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Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana
Monday, April 10, 2017

The Senate was called to order at 12:05 o'clock P.M. by Hon. John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate.

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

PRESENT
Mr. President Hewitt
Allain
Appel
Boudreaux
Carter
Claitor
Cortez
Donahue
Erdey
Fannin
Gatti
Total - 31

ABSENT
Barrow
Bishop
Chabert
Colomb
Luneau
Milkovich
Total - 7

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

Prayer
The prayer was offered by Father Jeff Bayhi, 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 Morrish, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of February 22, 2017, was adopted.

Rules Suspended
Senator Long asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions
Senator Long asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to introduce and read Senate Resolutions a first and second time and act upon them.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2
BY SENATOR LONG
BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a Committee of five be appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is now duly convened and organized and prepared to transact such business as may be brought before it.

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

In compliance with the resolution the President of the Senate appointed the following Committee:

Senators Mizell,
Erdey,
Johns,
Cortez and
Lambert.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3
BY SENATOR LONG
BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a Committee of six be appointed to act with such a Committee as the House of Representatives may appoint to notify the Governor that the Legislature is now duly convened and organized and prepared to receive such communication as he may desire to lay before it.

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

In compliance with the resolution the President of the Senate appointed the following Committee:

Senators Appel,
Long,
Thompson,
Morrish and
Claitor.

Reports of Committees
The Committee appointed to notify the Governor that the Senate had convened and was prepared to transact business reported it had performed that duty. The President of the Senate thanked the Committee and discharged it.

The Committee appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate had convened and was prepared to transact business reported it had performed that duty. The President of the Senate thanked the Committee and discharged it.

Committee from the House of Representatives
A Committee from the House of Representatives appeared before the Bar of the Senate and informed the Senate that the House of Representatives was organized and ready to proceed with business.

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions
Senator Long asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read Senate Concurrent Resolutions a first and second time.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3—
BY SENATOR LONG
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To invite the Honorable John Bel Edwards, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

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

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Gatti Peacock
Allain Hewitt Perry
Appel Johns Peterson
Barrow LaFleur Riser
Bishop Long Smith, G.
Boudreaux Luneau Smith, J.
Carter Martiny Tarver
Chabert Milkovich Thompson
Claitor Mills Walsworth
Donahue Morrell Ward
Fannin Morrish White
Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Colomb Erdey Mizell
Cortez Lambert
Total - 5

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

Prefiled Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions to be Introduced and Referred

Senator Long asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to introduce and read prefiled Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time and refer them to committee.

SENATE BILL NO. 1—

BY SENATOR THOMPSON

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(D)(3)(a), R.S. 17:374(A)(2)(g), 419.2(A), 1815(A) and (C)(4), the heading of Part II of Chapter 8 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, 1962(A), 1963(A), 1964(A)(15), 1968.1(A)(1) and (B)(1), 1970.1, 1970.3(A), and 1970.9(A) and (E), R.S. 39 98.3(C)(2) and 467(B)(2), relative to renaming the Louisiana School for Math, Science, and the Arts as the "Jimmy D. Long, Sr. Louisiana School for Math, Science, and the Arts"; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2—

BY SENATORS MORRELL AND PETERSON

To amend and reenact Chapter 6-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:661 through 669, relative to equal pay; to provide for definitions; to further prohibit pay discrimination; to provide for a complaint procedure, penalties, attorney fees, and damages; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 3—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2091(B), relative to the board of trustees for the Registrar of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide for membership of the board of trustees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 4—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:703(D)(4)(d), relative to investment adviser representatives; to provide for registration; to provide for examination and certification requirements; to exempt certain persons from the examination and certification requirements; to provide for an effective date; to provide for certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 5—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:3887.5, relative to Sewerage District No. 2 of Rapides Parish; to authorize a per diem for members of the board of supervisors; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 6—

BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:883(D), relative to the Office of Group Benefits; to provide relative to the quorum for the Group Benefits Policy and Planning Board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 7—

BY SENATORS PEACOCK AND MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1316 and 1345.8, relative to members of the Louisiana State Police Retirement System killed in the line of duty by an intentional act of violence; to provide for the survivor benefits of these members; to provide for qualifications to receive such survivor benefits; to provide for benefit calculations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 8—

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:143.1 and 888.1 and to repeal R.S. 11:896 and 1119, relative to enrollment in certain state and statewide retirement systems; to provide for the correction of enrollment errors, including the transfer of monies, service credit, and liabilities; to provide for the payment of costs of the transfer; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 10—
BY SENATOR MILLS
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1925.11, relative to the assessor in such district to receive an automobile expense allowance; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 11—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
To enact R.S. 47:6035(A) and to repeal R.S. 47:6035(C)(1) and (D) as amended by Section 5 of Act No. 125 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 12—
BY SENATOR ALARSO
To enact R.S. 49:191(10)(b) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(8)(g), relative to the Department of the Treasury, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of the Treasury and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 13—
BY SENATOR MORRISH
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4013(2)(a) and to repeal R.S. 17:4016(C), relative to the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program; to provide with respect to eligibility of kindergarten students to participate in the scholarship program; to provide with respect to the enrollment process for such students; to provide with respect to the status of program participants with local school systems; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 14—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1131(5), relative to emergency medical services; to provide for a definition of auto-injector; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR HEWITT
To repeal R.S. 38:291(V)(5), relative to certain levee, drainage and conservation districts; to repeal provision that prohibits a commissioner of the St. Tammany Levee, Drainage and Conservation District, whose term is expired, from continuing to serve or vote notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 16—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 878.1(A) and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 15:574.4(E)(1) and 574.4(E)(1)(a), and to enact R.S. 15:574.4(F), relative to juvenile parole eligibility; to provide parole eligibility for juveniles sentenced to life imprisonment without the possibility of parole for certain homicide offenses; to provide for conditions; to provide relative to the sentencing hearing for certain juvenile offenders convicted of first degree murder; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 17—
BY SENATOR GATTI
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:402.1(A)(1)(a) and (2)(b), 407(A)(2)(a), and 408(A)(1), relative to driver education; to provide for driver education to include instruction relative to appropriate driver conduct when stopped by a law enforcement officer; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 18—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6035(A) and to repeal R.S. 47:6035(C)(1) and (D) as amended by Section 5 of Act No. 125 of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the tax credit for conversion of vehicles to alternative fuel; to sunset the credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 19—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
To provide relative to state highways; to designate the parallel bridges crossing the Reserve Relief Canal on Interstate 10 in St. John the Baptist Parish as the "Spencer Chauvin Memorial Bridge"; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Gary Smith the bill was read by title and withdrawn prior to introduction.
SENATE BILL NO. 20—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 34:1221(A) and 1222, relative to ports, harbors, and terminals; to provide relative to meetings, election of officers, and per diem for members of the Greater Baton Rouge Port Commission; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 21—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
AN ACT
To repeal R.S. 47:321(O), relative to state sales tax; to eliminate the partial suspension of the sales tax exemption on manufacturing machinery and equipment; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 22—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.62(B) and (C)(1), relative to the Annual Louisiana Second Amendment Weekend Holiday; to provide for items eligible for the holiday; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 23—
BY SENATOR ALARIO
AN ACT
To provide relative to state highways; to designate the new bridge across Goose Bayou on Louisiana Highway 45 in Jefferson Parish as the "Jules Nunez Bridge"; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 24—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:305.72, relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to exempt consumer purchases of certain diapers and feminine hygiene products from state sales and use tax; to authorize an exemption from local sales and use taxes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 25—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:297(D) and (D)(1) and to repeal R.S. 47:297(D)(2) as amended by Section 5 of Act No. 125 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits; to provide relative to reduction to tax due; to sunset the tax credit for educational expenses; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 26—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the industrial property tax exemption; to prohibit contracts pursuant to the industrial property tax exemption program from providing an exemption from school board taxes; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 27—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to add Article VII, Section 2.2(D) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the limitations on the power of taxation; to prohibit the imposition of state and local sales and use tax on certain items; to provide for an effective date; to provide and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 28—
BY SENATOR MORRISH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2852(D) and (E), relative to facilities providing housing or temporary residence for individuals arrested for commission of a crime; to remove accreditation requirement; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 29—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6001, relative to exemptions from sales and use tax; to provide relative to the qualifications for the sales and use tax exemption for antique aircraft; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 30—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 535 of the 1988 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Section 2 of Act No. 285 of the 1992 Regular Session of the Legislature, Section 3 of Act No. 1291 of the 1997 Regular Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 50 of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 7 of the 2001 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 7 of the 2001 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 7 of the 2001 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 7 of the 2001 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 7 of the 2001 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, as amended by Section 2 of Act No. 14 of the 2004 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 14 of the 2004 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, relative to the Louisiana Tax Free Shopping Program; to extend the program through July 1, 2023; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 31—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(16)(b)(ii), relative to sales tax; to define certain numismatic coins as tangible personal property; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.
The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 32—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 47:6006(C)(2)(v), relative to tax credits; to sunset the income and franchise tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on natural gas in storage; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 33—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Section 4 of Act No. 109 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature

