 44, delete lines 40 through 46

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 48, delete lines 28 through 33

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 54, delete lines 17 through 19, and insert the following:

"Priority 5	<u>\$ 7,000,000"</u>
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AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 60, delete lines 11 through 15

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 60, delete lines 17 through 21

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 61, delete lines 38 through 45

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 71, delete lines 16 through 22

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 72, delete lines 39 through 41, and insert the following:

"Priority 1	<u>\$ 200,000"</u>
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AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 75, delete lines 30 through 34

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 77, delete lines 22 through 24, and insert the following:

"Priority 2	<u>\$ 70,000"</u>
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AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 80, delete lines 2 through 5

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 80, delete lines 14 through 19

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 81, delete lines 32 through 36

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 82, delete lines 6 through 8, and insert the following:

"Priority 2	<u>\$ 70,000"</u>
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AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 83, delete lines 41 through 45

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 84 delete lines 8 through 11

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 85, delete lines 11 through 13, and insert the following:

"Priority 5	<u>\$ 300,000"</u>
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AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 85, delete lines 14 through 19

AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 85, delete lines 37 through 39, and insert the following:

"Priority 5	\$ 250,000
Total	<u>\$ 335,000"</u>

AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 86, delete lines 30 through 34

AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 87, delete lines 7 through 11

AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 95, delete lines 28 through 32

AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 96, delete lines 1 through 6

AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 97, delete lines 16 through 20

AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 98, delete lines 18 through 21

AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 99, delete lines 1 through 5

AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 109, delete lines 32 through 36

AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 111, delete lines 18 through 21

AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 113, delete lines 1 through 5

AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 117, delete lines 1 through 6

AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 119, delete lines 39 through 42

AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 120, delete lines 38 through 45

AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 123, delete lines 41 through 45

AMENDMENT NO. 61

On page 124, delete lines 20 through 24

AMENDMENT NO. 62

On page 132, delete lines 27 through 32

AMENDMENT NO. 63

On page 134, delete lines 31 through 33, and insert the following:

"Priority 1 \$ 150,000"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 92—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:2(5) and 36(A)(3)(a) and (B)(5), relative to public finance; to provide for the definition of positions contained in appropriation bills; to provide for the inclusion of certain information in the executive budget and supporting document; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 238—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PATRICK WILLIAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BURRELL, COX, DIXON, GAINES, GISCLAIR, HONORE, HUNTER, GIROD JACKSON, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, LAMBERT, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, MONTOU CET, MORENO, NORTON, ORTEGO, PIERRE, POPE, PRICE, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SMITH, THIERRY, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1061(A)(1), (2), and (3), relative to the telecommunication tax for the deaf; to provide with respect to the amount of the tax levied; to provide with respect to those telecommunication services to which the tax is levied; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for the amount of the deduction certain companies are authorized to retain for the collection of such tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 238 by Representative Patrick Williams

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, change "two" to "one and one-half"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 6, change "two three" to "two"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 437—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS, ARNOLD, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BROWN, BURFORD, CARMODY, CHAMPAGNE, CONNICK, DANAHAY, GAROFALO, GEYMAN, GREENE, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENRY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HOWARD, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, LEOPOLD, MILLER, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, POPE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, TALBOT, AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:24(A), 34(A), 51(A), and 54(A), relative to the budget process; to provide for the official forecast; to provide for the powers, duties, and functions of the Revenue Estimating Conference; to require certain contents in the executive budget; to provide for the contents of the General Appropriation Bill and other appropriation bills; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 437 by Representative Harris

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, after "fund," delete the remainder of the line and delete line 17

