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**Forty-Fourth Extraordinary Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, May 24, 2018

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

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Johns	Morrish
Allain	LaFleur	Peacock
Barrow	Lambert	Riser
Boudreaux	Long	Smith, G.
Claitor	Luneau	Thompson
Donahue	Milkovich	Walsworth
Erdey	Mizell	
Hewitt	Morrell	
Total - 22		

ABSENT

Appel	Fannin	Price
Bishop	Gatti	Smith, J.
Carter	Martiny	Tarver
Chabert	Mills	Ward
Colomb	Perry	White
Cortez	Peterson	
Total - 17		

The President of the Senate announced there were 22 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Regina Barrow, 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 Luneau, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 23, 2018, was adopted.

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 23, 2018

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. 1—
BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Lyn Rollins upon being awarded the Distinguished Service Award in Sports Journalism by the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—
BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Jack Hains on being named to the 2018 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

Reported without amendments.

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

Message from the House

RELATIVE TO A GUBERNATORIAL VETO

May 23, 2018

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has sustained the gubernatorial veto of the following **House Bill No. 129** of the 2018 Regular Session.

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

**Introduction of Senate Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

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

SENATE BILL NO. 18—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1524.1, relative to tax credits; to create a registry for tax credits with carryforwards; to provide for administration of the registry; 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 CARTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:481, the introductory paragraph of R.S. 48:196(A), and R.S. 48:197 and to repeal R.S. 48:25.2(D), relative to certain registration and license fees and taxes collected on trucks and trailers; to provide for the collection, deposit, and appropriation of such registration and license fees and taxes collected in certain parishes; to create the Jefferson Parish Maintenance and Improvement Fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for the New Orleans Ferry Fund; to repeal the termination date of the New Orleans Ferry 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 Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 20—
BY SENATORS RISER AND HEWITT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1170(A), 1172(A), 1172.1(C), 1172.2(D), 1178(D), 1291.1(C)(1) and (E), 1310.3(E), and 1310.13, and to repeal R.S. 23:1170(A), 1172(A), 1172.1(C), 1172.2(D), 1178(D), 1291.1(C)(1) and (E), 1310.3(E), and 1310.13 as amended by the Act which originated as Senate Bill

May 24, 2018

No. 400 of the 2018 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Workers' Compensation Administrative Fund in the state treasury; to provide for the dedication, use, investment, and appropriation of monies in the Workers' Compensation Administrative 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 Finance.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9— BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A RESOLUTION

To declare Saturday, June 30, 2018 Kenneth L. Roberts Sr. Day in Louisiana, in recognition of his immensely successful and deservedly celebrated career training quarter horses to race, primarily in his home state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10— BY SENATOR LUNEAU

A RESOLUTION

To commend Kylie Renee Walleser-Bush for her participation in the Pillow Pets project and her unselfish actions to bring comfort, good wishes, and encouragement to those children spending Christmas in the hospital.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11— BY SENATOR PRICE

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Ascension Catholic High School Bulldogs baseball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association Division IV state championship.

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

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10— BY SENATOR MORRELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of an exceptional public servant and friend, Clare Jupiter, former Orleans Parish Civil District Court Judge.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11— BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Jerry Simmons on being named to the 2018 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12— BY SENATOR MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family and friends of Byron Terrell Dore upon his passing and to express support for the dedication of a flagpole installed

in his honor at the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Law Enforcement Training and Emergency Response Complex.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and their counts for YEAS and NAYS.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators who were absent.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13— BY SENATOR THOMPSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Danny Wilson on his forty-fifth service anniversary at AT&T Louisiana.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4— BY SENATOR ALLAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State University Center for Energy Studies (LSU CES), the Louisiana State University Public Administration Institute (LSU PAI), and the Louisiana Tax Institute to analyze mineral revenues, taxes, and exemptions in Louisiana and to submit a written report of its findings to the legislature.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and their counts for YEAS and NAYS.

Erdey	Morrell	Ward
Hewitt	Morrish	
Johns	Peacock	
Total - 25		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Appel	Cortez	Perry
Bishop	Fannin	Peterson
Carter	Gatti	Tarver
Chabert	LaFleur	White
Colomb	Martiny	
Total - 14		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Russ Springer on being named to the 2018 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

Floor Amendments

Senator Long proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Long to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 by Senator Long

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, delete "went on to appear in 740 games as a Yankee" and insert "would appear in 740 games over a long and distinguished career in Major League Baseball"

On motion of Senator Long, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	LaFleur	Peacock
Allain	Lambert	Price
Barrow	Long	Riser
Boudreaux	Luneau	Smith, G.
Claitor	Milkovich	Smith, J.
Donahue	Mills	Thompson
Erdey	Mizell	Walsworth
Hewitt	Morrell	Ward
Johns	Morrish	
Total - 26		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Appel	Cortez	Peterson
Bishop	Fannin	Tarver
Carter	Gatti	White
Chabert	Martiny	
Colomb	Perry	
Total - 13		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Lewis Cook on being named to the 2018 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