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

SENATE BILL NO. 34—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAU
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2626(I)(5), relative to emergency ground ambulance service providers; to provide for a definition; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 35—
BY SENATOR COLOMB
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:966(I), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to provide exemptions from arrest and prosecution under the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law to persons and other entities lawfully in possession of medical marijuana; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 36—
BY SENATOR MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1056(A) and (B), relative to employment contracts in hospital service districts; to provide for authority to execute certain employment contracts; to provide for definitions; to provide for employment terms; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 37—
BY SENATOR MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2353(C)(5), 2354(B)(1), 2356(A)(6), and 2359(C) and to enact R.S. 37:21(B)(12) and 2354(B)(4) and (5), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists; to provide for an exemption granted to certain boards; to provide for authority to conduct hearings; to provide for hearing fees; to provide for informal resolution fees; to provide for experience substitutions; to provide for authority to withhold license; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.
agreements in cases with out-of-constable jurisdiction; and to
provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 44—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2313(A), relative to producers' authority to sell insurance policies issued by the Louisiana Citizens' Property Insurance Corporation; to provide for reciprocity for producers in other states; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 45—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2055(13) and to enact R.S. 22:46(19), relative to the definition of ocean marine insurance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 46—
BY SENATOR GATTI
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 30:2054(B)(2)(c), relative to air quality; to provide for the authority of the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality; to prohibit open burning of munitions and waste explosives; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 47—
BY SENATOR GATTI
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:32(D), relative to state income taxes; to provide for the tax rate applicable to oil and gas lease bonus payments and royalty payments; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 48—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6005(C)(1), (D)(1), and (G) and to repeal R.S. 47:6005(C)(1) and (D)(1) as amended by Section 5 of Act No. 125 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Section 8 of Act No. 29 of the 2016 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits; to provide for the termination of the tax credit for qualified new recycling manufacturing or process equipment and service contracts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 49—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6014(A), (B), and (E) and to repeal R.S. 47:6014(F), relative to tax credits; to provide for termination of the credit for property taxes paid by certain telephone companies; to provide relative to sales and use taxes deposited to the Telephone Company Property Assessment Relief Fund; to repeal an expired reporting provision; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 50—
BY SENATOR MORRISH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4672(D), R.S. 45:162(5)(d) and (9), 164(A), (B), and (C), and R.S. 47:602(E)(2), and to enact R.S. 45:164(F), relative to motor carriers; to provide relative to common carrier certificates or contract carrier permits issued to certain motor carriers by the Louisiana Public Service Commission; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 51—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:33(B), relative to the credit for taxes paid in other states; to allow the credit for entity level taxes based on gross income paid on behalf of Louisiana residents; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 52—
BY SENATOR LONG
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5554(G)(1) and to enact R.S. 13:5554(FF), relative to the premium costs of group hospital and health insurance for retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs; to provide relative to premium costs for retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs of the Natchitoches Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for eligibility for payment of premium costs; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 53—
BY SENATOR LONG
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:821(B)(19)(c) and to enact R.S. 22:821(B)(23)(d), relative to fees collected in advance by the commissioner of insurance; to provide for license fees for viatical settlement providers and insurance claims adjusters; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Long the bill was read by title and withdrawn prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 54—
BY SENATOR MIZELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 116(25), 606(A)(6), the introductory paragraph of Children’s Code Article 622(B), Chapter 20 of Title VI to be comprised of Articles 725 through 725.8, and 804(3), and to enact Children’s Code Article 622(B)(5) and to repeal Children's Code Articles 728(4), 804(9), 839(D), 918(D), and 923 and Section 10 of Act 564 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to human trafficking of children; to provide findings and purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for capacity; to provide for duties of law enforcement; to provide for duties of the Department of Children and Family Services; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for expulsion; to provide for procedures; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.
SENATE BILL NO. 55—
BY SENATOR MILLS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:973(A) and 978(F) and to enact R.S. 40:978.3, relative to prescribing controlled dangerous substances; to provide for automatic renewal in the prescription monitoring program; to provide for mandated access of the program by prescribers; to provide for exceptions; to provide for continuing education requirements; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 56—
BY SENATOR LONG
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1563(A), relative to reporting of administrative actions against an insurance producer; to provide with respect to the reporting of actions taken by a governmental or nongovernmental agency against an insurance producer; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 57—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 27(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Transportation Trust Fund; to remove rulemaking authority; to provide for effective date; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATOR MILLS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 37:1741.1, relative to prescription drug price information; to provide for disclosure of certain information; to provide for a form; to provide for penalties; to provide for rulemaking authority; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 59—
BY SENATORS MILLS, JOHNS, MORRISH AND GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1741.1, relative to prescription drug price information; to provide for disclosure of certain information; to provide for a form; to provide for penalties; to provide for rulemaking authority; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 60—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To provide relative to state highways; to designate a portion of United States Highway 425 in the unincorporated community of Chase, in Franklin Parish, as the "Trooper Bobby Smith Memorial Highway"; to designate a portion of United States Highway 165 near the town of Sterlington, in Ouachita Parish, as the "Officer David Elahi Memorial Highway"; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 61—
BY SENATOR GATTI
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(N) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem tax exemptions; to authorize local economic development authorities or districts, or parish governing authorities to exempt offshore vessels from ad valorem taxes; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 62—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(N) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem tax exemptions; to exempt inventory over a ten-year period; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 63—
BY SENATOR MILLS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2011(B), relative to occupational diseases; to provide with respect to the firefighters; to provide for the classification of certain types of cancer as occupational diseases or infirmities connected with the duties of a firefighter; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 64—
BY SENATOR GATTI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2463(C) and (E) and to enact R.S. 3:2462(6) and 2465(E) and (F), relative to animal shelter operating procedures; to authorize animal shelters to post pictures of animals on a social media account or website; to require inspectors and shelter personnel to annually attend training offered by the Louisiana Animal Control Association; to require animal shelters to implement a seventy-two hour minimum hold time for stray animals; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1967(A), relative to fire protection; to require at least one full-time fire suppression employee in the rank of firefighter or firefighter/operator be assigned to and carried on each force during each shift; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 66—
BY SENATOR BARROW
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2605(A)(6) and 2607, to enact R.S. 46:2605(A)(7), and to repeal R.S. 46:2801, relative to the Children's Cabinet; to provide for extension of the Cabinet; to provide for duties of the Children's Cabinet Advisory Board; to provide for the repeal of the Child Poverty Prevention Council for Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 67—
BY SENATOR FANNIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:72.1(A) and to enact R.S. 38:2211.1, relative to certain appropriations; to provide that recipients of appropriations be in compliance with audit requirements in order to let contracts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 68—
BY SENATOR FANNIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1730.26(3) and to enact R.S. 40:1730.26(5), relative to the State Uniform Construction Code; to provide for submission of updates to legislative subject matter committees; to require approval of proposed updates by legislative committees; to provide for procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 69—
BY SENATOR CARTER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 2:2, relative to unmanned aircraft; to provide exclusive jurisdiction to the state in the regulation of such systems; to preempt local ordinances, rules, regulations, and codes; to provide for federal preemption; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 70—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:971.3, relative to controlled dangerous substances; to make the misbranding or adulteration of drugs with the intent to defraud or mislead a felony offense; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary C.
To enact R.S. 32:398(N), relative to traffic accidents; to authorize a Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