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete line 1, and insert "Each such official"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 7, and insert the following: "addition, the conference may designate as nonrecurring any money available for appropriation from any source that is defined as nonrecurring in R.S. 39:2(27)."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 2, change "A." to "A.(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, between line 7 and 8, insert the following: "(2) Financing for any appropriations utilizing prior year funds shall only be authorized in the amounts remaining after the satisfaction of the remission of cash balances to the state treasurer, the liquidation of any bona fide liabilities, and authorized withdrawals after the close of the fiscal year as provided in R.S. 39:82."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following: "Section 3. The provisions of Section 1 of the Act shall be null, void, and of no effect on June 30, 2015."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 15, change "Section 3." to "Section 4."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 501—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO AND WESLEY BISHOP
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6034(A), (B)(4), (8), (9), (10), and (11), (C)(1)(a)(ii)(aa) and (3), (E)(1)(e), and (F), to enact R.S. 47:6034(H), and to repeal R.S. 47:6034(C)(1)(b), (e), and (f), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the state-certified musical or theatrical facility infrastructure income tax credit; to extend the sunset of the tax credit in certain circumstances; to provide a deadline for certain projects to receive initial certification for the tax credit; to provide relative to certain definitions; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide with respect to the application for such tax credits and certification of productions and infrastructure projects; to provide for the disallowance of credits; to provide for the recovery of credits; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 620—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GEYMAN, REYNOLDS, ARNOLD, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BURFORD, CARMODY, CHAMPAGNE, CONNICK, DANAHAY, GAROFALO, GREENE, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENRY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HOWARD, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, LEOPOLD, MILLER, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, POPE, PYLANT, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, TALBOT, THIERRY, AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:36(A)(3)(b) and 51(A) and to enact R.S. 24:513(D)(7) and R.S. 39:36(A)(6), relative to budgetary controls and priorities; to require certain items be included in the

executive budget; to require the General Appropriation Bill include separate recommendations for discretionary and nondiscretionary spending in certain circumstances; to provide for the powers and duties of the legislative auditor; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Re-reengrossed House Bill No. 620 by Representative Geymann

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, change "24:513(D)(7)" to "24:603(20)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, change "duties" to "functions"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 7, change "auditor;" to "fiscal office;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 10, change "24:513(D)(7)" to "24:603(20)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 11 through 16, and insert the following: "§603. Duties and functions

Subject to the general direction and supervision of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, the Legislative Fiscal Office shall have the following duties and functions:"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 7 and insert the following:

"(20) The Legislative Fiscal Office shall review the proposed executive budget for the ensuing fiscal year and report to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget whether the budget recommends appropriations out of the state general fund and dedicated funds for health care as contained in Schedule 09, Department of Health and Hospitals, and for higher education as contained in Schedule 19, Higher Education and Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center Health Care Services Division, in amounts less than the appropriations for either purpose as contained for the same schedules in the existing operating budget for the current fiscal year as of the day the executive budget is submitted to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget. Within seven days of the governor's submission of the executive budget to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget pursuant to R.S. 39:37, the Legislative Fiscal Office shall prepare and submit such report to the governor and the legislature."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 27, change, "means" to "includes, but is not limited to,"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, delete lines 9 through 13, and insert the following: "that the Legislative Fiscal Office reports that the budget estimate as provided by Article VII, Section 11(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana provides for appropriations out of the state general fund and dedicated funds for the ensuing fiscal year for health care as contained in Schedule 09, Department of Health and Hospitals, and for higher education as contained in Schedule 19, Higher Education and Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center Health Care Services Division, in amounts less than the appropriations for either purpose as contained for the same schedules in the existing operating budget for the current fiscal year as of the day the executive budget is submitted to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, the governor shall cause a General Appropriation"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, delete lines 17 and 18, and insert "are subject to appropriation."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, line 21, change "seven" to "seven fourteen"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, between line 23 and 24, insert the following:

"Section 2. The provisions of Section 1 of this Act shall be null, void, and of no effect on June 30, 2015."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 24, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 705—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6030, relative to tax credits; to repeal the tax credit for wind energy systems; to establish a tax credit for certain solar energy systems; to provide authorization for a credit against taxes in which the credit can be claimed; to provide the manner in which the credit may be claimed; to provide for a refund of any credit in excess of the tax liability; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Reengrossed House Bill No. 705 by Representative Ponti