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	Lambert	Price
Allain	Long	Riser
Barrow	Luneau	Smith, G.
Boudreaux	Milkovich	Smith, J.
Claitor	Mills	Thompson
Donahue	Mizell	Walsworth
Erdey	Morrell	Ward
Hewitt	Morrish	
Johns	Peacock	
Total - 25		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Appel	Cortez	Perry
Bishop	Fannin	Peterson
Carter	Gatti	Tarver
Chabert	LaFleur	White
Colomb	Martiny	
Total - 14		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Brandon Stokley on being named to the 2018 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

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	Lambert	Price
Allain	Long	Riser
Barrow	Luneau	Smith, G.
Boudreaux	Milkovich	Smith, J.
Claitor	Mills	Thompson
Donahue	Mizell	Walsworth
Erdey	Morrell	Ward
Hewitt	Morrish	
Johns	Peacock	
Total - 25		

NAYS

Total - 0

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ABSENT

Appel	Cortez	Perry
Bishop	Fannin	Peterson
Carter	Gatti	Tarver
Chabert	LaFleur	White
Colomb	Martiny	
Total - 14		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY SENATOR LONG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Steve Gleason on receiving the 2018 Dave Dixon Louisiana Sports Leadership Award.

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	LaFleur	Peacock
Allain	Lambert	Price
Barrow	Long	Riser
Boudreaux	Luneau	Smith, G.
Claitor	Milkovich	Smith, J.
Donahue	Mills	Thompson
Erdey	Mizell	Walsworth
Hewitt	Morrell	Ward
Johns	Morrish	
Total - 26		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Appel	Cortez	Peterson
Bishop	Fannin	Tarver
Carter	Gatti	White
Chabert	Martiny	
Colomb	Perry	
Total - 13		

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State University Center for Energy Studies (LSU CES), the Louisiana State University Public Administration Institute (LSU PAI), and the Louisiana Tax Institute to analyze mineral revenues, taxes, and exemptions in Louisiana and to submit a written report of its findings to the legislature.

The resolution was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS

Senator Jean-Paul "JP" Morrell, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs, submitted the following report:

May 24, 2018

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 3—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:1787(A)(1)(a)(iv), R.S. 51:1787(A)(1)(a)(iv)(bb) and (cc), 2455(D)(3) and 2457(B)(3)(b) and (c), relative to the administration of incentive rebates; to change the application period for certain incentive rebates; to provide for issuance of rebate payments for certain tax incentive programs; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 7—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 4 of Act No. 109 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature and R.S. 47:33(A)(4), (5), and (6), to enact R.S. 47:33(A)(7), and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 109 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the individual income tax credit for taxes paid to other states; to eliminate the termination of limitations previously enacted; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 8—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(V)(1), relative to sales tax administration; to provide a definition of dealer for purposes of the sales tax on online and catalog sales; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
JEAN-PAUL "JP" MORRELL
Chairman

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 3—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 51:1787(A)(1)(a)(iv), R.S. 51:1787(A)(1)(a)(iv)(bb) and (cc), 2455(D)(3) and 2457(B)(3)(b) and (c), relative to the administration of incentive rebates; to change the application period for certain incentive rebates; to provide for issuance of rebate payments for certain tax incentive programs; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 3 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, between lines 9 and 10, insert:

"Section 2. All Quality Jobs rebate payments shall be delayed for a period of twenty-four months for any applicant to which the provisions of R.S. 51:2455(D)(1)(3)(b) apply that filed their application between October 1, 2017, and December 31, 2017."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 10, delete "Section 2." and insert "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 15, delete "Section 3." and insert "Section 4."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 7—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 4 of Act No. 109 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature and R.S. 47:33(A)(4), (5), and (6), to enact R.S. 47:33(A)(7), and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 109 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to tax credits; to provide with respect to the individual income tax credit for taxes paid to other states; to eliminate the termination of limitations previously enacted; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 8—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(V)(1), relative to sales tax administration; to provide a definition of dealer for purposes of the sales tax on online and catalog sales; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 8 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "R.S. 47:302(V)(1)" and insert "R.S. 47:339(A)(2) and (B)(2) and to enact R.S. 47:301(4)(m)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "online and catalog" and insert "remote"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 6 through 14, and insert:

"Section 1. R.S. 47:339(A)(2) and (B)(2) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 47:301(4)(m) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§301. Definitions

As used in this Chapter the following words, terms, and phrases have the meanings ascribed to them in this Section, unless the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

* * *

(4) "Dealer" includes every person who manufactures or produces tangible personal property for sale at retail, for use, or consumption, or distribution, or for storage to be used or consumed in a taxing jurisdiction. "Dealer" is further defined to mean:

* * *"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 15, delete "(a)" and insert "(m)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 9, delete "sales taxes pursuant to R.S. 47:302(K)" and insert "state and local sales and use taxes as a dealer"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 12 through 29, and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 25 and insert:

"* * *

§339. Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers

A. The Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers, hereinafter referred to as "commission", is created and established within the Department of Revenue for the administration and collection of the sales and use tax imposed by the state and political subdivisions with respect to remote sales. The commission shall:

* * *

(2) With Serve as the single entity in Louisiana to require remote sellers and their designated agents to collect from customers and remit to the commission sales and use taxes on remote sales sourced to Louisiana on the uniform Louisiana state and local sales and use tax base established by Louisiana law with respect to any federal law as may be enacted by the United States Congress or final ruling by the United States Supreme Court authorizing states to require remote sellers to collect and remit state and local sales and use taxes on their sales in each state, except those remote sellers who qualify for the ~~small seller~~ exceptions as may be provided by federal law, ~~serve as the single entity in Louisiana to require remote sellers and their designated agents to collect from customers and remit to the commission sales and use taxes on remote sales sourced to Louisiana on the uniform Louisiana state and local sales and use tax base established by Louisiana law.~~

* * *

B. As used in this Chapter, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the following terms shall be defined as follows:

* * *

(3) "Federal law" shall mean any federal law as may be enacted by the United States Congress or final ruling by the United States Supreme Court authorizing states to require remote sellers, except those remote sellers who meet ~~the small seller~~ exceptions provided by federal law, to collect and remit sales and use taxes on remote sales sourced to Louisiana.

* * *"

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

SENATE BILL NO. 1— BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To provide for the transfer of certain monies from funds established by law or the Constitution of Louisiana to the state general fund in accordance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 10(F)(2)(b) of the Constitution of Louisiana; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 4— BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:100.22, relative to special treasury funds; to establish the Overcollections and Deficit Management Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the transfer, dedication, use, investment, and appropriation of funds in the state treasury; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 5— BY SENATORS LAFLEUR AND WHITE AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:91(B) and (E) and to enact Subpart F-2 of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:99.51 through 99.69, relative to the issuance of bonds to securitize the state's allocation of the economic damage settlement of the Deepwater Horizon oil spill economic damage litigation; to create the Louisiana New Roads and Infrastructure Corporation; to provide for the qualifications of the members of the corporation; to provide for the authority of the corporation to issue bonds; to provide for the pledge and transfer of certain assets of the state to the corporation; to provide for the deposit of the proceeds of the bonds into the Deepwater Horizon Economic Damages Collection Fund; to provide for the use of the monies in the Deepwater Horizon Economic Damages Collection Fund; to authorize the financing, purchase, ownership, and management of payments from the Deepwater Horizon economic damage settlement; to provide for the security for the payment of the bonds; to provide for bond validation actions; to provide for tax exemptions; to provide for ancillary contracts and derivative instruments; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 13— BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact Subpart D 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. 39:16.1 through 16.12, and to repeal R.S. 39:6(C), relative to the reporting of expenditures on the state's fiscal transparency

website; to provide for the statewide implementation of the enterprise resource planning system; to provide the duties of the commissioner of administration relative to the information to be accessible on the website; to provide definitions; to provide for the information to be included on the website; to provide that the appropriation acts for the executive, judicial, and legislative branches of government be included on the website; to provide for links to the websites of state agencies, the legislature, the judiciary, and the legislative auditor; to provide relative to the reporting of contracts, expenditures, and incentive expenditures; to provide relative to reporting by the state retirement systems and the state treasurer; to provide for reports and audits to be published on the website; to provide for free public use of the website; to provide for an employment and salary database; to provide for the information which shall be excluded from the website; to provide relative to a schedule for the completion and maintenance of the website; to provide for the reporting of the use of state funds by the recipient of state funds; to provide for audits; to provide relative to the authority of the division of administration to expenditures of the legislature or the judiciary; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Original Senate Bill No. 13 by Senator Ward

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 7, line 26, after "assume" delete the remainder of the line and insert "responsibility for"

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Morrell asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall Senate Bill No. 9 from the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 9— BY SENATOR MORRELL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 2 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to limitations on taxation; to require a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature for the creation, renewal, or expansion of a tax credit or rebate; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Morrell the bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Position, Name. Includes Mr. President, Allain, Barrow, Boudreaux, Claitor, Donahue, Erdey, LaFleur, Lambert, Long, Luneau, Milkovich, Mills, Mizell, Peacock, Price, Riser, Smith, G., Smith, J., Thompson, Walsworth.

Hewitt	Morrell	Ward
Johns	Morrish	
Total - 26		

ABSENT

Appel	Cortez	Peterson
Bishop	Fannin	Tarver
Carter	Gatti	White
Chabert	Martiny	
Colomb	Perry	
Total - 13		

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Appel	1 Day	Bishop	1 Day
Carter	1 Day	Chabert	1 Day
Colomb	1 Day	Cortez	1 Day
Fannin	1 Day	Gatti	1 Day
Martiny	1 Day	Perry	1 Day
Peterson	1 Day	Tarver	1 Day
White	1 Day		

Announcements

The following committee meetings for May 28, 2018, were announced:

Finance	4:00 P.M.	Room A
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Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 2:55 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Monday, May 28, 2018, 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