To amend and reenact Section 8 of Act No. 125 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to eliminate the termination of programs and transfers; and to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

By Senator Basket

SENATE BILL NO. 81—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

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

By Senator Barrow

SENATE BILL NO. 82—
BY SENATOR APPEL

To provide for an annual program cap on the tax credit and a fiscal year program cap on all allowances of the tax credits and transfers; to provide for the certification of credits; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

By Senator Barrow

SENATE BILL NO. 83—
BY SENATOR BARROW

To provide for program caps on all allowances of the tax credits and transfers; to provide limitations for the taking of shad as bait; to provide for the seasons for taking of shad and skipjack; to provide for the commercial harvest of shad and skipjack; to provide for the taking of shad as bait; to provide for the certification of credits; to provide for the use of additional tax proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

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

By Senator Barrow

SENATE BILL NO. 84—
BY SENATOR COLOMB

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

By Senator Colombo

SENATE BILL NO. 85—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

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

By Senator Perry

SENATE BILL NO. 86—
BY SENATOR PERRY

To provide for definitions; to provide for the payment of fees; and to enact Children's Code Article 116(4.1), relative to curators; to provide for related matters.

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

By Senator Lambert

SENATE BILL NO. 77—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT

To provide for the taking of shad and skipjack; to provide for the certification of credits; to provide for the use of additional tax proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

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

By Senator Lambert

SENATE BILL NO. 78—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

To provide for the taking of shad and skipjack; to provide for the use of additional tax proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

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

By Senator Luneau

SENATE BILL NO. 79—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU

To provide for the taking of shad and skipjack; to provide for the use of additional tax proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

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

By Senator Luneau

SENATE BILL NO. 80—
BY SENATOR BISHOP

To provide for the certification of credits; to provide for the use of additional tax proceeds; 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.

By Senator Bishop

SENATE BILL NO. 82—
BY SENATOR APPEL

To provide for the implementation and administration of Louisiana Educational Assessment Program tests; and to provide for related matters.