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Amendment No. 1 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 1, line 3, at the end of the line after "R.S. 47:6030" change "(G)" to "(B)(3) and (G)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Amendment No. 3 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 1, at the beginning of line 9, change "47:6030(G)" to "R.S. 47:6030(B)(3) and (G)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Amendment No. 4 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 1, at the beginning of line 18, insert "single family"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Amendment No. 6 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 1, at the beginning of line 25, delete "To" and insert: "In addition to eligibility requirements provided in Subsection B of this Section, to"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

In Amendment No. 6 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 1, at the end of line 26, before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert: "and the system shall be compliant with the requirements of the federal American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), including, but not limited to all major components such as the inverter, racking, and solar modules"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

In Amendment No. 7 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 1, at the end of line 31, after "system" and before the period ".", insert: "and no other tax credit is allowed for any other system installed at that residence. The provisions of this Section shall in no way be construed or interpreted to allow more than one tax credit authorized under this Section, including any tax credit claimed before July 1, 2013, for any residence."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

In Amendment No. 8 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 2, line 2, after "residence" and before "shall" insert: "or for a system which is already installed in a newly constructed home located in Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 8 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 2, line 5, after "2018," insert "Such tax credit shall apply to systems purchased and installed as part of any energy efficiency implemented in accordance with rules or policies of any state agency, political subdivision, or regulatory agency."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

In Amendment No. 8 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 2, line 9, after "issued" and before "for" delete "or granted" and insert a comma "," and insert "or granted as provided in this Paragraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

In Amendment No. 8 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 2, delete lines 30 through 36, and insert:

"(2) Leased systems. (a) Eligibility for a tax credit for the purchase and installation of a system at a Louisiana residence by a third party through a lease with the owner of the residence shall be limited as provided in this Paragraph.

(b)(i) Eligibility for a system purchased and installed on or after July 1, 2013 and before July 1, 2014, shall be limited to a system which has a cost of no more than four dollars and fifty cents per watt and which provides for no more than five kilowatts of energy. The tax credit for such a system shall be equal to thirty-eight percent of the first twenty-five thousand dollars of the cost of purchase.

(ii) Eligibility for a system purchased and installed on or after July 1, 2014 and before July 1, 2015, shall be limited to a system which has a cost of no more than three dollars and fifty cents per watt and which provides for no more than five kilowatts of energy. The tax credit for such a system shall be equal to thirty percent of the first twenty-five thousand dollars of the cost of purchase.

(iii) Eligibility for a system purchased and installed on or after July 1, 2015 and before January 1, 2017, shall be limited to a system which has a cost of no more than two dollars per watt and which provides for no more than five kilowatts of energy. The tax credit for such a system shall be equal to twenty-five percent of the first twenty-five thousand dollars of the cost of purchase.

(c) There shall be no tax credits authorized, issued, or granted as provided in this Paragraph for systems installed after December 31, 2017."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

In Amendment No. 11 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 2, line 43, after "include any" and before "inducement" insert "lease management fee or any"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

In Amendment No. 13 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the

Senate on May 28, 2013, on page 3, delete lines 9 through 14, and insert:

"(2)(a) If a taxpayer purchases and installs a system at his own residence, the credit shall be claimed on the tax return for the taxable year in which the system is completed and placed in service. If a taxpayer purchases a newly constructed home with a system already installed, the credit shall be claimed on the tax return for the taxable year in which the act of sale occurred. Proof of system installation shall be provided with a claim for a tax credit.

(b) If a third-party taxpayer purchases a system for installation at another person's residence through a lease with the owner of the residence, the credit shall be claimed on the tax return for the taxable year in which the system is completed and placed in service. Proof of system installation shall be provided with a claim for a tax credit."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

Delete Amendment No. 15 of the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2013.

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 1, at the beginning of line 7, after "provide for" and before the semi-colon ";" delete "an effective date" and insert "effectiveness"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 4, line 28, after "(2)" insert: "'Home' means a single family detached dwelling."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 5, at the beginning of line 3, insert "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 5, at the beginning of line 28, delete "(3)" and insert "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 6, between lines 8 and 9, insert:

"(5) 'System' means a solar electric or solar thermal system, or any combination of components thereof.

(6) 'Residence' means a single family detached dwelling."

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 7, delete lines 1 through 11, and insert the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2013."

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

Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs

ENROLLMENTS

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

May 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:

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49— BY SENATOR NEVERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents, in consultation with the postsecondary education management boards, to develop a uniform policy regarding the acceptance of college credit earned

by students through Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate examinations.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 112—
BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend Dr. Rama Mohanty on a lifetime of achievements and for his commitment to promoting world peace.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 116—

BY SENATORS JOHNS, MORRISH AND JOHN SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVES DANAHAY, FRANKLIN, GEYMAN, GUINN, HENSGENS AND KLECKLEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of David B. Usher.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 118—

BY SENATORS GARY SMITH, AMEDEE AND BROWN AND REPRESENTATIVES BERTHELOT, GAINES, LAMBERT, MILLER, PRICE, SCHEXNAYDER AND WILLMOTT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the River Region Caucus and its member parishes for their cooperative efforts toward improving the quality of life in the region and designate June 4, 2013, as River Region Caucus Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

Respectfully submitted,
"JODY" AMEDEE
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate.

Privilege Report of the Committee on
Senate and Governmental Affairs

ENROLLMENTS

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May 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:

The following Senate Bills have been properly enrolled:

SENATE BILL NO. 30—
BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVES WESLEY BISHOP, BROSSETT AND LEGER

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 42 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5981 through 5985, relative to justice reform in Orleans Parish; to create and provide relative to the Orleans Justice and Rehabilitation Reform Commission; to provide for the purposes, governance, and funding of the commission; to provide for the commission's powers, duties, and functions; to authorize the commission to adopt rules and regulations necessary for the purposes of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 55—

BY SENATORS JOHNS, ALARIO, ALLAIN, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CORTEZ, CROWE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, KOSTELKA, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERRY, GARY SMITH, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH AND WARD AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, ARMES, BADON, BARROW, BILLIOT, BROADWATER, BROSSETT, BURRELL, COX, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOVE, GISCLAIR, GUINN, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, HOFFMANN, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, KLECKLEY, LEBAS, LORUSSO, MONTUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, POPE, PRICE, PYLANT, RICHARD, SMITH, THIBAUT AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To enact Part LXXIII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.361 through 1300.365, relative to Medicaid; to require the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit an annual report to the legislature on the Louisiana Medicaid Bayou Health and Louisiana Behavioral Health Partnership and Coordinated System of Care programs; to provide for the information to be included in the report; to provide for department information; to provide for Medicaid state plan amendments; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 58—

BY SENATORS BUFFINGTON, ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DORSEY-COLOMB, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, RISER, GARY SMITH, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH AND WARD AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BROADWATER, BROWN, BURFORD, BURRELL, CARMODY, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, COX, GAINES, GISCLAIR, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HENSGENS, HILL, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, IVEY, NANCY LANDRY, LEBAS, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MILLER, MORENO, ORTEGO, PONTI, POPE, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RITCHIE, SCHEXNAYDER, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, PATRICK WILLIAMS AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:4.13, relative to 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 93—

BY SENATORS NEVERS, ALLAIN, BROOME, BROWN, DORSEY-COLOMB, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MURRAY, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 107—

BY SENATORS WARD AND BROOME AND REPRESENTATIVES ARMES, WESLEY BISHOP, BROSSETT, BURRELL, COX, HONORE, HUNTER, JAMES, JEFFERSON, TERRY LANDRY, MORENO, PIERRE, PRICE, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, ALFRED WILLIAMS AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 59-A of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2758 through 2758.2, relative to the juvenile justice system and at-risk youths; to provide relative to development of an integrated case management planning system for at-risk youths; to provide for the purposes of such system and the duties and responsibilities of certain entities; to establish certain timelines; to provide terms and conditions; to provide for legislative findings; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 116—

BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:599, relative to local option elections in certain municipalities regarding the sale of alcohol; to authorize the governing authority of such municipalities to hold an election for a proposal to allow a restaurant to sell alcohol; to provide for definitions; to provide for the election; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 124—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1377(A) and 1381.4(A)(2), relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to the Criminal District Court for the Parish of Orleans; to provide relative to the imposition of certain fees and court costs; to increase certain amounts; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 129—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1123.1, relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide an exception relative to the operation of a hospital within Hospital Service District Number Two of Beauregard Parish; to provide for prospective and retroactive application; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 135—
BY SENATORS RISER AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:54(B) and R.S. 40:1379.3(C)(13), and to enact R.S. 13:752 and R.S. 28:57, relative to possession of weapons and permits to carry concealed weapons; to provide relative to certain judicial proceedings and reports; to provide for mandatory reporting of certain information regarding persons ineligible to possess, ship, transport or receive firearms or to apply for a permit to carry a concealed weapon by virtue of certain state and federal law; to provide for mandatory reporting of involuntary judicial commitments or certain adjudications for certain offenses; to provide procedures by which such information shall be reported to the Louisiana Supreme Court and to the National Instant Criminal Background Check System database; to provide procedures by which certain persons may file a civil petition seeking adjudicated restoration of rights; to provide procedures by which such petitions shall be filed, heard, recorded, and reported to the Louisiana Supreme Court and to the National Instant Criminal Background Check System; to provide for the effects of judgments in such proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 150—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1300.57, relative to criminal history checks on nonlicensed persons and licensed ambulance personnel; to provide with respect to an authorized agency; to provide for the application and requirements for approval as an authorized agency; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 155—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:126, relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to the Louisiana Supreme Court; to provide for the imposition of certain chargeable fees and costs; to provide for the increase of certain fees; and to provide for related matters.

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 of certain boards and commissions to be video or tape recorded, filmed or broadcast live; to provide for the preservation of certain records; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 70—
BY SENATORS KOSTELKA, BROOME, DORSEY-COLOMB, GUILLORY, MILLS, PERRY AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:35.3(B) and to enact R.S. 14:35.3(M), relative to the crime of domestic abuse battery; to provide that domestic abuse battery committed by burning of the victim

constitutes a crime of violence; to provide definitions; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 71—
BY SENATOR BROOME AND REPRESENTATIVES BARROW, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROSSETT, BURRELL, COX, DIXON, HUNTER, MORENO AND SMITH

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 33-A of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5351 through 5358, relative to mental health court treatment; to provide for a short title; to provide findings; to provide definitions; to provide authority for a mental health court treatment program; to provide for eligibility and procedure; to provide for collaboration with established substance abuse treatment programs; to provide for violations and sanctions; to provide for dismissal from the program; to provide relative to the discharge of criminal charges; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 160—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To define the membership for certain positions on groundwater conservation district commissions in certain governmental subdivisions; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,
"JODY" AMEDEE
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Bills were signed by the President of the Senate.

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	Smith, J.
Chabert	Long	Tarver
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Cortez	Mills	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrell	Ward
Donahue	Morrish	White
Total - 39		

ABSENT

Total - 0

Announcements

The following committee meetings for May 31, 2013, were announced:

Finance At Adj Room A

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 6:20 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Friday, May 31, 2013, at 9:00 o'clock A.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 9:00 o'clock A.M. on Friday, May 31, 2013.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk