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

By Senator Appel
SENATE BILL NO. 87—
BY SENATOR TARVER AND MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:25.2, relative to distribution of minimum foundation program funds; to provide relative to payment of certain unfunded accrued liability of the Teachers’ Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide relative to the obligations of employers to the retirement system; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 88—
BY SENATOR FANNIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:1007(A), (B), the introductory paragraph of (E), the introductory paragraph of (F), (I), and (J), 1008(A), and 1009(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 40:1003(15) paragraph of (E), the introductory paragraph of (F), (I), and (J), relative to the prescription monitoring program; to provide for definitions; to provide for access to prescription monitoring information; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 89—
BY SENATOR PETERSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1681.1(A) and (B), relative to scholarships for children of certain law enforcement officers and other investigative employees killed or permanently disabled in the performance of duty; to allow use of the scholarships for part-time attendance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 90—
BY SENATOR ERDEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:223(A), 416.1(B), and 3996(B)(2), relative to student discipline; to prohibit the use of corporal punishment in public elementary and secondary schools for students with exceptionalities, except gifted and talented students; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 91—
BY SENATOR BARRAS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:291 and Civil Code Articles 118 and 2315.8, and to enact Civil Code Article 3496.3 and Code of Evidence Article 412.5, relative to civil actions, proceedings, and remedies; to provide relative to matters involving domestic abuse; to provide relative to suits between spouses; to provide relative to liability; to provide relative to certain remedies, prescriptive periods and evidence; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary.
SENATE BILL NO. 98—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 39:2(15.1), 24.1(A) and (E)(3), 34(A), 51(A)(2), and 56(A) and to enact R.S. 39:36(A)(7), relative to budgetary procedures; to define expenditures and incentive expenditure programs; to provide for inclusion in the executive budget, the general appropriation bill, other appropriation bills, and the state budget of incentive expenditures; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 99—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.401(A), 130.402(A), (B), (D), (E), (F) and (G), and R.S. 33:130.409(A), and to enact R.S. 33:130.409 (D), relative to the St. Tammany Parish Development District; to provide relative to the classification of the division of administration to produce a standstill budget; to define and describe the elements of the standstill budget in the executive budget contents; to provide for the utilization of the standstill budget in the executive budget; to provide for the promulgation of policies for the administration of the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 100—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:29(A), 32(E)(3) and (7), and 36(B)(1)(c), (6), and (8) and to enact R.S. 39:2(40.1), relative to the division of administration to produce a standstill budget; to define and describe the elements of the standstill budget in the executive budget contents; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 101—
BY SENATOR RISER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:490.1, relative to game and fish commissions; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 102—
BY SENATOR RISER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 56:722(A)(2), relative to contractors; to provide for bid specifications and requirements; to provide for certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 103—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:722(A)(2), relative to contractors; to provide for bid specifications and requirements; to provide for certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 104—
BY SENATOR APPEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 37:33 (A)(1), relative to contractors; to provide for bid specifications and requirements; to provide for certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 105—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:321.1(F)(67), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the exemption for sales and purchases of diesel fuel, butane, propane, or other liquefied petroleum gases to farmers; to provide for effectiveness and applicability of the exclusion; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 106—
BY SENATOR BISHOP
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:3351(L), relative to postsecondary education; to provide relative to the prevention of unplanned pregnancies among unmarried college students; to require each public postsecondary institution to develop and implement an action plan to address the prevention of unplanned pregnancies among unmarried college students; to provide for components of the plan; to provide for reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 107—
BY SENATOR WHITE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:1254(O), relative to distribution and sale of motor vehicles; to provide for a licensing exception for specialty vehicle dealers who manufacture wheeled, armored personnel carriers for sale to law enforcement agencies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 108—
BY SENATOR WHITE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 37:1436(E) and (F), relative to licensing and registration of persons engaged in real estate activity; to provide for penalties; to provide for procedures, terms, and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.
SENATE BILL NO. 109—
BY SENATOR CLAIGHTOR
AN ACT
To enact Part V of Chapter 1 of Code Title XXIV of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:5836, relative to the effect of obligations during certain emergencies and disasters; to provide relative to suspension of prescription and peremptive periods and other legal deadlines; to provide relative to the extension of prescription and peremptive periods and other legal deadlines; to provide relative to the ratification of Executive Orders JBE 2016-53, 2016-57, and 2016-66; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; to provide for retroactive application; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 110—
BY SENATOR LUNEAU
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:5004 and 5004.1, relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to residency requirements for award recipients; to require repayment of program awards under certain circumstances; to require the Board of Regents to promulgate rules relative to repayment; to require that these rules provide for means of collection and for specified exceptions; to provide relative to applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 111—
BY SENATOR MIZEELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1061.14(A) and (A)(1) and (B)(3)(b) and (4), and 1061.19(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 40:1061.14.1, relative to abortion for a unemancipated minor; to provide for parental consent; to provide for court orders; to require identification for parents or guardians; to provide for counseling for minor children who are victims of coerced abortions or commercial sexual exploitation; to provide for evaluation and counseling; to provide for recordkeeping; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 112—
BY SENATOR WHITE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 39:1622(H), relative to performance-based energy efficiency contracts; to provide for the effect of certain modifications and change order and approvals thereof; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 113—
BY SENATOR BARROW
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:601(C)(1)(c), relative to the corporation franchise tax; to provide for exemptions from franchise tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 114—
BY SENATOR APPEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 45:844.45.1, relative to advanced service; to authorize local government to provide advanced services in public airports; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 115—
BY SENATOR APPEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:9097.30, relative to crime prevention and improvement districts; to create the University Neighborhood Security and Improvement District in Orleans Parish; to provide for the powers and duties of the district and its board of commissioners; to provide for a parcel fee; to provide with respect to termination of the district; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 116—
BY SENATOR MILLS
AN ACT
To enact Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:111 through 114, relative to exercise and healthier communities; to create the Work Out Now: WON Louisiana Legislative Commission; to provide for commission membership, powers, duties, and functions; to provide for staff support and finances for the commission; to provide for cooperation with and support for the commission; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 117—
BY SENATOR COLOMB
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1570(B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (i) and 1963, and to enact R.S. 22:1570.1 relative to insurance producers; to require certain insurance producers to maintain professional liability insurance for the benefit of insurance customers; to provide for unfair trade practices; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 118—
BY SENATOR COLOMB
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:6025.1, relative to state income tax credits; to provide a tax credit to reimburse, pay, or offset certain flood insurance premiums paid to the National Flood Insurance Program; to provide a refundable credit against state income taxes to certain taxpayers in the amount of the premiums paid to the National Flood Insurance Program; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 119—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT
To authorize and provide for the lease to Williams, Inc. of any right, title, and interest the state may claim in and to the surface of certain immovable property located in Iberville Parish; to provide for a description of the surface of the land to be leased;
to provide for the reservation of mineral and timber rights; to provide for the discretion of the administrator of the state land office to negotiate such other terms and conditions as he shall deem proper, appropriate, and in the best interests of the state; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 120—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 2704, 2725 and 2728(2), the heading of Title XI of Code Book VII of the Code of Civil Procedure, Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4701, 4702, the section heading of Code of Civil Procedure Article 4703, Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4704, 4731, 4732 and 4912, and Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title IX of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3251 through 3254, relative to residential leases; to provide for a grace period for the nonpayment of rent; to provide for notice not to extend; to provide for notice of termination; to provide for the notice to vacate; to provide for the judgment of eviction; to provide for the return of a security deposit; to provide for the right of retention; to provide time periods; to provide for damages and attorney fees; to provide with respect to the waiver of rights; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 121—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 1421 and 1464, R.S. 23:1123, 1124, 1203(E), 1221(4)(s)(ii), 1307 and 1317.1, R.S. 39:1952(14)(e), and R.S. 46:2136(A)(4), relative to court-ordered and other mandatory physical and mental examinations; to provide relative to such examinations in certain civil and administrative matters, procedures, and claims; to provide for consistency in terminology and nomenclature, and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 122—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:93(D) and 93.2.3(C), relative to cruelty to juveniles; to provide enhanced penalties for an offender who is an employee of a child day care center; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 123—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.12, relative to corporation income tax; to provide relative to the rate of the corporation income tax; to provide for a flat tax rate; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 124—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:287.12, relative to corporation income tax; to provide relative to the rate of the corporation income tax; to provide for a flat tax rate; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 125—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON
AN ACT
To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to provide for the transfer of state property in Tensas Parish; to provide for the property description; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 126—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON
AN ACT
To enact Part V of Chapter 7 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:921 through 931, relative to produce safety; to designate the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry as the state agency responsible for cooperating with the secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services regarding the FDA Food Safety Modernization Act; to authorize certain contracts with the Louisiana Department of Health; to authorize the commissioner of agriculture and forestry to adopt rules and employ certain personnel; to provide for the registration and regulation of covered produce farms; to provide relative to records, reports, inspections, and investigations; to provide for injunctive relief; to authorize the commissioner to issue stop orders; to provide for criminal and civil penalties; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 127—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:53(A)(3), relative to motor vehicles; to provide relative to display of a motor vehicle license plate; to prohibit coverings and devices from obstructing a motor vehicle license plate; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 128—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:87.3(C) and (D) and to enact R.S. 14:87.3(E), to prohibit cutting, resection, excision, harvesting, or removing a body part, organ, or tissue of an aborted baby for sale, commerce, transport, research, or profit; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 129—
BY SENATORS ALLAIN AND APPEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1254(A), relative to rights and servitude of passage on certain waterways; to provide for limitations of a servitude of passage; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.
SENATE BILL NO. 130—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Section 21(F) and to add Section 21(N) of Article VII of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem tax exemptions; to prohibit industrial property tax exemptions on ad valorem taxes imposed by school boards; to exempt inventory from ad valorem taxation over a ten-year period; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 131—
BY SENATOR BISHOP
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:64.5, relative to armed robbery; to provide for an enhanced penalty when committed upon a drivers-sales worker; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 132—
BY SENATOR WHITE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:1855(M)(2) and to enact R.S. 56:1855(O), relative to the Louisiana Scenic Rivers Act; to provide for certain natural and scenic rivers; to provide exceptions for certain uses on the Amite River, Comite River, and Bayou Manchac; to provide terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 133—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:170(E), relative to immunization of persons entering school for the first time; to provide for parental notification if there are students enrolled in a prekindergarten program or licensed day care center who opted not to provide evidence of required immunizations; to provide for confidentiality; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 134—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:2318, relative to Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to provide with respect to the Louisiana Citizens Home Strengthening Grant Pilot Program; to provide for definitions; to provide for grant application requirements; to provide with respect to building code enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 135—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:863.192, relative to motor vehicles; to provide for the “Blue Star Family” special prestige license plate; to provide for the creation, issuance, and design of such plate; to authorize adoption of rules and regulations; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 136—
BY SENATOR WARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006.1(C) and (D), 6014(D), 6018(E), the introductory paragraph of 6022(E)(2), R.S. 47:6030(F), 6032(A) and (E), 6034(D)(1), 6035(E), 6107(A) and (B), and 6108(A) and to enact R.S. 47:6022(E)(3), 6105(C), and 6108(C) and R.S. 51:1807(E), relative to tax credits; to eliminate the refundability of certain corporation income and franchise tax credits; to provide for refundability of certain income tax credits against individual income tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 137—
BY SENATOR JOHNS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4699.1(E), relative to lakefront property within the city of Lake Charles; to authorize a referendum election on a proposition regarding certain lands owned by the city; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 138—
BY SENATOR RISER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1621(A) and (B), relative to the procurement code; to lower the threshold for consulting services contracts to be competitively bid or negotiated; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 139—
BY SENATOR MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Arts. 893(A) and (B), the introductory paragraph of 899.1(A), (B), and (D), 900(A)(5), (6), and (7), and 903.1, R.S. 13:5304(B)(10)(b), and (c), and R.S. 15:571.3(B) and (D), 574.2(C)(1) and (2) and (D)(1), the introductory paragraph of (6), (8)(a), and (9), 574.4(A)(1) and (2), (B)(1) and (C)(2), 574.4.1(A)(1), 574.4.2(B), 574.4.3(A)(1), 574.6, 574.7(B), 574.9(D), (E), (F) and (G), 574.20, and 828(B) and (C), and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Arts. 893(G), 895.6, and 895.7, and R.S. 15:574.2(C)(4), 574.4(F), 574.9(H), 827(A)(7) and 828(D), relative to criminal justice; to provide for alternatives to incarceration; to provide for release from incarceration and from supervision; to provide for supervision and deferral of sentence; to provide for the term of probation and of parole; to provide for extended probation periods; to provide for discharge credits for felony probation and parole; to provide for the earning of discharge credits; to provide for the regulation of number of credits earned; to provide for methods to rescind credits; to provide for the satisfaction of sentences; to provide for discharge from probation and parole; to provide for administrative sanctions; to provide for technical violations of probation and of parole; to provide for credit for time served; to provide for the substance abuse probation program; to provide for diminution of sentence; to provide for good time; to provide for earning rates for good time; to provide for related matters.
parole eligibility for offenders serving a life sentence; to provide for parole hearings; to provide for conditions of parole; to provide for custody and supervision of parolees; to provide for revocation of parole; to provide for extension of parole; to provide for return to custody hearings; to provide for detainers; to provide for enforceability of detainers; to provide for medical parole; to authorize medical furlough; to provide for the term of medical parole and furlough; to provide for revocation of medical parole or furlough for improved health; to provide for written case plans; to provide for classification and treatment programs; to provide for credit for participation in certain programs; to provide relative to good time for offenders sentenced as habitual offenders; to provide for parole; to provide for record collection; to provide for maintenance of records; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 141—
BY SENATOR WALSORTH
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to enact Article VII, Section 21(N) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem tax exemptions; to provide for the exemption of property subject to certain cooperative endeavor agreements; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 142—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR AND REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1553(G), relative to the Incumbent Worker Training Program; to extend the termination date of the fund; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 143—
BY SENATOR CHABERT AND REPRESENTATIVE STOKES
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 36:204(B)(6) and R.S. 56:1687(6) and (9), and to enact R.S. 36:204(B)(9) and (10), relative to the powers and duties of the secretary of culture, recreation and tourism; to provide for the procedure for the sale, lease, and sublease of state parks land; to provide for concession leases; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 144—
BY SENATOR JOHNS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 26:90(D), (E), (F), and (G) and 286(D), (E), (F), and (G), to enact R.S. 26:90(L) and 286(K), and to repeal R.S. 26:90(B)(4) and 286(B)(4), relative to holders of alcoholic retail dealer's permits for beverages or high alcoholic content or low alcoholic content; to provide relative acts prohibited on the premises; to provide relative to age restrictions on certain individuals; to provide relative to the sale or delivery of intoxicating liquor; to provide relative to legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 145—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:1891 within Chapter 6 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to granting of free tuition by Tulane University; to provide relative to the Tulane Legislative Scholarship; to require that a student's legislative scholarship be applied toward his financial obligations before certain other award amounts; 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

Concurring in Senate Concurrent Resolutions

April 10, 2017

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. 3—
BY SENATOR LONG
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To invite the Honorable John Bel Edwards, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

Reported without amendments.

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

Motion

Senator Long moved that the Senate proceed to the House of Representatives to meet in Joint Session.

Joint Session of the Legislature

The joint session of the legislature was called to order at 1:00 P.M. by the Honorable John A. Alario, Jr., President of the Senate.

On motion of Senator Long, the calling of the roll on the part of the Senate was dispensed with.

On motion of Representative Leger, the calling of the roll on the part of the House was dispensed with.

The President of the Senate appointed the following special committee to escort the Honorable John Bel Edwards, Governor of the State of Louisiana, to the joint session:

On the part of the Senate: Senators LaFleur, Donahue, Fannin, John Smith, and Barrow.

On the part of the House: Representatives Amedee, Cox, Falconer, Hensgens, and Thibaut.
Prayer

Prayer was offered by Father Cleo Milano, Pastor at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church in Baton Rouge.

Pledge of Allegiance

John A. Alario, Jr., President of the Senate led the joint session in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Chancely Courson sang The National Anthem.

The President of the Senate introduced the Honorable John Bel Edwards, who addressed the joint session of the legislature.

On motion of Senator Long, the Senate retired to its own chamber.

After Joint Session

ROLL CALL

The Senate was called to order by the President of the Senate with the following Senators present:

PRESENT

Mr. President Fannin
Allain
Appel
Barrow
Boudreaux
Carter
Chabert
Clairtor
Cortez
Donahue
Erdey
Total - 31

ABSENT

Bishop Lambert
Colomb
LaFleur
Total - 7

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

Senate Business Resumed

After Joint Session

Prefiled Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions to be Introduced and Referred, Resumed

SENATE BILL NO. 146—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:529.1(C) and (G), relative to the Habitual Offender Law; to decrease the cleansing period for offenses that are not crimes of violence or sex offenses; to provide for the suspension of imposition or execution of a sentence under the Habitual Offender Law under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary C.
SENATE BILL NO. 152—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405.5(D), to enact R.S. 32:412(O) and R.S. 40:1321(R), and to repeal R.S. 40:2405.5(F), relative to motor vehicles; to provide for identification of persons with special needs; to require law enforcement training regarding mental health; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 153—
BY SENATOR CARTER AND REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT
To enact Chapter 6-B of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:671 through 678, and R.S. 23:1516, relative to minimum wage; to establish a state minimum wage; to provide for an annual increase of the minimum wage; to provide for enforcement; to provide for civil remedies; to provide for damages; to provide for venue; to provide for the limitation of actions; to provide for notifications; to provide for the creation of an account within a fund; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 154—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT
To enact R.S. 32:45, relative to traffic; to require posting notification of a mobile and fixed location speed camera; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 155—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:332(A), (B), (C) (1) and (2), (D), (E), (F)(1) and (2), (H) (1), (3) and (4), R.S. 37:1052(B), 1107(C), 1360.23 (H), 1437(D), 2719, 3425(C), 3447(C), and 40:1133.1(C), and to enact R.S. 23:302 (9) and (10), 332 (I) and (J), relative to employment discrimination; to provide definitions; to provide regarding intentional discrimination in employment; to provide exceptions based upon the First Amendment of the United States Constitution; to provide certain prohibitions; to provide for certain requirements for certain programs; to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 156—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact LAC 67:V.7517(C)(2)(b) and 7519(A)(4), (C)(1), (D)(2) and (7)(d), and (I)(1), and to enact LAC 67:V.7517(A)(16), (C)(1)(f), and (D)(2)(o), and to repeal LAC 67:V.7517(C)(2)(c), relative to juvenile detention facilities; to provide relative to requirements for juvenile detentions of thirty days or less; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 157—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5002(A)(2), (B), (D)(1)(b) and (2)(b), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:5041, and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:5042, relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to the amounts of program awards; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 159—
BY SENATOR MILKOVICH

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416.13(D)(2)(a), (c), and (d), (3)(f)(i) and (g)(iii)(cc), to enact R.S. 17:416.13(I), and to repeal R.S. 17:416.13(D)(3)(d)(iii), relative to student behavior and conduct; to provide relative to bullying; to provide relative to required reporting of incidences of bullying; to provide relative to permitted actions by school employees to prevent bullying; to provide relative to protection of school employees from retaliation; to provide relative to parental notification; to provide relative to parental relief; to provide relative to confidentiality of records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 160—
BY SENATOR WALSEWORTH

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2195(D), the introductory paragraph of 2195.2(A) and 2195.6 and to enact R.S. 30:2195.2(A)(7), relative to the Motor Fuels Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund; to provide for monies deposited into the Tank Trust Fund; to provide certain prohibitions; to provide for certain disbursements; to allow reimbursement of certain administrative and personnel expenses; to provide appropriation notification requirements; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 161—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6006(B), R.S. 47:6006.1(C) and (D), 6014(D), 6018(E), the introductory paragraph of 6022(E)(2), R.S. 47:6030(F), 6032(A) and (E), 6034(D)(1), 6035(E), 6107(A) and (B), and 6108(A) and (E), 6107(C), to enact R.S. 47:6030(B), 6032(A) and (E), 6034(D)(1), 6035(E), 6107(A) (B), and 6108(A) and (E), 6107(C), to enact R.S. 47:6030(B), 6032(A) and (E), 6034(D)(1), 6035(E), 6107(A) and (B), and 6108(A) and (E), 6107(C), R.S. 51:1807(F) relative to tax credits; to eliminate the refundability of certain corporation income and franchise tax credits; to provide for refundability of certain income tax credits against individual income tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 162—
BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 14:3002(9), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to the amounts of program awards; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.
To enact R.S. 30:2067, relative to air emissions; to provide certain free public health screenings; to require certain notices; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.
SENATE BILL NO. 173—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:265, 287.664, 6004(A)(1) and (C), 6009(D)(1), 6012(B), 6013(A), 6017(A), and 6037(I), to enact R.S. 47:6018(G) and R.S. 51:1807(A)(3), and to repeal R.S. 47:12, relative to tax credits and exemptions; to provide for termination dates for certain tax credits; to change credit rates; to repeal expired tax credits and exemptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 174—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(ii)(10), and 287.738(G), relative to income tax deductions; to provide for a deduction from individual and corporation income tax for disaster recovery benefits received from state and federal agencies; to provide for a transition rule; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 175—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(10), and to enact R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(ii) and 297.14, relative to income tax deductions; to provide for a deduction for unreimbursed disaster related casualty losses not allowed as deductions for federal income tax purposes; to provide for a transition rule; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 176—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(8) and (21), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6007(C)(1), R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(a) and (b), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(c), R.S. 47:6007(C)(4)(f)(ii), (D)(1)(a), and (2)(d), to enact R.S. 47:6007(B)(28), (29), and (30), (D)(1)(d)(v), (2)(a)(ii), and (c)(iv), and (J), and to repeal R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(d), relative to the motion picture production tax credit, and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Morrell the bill was read by title and withdrawn prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 177—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:164(D)(2)(b), to provide for employee compensation eligible as a production expense for purposes of the tax credit; to provide for applicable rates of withholding tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 178—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6015(J) and 6036(G), and R.S. 51:2356, to enact R.S. 47:3204(M), 4350(C), 4331(G), 6020(G), 6022(M), 6023(J), 6034(L), and 6037(J), and R.S. 51:1807(F) and 2399.3(C), and to repeal Chapter 12 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:1121 through 1128, R.S. 47:6021, and Section 3 of Act No. 414 of the 2011 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Act No. 104 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits and tax incentive programs; to provide for termination dates for tax credit and incentive programs administered by the Louisiana Department of Economic Development; to repeal certain expired tax credits and exemptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 179—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006.1(A), relative to tax credits; to terminate the tax credit for ad valorem taxes paid on vessels in Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act Waters; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 180—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:302(BB) and 321.1(F)(67), relative to state sales tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 181—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:37(C), 265, 287.755(C), 287.758(B), 6004(A)(1) and (C), 6005(C)(1), (D)(1), and (G), 6006(A), 6006.1(A), 6008(A), 6009(D)(1), 6012(B), 6013(A), 6014(A), 6017(A), 6019(A)(1)(a), 6023(I), 6034(K), and 6035(H), to enact R.S. 47:6018(G), 6020(G), 6025(A)(4), 6030(A)(3), R.S. 51:2353(E), 2399.4(C)(3), and 3085(B)(5), and to repeal R.S. 47:12, 35, 287.759, 301(10)(a)(vi), 4331, and 6021, and Chapter 26 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 comprised of R.S. 51:1921 through 1935, relative to tax credits and exemptions; to provide for termination dates for certain tax credits; to change credit rates; to add an annual credit cap; to add additional requirements for eligibility to earn credits; to repeal expired tax credits and exemptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 182—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(B)(2), relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the exemption for sales and purchases of medical devices used by patients under the supervision of a physician; to provide for effectiveness and applicability of the exclusion; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 183—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6015(J) and 6036(G), and R.S. 51:2356, to enact R.S. 47:3204(M), 4350(C), 4331(G), 6020(G), 6022(M), 6023(J), 6034(L), and 6037(J), and R.S. 51:1807(F) and 2399.3(C), and to repeal Chapter 12 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:1121 through 1128, R.S. 47:6021, and Section 3 of Act No. 414 of the 2011 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Act No. 104 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits and tax incentive programs; to provide for termination dates for tax credit and incentive programs administered by the Louisiana Department of Economic Development; to repeal certain expired tax credits and exemptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 184**

**BY SENATOR CHABERT**

To enact R.S. 37:844 and to enact R.S. 37:874(C) and (D), relative to embalming and funeral directing; to provide for the development of evidenced-based budgeting practices that will enable data-driven budget decisions in selected policy areas; to require the Legislative Fiscal Office to inventory programs, costs, and outcomes and determine benefit-cost ratios; to provide for the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget with data to enable the prioritization of funding; to require the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to make certain recommendations; to provide for certain terms and definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 185**

**BY SENATOR WARD**

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1111(A)(1)(b), and to enact R.S. 17:3390(G) and (H), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for benefits of public employees; to provide for participation in the raising of funds in institutions of education and affiliates; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 186**

**BY SENATOR ALLAIN**

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.6.7(A) and to enact R.S. 17:2927.1, relative to college and career readiness; to require some form of shoreline protection when money is expended on barrier islands; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 187**

**BY SENATOR COLOMB**

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 49:214.5(A), and to enact R.S. 49:214.6.7(A), relative to barrier islands; to require some form of shoreline protection when money is expended on barrier islands; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 188**

**BY SENATOR HEWITT**

To enact R.S. 22:2062(A)(2)(c), relative to the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association; to provide with respect to the exhaustion of other coverage; to provide for the exclusion of a credit against uninsured and underinsured motorist policies upon the insolvency of the insurer; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 189**

**BY SENATOR LUNEAU**

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1464, relative to physical or mental examinations of persons in custody or under the legal control of a party; to limit the number of examinations to which a person must submit; to provide relative to videotaping of examinations under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 190**

**BY SENATOR LUNEAU**

To enact R.S. 17:2927.1, relative to college and career readiness; to provide for identification of high school students who do not meet certain college readiness standards; to provide for the development and provision of certain courses designed to help students meet such readiness standards; to provide for end-of-course tests; to provide for professional development for teachers of such courses; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 191**

**BY SENATOR THOMPSON**

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 56:10(B)(1), 639.8(C), 650(A)(1), and the introductory paragraph of 799(B), relative to license revenues and donations received by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; to provide for the Artificial Reef Development Fund, Lifetime License Endowment Trust Fund, and the MC Davis Conservation Fund; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 192**

**BY SENATOR CORDERO**

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:844 and to enact R.S. 37:874(C) and (D), relative to embalming and funeral directing; to provide for certificate renewals; to provide for notice; to provide for a time frame for compliance; to provide for refunds of certain reinstatement fees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.
SENATE BILL NO. 194—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1285(A)(32), relative to physician advertising; to provide for allowable advertising; to provide for board responsibilities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 195—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 4:152(A) and to enact R.S. 4:152(C), relative to the suspension of racing privileges; to require the Louisiana State Racing Commission to suspend a permittee who has a final and definitive judgment rendered against him mandating payment of past due financial obligations to any individual or business for the boarding of horses; to require the clerk of court to send a certified copy of the final and definitive judgment to the commission; to provide for the suspension period; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 196—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:91.9(A)(1) and (3) and (D)(2)(a) and enact R.S. 14:91.9(D)(3), relative to sex offenders; to prohibit sex offenders from residing or being physically present within a certain distance of a victim’s immediate family; to prohibit sex offenders from communicating with a victim’s immediate family; to provide for exceptions; to provide for affirmative defenses; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 197—
BY SENATOR BISHOP
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:104(B)(1), (2) and (3), 105(B), and 282(B)(1), (2) and (3), relative to crimes related to various offenses including prostitution and possession and distribution of illegal drugs; to increase the penalties for the crimes of keeping a disorderly place, letting a disorderly place, and operation of places of prostitution; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 198—
BY SENATOR MIZELL
AN ACT
To enact Chapter 8-A of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:528 and 528.1, relative to historical monuments and memorials; to provide for the protection of monuments and memorials; to require legislative approval prior to removal of monuments; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 199—
BY SENATOR ERDEY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4712.17, relative to property and buildings; to provide for the borrowing of public equipment; to provide for use of public equipment among public entities; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 200—
BY SENATOR ERDEY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:3887(C), relative to the Livingston Parish Sewer District; to provide for an increase in the membership of the board of supervisors; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 201—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(B), (E)(1) and (2)(b) and (F)(2), 487, 481, 511, 512, 1253(E), 1254(A), 1272(A), and 1285(B)(1)(a), relative to elections; to provide for election dates for certain elections; to provide for qualifying for certain elections; to provide for the opening of the qualifying period for certain elections; to provide for the close of the qualifying period for certain elections; to provide for the nomination by political parties; to provide relative to the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the secretary of state relative to notice of elections; 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 Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 202—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:302(AA)(29) and 321.1(F)(66)(u), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the exclusion for sales of certain precious metals and coins; to provide for effectiveness and applicability of the exclusion; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 203—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:302(BB) and 321.1(F)(67), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide with respect to the exclusion for sales of certain precious metals and coins; to provide for effectiveness and applicability of the exclusion; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 204—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 25:224 to authorize St. John the Baptist Parish to name the St. John the Baptist Parish Library’s central branch in honor of a living person; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 205—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 37:21.1 and R.S. 49:992.2, and to repeal R.S. 49:992(D)(5), relative to boards and commissions; to provide for powers, duties, and procedures; to provide relative to disciplinary proceedings; to provide for conducting of disciplinary adjudications by administrative law judges; to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
provide terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; to provide for award of attorney fees, court costs, and damages; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 206—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:84 and 147, R.S. 12:425, R.S. 22:2065, R.S. 26:345, R.S. 47:121, 713 and 716.1, and to enact R.S. 3:4684(C), R.S. 26:354(L), 366(C) and 421(F), R.S. 47:158(I), 246(H), 287.71(C), 287.73(D), 287.86(F), 287.501(C), 287.521(C), 287.732(D), 287.738(H), 287.745(C), 602(I), 605(D), 606(G), 632(C), 633.1, 818.13(I) and 823(F) and to repeal certain other exemptions against sales tax, relative to taxation; to provide for the elimination of certain tax exemptions and deductions; to provide for applicability unless required under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 207—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:10(B)(1)(g) and to enact R.S. 56:10(B)(16), relative to saltwater fishing licenses; to direct dedicated monies of the Saltwater Fish Research and Conservation Fund to the administration of only certain programs; to limit the use of monies in the fund; to provide for terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 208—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9021(8) and (10) and 9022(1), and to enact R.S. 33:2758.1, relative to cooperative endeavor agreements; to authorize tax recipient bodies to enter into a cooperative endeavor agreement providing for payments in lieu of ad valorem taxes; to provide that any party to a cooperative endeavor agreement may use the procedures governing suits to determine the validity of governmental bonds in order to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 209—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH AND REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:3165.3 and 3168(7), and to repeal Subpart A-3 of Part III of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:187.1 through 187.5, R.S. 17:2929 and 3137, relative to articulation and transfer of credits; to provide relative to the provision, eligibility, and costs of dual enrollment courses; to provide relative to the responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Board of Regents, public postsecondary education management boards and local education agencies; to provide for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 210—
BY SENATOR ERDEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 38:1759, relative to the board of commissioners of Gravity Drainage District No. 2 of Livingston Parish; to increase the membership of the board of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 211—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1563.1(A)(20) and (C), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 14:206.1 and R.S. 40:1563.1(A)(21) and (F), relative to life safety and property protection contracting; to create the crime of life safety and property protection contracting without authority; to provide the elements of the crime; to provide penalties; to provide respective to the authority of the fire marshal to investigate the crime; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 212—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405(A)(3), relative to peace officers; to provide regarding the authority to carry a concealed weapon by reserve or part-time peace officers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 213—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 16:516(A), relative to district attorneys; to provide for the payment of group health insurance premiums for certain retired district attorneys; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 214—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2314(B)(1), relative to the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation Policy Take-Out Program; to provide with respect to governing board approval of policy removal to the voluntary market; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 215—
BY SENATORS TARVER AND LAFLEUR
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:3991(C)(1)(c)(v), relative to the admission of children of teachers recruited from other nations to teach at a school; to provide for award of attorney fees, court costs, and damages; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Education.
SENATE BILL NO. 216—
BY SENATORS TARVER AND LAFLEUR

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 28:53(B)(1), (2)(a) and (b), and (F), to relative to physicians assistants; to provide for authority to issue an emergency certificate; to provide with respect to certificate documentation; to provide authority to require transportation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 217—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2810(A) and (C)(2)(a), relative to chiropractors; to require the addition of one hour of ethics training as part of continuing education requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 218—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:9683, relative to political subdivisions of the state; to prohibit a local governing authority from engaging in certain acts; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 219—
BY SENATOR FANNIN

AN ACT
To authorize and provide for hospital service district board membership in any parish with a population greater than sixteen thousand and less than seventeen thousand, according to the latest federal decennial census; to provide for board composition; to provide for minimum qualifications; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 220—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:60(A) and (B), 67(B), 67.16(C), (D), (E), (F), and (G), 67.25(D), 67.26(C) and (E), 68(B), 68.4(B), 68.7(B), 69(B) and (C), 70.2(C), 70.4(E), 71(C), (D), (E), (F), (G), and (H), 94(B), (C), and (D), 95(B), (C), (D), (E), (F), (G), (H), (I), and (J), and 95.1(B) and R.S. 40:966(B), (C), (D), (E), (F), and (G), 967(B), (C), (D), and (E), 968(B) and (C), 969(B), (C), and (D), 970(B) and (C), to enact Subpart A-1 of Part I of Chapter 1 of Title 14 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 14:6.1 through 6.3 and 69(D), and to repeal R.S. 14:62.8, 67.1, 67.2, 67.6, 67.7, 67.8, 67.9, 67.10, 67.16(H), 67.18, 67.20, 67.21, 67.24, 67.25(E), 67.28, 67.30, 68.5, 71(H) and (I), 94(E) and (F), 95(J) and (K) and R.S. 40:966(H) and (I), and 967(F) and (G), relative to the adoption of a felony class system; to provide relative to legislative findings and intent; to provide relative to classes of designated felonies; to provide related to penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 221—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 15:529.1(A) and 529.1(C), relative to the Habitual Offender Law; to provide relative to the period of time for which certain prior offenses are used for habitual offender penalty enhancements in the context of a felony class system; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 222—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1533(A) and to enact Chapter 7-C of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1668, relative to disability benefits for certain public employees; to provide benefits for firemen and law enforcement officers who are permanently and totally disabled as a result of a catastrophic injury sustained in the line of duty; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 223—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT
To enact Part II-B of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.150 through 100.156, relative to the investment of state funds; to prohibit the investment of state special funds that directly or indirectly support terrorist activities; to provide for purposes, definitions, application, prohibitions, reporting, deadlines, rules of implementation, and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 224—
BY SENATOR PETERTON

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3052(2), 3053(B), 3054, and 3059, and R.S. 36:921(A), to enact R.S. 17:3051.1 and R.S. 36:4(BB), and to repeal R.S. 17:3052 (3) and (5), and 3053(C) through (G), and R.S. 36:651(D)(10), relative to the abolition of the Health Education Authority of Louisiana; to provide for the transfer of the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the Health Education Authority of Louisiana from the Department of Education to the office of the governor; to delete references to the board and executive director of the Health Education Authority of Louisiana; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 225—
BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT
To enact Chapter 45 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4071 through 4073, and R.S. 36:651(T)(6), relative to science, technology, engineering, and mathematics education; to create the Louisiana Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Advisory Council and provide for its membership, powers, duties, and functions; to create and provide with respect to the Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education Fund; to provide for a science, technology, engineering, and mathematics high school diploma endorsement; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Education.
balances between funds; to provide for deposit of monies into the state general fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 227—
BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:9038.71, relative to cooperative and economic development in East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Bethany Convention Center Development District as a special taxing and tax increment financing district in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the authority, powers, duties, and functions of the governing body; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes within the district; to authorize the district to issue and sell bonds; to authorize the district to engage in tax increment financing; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
SENATE BILL NO. 231—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:6016.2, relative to premium tax credits; to authorize a premium tax credit for rural growth investments made by rural growth funds; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for eligibility, usage, and revocation of the credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 232—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:371 and 451 and to enact R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(c), R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(a) and (b), R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(d), to enact R.S. 47:6007(B)(28), (29), and (30), (D)(1)(d)(v), (2)(a)(ii), and (e)(iv), and (J), and to repeal R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(d), relative to the motion picture production tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 233—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 258(D), relative to clerks of court; to provide for fees for services rendered; to provide standards for documents to be recorded; to provide alternate means to maintain copies of recorded documents; to provide indexing standards; to require plans for recording electronic documents; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 234—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:844, R.S. 44:40(A), (B), (C), and (E), 116(A) and (B), and 161, Civil Code Art. 3352(C), and Code of Civil Procedure Art. 238(A), and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 258(D), relative to clerks of court; to provide for fees for services rendered; to provide standards for documents to be recorded; to provide alternate means to maintain copies of recorded documents; to provide indexing standards; to require plans for recording electronic documents; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 235—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(8) and (21), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6007(C)(1), R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(a) and (b), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(c), R.S. 47:6007(C)(4)(D)(i), (D)(1)(a), and (2)(d), to enact R.S. 47:6007(B)(28), (29), and (30), (D)(1)(d)(v), (2)(a)(ii), and (e)(iv), and (J), and to repeal R.S. 47:6007(C)(1)(d), relative to the motion picture production tax credit; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 236—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5217, R.S. 13:844, R.S. 44:40(A), (B), (C), and (E), 116(A) and (B), and 161, Civil Code Art. 3352(C), and Code of Civil Procedure Art. 238(A), and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 258(D), relative to clerks of court; to provide for fees for services rendered; to provide standards for documents to be recorded; to provide alternate means to maintain copies of recorded documents; to provide indexing standards; to require plans for recording electronic documents; and to provide for related matters.

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

Prefiled Senate Resolutions

Senator Long asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to introduce and read prefiled Senate Resolutions a first and second time and refer them to committee.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATORS MORRISH AND ALARIO
A RESOLUTION
To approve the annual integrated coastal protection plan for Fiscal Year 2018 as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board.

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

Senator Mills asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read Senate Resolutions a first and second time.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4—
BY SENATOR MILLS
A RESOLUTION
To recognize April 11, 2017, as Louisiana Society of Anesthesiologists Day at the state capitol.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH
A RESOLUTION
To recognize April 11, 2017, as Louisiana Athletic Trainers Association Day at the state capitol.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH
A RESOLUTION
To designate Wednesday, April 12, 2017, as Y Day in Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATOR JOHNS
A RESOLUTION
To commend the city of Lake Charles on the celebration of its one hundred fiftieth anniversary.

The resolution was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8—
BY SENATOR WARD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Bradley Gueho for his outstanding community service in the establishment of a charitable food pantry in his hometown of Livonia, Louisiana, and to congratulate him on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY SENATOR CLAUITOR
A RESOLUTION
To designate April 17, 2017, as "Kappa Beta Delta Day" at the Senate in recognition of the positive influence of this international honor society for business students at community colleges.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10—
BY SENATOR MORRISH
A RESOLUTION
To designate November 2017 as "School Psychologist Awareness Month".

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY SENATOR BARROW
A RESOLUTION
To commend Tiffany Dickerson on her reign as Mrs. Baton Rouge 2016.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12—
BY SENATOR BARROW
A RESOLUTION
To commend Tanya Crowe on her reign as Miss Baton Rouge USA 2016.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY SENATOR BARROW
A RESOLUTION
To commend Kimberly Maria Ducote on her reign as Miss Teen Baton Rouge USA 2016.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14—
BY SENATOR BARROW
A RESOLUTION
To commend Brittany Arbor Shipp on winning the 2016 Mrs. Louisiana America Pageant.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15—
BY SENATORS BARROW, ALARIO, ALLAIN, APPEL, BISHOP, BOUDREAU, CARTER, CHABERT, CLAUITOR, COLOMB, CORTEZ, DONAHUE, ERDEY, FANNIN, GATLI, HEWITT, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LAMBERT, LONG, LUNEAU, MARTINY, MIKOVICH, MILLS, MIZEEL, MORRELL, MOTTRELL, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Sergeant Shawn Thomas Anderson of the East Baton Rouge Parish Sheriff's Office in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and also to commend a life well-spent in service to his community, state, and nation.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 16—
BY SENATOR BARROW
A RESOLUTION
To commend Stacey Richard on her accomplishments and contributions as executive director of the Mrs. Louisiana Pageant, the Miss Baton Rouge Pageant, and the Miss Capital City Pageant.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATORS MORRISH AND ALARIO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To approve the comprehensive master plan for integrated coastal protection projects, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To approve the Atchafalaya Basin Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2017-2018, as adopted by the Atchafalaya Basin Research and Promotion Board and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

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

Prefiled Senate Concurrent Resolutions to be Introduced and Referred

Senator Chabert asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to introduce and read prefiled Senate Concurrent Resolutions a first and second time and refer them to committee.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATORS MORRISH AND ALARIO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To approve the comprehensive master plan for integrated coastal protection projects, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To approve the Atchafalaya Basin Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2017-2018, as adopted by the Atchafalaya Basin Research and Promotion Board and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

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

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

Senator Claibor asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to introduce Senate Concurrent Resolutions a first and second time.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—  
BY SENATOR MILLS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend the family court for the parish of East Baton Rouge for successfully utilizing litter abatement in lieu of imprisonment in certain circumstances of unpaid child support and to urge and request courts across the state to exercise this option when appropriate.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—  
BY SENATORS CLAITOR AND WHITE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend Daniel Wesley of Central, Louisiana, for his heroic actions as a Good Samaritan to render aid during a dangerous medical emergency.

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

ROLL CALL  
The roll was called with the following result:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—  
BY SENATOR BARROW  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To designate Tuesday April 11, 2017, as “AKA Day” at the capitol and to commend the members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend and congratulate the faculty, students, and Parent Teacher Association of Fairfield Elementary Magnet School of Shreveport upon receipt of the 2016-2018 National Parent Teacher Association (PTA) School of Excellence Award.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend the Foster Grandparent Volunteer Program for its thirty-six years of exceptional community service performed on behalf of the special needs of youth residing in the parishes of Caddo and Bossier.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—  
BY SENATORS JOHNS, MORRISH AND JOHN SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVES ABRAHAM, DANAHAY, DWIGHT, FRANKLIN, GUINN, HILL AND HENSGENS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend Mayor Randy Roach for his years of public service to the city of Lake Charles and to the state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—  
BY SENATOR JOHNS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To recognize May 3, 2017, as “Purple and Teal Day” in the state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—  
BY SENATOR MORRISH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To designate October as Eczema Awareness Month in Louisiana.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—  
BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend and congratulate the Lafayette Christian Academy Lady Knights basketball team on winning the 2017 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Division IV state championship.

The resolution was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate head coach Michael Lotief of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette softball team upon the occasion of earning the seven hundredth win of his head coaching career at the school.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—
BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate the Lafayette Christian Academy Knights boys' basketball team on winning the 2017 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Division IV state championship.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend the commanders, officers, and airmen of Barksdale Air Force Base upon receipt of the annual Commander in Chief Award for Installation Excellence from the United States Department of Defense.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate the people of Canada on their nation's 150th Anniversary of Confederation and on the Consulate General of Canada's 50th anniversary of diplomatic representation to Louisiana.

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

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President  Gatti  Peacock
Allain  Hewitt  Perry
Appel  Johns  Peterson
Barrow  LaFleur  Riser
Bishop  Lambert  Smith, G.
Boudreaux  Long  Smith, J.
Carter  Luneau  Tarver
Chabert  Martiny  Thompson
Claitor  Milkovich  Walsworth
Cortez  Mills  Ward
Donahue  Mizell  White
Erdey  Morrell
Fannin
Total - 37

ABSENT

Colomb  1 Day

The following committee meetings for April 11, 2017, were announced:

Finance  3:00 P.M.  Room A
Health and Welfare  1:30 P.M.  Hainkel Room
Judiciary C  10:30 A.M.  Room F

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 3:00 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, April 11, 2017, at 5:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate
DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk