

**THE OFFICIAL JOURNAL  
OF THE  
SENATE  
OF THE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**  
**EIGHTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Forty-Sixth Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, May 25, 2020

The Senate was called to order at 5:15 o'clock P.M. by Hon. Patrick Page Cortez, President of the Senate.

**Morning Hour  
CONVENING ROLL CALL**

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Fields	Mizell
Abraham	Foil	Peacock
Allain	Harris	Pope
Barrow	Hensgens	Price
Bernard	Hewitt	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Carter	Luneau	Talbot
Cathey	McMath	Tarver
Cloud	Milligan	Ward
Connick	Mills, F.	Womack
Fesi	Mills, R.	
Total - 32		

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Lambert	White
Henry	Morris	
Jackson	Peterson	
Total - 7		

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

**Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Senator Patrick Connick, 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 McMath, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 22, 2020, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and  
Communications**

The following petitions, memorials and communications were received and read:

**OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER  
STATE OF LOUISIANA  
DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION**

February 19, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, Louisiana Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with La. R.S. 42:803, I have reappointed Tommy Teague as Chief Executive Officer of the Office of Group Benefits effective January 13, 2020. I hereby submit to you his name for consideration of Senate Confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Teague's contact information is as follows:

Work address: 1201 North Third Street, Suite G-159  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

If you need additional information, please let me know. With best regards, I am

Very truly yours,  
JAY DARDENNE  
Commissioner of Administration

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 19, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

Effective January 13, 2020, and in accordance with the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 36:621, et seq., I have reappointed, the following individuals to positions within the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate:

Confidential Assistant  
Fred E. Bass  
5825 Florida Boulevard, Suite 2000  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
VICE: self

Assistant Commissioner - Office of Management and Finance  
Colonel Dane Kyle Morgan  
5825 Florida Boulevard, Suite 1000  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
VICE: self

Assistant Commissioner - Office of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences  
Benjamin Avery Rayburn  
5825 Florida Boulevard, Suite 5000  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
VICE: self

Deputy Commissioner  
Brent Robbins, DVM  
5825 Florida Boulevard, Suite 2000  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
VICE: self

Assistant Commissioner - Office of Agro-Consumer Services  
Stephen O. Sessums, M.D.  
5825 Florida Boulevard, Suite 5000  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
VICE: self

Assistant Commissioner - Office of Animal Health and Food Safety  
John Stanley Walther  
5825 Florida Boulevard, Suite 4001  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
VICE: self

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I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Department of Agriculture and Forestry honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate.

Wade Dubea, state forester, will continue to serve as Assistant Commissioner for the Office of Forestry. I am also approving Bradley E. Spicer as Assistant Commissioner of the Office of Soil and Water Conservation and Executive Director of the State Soil and Water Conservation Committee.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 20, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Appointment of Members to the Louisiana Agricultural Commodities Commission

Dear President Cortez:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 3:3403, I have appointed the enclosed list of individuals as members of the Louisiana Agricultural Commodities Commission, and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

I, as Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry, or my designee have the honor of servicing as an ex-officio member on this commission.

I am confident that these individuals meet the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Agricultural Commodities Commission honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

Ronald W. "Ronnie" Petree  
304 North Joseph Street  
Welsh, LA 70591  
POSITION: Louisiana Bankers Association  
TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Thomas Gibson "Tom" Russell  
351 Highway 3264  
Jonesville, LA 71343  
POSITION: Louisiana Ag Industries Association  
TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Robert A. "Bobby" Hanks  
1096 Roy LeBlanc Rd.  
Rayne, LA 70578  
POSITION: Louisiana Rice Millers Association  
TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Kevin Webb  
19260 Highway 101  
Iowa, LA 70647  
POSITION: Louisiana Rice Driers Association

TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

F. Ryan Ellington  
4270 Front Street  
Winnsboro, LA 71295  
POSITION: Commodity Trader  
TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Ater

Ross Girtman  
717 Providence Park  
Sterlington, LA 71280  
POSITION: Cotton merchant at-Large  
TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Ellington

Donald M. Schexnayder  
3370 Poydras Bayou Drive  
Port Allen, LA 70767  
POSITION: Louisiana Cotton and Grain Association-Soybean  
TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Donald J. Berken  
616 South Joeseeph Street  
Welsh, LA 70591  
POSITION: American Rice Growers  
TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Stephen Logan  
13116 Adger Road  
Gilliam, LA 71029  
POSITION: Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation  
TERM: February 24, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

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The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Appointment of the Louisiana Board of Animal Health

Dear President Cortez:

Effective March 4, 2020, and pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in Louisiana Revised Statutes 3:2091, I have appointed the enclosed list of individuals as members of the Louisiana Board of Animal Health. I respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

I, as Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry, have the honor of serving as an ex officio member. I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Board of Animal Health honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

James C. "Clark" Cooper, DVM  
5257 New Natchitoches Road  
West Monroe, LA. 71292  
POSITION: Senate Agriculture Chairman's

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TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Dan Cason  
1680 Hwy 515  
Coushatta, La. 71019  
POSITION: House Agriculture Chairman's  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Maxwell Lea, DVM

Kurt Cazayoux  
P.O. Box 82484  
Lafayette, La. 70598  
POSITION: LA Meat Goat Association  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Donna Jean Heinrich

Anna Chapman, DVM  
Skip Bertman Drive  
Baton Rouge, LA 70803  
POSITION: Louisiana Sheep Producers Association  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Thomas B. Early  
P. O. Box 24650  
New Orleans, LA 70184  
POSITION: Louisiana Thoroughbred Association  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Craig D. Fontenot, DVM  
2751 Vidrine Road  
Ville Platte, LA 70586  
POSITION: Louisiana Veterinary Medical Association  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Joseph H. "Butch" Racca Jr.  
852 LeDoux Road  
Iowa, LA 70647  
POSITION: Louisiana Pork Producers  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

William E. "Bill" Holdman  
215 Industrial Pkwy  
West Monroe, LA 71291  
POSITION: Exotic animal farmer licensed pursuant to 3:3102  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Dale Cambre  
18000 LA Hwy 16  
Port Vincent, LA 70726  
POSITION: Louisiana Cattleman's Association Commercial Breeder  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Randy Touns

Vendal Fairchild  
4325 HWY 582  
Oak Grove, LA 71263  
POSITION: Louisiana Cattleman's Association Purebred Breeder  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Gary Green, DVM

John Van Bennett  
563 Tucker Store Road  
Spearsville, LA 71277  
POSITION: Louisiana Farm Bureau Poultry Grower  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Frederick "Nickey" Smith  
14130 Hwy 450  
Franklinton LA 70438  
POSITION: Louisiana Farm Bureau Cattle Producer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Bob Pitre

Giles Brown  
1120 Gaytime Road  
Ragley, LA 70657  
POSITION: Louisiana Livestock Marketing Association  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Rayburn Smith  
103 Smith-Thomas Road  
Natchitoches LA 71457  
POSITION: Commissioners Livestock Dealer Nominee  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Cyd A. Collins  
P.O. Box 707  
Arcadia, LA 71001  
POSITION: Louisiana Poultry Federation  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Lennie L. "Tim" Crawford Jr.  
P.O. Box 599  
Covington LA 70433  
POSITION: Louisiana Meat Packers Association  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Law Ponder  
P.O. Box 1241  
Amite, LA 70422  
POSITION: Commissioners At Large Nominee  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

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AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 18, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

Re: Reappointment of Director of Boll Weevil Eradication  
Commission

Dear President Cortez:

Effective January 13, 2020, and in accordance with the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 3:1604(I), I have reappointed Marc Bordelon as Director of the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission, within the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry and, therefore, respectfully request the required consent of the Senate.

Director of Boll Weevil Eradication Commission  
Marc Stephen Bordelon  
598 Highway 1195  
Marksville, LA 71351  
VICE: self

I am confident that Marc meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Department of

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Agriculture and Forestry honorably. Hence, I submit his name for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

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The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members and Alternates to the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board

Dear President Cortez:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:4154. I have appointed the enclosed list of individuals as members and alternates of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

I, as Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry, or my designee, have the honor of serving as an ex officio member of this board. I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

Matt Travis  
70169 Milburn Grace Rd.  
Kentwood, LA 70444  
POSITION: member, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Self

Charles Malcolm Wagner  
17157 Highway 1057  
Kentwood, LA 70444  
POSITION: alternate for Travis, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Daryl E. Robertson

Robert M. Sharkey Jr.  
1199 Highway 10  
Greensburg, LA 70441  
POSITION: member, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Self

Daryl E. Robertson  
P.O. Box 605  
Pine Grove, LA 70453  
POSITION: alternate for R. Sharkey, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Joy Womack

Susie S. Sharkey  
70342 Kennedy Road  
Kentwood, LA 70444  
POSITION: member, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Self

Stewart J. LeBlanc  
12198 Highway 440  
Kentwood, LA 70444  
POSITION: alternate for S. Sharkey, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (Steven Branch)

Michael Houeye  
12110 Houeye Road  
Roseland, LA 70456  
POSITION: member, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Mack Brown

Henry A. Capdeboscq Jr.  
58451 Highway 445  
Husser, LA 70442  
POSITION: alternate for Houeye, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (Paul B. Alford, Sr.)

Darrell Sinagra  
63825 Dummyline Road  
Amite, LA 70422  
POSITION: member, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (Kenneth Ray Gill)

Aubrey Dale Cooper  
20324 Highway 440  
Kentwood, LA 70444  
POSITION: alternate for Sinagra, Area 2 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: John Gary Ingraffia

Arvin Decker  
615 Willow Branch Road  
DeRidder, LA 70634  
Not Farming Sold Dairy  
POSITION: member, Area 1 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (Donald B. "Donnie" Fisher)

Randall G. "Randy" Morell  
4743 Highway 169  
Mooringsport, LA 71060  
POSITION: member, Area 1 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (Harvey Burford)

Taylor E. Miller, III  
6255 Highway 132  
Baskin, LA 71219  
POSITION: member, Area 1 Dairy Producer  
TERM: January 29, 2020 - concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (Jerry Simpson)

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AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 19, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members and Alternates to the Louisiana Egg Commission

Dear President Cortez:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:837, I have appointed the enclosed list of individuals as members and

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alternates of the Louisiana Egg Commission and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate. I, as Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry, am honored serve as an ex officio member.

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Egg Commission honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

Jeanette Eisworth  
13554 Lovette Road  
Baton Rouge, LA 70818  
POSITION: Member, Public at Large  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Jerry D. Barnum Sr.  
P.O. Box 820  
Pine Grove, LA 70453  
POSITION: Member, Active Egg Producer  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Christopher D. "Chris" Trahan  
6742 Silver Springs  
Greenwell Springs, LA 70739  
POSITION: Alternate, Active Egg Producer  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Dr. Ashley B. Edwards  
8105 Tom Bowman  
Alexandria, LA 71302  
POSITION: Member, Knowledge of Egg Industry  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Dr. Dennis R. Ingram  
1928 Michael Delving Road  
Baton Rouge, LA 70810  
POSITION: Alternate, Knowledge of Egg Industry  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Joshua P. "Josh" Yarborough  
P.O. Box 3374  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821  
POSITION: Member, Knowledge of Egg Industry  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Patrick Yarborough  
P.O. Box 3374  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821  
POSITION: Alternate, Knowledge of Egg Industry  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Corey Davis  
263 Cal-Maine Road  
Pine Grove, LA 70453  
POSITION: Member, Active Egg Producer  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Joseph "Trent" Vinci  
263 Cal-Maine Road  
Pine Grove, LA 70453  
POSITION: Alternate, Active Egg Producer

TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Duvall

John Lalla  
300 Mouton Street  
New Orleans, LA 70124  
POSITION: Member, Active Distributor  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Anne Babin  
321 West 10th Street  
Reserve, LA 70084  
POSITION: Alternate, Active Distributor  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Vacant

Mark G. Westmoland  
18013 Manchac Place  
Prairieville, LA 70769  
POSITION: Member, Active Distributor  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Mark Mains  
6240 Morning Dove  
Baton Rouge, LA 70817  
POSITION: Alternate, Active Distributor  
TERM: March 3, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 23, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Horticulture Commission of Louisiana

Dear President Cortez:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 3:3801. I have appointed the enclosed list of individuals to the Horticulture Commission of Louisiana and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

I am confident that these individuals meet the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Horticulture Commission of Louisiana honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

Joseph R. "Rob" Barry III  
P.O. Box 228  
Sunset, LA 70584  
POSITION: Licensed wholesale nurseryman  
TERM: March 17, 2020 - December 31, 2023  
VICE: self

Daniel P. Johnson  
Greenman Dan, Inc  
P.O. Box 73202  
Metairie, LA 70033  
POSITION: Licensed landscape irrigation contractor  
TERM: March 17, 2020 - December 31, 2023  
VICE: J. Hopper

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Mitchell A. "Mitch" Mayes  
8680 Perkins Road  
Baton Rouge, LA 70810  
POSITION: Nursery stock dealer  
TERM: March 17, 2020 - December 31, 2023  
VICE: self

Russell G. "Rusty" Ruckstuhl Jr.  
124 Beau Pre Road  
Lafayette, LA 70506  
POSITION: Landscape horticulturist  
TERM: December 2, 2019 - December 31, 2022  
VICE: self

Cole Sims  
P.O. Box 471  
Mer Rouge, LA 71261  
POSITION: Sod Grower  
TERM: December 2, 2019 - December 31, 2022  
VICE: self

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 23, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Louisiana Advisory  
Commission on Pesticides

Dear President Cortez:

Effective February 12, 2020 and pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:3211. I have appointed the enclosed list of individuals as members of the Louisiana Advisory Commission on Pesticides and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Advisory Commission on Pesticides honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

George A. Bragg  
WBR Mosquito Control  
1043 6th Street  
Port Allen, LA 70767  
POSITION: Louisiana Mosquito Control Association  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Dr. Grady E. Coburn  
P.O. Box 556  
Lecompte, LA 71346  
POSITION: Louisiana Agricultural Consultants' Association  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Virginia M. "Jenny" Buller  
930 Cotton Patch Road  
Bunkie, LA 71322  
POSITION: Louisiana Agricultural Industries Association  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Martin David Floyd  
2044 Bayou Road  
Cheneyville, LA 71325  
POSITION: Louisiana Wildlife Federation  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

William A. "Billy" Guthrie, Jr.  
144 Peacock Lane  
St. Joseph, LA 71366  
POSITION: Farmer-at -Large  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Dr. Kenneth E. McMartin  
1501 Kings Highway  
Dept. of Pharmacology, Toxicology & Neuroscience  
Shreveport, LA 71103  
POSITION: Society of Toxicology  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Dr. Sharon Meyer

Ryan P. Waguespack  
21320 Highway 20  
Vacherie, LA 70090  
POSITION: Pesticides Sale Person-at-Large  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Keith Majure

Herman S. "Scotty" Meador  
P.O. Box 420  
Mer Rouge, LA 71261  
POSITION: Louisiana Agricultural Aviation Association  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

John C. "Johnny" Landry, Jr.  
6951 LA Highway 1  
Belle Rose, LA 70341  
POSITION: LA Farm Bureau  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Brent Newman  
3801 Canal Street, Suite 400  
New Orleans, LA 70119  
POSITION: Louisiana Audubon Society  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Gary Ross

Charles Roby Shields  
P.O. Box 83812  
Baton Rouge, LA 70884  
POSITION: Louisiana Vegetation Management Association  
TERM: February 12, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 23, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Louisiana Strawberry  
Marketing Board

Dear President Cortez:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:730.3. I have appointed the enclosed list of individuals as members

of the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board effective March 2, 2020 and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Ms. Shelley Matherne, Ponchatoula Strawberry Festival Chairperson; Charlie Hutchinson, Ph.D., LSU Hammond Experiment Station and I, as Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry are honored to serve as ex officio members of the board.

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

William E. Fletcher  
22119 Mayhaw Lane  
Ponchatoula, LA 70454  
POSITION: Producer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

John B. "Trey" Harris  
P.O. Box 35  
Springfield, LA 70462  
POSITION: Producer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (Dale Carona)

Heather Hughes  
11215 Lees Lane  
Hammond, LA 70401  
POSITION: Producer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (Edward Faust)

Kevin Liuzza  
P.O. Box 446  
Amité, LA 70422  
POSITION: Producer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Mark Liuzza  
181 Ragusa Road  
Independence, LA 70443  
POSITION: Producer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Stacey Miller  
40121 Drude Road  
Ponchatoula, LA 70454  
POSITION: Consumer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Vacant (David W. Atkins)

Eric Morrow  
22602 Fletcher Road  
Ponchatoula, LA 70454  
POSITION: Producer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Heather E. Robertson  
22061 Robertson Lane  
Ponchatoula, LA 70454  
POSITION: Producer  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: Self

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 24, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members to the Structural Pest Control Commission

Dear President Cortez:

Effective February 13, 2020 and pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 3:3363(B), I have appointed the following individuals as members of the Structural Pest Control Commission and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Dr. James Ottea  
404 Life Sciences Bldg., Room 4040, LSU  
Baton Rouge, LA 70803  
POSITION: Member of Faculty of Entomology-LSU  
TERM: February 13, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Self

Jarrod Horton  
2832 Falmoth Drive  
Shreveport, LA 71106  
POSITION: Licensed Structural Pest Control Operator  
TERM: February 13, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Kunst

Edward Reynolds  
13433 Seymour Meyers Road, Suite 2  
Covington, LA 70433  
POSITION: Licensed Structural Pest Control Operator  
TERM: February 13, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Arceneaux

Benjamin Rayburn, Assistant Commissioner of the Office of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences and I, as Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry, serve as ex officio members.

I am confident that each individual meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Structural Pest Control Commission honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 18, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

Re: Reappointment of the Director of the Commission of Weights and Measures

Dear President Cortez:

Effective January 13, 2020, and in accordance with the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 3:4603(I), I have appointed Dr. Bobby Fletcher as Director of the Commission of Weights and

May 25, 2020

Measures within the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry and, therefore, respectfully request the required consent of the Senate.

Bobby Hugh Fletcher Jr., PhD  
9534 Corinth Street  
Baton Rouge, La, 70809  
VICE: self

I am confident that this gentleman meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Department of Agriculture and Forestry honorably. Hence, I submit his name for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 18, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

Re: Reappointment of the Assistant Director of the Commission of Weights and Measures

Dear President Cortez:

Effective January 13, 2020, and in accordance with the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 3:4603(I), I have reappointed Paul Floyd as Assistant Director of the Commission of Weights and Measures within the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry and, therefore, respectfully request the required consent of the Senate.

Assistant Director of the Commission of Weights and Measures  
Paul C. Floyd  
618 St. Tammany Street  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
VICE: self

I am confident that this gentleman meets the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Department of Agriculture and Forestry honorably. Hence, I submit his name for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

March 19, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Louisiana Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of Members and Alternates to the Louisiana Commission on Weights and Measures

Dear President Cortez:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 3:4603. I have appointed the enclosed list of individuals to the Louisiana

Commission on Weights and Measures and, therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

I am confident that these individuals meet the qualifications required by law and will serve the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana Commission on Weights and Measures honorably. Hence, I submit their names for consideration of confirmation by the Senate. Thank you.

Respectfully yours,  
MIKE STRAIN DVM  
Commissioner

Dane L. Hebert  
5569 Alfred Road  
Maurice, LA 70555  
POSITION: member, agriculture industries involving sales, weight, measure and count  
TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: B. Terral

Copper Alvarez  
230 South Lakeshore Drive  
Baton Rouge, LA 70808  
POSITION: alternate, agriculture industries involving sales, weight, measure and count  
TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: D. Hebert

John D. "Dave" George  
3210 NE Evangeline Thruway  
Lafayette, LA 70507  
POSITION: member, commercial weighing and measuring device sales and service industries  
TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Charles L. "Lucien" Jarreau Jr.  
1713 Lafitte Drive  
LaPlace, LA 70068  
POSITION: alternate, commercial weighing and measuring device sales and service industries  
TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Nolan C. Percy  
5811 Highland Road  
St. Francisville, LA 70775  
POSITION: member, consumer from the state at large  
TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Robert N. "Neil" Henderson, DVM  
939 Highway 171  
Stonewall, LA 70178  
POSITION: member, consumer from the state at large  
TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: Coreil

VACANT  
POSITION: alternate, consumer from the state at large  
TERM: Concurrent  
VICE: N. Henderson

Charles S. "Scott" Simonson  
5902 General Diaz Street  
New Orleans, LA 70124  
POSITION: alternate, consumer from the state at large  
TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
VICE: self

Tommy B. "Bo" Haring  
110 Otwell Lane  
Winnsboro, LA 70775



POSITION: member, Louisiana Ag Industries Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Christy N. Ingram  
 2084 LR Hatton Road  
 Winnsboro, LA 71295  
 POSITION: alternate, Louisiana Ag Industries Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Frank A. Lopinto  
 58449 Highway 51  
 Amite, LA 70422  
 POSITION: member, Louisiana Livestock Markets Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Jesse A. Magee  
 P.O. Box 456  
 Coushatta, LA 71019  
 POSITION: alternate, Louisiana Livestock Markets Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Justin B. Alford  
 9611 Airline Highway  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70815  
 POSITION: member, Louisiana Oil Marketers and Convenience  
 Store Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Courtney B. "Blake" Robert  
 5423 Highway 44  
 Gonzales, LA 70737  
 POSITION: alternate, Louisiana Oil Marketers and Convenience  
 Store Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Milton S. "Mickey" Freiberg Jr.  
 224 Amherst Avenue  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70808  
 POSITION: member, Louisiana Restaurant Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: B. Girardot

Felton M. Jones Jr.  
 2150 Wellington Lane  
 Slidell, LA 70461  
 POSITION: alternate, Louisiana Restaurant Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: Frieberg

Mark G. Westmoland  
 18013 Manchac Place  
 Prairieville, LA 70769  
 POSITION: member, Louisiana Retailers Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Calcote H. "Cal" Simpson  
 11733 Sun Belt Court  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70809, LA 70809  
 POSITION: alternate, Louisiana Retailers Association  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Larry D. Terrell  
 14405 South Lakeshore Drive  
 Covington, LA 70435

POSITION: member, non-agricultural manufacturing, processing,  
 packing or distribution industries which are commercial weighing  
 and measureing device users  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

Andre' Ledoux  
 218 Bocage Drive  
 Thibodaux, LA 70301  
 POSITION: alternate, non-agricultural manufacturing, processing,  
 packing or distribution industries which are commercial weighing  
 and measureing device users  
 TERM: January 21, 2020 - Concurrent  
 VICE: self

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN  
 AND FAMILY SERVICES**

February 11, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
 President  
 Louisiana State Senate  
 Post Office Box 94183  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Senate Confirmation

Dear Senator Cortez:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:475, I have  
 appointed Terri Porche Ricks as the Deputy Secretary for the  
 Louisiana Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS).

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment  
 to DCFS and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate  
 confirmation as required by law.

DEPUTY SECRETARY (Effective January 13, 2020)  
 Terri Porche Ricks  
 627 North 4th Street  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important  
 matter, and please contact me should you have any additional  
 questions.

Sincerely,  
 MARKETA GARNER WALTERS  
 Secretary

**LOUISIANA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

February 12, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez, President  
 Louisiana State Senate  
 Post Office Box 94183  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36: 105, I have  
 appointed Mr. Brad Lambert as deputy secretary of the Department  
 of Economic Development.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment  
 to the Department of Economic Development and submit to you the  
 name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

May 25, 2020

DEPUTY SECRETARY  
(Effective January 13, 2020)  
Mr. Brad Lambert  
617 North 3rd Street, 11th Floor  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
DON PIERSON  
Secretary

**STATE BOARD OF ELEMENTARY AND  
SECONDARY EDUCATION**

May 20, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Cortez, President  
Louisiana State Senate  
State Capitol  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Senate Confirmation of the State Superintendent of Education

Dear Senator Cortez:

In accordance with mandates of the Louisiana Constitution and Titles 17 and 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes, the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) has appointed the following individual to the position of Louisiana State Superintendent of Education, and therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

Superintendent of Education  
(Effective May 20, 2020)  
Dr. Cade Brumley  
P.O. Box 94064  
Baton Rouge LA 70804

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact the BESE office should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
SANDY HOLLOWAY  
President

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

January 28, 2020

President Page Cortez  
Louisiana Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Superintendent of the Special School District

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with R.S. 36:648.1(A), I have appointed Mr. Ernest E. Garrett, III to serve as the Superintendent of the Special School District. The date of the appointment is September 3, 2019.

Mr. Garrett's contact information is as follows:

Mr. Ernest E. Garrett III  
525 Lafayette Street  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If I can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,  
JOHN WHITE  
State Superintendent of Education

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

February 14, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
Louisiana State Senate  
900 North 3rd Street  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802

Re: Senate Confirmation of Appointed Department Secretary

Dear Senator Cortez,

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:235, I have appointed Ms. Denise Bennett as Deputy Secretary of the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of Environmental Quality and respectfully submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law:

DEPUTY SECRETARY  
Denise Bennett  
602 N. Fifth Street  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Appointed: 01/13/2020  
Vice: Self

It is my belief that the aforementioned individual is eminently qualified to serve in this position; and that she brings unique experiences, knowledge, and insight to the department. Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information

Sincerely,  
CHUCK CARR BROWN, PH.D.  
Secretary

**FLORIDA PARISHES JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION**

June 7, 2019

Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission

Dear Senator Alario:

Pursuant to R. S. 15:1094.1(A), David M. Duke was appointed jointly by the judges of the 22nd Judicial District Judges to serve as a commissioner on the Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

David M. Duke  
P. O. Box 1179  
Bogalusa, La 70429  
Appointed jointly by the 22nd Judicial District Judges

Appointed: June 07, 2019  
Term: February 28, 2023  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
TONIA DELEON  
Secretary

**FLORIDA PARISHES JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION**

June 6, 2019

Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission

Dear Senator Alario:

Pursuant to R. S. 15:1094.1(A), the District Attorney of the Twenty-Second Judicial District has appointed Mr. Peter Frey to serve as a commissioner on the Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission.

In that regard, we hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Peter Frey  
540 Kimberly Ann Drive  
Mandeville, La 70471  
Appointed by 22nd Judicial District Attorney  
Appointed: June 11, 2019  
Term: June 11, 2023  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
TONIA DELEON  
Secretary

**FLORIDA PARISHES JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION**

February 28, 2020

Honorable Page Cortez., President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission

Dear Senator Alario:

Pursuant to R. S. 15:1094.1(A), the District Attorney of the Twenty-Second Judicial District has appointed Mr. Peter Frey to serve as a commissioner on the Florida Parishes Juvenile Justice Commission.

In that regard, we hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Kathleen Wilkin  
604 Eagle Drive  
Slidell, La 70461  
Appointed Jointly by Bogalusa and Slidell City Courts  
Appointed: June 07, 2019  
Term: June 13, 2021  
Vice: Vacant (Joseph Harvin)

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
TONIA DELEON  
Secretary

**State of Louisiana  
House of Representatives**

**February 27, 2020**

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
P. O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9183

Re: Group Benefits Policy and Planning Board appointment

Dear President Cortez:

This letter is to advise you that I have appointed Representative Chad Brown, Mr. Tony Murray and Mr. Kenneth Krefft to serve as appointees by the Speaker to the Group Benefits Policy and Planning Board, as provided in R.S. 42:882

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Group Benefits Policy and Planning Board and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law:

The Honorable Chad Brown  
State Representative  
57835 Plaquemine Street  
Plaquemine, LA 70764  
Vice: former Rep. Robert Billiot

Mr. Kenneth Krefft  
157 Archer Ave.  
Shreveport, LA 71105  
Reappointed

Mr. Tony Murray  
105 Rock Point Cir., W.  
Pineville, LA 71360  
Reappointed

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If I or my staff can be of any assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,  
CLAY SCHEXNAYDER  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

**SENATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

January 24, 2020

Louisiana State Senate  
State Capitol  
900 North 3rd Street  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802

RE: Group Benefits Policy and Planning Board

Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 42:882, I have appointed Senator Louie Bernard, Senator Joseph Bouie Jr., and Senator Kirk Talbot as members of the Group Benefits Policy and Planning Board.

I hereby acknowledge the following appointments and submit to you their names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law. Senator Louie Bernard, Senator Joseph Bouie Jr., and Senator Kirk Talbot's contact information is as follows:

Honorable Louie Bernard  
State Senator  
431 Jefferson Street  
Natchitoches, LA 71457

Honorable Joseph Bouie Jr.  
State Senator  
6305 Elysian Fields Avenue, Suite 400  
New Orleans, LA 70122

Honorable Kirk Talbot  
State Senator  
9523 Jefferson Highway, Suite B  
River Ridge, LA 70123

Thank you for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
PATRICK PAGE CORTEZ  
Senate President

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

February 12, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: State Confirmation

Dear Senator Cortez:

In accordance with the Louisiana Revised Statute R.S. 36:255, I have appointed Mark A. Thomas as the Deputy Secretary for the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH).

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to LDH and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law:

DEPUTY SECRETARY (Effective January 31, 2020)  
Mark A. Thomas  
628 N. Fourth St.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any additional questions.

Sincerely,  
STEPHEN R. RUSSO  
Interim Secretary of the Louisiana Department of Health

**GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY  
AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

February 11, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez, President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Cortez:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 29:725, I have appointed Mr. Casey Tingle as my Deputy Director, Chief of Staff of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness effective January 13, 2020. I would sincerely appreciate have Mr. Tingle's name placed on the Senate and Governmental Affairs agenda for Senate confirmation. His information is as follows:

Name: Casey Tingle  
Address: 7667 Independence Blvd.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
Position: Deputy Director, Chief of Staff  
Vice: Self

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions you may have. I look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,  
JAMES B. WASKOM

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Patrick W. Bell  
Title: Assistant Commissioner for Diversity & Opportunity  
Department of Insurance  
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020  
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
JAMES J. DONELON  
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Mary Elizabeth Butler
Title: Executive Counsel for Legal
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Warren E. Byrd
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Property & Casualty
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Caroline G. Fletcher
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Financial Solvency
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020
Vice: self (formerly Caroline Brock)

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Susan Denise Gardner
Title: Deputy Commissioner for the Office of Management & Finance
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Ron C. Henderson  
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Consumer Advocacy & Diversity  
Department of Insurance  
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020  
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
JAMES J. DONELON  
Commissioner of Insurance

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Nicholas J. Lorusso  
Title: Chief Deputy Commissioner for the Office of Commissioner  
Department of Insurance  
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020  
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
JAMES J. DONELON  
Commissioner of Insurance

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Frank A. Opelka  
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Health, Life & Annuity  
Department of Insurance  
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020  
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
JAMES J. DONELON  
Commissioner of Insurance

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Matthew B. Stewart  
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Insurance Fraud & Enforcement  
Department of Insurance  
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020  
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
JAMES J. DONELON  
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

John W. Tobler
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Public Affairs
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Barry E. Ward
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Licensing
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

March 3, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:681 et seq., I have made the following appointment:

Jeffrey W. Zewe
Title: Deputy Commissioner for Consumer Services
Department of Insurance
Mailing Address: 1702 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020
Vice: self

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the above listed appointment for Senate confirmation as required by law. Please contact Ms. Stacie Evans, Human Resources Director, at (225) 342-0119 to coordinate Senate confirmation.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. DONELON
Commissioner of Insurance

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

April 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez
President
Senate
State of Louisiana
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Cortez,

The Louisiana Health Care Commission was created in 1992 and each of its members serves a term of two years. Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in La. R.S. 22:2161, I have appointed the following individuals as members of the Louisiana Health Care Commission for the next two-year term:

Jeffrey W. "Jeff" Albright Vice: Self
CEO
Independent Insurance Agents
& Brokers of Louisiana
18153 East Petroleum Drive
Baton Rouge, LA 70809
Date Appointed: 10/8/2019
Term: 6/30/2021
Seat: Independent Insurance Agents
and Brokers of Louisiana

Michael A. Andry Vice: Shondra Williams, DNP
CEO
EXCELth, Inc.
1515 Poydras Street, Suite 1070
New Orleans, LA 70112
Date Appointed: 12/2/2019

May 25, 2020

Term: 12/1/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Primary Care Association

Kathryn R. "Katie" Brittain, PT, DPT Vice: Self  
3221 Ryan Street, Suite D  
Lake Charles, LA 70601  
Date Appointed: 7/1/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Physical Therapy Association

Derrell D. Cohoon Vice: Jesse McCormick  
Principal Partner  
America's Health Insurance Plans  
532 Spanish Town Road  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Date Appointed: 10/7/2019  
Term: 10/6/2021  
Seat: America's Health Insurance Plan

Lisa Colletti, RN Vice: Patrick Reed, RN  
8701 Crochet Avenue  
River Ridge, LA 70123  
Date Appointed: 9/5/2019  
Term: 9/4/2021  
Seat: Louisiana State Nurses Association

Diane Davidson Vice: Self  
Employee Benefits Manager  
Roy O. Martin Lumber  
P.O. Box 1110  
Alexandria, LA 71309  
Date Appointed: 7/1/19  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Business Group on Health

Rachel A. Durel, DDS Vice: Self  
335 Doucet Rd., Suite B  
Lafayette, LA 70503-3497  
Date Appointed: 1/31/2020  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Dental Association

Jack E. Duvernay, RHU Vice: Stephanie Phillips  
BenefitsOne  
714 Millikens Bend  
Covington, LA 70433  
Date Appointed: 12/15/2019  
Term: 12/14/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Association of Health Underwriters

Susan H. Ellender Vice: Clay Pinson  
Vice President, Client Relations  
Associated Benefits Consulting  
#1 Galleria Boulevard, Suite 1900  
Metairie, LA 70001  
Date Appointed: 10/6/2019  
Term: 10/5/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Association of Business and Industry

John F. Fraiche, MD Vice: Self  
President and Chief Executive Officer  
St. Elizabeth Hospital Physicians  
15151 Highland Road  
Baton Rouge, LA 70810  
Date Appointed: 7/1/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: At-Large Appointment

Lisa Gardner Vice: Self  
2511 Terrace Avenue  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
Date Appointed: 1/29/2020  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Nursing Home Association

Arnold M. Goldberg Vice: Self  
330 Rue St. Peter  
Metairie, LA 70005  
Date Appointed: 7/1/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: At-Large Appointment

L. Faye Grimsley, PHD, MSPH, CIH Vice: Self  
Associate Professor and Head Public Health Sciences Associate  
Chair, Division of Biological and Applied Health Sciences Xavier  
University of Louisiana  
Date Appointed: 2/21/2020  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Association of Independent  
Colleges & Universities (Xavier University)

Linda P. Hawkins Vice: Self  
22271 Main Street  
Abita Springs, LA 70420  
Date Appointed: 9/5/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: League of Women Voters of Louisiana

Jesse Lambert, PsyD Vice: Self  
10317 Taylor Sheets Road  
Saint Amant, LA 70774-4027  
Date Appointed: 9/21/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Louisiana Psychological Association

Eva M. Lamendola, OD Vice: Self  
1004 West Highway 30, Suite A  
Gonzales, LA 70737  
Date Appointed: 9/5/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Optometry Association of Louisiana

B. Ronnell Nolan, HIA, CHRS Vice: Self  
President and Chief Executive Officer  
Post Office Box 65128  
Baton Rouge, LA 70896  
Date Appointed: 10/17/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Health Agents for America, Inc.

Frank Opelka Vice: (Vacant) Korey Harvey  
Post Office Box 94214  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9214  
Appointed: 7/1/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Ex-Officio; Designee of the Commissioner of Insurance

John Overton Vice: Self  
Chief Financial Officer  
Turn Key Solutions  
11911 Justice Avenue  
Baton Rouge, LA 70816  
Date Appointed: 9/3/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: National Federation of Independent Businesses

Edwin R. "Ed" Parker Vice: Self  
429 Government Street  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Date Appointed: 9/5/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Louisiana AFL-CIO

Debra Rushing Vice: Self  
eQHealth Solutions  
8591 United Plaza Boulevard, Suite 270  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
Date Appointed: 10/4/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021



Seat: Louisiana's Medicare Peer Review Organization as designated by the Health Care Financing Administration

James C. "Butch" Sonnier, BS, DC Vice: Self  
Sonnier Chiropractic Clinic  
143 Lee Drive, Suite 1  
Baton Rouge, LA 70808  
Date Appointed: 9/3/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Chiropractic Association of Louisiana

Judy Wagner Vice: Self  
625 St. Charles Ave., 6C  
New Orleans, LA 70130  
Date Appointed: 7/1/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: At-Large Appointment

Frances R. Wiggins, D.D.S. Vice: Marlon D. Henderson, D.D.S.  
24310 Eden Street  
Plaquemine, LA 70764  
Date Appointed: 12/16/2019  
Term: 12/15/2021  
Seat: National Dental Association

I hereby submit the above listed appointments for Senate confirmation as required by law.

The following are appointed as ex-officio members:

The Honorable Rick Ward III Vice: Self  
Louisiana State Senator  
3741 Highway 1  
Port Allen, LA 70767  
Date Appointed: 9/4/2019  
Term: 6/30/2021  
Seat: Louisiana State Senate, Senate Committee on Insurance

The Honorable John R. Illg Jr. Vice: The Honorable Michael P. Huval  
9523 Jefferson Highway  
Suite A  
RiverRidge, LA 70123  
Date Appointed: 2/17/2020  
Term: 2/16/2022  
Seat: Louisiana House of Representatives, House Committee on Insurance

As further information is needed for Senate confirmation or other matters, please call me or have a member of your staff contact Crystal M. Stutes, Executive Director of the Louisiana Health Care Commission, at (225) 342-4311.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
JAMES J. DONÉLON  
Commissioner of Insurance

STATE OF LOUISIANA  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

February 27, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
P. O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Judicial Compensation Commission appointments

Dear President Cortez:

This letter is to advise you that pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in R.S. 13:42, I have appointed Representative Tanner Magee and Representative Frederick Jones to serve as members of the Judicial Compensation Commission, as well as Ms. Rebekah Cole to serve as one of the two representatives from the general public who are not attorneys or members of the legislature.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Judicial Compensation Commission and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law:

The Honorable Tanner D. Magee  
State Representative  
7833 W. Main St.  
Houma, LA 70360  
Reappointed

The Honorable Frederick Douglass Jones  
State Representative  
6711 Cypress Point Drive  
Monroe, LA 71203  
Vice:(Vacancy-former Rep. Cameron Henry)

Mrs. Rebekah Cole  
4209 Maid Stone Dr.  
Lake Charles, LA 70605  
Reappointed

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If I or my staff can be of any assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,  
CLAY SCHEXNAYDER  
Speaker House of Representatives

LOUISIANA DISTRICT JUDGES ASSOCIATION

August 12, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.  
President, Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission By Louisiana District Judges Association

Dear Senator Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 13:42, et seq., please allow this letter to serve as the Louisiana District Judges Association's appointment of Judge James P. Doherty, Jr. to the Judicial Compensation Commission. Judge Doherty is currently serving on the Commission, and will be re-appointed for a second term, should the Senate confirm that appointment as is required by law.

Judge Doherty's contact information is as follows:  
Judge James P. Doherty Jr.  
27th Judicial District Court  
P.O. Box 777  
Opelousas, LA 70571  
Term: Through August 15, 2023

If you need further information please contact our staff liaison, Jennifer Eagan, by phone (504) 310-2616 or email (jeagan@lasc.org.).

Sincerely yours,  
LISA WOODRUFF-WHITE  
LDJA President  
Judge, East Baton Rouge Family Court

**LOUISIANA CITY JUDGES ASSOCIATION**

August 15, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Louisiana City Judges Association Appointment to Judicial Compensation Commission

Dear Senator Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with La. R.S. 13:42, the Louisiana City Judges Association hereby reappoints Judge Grace Gasaway as a member of the Judicial Compensation Commission.

In that regard, I acknowledge the following appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission, and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Judge Grace Gasaway  
Hammond City Court  
303 East Thomas St.  
Hammond, Louisiana 70401  
Term: August 15, 2023

Please contact my office should you require anything further.

Sincerely,  
JUDGE ANASTASIA WILEY  
President, Louisiana City Judges Association

**SENATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

October 29, 2019

Mr. Thomas Hebert  
418 Celotex Park  
Westwego, LA 70094

**RE: Judicial Compensation Commission**

Dear Mr. Hebert:

In accordance with the provisions of R.S. 13:42, it is my pleasure to reappoint you to serve as a member of the Judicial Compensation Commission. The four-year term will begin October 2019.

I appreciate your willingness to serve in the important role. Please call if I can be of any assistance.

Sincerely,  
JOHN A. ALARIO JR.  
President of the Senate

**COURT OF APPEAL, THIRD CIRCUIT  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

August 22, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario, President  
Louisiana State Senate  
P. O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission By Chair of the Louisiana Conference of Court of Appeal Judges

Dear Senator Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statutes 13:42, I have been reappointed by the Louisiana Conference of Court of Appeal Judges as a member of the Judicial Compensation Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Judicial Compensation Commission and submit to you my name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

The Honorable Ulysses Gene Thibodeaux  
Chief Judge, Third Circuit Court of Appeal  
P. O. Box 16577  
Lake Charles, LA 70616  
Term: August 15, 2023  
Vice: Self

Please contact my office should you require anything further.

Sincerely,  
ULYSSES GENE THIBODEAUX  
Chair, Louisiana Conference of Court of Appeal Judges

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL**

January 13, 2020

Hon. Patrick Page Cortez  
President, Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez,

It is with great honor, and in accordance with La. R.S. 36:703 and 36:6 et seq., that I appoint Wilbur Stiles, Jr. as my Chief Deputy Attorney General.

A veteran and a prosecutor, Mr. Stiles has served Louisiana most honorably as my First Assistant for the last four years. He has worked tirelessly to deliver a very successful Department of Justice for the people of our State.

Mr. Stiles was unanimously approved by the Louisiana State Senate during the prior term, and I trust he will be confirmed again by your legislative body. I humbly request your Senate approve and consent to his appointment as quickly as possible.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge and submit the following for Senate confirmation:

Name: Wilbur "Bill" Stiles Jr.  
Title: Chief Deputy Attorney General  
Appointment Effective: January 13, 2020  
Prior Incumbent: Continuation from prior term appointed Department of Justice, Office of Attorney General  
Mailing Address: 1885 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802

If you need further information or assistance with my submission, please contact Steven Hartmann at 225-342-5811 or [HartmannS@ag.louisiana.gov](mailto:HartmannS@ag.louisiana.gov).

For Louisiana,  
JEFF LANDRY  
Attorney General

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the St. Landry Parish Government has reappointed Mr. Senic Batiste as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Senic Batiste  
831 South Market Street  
Opelousas, LA 70570  
Vice: Self  
Term: 01/15/2024

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the City of Eunice has reappointed Ms. Cheryl Carter as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Ms. Cheryl Carter  
652 Nimitz Street  
Eunice, LA 70535  
Vice: Self  
Term: 01/10/2023

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the City of Opelousas has reappointed Mr. Clovis Cornelius as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Clovis Cornelius  
618 East South Street  
Opelousas, LA 70570  
Vice: Self  
Term: 02/08/2023

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the St. Landry Parish Municipal Association has reappointed Mr. Paul DiCapo as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Paul DiCapo  
427 Hicks Road  
Washington, LA 70589  
Vice: Self  
Term: 02/25/2023

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the City of Opelousas has reappointed Mr. Vernon Haynes as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

May 25, 2020

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Vernon Haynes  
P.O. Box 1335  
Opelousas, LA 70571-1335  
Vice: Self  
Term: 02/08/2023

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the St. Landry Parish Government has appointed Mr. Dallas Leger as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Dallas Leger  
P.O. Box 331  
Washington, LA 70589  
Vice: Mr. Marcus Majors Jr.  
Term: 01/15/2024

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the Town of Krotz Springs has reappointed Ms. Monita Reed as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Ms. Monita Reed  
P.O. Box 156  
Krotz Springs, LA 70750  
Vice: Self  
Term: 01/08/2023

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the Town of Krotz Springs has reappointed Mr. James Soileau as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. James Soileau  
P.O. Box 234  
Krotz Springs, LA 70750  
Vice: Self  
Term: 01/08/2023

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the St. Landry Parish Municipal Association has reappointed Mr. Michael Thibodeaux as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Michael Thibodeaux  
530 Perry Lane  
Opelousas, LA 70570  
Vice: Self  
Term: 02/25/2023

May 25, 2020

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the City of Eunice has reappointed Mr. William Thompson as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. William Thompson  
411 Harold Street  
Eunice, LA 70535  
Vice: Self  
Term: 01/10/2023

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**PORT OF KROTZ SPRINGS**

May 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, LA State Senate  
Post Office Box 94123  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:1451, the governing authority of the St. Landry Parish Government has reappointed Mr. Kenneth Vidrine as a member of the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Kenneth Vidrine  
138 Wilson Bridge Road  
Washington, LA 70589  
(337) 290-0964  
Vice: Self  
Term: 01/15/2024

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

E. LYNN LEJEUNE  
Executive Director

**LAKESHORE PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.,  
PRESIDENT LAKE TERRACE PROPERTY  
OWNERS ASS'N., INC.,  
PRESIDENT LAKE OAKS CIVIC ASSOCIATION,  
PRESIDENT LAKE VISTA PROPERTY  
OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.,  
PRESIDENT NEW ORLEANS, LA**

June 7, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario  
President, Louisiana Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Neighborhood Commissioner Appointments to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority/Lakefront Management Authority

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate,

In accordance with Louisiana Statutes RS 38:330.12.1, the undersigned presidents of the Lake Oaks, Lakeshore, Lake Terrace, and Lake Vista neighborhood associations jointly appoint, effective on June 7, 2019, Mr. Stanley J. Cohn and Mr. Esmond F. Carr to replace Mr. William Settoon and Mr. Rodger Wheaton, whose terms expired 8/15/2018, as Commissioners of the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority for terms ending 8/15/2022 or as provided by law. This letter supersedes all prior communication regarding appointments for the term August 15, 2018 ending August 15, 2022. We ask that these appointments be confirmed by the Senate as convenient.

By copy of this letter we are informing the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority of our appointments and submitting their names to you as required by law.

Esmond F. Carr III P.E.  
2235 Leon C. Simon Dr.  
New Orleans, LA 70122

Stanley J. Cohn  
900 Turquoise Street  
New Orleans, LA 70124

We ask that you provide the statutory expiration of the terms for the two commissioners appointed hereby. Please confirm your receipt and Senate disposition or confirmation of these appointments at your convenience.

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact Mark Fullmer.

EXECUTED THIS 3RD DAY OF JUNE, 2019, BY THE FOUR PRESIDENTS OF THE LAKEFRONT PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATIONS PER THE STATUTE, EXECUTION BY COUNTERPART SIGNATURES APPROVED.

GEORGE ACKEL III  
President, Lake Terrace Property Owners Ass'n., Inc.

ANN DUFFY  
President, Lake Oaks Civic Association

MARK FULLER  
President, Lake Vista Property Owners Association, Inc.

CHAI SWEAT  
President, Lakeshore Property Owners Association, Inc.

May 25, 2020

**CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

April 28, 2019

Hon. Patrick Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
c/o Senate and Governmental Affairs Committee  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804

Senate President Cortez:

This correspondence will serve to confirm my appointment of Eugene J. Green Jr. to serve on the Board of Commissioners of the Lakefront Management Authority (formerly the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority). Mr. Green will serve the term for 2019-2023. It is my understanding that Mr. Green will commence his service on the Board at the commencement of the 2020 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, and that his appointment is subject to confirmation by the State Senate prior to the end of the Session.

Should you have questions, please feel free to contact me through my office.

Sincerely,  
CEDRIC L. RICHMOND  
Second District Louisiana

**LOUISIANA SENATE**

February 27, 2020

Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
Senate President  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with R.S. 38.330.12.1, I am appointing Mr. Howard Rodgers to the Lakefront Management Authority (formerly the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority). I have attached his résumé to be included in his file.

Any questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,  
JOSEPH BOUIE JR.  
State Senator District 3

**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

February 14, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:201 et seq., I have appointed the officers named below to serve in the Louisiana Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism effective January 13, 2020. All serve at my pleasure. I submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

UNDERSECRETARY  
Ms. Nancy Watkins  
P.O. Box 94361  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
Vice: Self

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE OFFICE OF TOURISM  
Douglas Bourgeois  
P.O. Box 94291  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
Vice: Self

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE OFFICE OF STATE  
PARKS  
Hugh "Brandon" Burris  
P. O. Box 44426  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
Vice: Self

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE OFFICE OF CULTURAL  
DEVELOPMENT  
Kristin Sanders  
P.O. Box 44247  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
Vice: Self

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE OFFICE OF STATE  
MUSEUM  
Steven Maklansky  
111 Lowerline Street  
New Orleans, LA 70118  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best regards, I am

Very truly yours,  
BILLY NUNGESSER  
Lieutenant Governor

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE,  
RECREATION & TOURISM**

June 25, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr. President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Alario:

In accordance with La. R.S. 25:902, as the State Historic Preservation Officer, I have reappointed the following members to the Louisiana National Register Review Committee.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Department of Culture, Recreation, and Tourism and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Turry M. Flucker  
6338 Music Street  
New Orleans, LA 70122  
Term: 6/24/2022  
Seat: At Large  
Vice: Self

Peggy Bordelon Lowe  
5056 Whitehaven Street  
Baton Rouge, LA 70808  
Term: 6/24/2022  
Seat: Architectural Historian  
Vice: Self

Tarah Arcuri  
6346 Milne Blvd  
New Orleans, LA 70124  
Term: 6/24/2022  
Seat: Architectural Historian  
Vice: Self

Martha M. Salomon Vice: Self  
1000 Drehr Ave  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
Term: 6/24/2022  
Seat: Architect

Dr. Matthew G. Savage Vice: Self  
123 Art Building  
Louisiana State University  
Baton Rouge, LA 70803  
Term: 6/24/2022  
Seat: Architectural Historian

John Collins Sykes III Vice: Self  
635 Bungalow Lane  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
Term: 6/24/2022  
Seat: Historian

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
KRISTIN SANDERS  
Assistant Secretary  
Office of Cultural Development

OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
STATE OF LOUISIANA

October 1, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.  
President  
Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 25:2-5, I have reappointed the following individual to the Board of Commissioners for the State Library of Louisiana. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Board of Commissioners of the State Library of Louisiana, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Georgia Brown  
5639 Congress Blvd.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70808  
Appointed: August 15, 2019  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Very truly yours,  
BILLY NUNGESSER  
Lieutenant Governor

OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
STATE OF LOUISIANA

February 17, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez  
President of Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 25:341, I have appointed the following individuals to the Board of Directors of the Louisiana State Museum. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Board of Directors of the Louisiana State Museum, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Florence M. Jumonville  
7911 Birch St.  
New Orleans, LA 70118  
Appointed: February 12, 2020  
Term Expiration: January 11, 2022  
Seat: Louisiana Historical Association  
Vice: Vacant (Faye Phillips)

Sandra Shilstone  
1228 3rd St.  
New Orleans, LA 70130  
Appointed: February 13, 2020  
Term Expiration: January 11, 2023  
Seat: At-Large (Friends at Capitol Park did not submit name)  
Vice: Vacant (Vickie Smith Riser)

Benjamin A. Dupuy  
1316 Valence Street  
New Orleans, LA 70115  
Appointed: February 12, 2020  
Term Expiration: January 11, 2024  
Seat: Louisiana Museum Foundation  
Vice: Holly Haag

Suzanne Gonce Perlis  
428 Hector Ave.  
Metairie, LA 70005  
Appointed: February 12, 2019  
Term Expiration: January 11, 2024  
Seat: Louisiana Historical Society  
Vice: George Hero

William J. Wilton Jr.  
4740 Newcomb Dr.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70808  
Appointed: February 17, 2020  
Term Expiration: January 11, 2024  
Seat: Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Foundation  
Vice: Self

Madlyn B. Bagneris  
5000 Bancroft Dr.  
New Orleans, LA 70122  
Appointed: February 17, 2020  
Term Expiration: January 11, 2024  
Seat: Civil Rights Museum  
Vice: Self

David Christopher Tidmore  
5127 Laurel Street  
New Orleans, LA 70115  
Appointed: February 12, 2020  
Term Expiration: January 11, 2024  
Seat: At-Large  
Vice: Rosemary Ewing

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Very truly yours,  
BILLY NUNGESSER  
Lieutenant Governor

May 25, 2020

**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

January 14, 2020

The Honorable Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 56:578.2, I have reappointed the following individual to the Louisiana Seafood Promotion and Marketing Board. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Ralph Pausina  
5654 Rosemary Place  
New Orleans, LA 70124  
Seat: Louisiana Oyster Dealers and Growers Association  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Very truly yours,  
**BILLY NUNGESSER**  
Lieutenant Governor

**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

July 10, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.  
President  
Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 51:1256, I have appointed the following individual to the Board of Directors of the Louisiana Tourism Development Commission. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Board of Directors of the Louisiana Tourism Development Commission, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Carla Tate  
503 North Avenue  
Amite, LA 70422  
Appointed: July 10, 2019  
Vice: Shelly Johnson

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Very truly yours,  
**BILLY NUNGESSER**  
Lieutenant Governor

**COUNCIL  
PARISH OF ST. MARY**

January 30, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Cortez:

In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 34:322.1, the St. Mary Parish Council has appointed Mr. Ben A. Adams to the Board of Commissioners of the Morgan City Harbor and Terminal District.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment by the Parish President and the St. Mary Parish Council on Wednesday, December 18, 2019 and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Effective: December 31, 2019  
Mr. Ben A. Adams  
P.O. Box 71  
Berwick, LA 70342  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2023

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation in this matter, and should you have any questions or need additional information please contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly,  
**GABRIEL BEADLE**  
Chairman

**ST. JAMES PARISH**

April 28, 2020

Honorable Page Cortez  
PO Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Senate President Paige Cortez,  
As Parish President, it is my desire to support the reappointment of Mr. Stanley Bazile to the board of commissioners of the Port of South Louisiana as of March 18th, 2020. Mr. Bazile's information is as follows:

Mr. Stanley Bazile  
1170 Magnolia Heights  
Vacherie, LA 70090

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need anything further.

Sincerely,  
**PETER A. DUFRESNE**  
Parish President

**PORT OF SOUTH LOUISIANA COMMISSION**

March 12, 2020

Honorable Patrick Page Cortez, President  
Louisiana State Senate  
P. O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Port of South Louisiana Commission

Dear Senator Cortez:

On Monday, March 9, 2020, the St. Charles Parish Council adopted Resolution No. 6485 approving the appointment of Mr. Ryan E. Burks as a member of the Port of South Louisiana Commission. His contact information is as follows:



Mr. Ryan E. Burks  
42 Elmwood Drive  
Destrehan, LA 70047

I hereby acknowledge this appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

A copy of the resolution is enclosed for your records. Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact our office should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
MICHELLE IMPASTATO  
Council Secretary

**SUPREME COURT  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 11, 2020

VIA U.S. MAIL & EMAIL  
Senator Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Reappointments to the Louisiana Public Defender Board

Dear President Cortez,

In accordance with La. R.S. 15:146B(3)(c), I write to inform you of my decision to reappoint the following members to the Louisiana Public Defender Board for additional four-year terms:

W. Ross Foote (Retired Judge)  
3420 Calumet Drive  
Shreveport, LA 71107  
Second Proposed Term: June 7, 2019-December 31, 2022

Flozell Daniels, Jr. (Juvenile Justice Advocate)  
1036 Numa Street  
New Orleans, LA 70114  
Second Proposed Term: June 7, 2019-May 31, 2023

The terms of both Judge Foote and Mr. Daniels have technically expired, but pursuant to La. R.S. 24:14(K)(2)(b), these appointees have continued uninterrupted. Now, however, I am informed that Senate confirmation is required or these positions will become vacant at the close of this upcoming session. Therefore, I request that the Senate consider these individuals for confirmation as required by law.

In the event you have any questions or need additional information regarding these reappointments, please contact the Supreme Court's General Counsel, Lauren McHugh Rocha, at 504-310-2622 or [lrocha@lasc.org](mailto:lrocha@lasc.org).

Sincerely,  
BERNETTE J. JOHNSON  
Chief Justice

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONS  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

February 13, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Cortez  
Louisiana Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:405, I have appointed Mr. Malcolm Gerard Myer as the Deputy Secretary for Corrections Services.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and submit to you the following information on Mr. Myer for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

DEPUTY SECRETARY FOR CORRECTIONS SERVICES  
(Effective January 13, 2020)  
Malcolm Gerard Myer  
5217 Riverbend Blvd.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70820  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
JAMES M. LE BLANC  
Secretary

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
AND CORRECTIONS  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

February 13, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
Louisiana Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:405, I have appointed Colonel Kevin W. Reeves as the Deputy Secretary for Public Safety Services.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and submit to you the following information on Colonel Reeves for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

DEPUTY SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES  
(Effective January 13, 2020)  
Colonel Kevin W. Reeves  
P.O. Box 66614, Box 8-A  
Baton Rouge, LA 70896  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
JAMES M. LE BLANC  
Secretary

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE**

February 14, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:455, I have appointed Kevin Richard as the Deputy Secretary for the Louisiana Department of Revenue.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of Revenue and submit to you the following information on Kevin Richard for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

DEPUTY SECRETARY FOR DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
(Effective January 13, 2020)  
Kevin Richard  
1205 St. Charles Ave., Unit 1016  
New Orleans, LA 70130  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
KIMBERLY LEWIS ROBINSON  
Secretary

**RIVER PARISHES CONVENTION, TOURIST,  
AND VISITORS COMMISSION**

November 1, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.  
President  
Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4574.12 (B), the following individual has been appointed as commissioner of the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Paul Aucoin  
134 Goodwill Plantation Rd.  
Vacherie, LA 70090  
Appointed by St. James Parish Economic Development Board  
Term: October 31, 2023  
Vice: Self

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
PEGGY JOSEPH  
Chairwoman

**RIVER PARISHES CONVENTION, TOURIST,  
AND VISITORS COMMISSION**

April 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4574.12 (B), the following individual has been appointed as commissioner of the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mrs. Elizabeth Joseph  
P.O. Box 157  
Edgard, LA 70049  
Appointed by St. John the Baptist Parish Council  
Appointed: March 10, 2020  
Term: October 31, 2022

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
GARRETT C. MONTI  
Chairman

**RIVER PARISHES CONVENTION, TOURIST,  
AND VISITORS COMMISSION**

June 7, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.  
President  
Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4574.12 (B), the following individual has been appointed as commissioner of the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission to fill an unexpired term.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Ms. Camella Landry  
1851 2nd Street/ P.O. Box 486  
Lutcher, LA 70071  
Appointed by St. James Parish President  
Term: October 31, 2021  
Vice: Vacant (Bruce Delatte)

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,  
PEGGY JOSEPH  
Chairperson

**RIVER PARISHES CONVENTION, TOURIST,  
AND VISITORS COMMISSION**

April 30, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President  
Louisiana Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4574.12 (B), the following individual has been appointed as commissioner of the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Ricardo Smith
101 Rowena Smith Road
St. Rose, LA 70087
Appointed by St. Charles Parish Economic Development Council
Term: October 31, 2021

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
GARRETT C. MONTI
Chairman

RIVER PARISHES CONVENTION, TOURIST, AND VISITORS COMMISSION

November 1, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4574.12 (B), the following individual has been appointed as commissioner of the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Tracy Smith
P.O. Box 5
Destrehan, LA 70047
Appointed by St. Charles Parish President
Term: October 31, 2023
Vice: Self

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
PEGGY JOSEPH
Chairwoman

RIVER PARISHES CONVENTION, TOURIST, AND VISITORS COMMISSION

June 7, 2019

The Honorable John A. Alario Jr.
President
Louisiana Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Alario and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4574.12 (B), the following individual has been appointed as commissioner of the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission to fill an unexpired term.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Tracy Smith
P.O. Box 5
Destrehan, LA 70047
Appointed by St. Charles Parish President
Term: October 31, 2019
Vice: Vacant (Angela Matherne)

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
PEGGY JOSEPH
Chairperson

RIVER PARISHES CONVENTION, TOURIST, AND VISITORS COMMISSION

April 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez
President
Louisiana Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4574.12 (B), the following individual has been appointed as commissioner of the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors Commission and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Evin Stein
27 Muirfield Drive
LaPlace, LA 70068
Appointed by St. John the Baptist Parish President
Appointed: March 4, 2020
Term: October 31, 2023

If further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I remain

Very truly yours,
GARRETT C. MONTI
Chairman

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

February 13, 2020

Honorable Patrick Page Cortez, President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183

May 25, 2020

Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: River Parish Transit Authority Board of Commissioners

Dear Senator Cortez:

Pursuant to R.S. 48:1604, the St. John the Baptist Parish Council has reappointed Mrs. Helen Banquer, who was selected from a list of nominees to serve as a member of the River Parishes Transit Authority Board of Commissioners.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following reappointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mrs. Helen Banquer  
2180 Marion Dr.  
LaPlace, LA 70068  
Appointed by St. John the Baptist Parish Council from a list of nominees  
Appointed: February 11, 2020  
Term: Concurrent  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
JACLYN HOTARD  
Parish President

**ST. CHARLES PARISH  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

May 8, 2020

Honorable Patrick Page Cortez, President  
Louisiana State Senate  
P. O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: River Parishes Transit Authority

Dear Senator Cortez:

On Monday, May 4, 2020, the St. Charles Parish Council adopted Resolution No. 6497 approving the appointment of Mr. Emile Broussard III, as a member of the River Parishes Transit Authority. His contact information is as follows:

Mr. Emile Broussard III  
223 Murray Hill Drive  
Destrehan, LA 70047

I hereby acknowledge this appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

A copy of the resolution is enclosed for your records. Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact our office should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
MICHELLE IMPASTATO  
Council Secretary

**ST. CHARLES PARISH  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

February 7, 2020

Honorable Patrick Page Cortez, President  
Louisiana State Senate  
P. O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: River Parishes Transit Authority

Dear Senator Cortez:

Pursuant to R.S. 48:1604, on Monday, February 3, 2020, the St. Charles Parish Council adopted Resolution No. 6469 approving the appointment of Mr. Corey Faucheux as a member of the River Parishes Transit Authority; term is concurrent with the Governing Authority. His contact information is as follows:

Mr. Corey Faucheux  
593 Cypress Drive  
Luling, LA 70070

I hereby acknowledge this appointment and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

A copy of the resolution is enclosed for your records. Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact our office should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
MICHELLE IMPASTATO  
Council Secretary

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

February 19, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Louisiana Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with La. R.S. 36:746, I have appointed Ms. Allison Clarke as Deputy Secretary for the Office of GeauxBiz.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of State and submit to you her name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

DEPUTY SECRETARY FOR THE OFFICE OF  
GEAUXBIZ  
(Effective January 13, 2020)  
Ms. Allison Clarke  
P.O. Box 94125  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
R. KYLE ARDOIN  
Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

February 19, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
 President of the Louisiana Senate  
 P.O. Box 94183  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with La. R.S. 18:18(B), I have appointed Ms. Sherri Hadskey as Commissioner of Elections.

In that regard, acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of State and submit to you her name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS  
 (Effective January 13, 2020)  
 Ms. Sherri Hadskey  
 P.O. Box 94125  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
 Vice: Self

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
 R. KYLE ARDOIN  
 Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
 STATE OF LOUISIANA**

February 19, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
 President of the Louisiana Senate  
 P.O. Box 94183  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: Appointment of First Assistant Secretary of State

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Article IV, Section 13 of the Louisiana Constitution, I have appointed Ms. Nancy Landry as First Assistant to the Secretary of State and I have attached the appointment letter.

I acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of State and submit to you her name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
 (Effective January 13, 2020)  
 Ms. Nancy Landry  
 P.O. Box 94125  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
 Vice: Joe Salter

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
 R. KYLE ARDOIN  
 Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
 STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
 President of the Senate  
 P.O. Box 94183  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 25:380.1 et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to the governing board of the Louisiana State Cotton Museum. Those members serving four-year terms shall serve terms concurrent with the governor. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the governing board of the Louisiana State Cotton Museum, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation, as required by law.

Ms. Susan Brown Vice: Vacant (Alfred Rawls)  
 2525 Hwy. 65 North  
 Lake Providence, LA 71254  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 4 years concurrent with Governor  
 Seat: SoS: Parishes

Ms Kathleen Condrey Vice: Vacant (Grady W. Brown Sr)  
 468 N. Hood St.  
 Lake Providence, LA 71254  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 4 years concurrent with Governor  
 Seat: SoS: Parishes

Ms. Cydnie "Cyd" Harris Vice: Self  
 1868 Hwy. 596  
 Lake Providence, LA 71254  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 4 years concurrent with Governor  
 Seat: SoS: Parishes

Mr. Joshua S. Payne Vice: Self  
 130 Schneider Lane  
 Lake Providence, LA 71254  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 4 years concurrent with Governor  
 Seat: SoS: Parishes

Ms. Flora H. Watson Vice: Self  
 716 Second St.  
 Lake Providence, LA 71254  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 4 years concurrent with Governor  
 Seat: SoS: Parishes

Mr. Mark N. Brown Vice: Self  
 988 Oswald Road  
 Lake Providence, LA 71254  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 4 years concurrent with Governor  
 Seat: SoS: Friends of the Louisiana State Cotton Museum

Ms. Bobbie M. Facen Vice: Self  
 P.O. Box 622  
 Lake Providence, LA 71254  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 4 years concurrent with Governor  
 Seat: SoS: Friends of the Louisiana State Cotton Museum

Ms. Patricia W. Fairchild Vice: Self  
 628 Stamboul Road  
 Transylvania, LA 71286  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 4 years concurrent with Governor  
 Seat: SoS: Friends of the Louisiana State Cotton Museum

Ms. Jean C. Oswald Vice: Self  
 7162 Hwy 65 North  
 Lake Providence, LA 71254

May 25, 2020

Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term 4 years concurrent with Governor  
Seat: SoS: Friends of the Louisiana State Cotton Museum

Mr. Reynold S. Minsky Vice: Self  
506 Island Point Drive  
Lake Providence, LA 71254  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 2 years  
Seat: SoS: Cotton Division of Louisiana Farm Bureau

Ms. Donna B. Winters Vice: Self  
3650 Highway 134  
Lake Providence, LA 71254  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 2 years  
Seat: SoS: Cotton Producers Association

The following are Ex-Officio Members of the Board:

Mr. R. Kyle Ardoin  
8585 Archives Ave.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
Term: Ex-Officio  
Seat: SOS or Designee

Mr. Thomas Carmody  
440 Albert Ave.  
Shreveport, LA 71105  
Term: Ex-Officio  
Seat: SOS Museum Director

The Honorable Michael G. "Mike" Strain, DVM  
P.O. Box 631  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Ex-Officio  
Seat: Commissioner of Agriculture

Ms. Barbara Prine  
7162 Hwy 65 North  
Lake Providence, LA 71254  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: N/A  
Seat: EO: Museum Director

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter.  
Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional  
information.

Sincerely,  
R. KYLE ARDOIN  
Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 25:1242 et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to the Eddie G. Robinson Museum Commission. These members shall serve a four-year term concurrent with the Governor. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the governing board of the Eddie G. Robinson Museum, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation, as required by law.

Mr. John Belton Vice: Self  
138 Griffin Rd.  
Ruston, LA 71270  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. James E. Bradford Vice: Self  
709 Leon St.  
Jonesboro, LA 71251  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. Robert J. Clark Vice: Self  
P.O. Box 6  
Monroe, LA 71201  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. Wilbert Ellis Vice: Self  
1005 Second Street  
Ruston, LA 71270  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Amanda Quimby Carier Vice: Vacant (Travis Napper)  
2411 Rhody Drive  
Ruston LA 71270  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. Eddie G. Robinson III Vice: Self  
P.O. Box 818  
Grambling, LA 71245  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

The following are Ex-Officio Members of the Board:

Mr. R. Kyle Ardoin  
8585 Archives Ave.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
Term: Ex-Officio  
Seat: SOS or Designee

Mr. Rick Gallot Vice: Self  
GSU Box 4267  
Grambling, LA 71245  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: GSU President

Dr. David Ponton Vice: Self  
729 Garr Road  
Ruston, LA 71270  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: GSU Athletic Director

Coach Broderick Fobbs Vice: Self  
GSU Box 4252  
Grambling, LA 71245  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: GSU Head Football Coach

The Honorable Edward R. Jones Vice: Self  
P.O. Box 109  
Grambling, LA 71245

Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: Mayor of Grambling

Dr. Reginald Owens, Ph.D. Vice: Self  
203 Goodlife St.  
Grambling, LA 71245  
Appointed: 9/1/17  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: Grambling Chamber of Commerce

Mr. Thomas Jones Vice: Self  
P.O. Box 565  
Grambling, LA 71245  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: GSU Alumni Association or Designee

Mr. Douglas Porter Vice: Self  
P.O. Box 588  
Grambling, LA 71245  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: GSU Athletic Foundation

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter.  
Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information

Sincerely,  
R. KYLE ARDOIN  
Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to RS 25:380.152 et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to the governing board of the Germantown Colony Museum. These members shall serve a four-year term concurrent with the Governor. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the governing board of the Germantown Colony Museum, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation, as required by law.

Mr. Bruce Hock Vice: Self  
1528 Hwy. 531  
Minden, LA 71055  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Ms. Charlotte A. Jones Vice: Self  
1300 Broadway St.  
Minden, LA 71055  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. J. Robert Kemmerly, M.D. Vice: Self  
215 Fernwood Lane  
Minden, LA 71055  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. Francis Otto Krouse III Vice: Self  
1314 Dogwood Trail  
Minden, LA 71055  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Ms. Susie M. Lester Vice: Self  
700 Buchanan St.  
Minden, LA 71055  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Ms. Pam Lowe Vice: Self  
804 Claiborne Ave.  
Minden, LA 71055  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. George W. Rolfe Vice: Self  
120 W. Kelly Lane  
Sibley, LA 71073  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. John Sanders Vice: Self  
903 Maddry Rd.  
Homer, LA 71040  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

The following are Ex-Officio Members of the Board:

Mr. R. Kyle Ardoin  
8585 Archives Ave.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
Term: Ex-Officio  
Seat: SOS or Designee

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
R. KYLE ARDOIN  
Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 44:501 et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to the Louisiana Historical Records Advisory Board. Those members serving four-year terms shall serve terms concurrent with my term. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Louisiana Historical Records Advisory Board, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate Confirmation, as required by law.

Ms. Angelique Bergeron  
845 N. Jefferson Ave.  
Port Allen, LA 70767

May 25, 2020

Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Concurrent with the Secretary of State  
Seat: SOS Appointee  
Field(s): Historical Records

Ms. Freddi Williams Evans  
3730 Rue Migon  
New Orleans, LA 70131  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Concurrent with the Secretary of State  
Seat: SOS Appointee  
Field(s): Historical Records

Ms. Emilie Leumas, CA, CRM  
7887 Walmsley Ave.  
New Orleans, LA 70125  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Concurrent with the Secretary of State  
Seat: SOS Appointee Field(s): Historical Records/Archives?

Ms. Carrie Fager Martin, CRM, CA Emeritus  
3851 Essen Ln.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Concurrent with the Secretary of State  
Seat: SOS Appointee  
Field(s): Administration of Government of University  
Records/Archives/Historical Records

Mr. Zachary Stein  
400 East St. Mary Blvd.  
Lafayette, LA 70503  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: Concurrent with the Secretary of State  
Seat: SOS Appointee  
Field(s): Administration of Government of University  
Records/Archives/Historical Records

The following are Ex-Officio Members of the Board:

Mr. R. Kyle Ardoin  
8585 Archives Ave.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
Term: Ex-Officio  
Seat: SOS or Designee

Ms. Catherine Newsome  
5815 Essen Lane  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
Term: Ex-Officio  
Seat: State Archivist

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
R. KYLE ARDOIN  
Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President of the Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 25:380.92 et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to the governing board of the Mansfield Female

College Museum. These members shall serve a four-year term concurrent with the Governor. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the governing board of the Mansfield Female College Museum, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation, as required by law.

Ms. Ellen Abington Vice: Self  
622 Petty Rd.  
Many, LA 71449  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 4 years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. Riemer Calhoun, Jr. Vice: Self  
11763 Hwy 171  
Mansfield, LA 71052  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 4 years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Mr. Raymond E. Powell Vice: Self  
1320 McArthur Dr.  
Mansfield, LA 71052  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 4 years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Ms. Jeannie Rogers Vice: Self  
1055 Rogers Road  
Grand Cane, LA 71032  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 4 years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS

Ms. Beverly A. Bedsole Vice: Self  
3014 Highway 513  
Mansfield, LA 71052  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 4 years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS: Friends of Mansfield Female College Museum

Ms. Carolyn C. Huckabay Vice: Self  
330 Pierremont Rd.  
Shreveport, LA 71106  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 4 years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS: Friends of Mansfield Female College Museum

Mr. Judson C. Rives Vice: Self  
1556 Highway 513  
Mansfield, LA 71052  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 4 years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS: Friends of Mansfield Female College Museum

Ms. Sandra J. Spalding Vice: Self  
3875 Line Ave, Apt. 114  
Shreveport, LA 71106  
Appointed: 1/13/20  
Term: 4 years concurrent with governor  
Seat: SoS: Friends of Mansfield Female College Museum

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
R. KYLE ARDOIN  
Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 7, 2020



The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
 President of the Senate  
 P.O. Box 94183  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 25:380.22 et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to the governing board of the Louisiana State Oil and Gas Museum. Those members serving four-year terms shall serve terms concurrent with the governor. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the governing board of the Louisiana State Oil and Gas Museum, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation, as required by law.

Mrs. Leone Fitzgerald-Brown Vice: Self  
 1265 Capilano Drive  
 Shreveport, LA 71106  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
 Seat: SOS: Caddo Pine Island Oil and Historical Society

Mr. Todd A. Hopkins Vice: Self  
 7958 Sunset Lane  
 Mooringsport, LA 71060  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
 Seat: SOS: Caddo Pine Island Oil and Historical Society

Ms. Jane Fitzgerald Maddox Vice: Self  
 18876 Alabama St.  
 Ida, LA 71044  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
 Seat: SOS: Caddo Pine Island Oil and Historical Society

Mr. Paul Anthony Pratt Vice: Self  
 2930 North Pointe  
 Shreveport, LA 71106  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
 Seat: SOS: Caddo Pine Island Oil and Historical Society

Mr. Andrew M. Shehee Vice: Self  
 1818 Marshall St.  
 Shreveport, LA 71106  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
 Seat: SOS: Caddo Pine Island Oil and Historical Society

Mr. John M. Shuey Jr. Vice: Self  
 941 Thora Blvd.  
 Shreveport, LA 71106  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
 Seat: SOS: Caddo Pine Island Oil and Historical Society

Ms. Judith L. "Judy" Sneed Vice: Self  
 121 Lucky Lane  
 Bossier City, LA 71112  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Four years concurrent with governor  
 Seat: SOS: Caddo Pine Island Oil and Historical Society

Ms. Diana M. Chance Vice: Self  
 1707 Spencer Circle  
 Benton, LA 71006  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: 2 years  
 Seat: SOS: Louisiana Independent Oil Producers Association

The following are Ex-Officio Members of the Board:

Mr. Thomas Carmody  
 440 Albert Ave.  
 Shreveport, LA 71105  
 Term: Ex-Officio  
 Seat: SOS Museum Director

Mr. Thomas Harris Vice: Self  
 P.O. Box 94396  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804  
 Term: Ex-Officio  
 Seat: Secretary of Department of Natural Resources or Designee

Ms. Catherine Newsome  
 5815 Essen Lane  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
 Term: Concurrent with SOS  
 Seat: State Archivist

Ms. Teresa Fulghum  
 200 South Land Ave.  
 Oil City, LA 71061  
 Term: Ex-Officio  
 Seat: Museum Director

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
 R. KYLE ARDOIN  
 Secretary of State

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
 STATE OF LOUISIANA**

May 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
 President of the Senate  
 P.O. Box 94183  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 25:373 et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to the Advisory Board of the Old State Capitol. These members shall serve a four-year term concurrent with the Secretary of State. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Advisory Board of the Old State Capitol, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation, as required by law.

Mr. Paul J. Arrigo Vice: Self  
 1550 Ridgeland Dr.  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70810  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Concurrent with Secretary of State  
 Seat: SoS: At Large

Ms. Courtney Dampf Vice: Self  
 536 LSU Ave  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70808  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Concurrent with Secretary of State  
 Seat: SoS: At Large

Ms. Elizabeth K. "Liz" Harris Vice: Self  
 2969 Myrtle Ave.  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
 Appointed: 1/13/20  
 Term: Concurrent with Secretary of State  
 Seat: SoS: At Large

May 25, 2020

Ms. Vivian Kerr Vice: Self
5715 Georgetown Ave.
Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Appointed: 1/13/20
Term: Concurrent with Secretary of State
Seat: SoS: At Large

Ms. R. Katherine "Kay" Long Vice: Self
6536 Millstone
Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Appointed: 1/13/20
Term: Concurrent with Secretary of State
Seat: SoS: At Large

Mr. Thomas Wayne Parent Vice: Self
2445 Cottonwood Ave.
Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Appointed: 1/13/20
Term: Concurrent with Secretary of State
Seat: SoS: At Large

Mr. Todd L. Sterling Vice: Self
4845 Jamestown Ave., Suite 213
Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Appointed: 1/13/20
Term: Concurrent with Secretary of State
Seat: SoS: At Large

The following are Ex-Officio Members of the Board:

Mr. R. Kyle Ardoin
8585 Archives Ave.
Baton Rouge, LA 70809
Term: Ex-Officio
Seat: SOS or Designee

Ms. Catherine Newsome
5815 Essen Lane
Baton Rouge, LA 70809
Term: Concurrent with SOS
Seat: State Archivist

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
R. KYLE ARDOIN
Secretary of State

SECRETARY OF STATE
STATE OF LOUISIANA

May 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez
President of the Senate
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to R.S. 25:379.1 et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to Regional Museum Governing Board of the Louisiana State Exhibit Museum. Those members serving four-year terms shall serve terms concurrent with the Secretary of State. In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointments to the Regional Museum Governing Board of the Louisiana State Exhibit Museum, and submit to you the names for consideration of Senate confirmation, as required by law.

Mr. Christopher E. Brown Vice: William Cawthorne
720 Ockley Dr., Apt D
Shreveport, LA 71106

Appointed: 1/13/20
Term: Concurrent with Secretary of State

Ms. Rosalind Glover Bryant Vice: Chris Giordano
7821 Hwy. 71 North
Shreveport, LA 71107
Appointed: 1/13/2020
Term: Concurrent with the SOS

Mr. Jeffery S. Girard Vice: Margaret Green
548 Dunmoreland Dr.
Shreveport, LA 71106
Appointed: 1/13/2020
Term: Concurrent with the SOS

Ms. Ann Reid Mills Vice: Markey Pierre
651 Deleware
Shreveport, LA 71106
Appointed: 1/13/2020
Term: Concurrent with the SOS

Mr. Peter D. Ramsey Vice: Gayle Hamilton
4218 Fairfield Ave.
Shreveport, LA 71106
Appointed: 1/13/2020
Term: Concurrent with the SOS

Mr. Paul A. Strickland Vice: Kenneth L. Hickman
2941 Chardonnay Circle
Shreveport, LA 71106
Appointed: 1/13/2020
Term: Concurrent with the SOS

Ms. Nancy S. Walker Vice: Geoffrey Perego
10905 Belle Cour Way
Shreveport, LA 71106
Appointed: 1/13/2020
Term: Concurrent with the SOS

Mr. Richard J. LeBlanc Vice: Self
737 Longleaf
Shreveport, LA 71106
Appointed: 1/13/2020
Term: Concurrent with the SOS

Ms. Nell E. Shehee Vice: Self
2502 Crestwood Dr.
Shreveport, LA 71118
Appointed: 1/13/2020
Term: Concurrent with the SOS

The following are Ex-Officio Members of the Board:

Mr. R. Kyle Ardoin
8585 Archives Ave.
Baton Rouge, LA 70809
Term: Ex-Officio
Seat: SOS or Designee

Ms. Catherine Newsome
5815 Essen Lane
Baton Rouge, LA 70809
Term: Concurrent with SOS
Seat: State Archivist

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
R. KYLE ARDOIN
Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER

May 7, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Department of Treasury - Senate Confirmation

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with the authority granted to me as set forth in LA R.S. 36:761et seq., I have appointed the following individuals to positions with the Louisiana Department of the Treasury, effective January 13, 2020, and therefore, respectfully request the consent of the Senate.

FIRST ASSISTANT STATE TREASURER
Nancy Keaton Vice: Ron Henson
Department of Treasury
P. O. Box 44154
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

DEPUTY STATE TREASURER FOR MANAGEMENT & FINANCE
Renee Fontenot Free Vice: Rachel Kincaid
Department of Treasury
P. O. Box 44154
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

ASSISTANT STATE TREASURER
John J. Broussard Vice: Self
Department of Treasury
P. O. Box 44154
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

ASSISTANT STATE TREASURER & DIRECTOR OF THE STATE BOND COMMISSION
Lela Folse Vice: Self
Department of Treasury
P. O. Box 44154
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,
JOHN M. SCHRODER
State Treasurer

OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER

March 17, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Confirmation of Tony Ligi Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

Dear President Cortez:

In accordance with R. S. 22:2294 requiring confirmation of designees of elected official members of the Board of Directors of Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation, I hereby request that your procedures for such confirmation or consent be initiated for the following individual, to-wit:

Tony Ligi Vice: Renee Fontenot Free
Executive Counsel
P.O. Box 44154
Baton Rouge, LA 70804
Appointed: February 4, 2020
Seat: Designee of the State Treasurer

If we need to do anything else to get these procedures started, please let me know. Otherwise, we will wait to hear from your staff

Sincerely,
JOHN M. SCHRODER
State Treasurer

OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER

March 17, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez
President
Louisiana State Senate
Post Office Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: Confirmation of Tony Ligi Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation Board of Directors Designee

Dear President Cortez:

I have appointed Tony Ligi, Executive Counsel, as my designee to the Board of Directors of the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation. In accordance with R. S. 45:1314 requiring confirmation of designees of elected official members of the Board of Directors of the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation, I hereby request that your procedures for such confirmation or consent be initiated for the following individual, to-wit:

Tony Ligi Vice: Renee Fontenot Free
Executive Counsel
P.O. Box 44154
Baton Rouge, LA 70804
Appointed: February 4, 2020
Seat: Designee of the State Treasurer

If we need to do anything else to get these procedures started, please let me know. Otherwise, we will wait to hear from your staff.

Sincerely,
JOHN M. SCHRODER
State Treasurer

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS
STATE OF LOUISIANA

February 19, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez
Louisiana State Senate
PO Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Cortez:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:785, I have appointed Ms. Julie Baxter Payer as Deputy Secretary of the Louisiana Department of Veterans Affairs.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Louisiana Department of Veterans Affairs and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

May 25, 2020

DEPUTY SECRETARY, LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS  
(Effective January 13, 2020)  
Ms. Julie Baxter Payer  
733 Wiltz Drive  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
JOEY STRICKLAND  
Secretary

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES**

February 12, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez, President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Senator Cortez:

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 36:606, I have appointed Mr. Robert Shadoin as deputy secretary of the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.

In that regard, I hereby acknowledge the following appointment to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and submit to you the name for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

DEPUTY SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES  
(Effective January 13, 2020)  
Mr. Robert Shadoin  
Department of Wildlife and Fisheries  
P. O. Box 98000  
Baton Rouge, LA 70898-9000  
Vice: SELF

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter, and please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,  
JACK MONTOUCET  
Secretary

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES**

February 4, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez  
President, Louisiana Senate  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear President Cortez and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to the authority granted to me as set forth in Louisiana Revised Statute 56:331, I have appointed the following individual as member of the Louisiana Crab Task Force, and therefore, respectfully submit his name to you for consideration of Senate confirmation as required by law.

Mr. Edward Skena  
Department of Wildlife and Fisheries  
P.O. Box 98000  
Baton Rouge, LA 70898-9000

Appointed: January 14, 2020  
Seat: Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Enforcement  
Vice: Chad Joseph Hebert

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Allison West at (504) 286-8739 or awest@wlf.la.gov.

Sincerely,  
JACK MONTOUCET  
Secretary

**LOUISIANA WORKFORCE COMMISSION**

February 14, 2020

The Honorable Patrick Page Cortez,  
President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana, 70804

Dear President Cortez,

I have appointed Kenneth A. Burrell as my Deputy Secretary of the Louisiana Workforce Commission effective January 13, 2020. I would sincerely appreciate having Mr. Burrell's name placed on the Senate and Governmental Affairs agenda for Senate confirmation. His information is as follows:

Name: Kenneth A. Burrell  
Address: 37 Lurline Drive  
Covington, Louisiana 70433  
Position: Deputy Secretary  
Replacing: Self

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions you may have. I look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,  
AVA DEJOIE  
Secretary

**Senate Resolutions on Second Reading**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 58—**  
BY SENATOR REESE

A RESOLUTION

To commend Eric Stracener upon the occasion of his retirement from the DeRidder Fire Department and to recognize his many years of service to the department, the city of DeRidder, and Beauregard Parish.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 59—**  
BY SENATOR FIELDS

A RESOLUTION

To direct the executive branch agencies and entities under the jurisdictional oversight of the Senate Committee on Education to continue to submit statutorily mandated reports until such time as the mandate is specifically amended or repealed.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on  
Second Reading**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 70—  
BY SENATOR JOHNS**

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Dr. Henry Gremillion, DDS, MAGD, Dean of the LSU Health New Orleans School of Dentistry.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields	Mizell
Abraham	Foil	Peacock
Allain	Harris	Pope
Barrow	Hensgens	Price
Bernard	Hewitt	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Carter	Luneau	Tarver
Cathey	McMath	Ward
Cloud	Milligan	White
Connick	Mills, F.	Womack
Fesi	Mills, R.	
Total - 32		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Boudreaux	Lambert	Talbot
Henry	Morris	
Jackson	Peterson	
Total - 7		

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—  
BY SENATOR MIZELL**

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To extend the term of the Task Force on Benefits of Marriage and Incentives for Premarital Counseling and Pre-Divorce Counseling that was created to study the benefits of marriage and the possible incentives to promote premarital counseling and pre-divorce counseling and to make policy recommendations to the legislature.

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 72—  
BY SENATOR BARROW**

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to review the necessity to suspend all statewide assessments for the 2020-2021 school year, due to the impact of the school closures caused by COVID-19.

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

**Message from the House**

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN  
HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

May 22, 2020

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

HB No. 597	HB No. 614	HB No. 615
HB No. 729	HB No. 780	HB No. 781
HB No. 784	HB No. 791	HB No. 817
HB No. 822	HB No. 826	HB No. 122
HB No. 140	HB No. 152	HB No. 197
HB No. 210	HB No. 212	HB No. 218
HB No. 274	HB No. 353	HB No. 361
HB No. 376	HB No. 418	HB No. 425
HB No. 434	HB No. 438	HB No. 450
HB No. 453	HB No. 464	HB No. 465
HB No. 495	HB No. 530	HB No. 561
HB No. 584	HB No. 590	HB No. 390
HB No. 753	HB No. 787	HB No. 820
HB No. 52	HB No. 311	HB No. 363
HB No. 633	HB No. 836	HB No. 102
HB No. 129	HB No. 150	HB No. 151
HB No. 334	HB No. 267	HB No. 357
HB No. 360	HB No. 241	HB No. 529
HB No. 506	HB No. 846	HB No. 525
HB No. 474	HB No. 643	HB No. 815
HB No. 35	HB No. 67	HB No. 101
HB No. 136	HB No. 189	HB No. 338
HB No. 344	HB No. 356	HB No. 372
HB No. 373	HB No. 417	HB No. 593
HB No. 647	HB No. 709	HB No. 726
HB No. 746	HB No. 871	HB No. 70
HB No. 248	HB No. 559	HB No. 575
HB No. 142	HB No. 410	

Respectfully submitted,  
MICHELLE D. FONTENOT  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Bills and Joint Resolutions

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 35— BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2799(A)(2), relative to limitations of liability for damages from donated food; to provide for the limitation of liability for donating wild game; to provide for the definition of "wild game"; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 52— BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:54, relative to registrars of voters; to provide relative to oaths and bonds filed by registrars; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 67— BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:34.2(B)(1) and (3), relative to battery of a police officer; to provide relative to the penalties for battery of a police officer; to increase the penalties for the offense; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 70— BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:26.1(D)(1) and to enact R.S. 29:26.1(B)(11), relative to National Guard death and disability benefits; to provide for qualifying subsequent examinations; to define "qualifying subsequent examination"; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 101— BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:539(C)(8)(g), relative to employees of the East Baton Rouge Parish Housing Authority; to provide that employees of the authority shall not be in the state civil service; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 102— BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:539(C)(8)(g), relative to employees of the Housing Authority of the City of Shreveport; to provide that employees of the authority shall not be in the state civil service; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 122— BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER AN ACT

To enact Chapter 11 of Title 35 of the Louisiana Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 35:701 and 702, relative to the effect of remote notarization during certain emergencies and disasters; to provide for notary services during the COVID-19 public health emergency; to provide relative to the ratification of Section 6 of Proclamation Number 37 JBE 2020 and Part C of Section 5 of Proclamation Number 41 JBE 2020; to provide for retroactive and prospective application; 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 Judiciary A.

HOUSE BILL NO. 129— BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 976(A)(2), relative to expungement of records; to provide relative to the motion to expunge a record of arrest that did not result in a conviction; to provide that a person may file a motion to expunge such record if the person successfully completes a pretrial diversion program; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 136— BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:38.1.1, relative to adulterating food products; to create the crime of adulterating food products; to provide for elements of the offense; to provide for definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 140— BY REPRESENTATIVES MIGUEZ, AMEDEE, BACALA, BEAULLIEU, BOURRIAQUE, BUTLER, CARRIER, CORMIER, CREWS, DEVILLIER, DESHOTEL, DUBUISSON, ECHOLS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAROFALO, GOUDEAU, HARRIS, HODGES, HORTON, HUVAL, IVEY, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCKNIGHT, MINCEY, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, PRESSLY, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUGH, STEFANSKI, TURNER, WHEAT, AND WRIGHT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1796(A), relative to the regulation of firearms; to provide relative to the authority of political subdivisions to regulate the sale, purchase, possession, ownership, transfer, transportation, license, or registration of firearms; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 142— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 3421, 3431(A), and 3432.1(A)(8), relative to successions; to provide relative to the definition of small succession; to authorize the administration of certain testate successions without court approval; to provide for certain required information; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 150—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:34.2(A)(3), relative to battery of a police officer; to provide relative to the elements of the crime of battery of a police officer; to specify that the crime includes the throwing of water and other liquids; to remove the requirement that the offender be incarcerated or detained at the time of the throwing; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 151—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1304.1, relative to fiscal management; to provide for the use of a petty cash account by a political subdivision; to provide for limitations and requirements; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 152—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BROWN, BAGLEY, STAGNI, ADAMS, ROBBY CARTER, CORMIER, COX, EDMONSTON, FREEMAN, AND WILLARD  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1057, relative to insurance coverage for acupuncture; to require coverage for acupuncture performed by a licensed acupuncturist; to prohibit discriminatory terminology; to define key terms; to provide for applicability; 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 Insurance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 189—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 521(A), relative to pretrial motions; to provide relative to the time period within which pretrial motions are required to be filed; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 197—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:61(B)(1) and (C), relative to unauthorized entry of a critical infrastructure; to amend the definition of critical infrastructure to include water control structures, floodgates, and pump stations; to provide relative to criminal penalties; to provide for penalties when the crime is committed during the existence of a state of emergency; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 210—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.18 and 315.19, relative to child support; to provide for the schedule of basic child support obligations; to provide for an obligor's right to claim a child as a dependent for tax purposes; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 212—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:2(B)(48) and (49), 34.9(J), (K), (L), and (M), 35.3(B)(4) and (N), and 37.7(B)(1), R.S. 46:2132(4), and Code of Evidence Article 412.4(D)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 14:34.9(N), (O), and (P) and 35.3(O) and (P), relative to domestic abuse; to provide relative to the crimes of domestic abuse battery and battery of a dating partner; to provide specific penalties when the battery is committed with a dangerous weapon and when committed with a dangerous weapon when the offender intentionally inflicts serious bodily injury; to designate as domestic abuse any felony crime of violence committed by one dating partner against the person of another dating partner; to amend the definition of "family member" for the crimes of domestic abuse battery and domestic abuse aggravated assault and for purposes of the Domestic Abuse Assistance Act; to amend the definitions of "family member" and "household member" for purposes of certain evidentiary provisions applicable in domestic abuse cases; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 218—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRIEMAN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1317.1(A), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for requests for medical examinations; to prohibit the cancellation of a request for medical 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 Labor and Industrial Relations.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 241—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 975 and 992 and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 977(D) and 978(D), relative to expungements; to provide relative to the number of expungements a person may obtain in a certain period of time; to provide relative to the authority of certain persons to file for an expungement while incarcerated; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 248—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1400.9, relative to employees of the secretary of state; to provide relative to overtime compensation for permanent employees of the secretary of state for the performance of election-related activities during certain time periods; to provide that such compensation is an election expense; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 267—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY CARTER  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10.3(C)(3) and (4) of the Constitution of Louisiana and to add Article VII, Section 10.3(A)(5) and (C)(5) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for deposits into and the uses of the Budget Stabilization Fund; to authorize the use of the fund for state costs associated with a disaster declared by the federal government; to provide for deposit into the fund of certain money received by the state from the federal government for the reimbursement of costs associated with such a disaster; to provide for certain limitations

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and requirements; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 274—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 3344(A)(introductory paragraph) and R.S. 35:6 and to enact R.S. 9:2760 and Chapter 10 of Title 35 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 35:621 through 630, relative to remote online notarization; to provide for recordation of tangible copies of electronic acts; to provide for performance of remote online notarization; to provide for limitations relative to remote online notarization; to provide for definitions; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for duties of notaries public; to provide for recordkeeping; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 311—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1155(D), relative to denial of claims by dental service contractors; to prohibit denial of claims based upon preexisting conditions; to authorize a twelve-month waiting period for preexisting conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 334—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT, MIGUEZ, AND CHARLES OWEN  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:1379.3(N)(8) and (U), relative to concealed handgun permits; to provide relative to the authority of a concealed handgun permit holder; to provide relative to the limitations on the authority of a concealed handgun permit holder to carry in certain places; to authorize a concealed handgun permit holder to carry a concealed handgun in a place of worship; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 338—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.3(B), relative to reports furnished to the committee on parole; to provide for the reporting of certain physical and mental health information of an offender appearing before the committee on parole; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 344—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:865, relative to solitary confinement; to prohibit the use of solitary confinement for certain persons; 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 Judiciary B.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 353—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1151(7) and (8) and 1157.1, relative to downcoding by dental service contractors; to prohibit downcoding unless certain criteria are met; to require an explanation of the change of procedure code; to require disclosure of downcoding policies; to define key terms; to provide for penalties; to provide for prohibitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 356—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4842(B) and 4843(B) and R.S. 13:5202(B), relative to the subject matter jurisdiction of parish, city, and small claims courts; to provide for civil jurisdiction over claims brought by individuals and neighborhood associations seeking enforcement of ordinances; to provide for the amount in dispute; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 357—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:90(E) and 90.3(K), R.S. 18:1300.24, and R.S. 27:15.1, relative to sports wagering; to provide for a proposition election to determine whether sports wagering activities and operations will be permitted in a parish; to provide for regulatory authority with the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide relative to exceptions to crimes of gambling and gambling by computer; to provide relative to effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 360—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the valuation of oil and gas wells; to authorize the inclusion of the presence and production of oil and gas in a well for the purpose of determining fair market value for ad valorem taxes; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 361—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DAVIS, NELSON, AND CHARLES OWEN AND SENATORS FOIL AND MCMATH  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4541(A)(11) and Chapter 24-A of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:4261.101 through 4261.303, relative to supportive decisionmaking agreements for certain adults; to provide for the Supported Decisionmaking Agreement Act; to provide for the scope of supported decisionmaking agreements; to provide for certain definitions, terms, procedures, conditions, requirements, and effects; to provide for access to personal information; to provide for the authority of certain persons; to provide for the term of a supported decisionmaking agreement; to provide for revocation; to provide for liability as between the parties and third parties; and to provide for related matters.

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



**HOUSE BILL NO. 363—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:764.1 and 795(B)(1)(o), relative to retired volunteer dental hygienists; to authorize the licensure of retired dental hygienists who provide voluntary dental hygiene services; to provide for the procedures and requirements to obtain a retired volunteer dental hygienist license; to provide for a limitation of liability for retired volunteer dental hygienists and an exception to the limitation of liability; to provide for a return to active licensure status; to provide a renewal date; to provide for fees and costs; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 372—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.32, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Forest Oak Windsor Place Crime Prevention, Improvement, and Beautification District; to provide relative to the boundaries, purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the authority to impose a parcel fee within the district, subject to voter approval; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 373—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCKNIGHT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9097.11(F)(2) and (4)(b), relative to the Westminster Pine Park Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide relative to the parcel fee levied within the district; to authorize an increase in the maximum amount of the fee, subject to voter approval; to provide relative to the expiration of the fee; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 376—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARCELLE AND JAMES  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2476(B)(1)(e), relative to the city of Baton Rouge; to provide relative to the municipal fire and police civil service board; to provide relative to the qualifications of board members; to require specified members of the board to reside within certain areas of East Baton Rouge Parish; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 390—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LARVADAIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:27.2, relative to parking for disabled veterans; to provide for a parking fee exemption for all service-connected disabled veterans at the Port of New Orleans cruise terminals; to establish identification requirements applicable to the parking fee exemption at cruise terminals for the Port of New Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 410—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:408 and Civil Code Article 190.1, relative to the presumption of paternity; to provide for the child support obligation owed by a presumed father who executes a

three-party acknowledgment; to provide for the proper parties in a filiation or paternity proceeding; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 417—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 406(A), relative to costs and fees in juvenile cases; to provide relative to the authority of the court to waive costs and fees in juvenile cases; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 418—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:966(F)(6) and to enact R.S. 40:966(F)(7) and (8), relative to immunity from prosecution for medical marijuana; to provide that certain facilities and physicians shall be exempt from prosecution for certain violations of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 425—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1541, relative to firemen training; to provide for the firemen training program at Louisiana State University; to provide relative to participation in the program; to increase the membership of the Louisiana Fire and Emergency Training Commission; to revise the commission's powers and duties; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 434—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:30.1(A)(5) and 31(A)(3), relative to homicide; to provide relative to second degree murder and manslaughter; to provide relative to the elements of the crimes of second degree murder and manslaughter; to provide relative to a continuous sequence of events resulting in the death of a human being; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 438—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.6(A), (E), and (F) and 236.7(B) and (F) and to enact R.S. 46:236.6(B)(4) and (G) and 236.7(C)(4) and (G), relative to child support contempt proceedings; to require certain findings by the court; to require certain information to appear in a rule for contempt; to provide for the enforcement of a support order upon termination; and to provide for related matters.

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

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 450—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:62(B), relative to burglary; to provide relative to the crime of simple burglary; to provide for certain penalties when the offense is committed with a firearm 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 453—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 910, relative to modification of dispositions; to provide relative to a motion to modify a disposition; to require the motion to be served upon all parties; to provide relative to the circumstances under which a contradictory hearing is required; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 464—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BEAULLIEU, AMEDEE, BACALA, BRYANT, CARRIER, CORMIER, CREWS, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER, EDMONDS, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, FRIEMAN, GAROFALO, HARRIS, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCCORMICK, MCKNIGHT, MIGUEZ, PRESSLY, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUGH, THOMAS, AND WRIGHT  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10(C)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the expenditure limit; to provide for the method of determining the expenditure limit; to limit the growth of the expenditure limit; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 465—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 9.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to create a protected special fund which requires the enactment of a law by two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature to increase or decrease the amount of monies dedicated to the fund, to modify the purposes for which monies in the fund may be used, or to repeal the fund; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 474—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN AND WRIGHT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 603.1, relative to mandatory reporters of child abuse and neglect; to provide relative to the training requirements for certain mandatory reporters; to require teachers and child care providers to complete an annual training on mandatory reporter laws; to provide for the retention of records of completion; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 495—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:387.21, relative to trucks transporting earthen materials; to authorize the issuance of per project special permits for trucks transporting earthen materials under certain circumstances; to establish a fee for the special permit; to

provide for a weight limitation; to establish certain requirements for permit holders; to provide for a penalty; to provide for rule promulgation; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 506—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:633(7)(a), (b), and (c)(i)(aa), relative to severance tax; to reduce the severance tax rate on oil over a certain period of time; to clarify the severance tax rate on oil produced from certain wells; to provide for certain limitations; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 525—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 18(G)(1)(a)(ii) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the requirement that a person's income not exceed a certain amount in order to receive the special assessment level for residential property receiving the homestead exemption; to increase the amount of income allowed in order to qualify for the special assessment level; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 529—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:714, relative to prisons and prisoners; to provide for the issuance of letters of incarceration; to provide that any person who was confined or under probation or parole supervision is entitled to receive a letter of incarceration; to provide for the time period within which a letter shall be issued; to provide for certain required information; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 530—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-1 of Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1841 through 1846, relative to payment of claims for services provided through telehealth or telemedicine; to define key terms; to require coverage for healthcare services provided through telehealth and telemedicine; to provide relative to healthcare services provided through store-and-forward telemedicine; to provide for reimbursement for healthcare services provided through remote patient monitoring; 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 Insurance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 559—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:8, relative to early childhood; provides relative to literacy for children from birth through third grade; provides relative to funding; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 561—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.33(A)(1) and (5), 337.71, 1401, 1407(1) and (3), 1408(D)(1), and 1434(A) and to enact R.S. 47:337.22(E), 337.33(E), and 1431(E), relative to the administration, enforcement, and adjudication of state and local taxes; to provide for certain collection procedures; to provide for the jurisdiction of the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for the filing of certain petitions with the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for the judicial review of decisions of the Board of Tax Appeals; to authorize a local collector to extend a filing or payment deadline under certain circumstances; to require the publication of certain extensions; to require the waiver of penalties under certain circumstances; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to authorize the filing of certain actions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 575—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:321(A)(5) through (7) and (G), relative to collateral for deposits of state funds; to provide relative to the types of instruments that may be required as collateral; to provide relative to restrictions on certain types of instruments used as collateral; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 584—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SELDERS AND JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1816(C)(2), relative to crime victims reparations; to provide relative to the Crime Victims Reparations Fund; to provide relative to the sources and uses of the fund; to provide relative to the authorized uses of certain monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 590—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4712.18, relative to the donation of equipment and personnel between political subdivisions; to require a written agreement between political subdivisions; to identify the requirements of the written agreement; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 593—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4291(A) and (B), relative to judicial and legal mortgages securing child support payments; to provide for a prescriptive period; to provide for the effect of recordation; to provide for retroactivity; 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 Judiciary A.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 597—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES NELSON, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BUTLER, CARRIER, CREWS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GAROFALO, HARRIS, HENRY, HORTON, IVEY, MIKE JOHNSON, MACK, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MIGUEZ, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUGH, WHEAT, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Article 2315.11, relative to the presumption of causation of injuries; to prohibit a presumption of causation in

certain circumstances; to provide for prospective application; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 614—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact Chapter 21 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:2501 through 2511, relative to data security for persons regulated by the commissioner of insurance; to define key terms; to require licensees to maintain an information security program; to provide for the investigation of data security breaches; to require notification of data security breaches; to provide for the confidentiality of certain information; to authorize penalties for violations; to provide for defenses; to establish a public records exception; 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 Insurance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 615—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1231.1(A)(15) and 1237.1(A)(5) and to enact R.S. 40:1231.1(M) and 1237.1(D)(3), relative to medical malpractice; to provide relative to the definition of "patient"; to provide relative to organ procurement organizations; to provide for unintentional acts or omissions by certain persons relative to anatomical gift donations; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 633—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1267, relative to cybersecurity training; to provide for the development of the training; to require all public servants to receive training; to require certain contractors to receive training; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 643—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(D)(1) and to enact R.S. 15:574.7(E), relative to the committee on parole; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the committee on parole; to provide relative to the time and conditions of release on parole; to provide relative to the supervision and fees associated with the supervision of a parolee; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 647—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SELDERS AND JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4720.151(C)(1), (F)(1), and (G)(1)(introductory paragraph), relative to the East Baton Rouge Redevelopment Authority; to provide relative to the name of the authority; to authorize the authority to use a trade name; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 709—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(12)(b) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(9)(c), relative to the Department of Revenue, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Revenue 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 Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 726—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT AND ZERINGUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2558(A), relative to certified shorthand reporters; to provide relative to the board of examiners for shorthand reporters; to provide relative to fees collected from applicants; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 729—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARCELLE, ADAMS, BRYANT, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COX, CREWS, DUPLESSIS, EDMONSTON, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, LARVADAIN, LYONS, NELSON, NEWELL, PHELPS, PIERRE, SELDERS, AND WHITE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:2605.4, 2605.5, and 2605.6 and to repeal R.S. 46:2607, relative to children; to establish the Council on the Children of Incarcerated Parents and Caregivers; to provide for the membership of the council; to provide for the domicile, purposes, duties, and authority of the council; to establish the Children of Incarcerated Parents and Caregivers Fund; to provide relative to the administration and use of monies in the fund; to repeal the termination date of the Children's Cabinet; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 746—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:95(L), relative to the illegal carrying of weapons; to provide an exception to the crime of illegal carrying of weapons for certain persons during a mandatory evacuation in a declared state of emergency or disaster; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 753—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:327(D) and to enact R.S. 32:327(E), relative to special restrictions on lamps; to authorize the sale of emergency lights to a person employed in highway construction services; to authorize the possession of emergency lights by highway construction personnel; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 780—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:414.2(A)(2)(c) through (h) and to enact R.S. 32:414.2(A)(2)(i) and (F), relative to commercial motor vehicle driver's and learner's permit holders; to provide for disqualification from operating a commercial motor vehicle

for committing certain felonies; to provide for disqualification under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 781—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MIGUEZ, AMEDEE, BACALA, BEAULLIEU, BUTLER, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER, DUBUISSON, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FRIEMAN, GAROFALO, HARRIS, HORTON, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCCORMICK, MCKNIGHT, MINCEY, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, THOMAS, WHEAT, AND WRIGHT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:329.6(C), (G), and (H)(1) and R.S. 29:724(D)(4) and (6), 727(F)(4) and (8), 730.3(F), 737(B)(7), 738(A), 766(D)(4) and (8), and 772, to enact R.S. 14:329.6(H)(3) and R.S. 29:738(C), and to repeal R.S. 14:329.6(A)(6), relative to the regulation of firearms and ammunition during a declared emergency or disaster or public health emergency; to declare certain firearm- and ammunition-related businesses as essential; to provide relative to the authority to regulate the manufacture, sale, and possession of firearms and ammunition during a declared emergency or disaster or public health emergency; to provide relative to the authority of firearm- and ammunition-related businesses to operate during a declared emergency or disaster or public health emergency; to provide relative to the authority of certain officials to regulate with respect to firearms and ammunition during a declared emergency or disaster or public health emergency; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 784—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCORMICK  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1491.5(B)(2), 1491.7(B)(5), 1495.3(B)(2), 1495.5(B)(5), 1505.2(C)(2), and 1505.3(C), relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to provide for the method of reporting certain campaign contributions; to change certain record-keeping requirements; to provide for civil and criminal penalties; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 787—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:2206, relative to transportation network companies; to provide relative to an exception to liability applicable to transportation network companies under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 791—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.22(C)(1), 337.23(K)(2), 339(A)(4), and 340(A), (E)(2) and (4), (F)(2), (G)(7) and (9), and (I) and to enact R.S. 47:337.23(K)(3), 337.103, 339(A)(5), 340(J), and 1520(A)(4), relative to the mandatory filing of certain electronic returns for local sales and use tax remittance; to create an application to facilitate the electronic registration of taxpayers; to provide authority to the Department of Revenue related to registration; to provide for electronic filing; to provide for a registration number; to provide for a technological solution; to provide authority to the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers related to the

administration of remitting sales and use tax; to provide for funding; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 815—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3103(A)(3), (3.1), and (4) and to enact R.S. 37:3103(A)(11) and 3105(C) and (D), relative to online auctions; to define terms; to provide for auctions conducted through internet-based platforms; to provide for the employment of live auctioneers; to provide for responsible parties; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 817—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUSTIN MILLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:460.51(7) and to enact R.S. 46:460.54(G) and 460.91(C)(5) and (F), relative to the state medical assistance program known commonly as Medicaid; to stipulate that providers of nonemergency, non-ambulance medical transportation services shall be deemed as healthcare providers for purposes of laws pertaining to the Medicaid managed care program; to provide for review of contracts, policies, and procedures for Medicaid nonemergency, non-ambulance transportation brokers; to require disclosure of claims payment data associated with Medicaid nonemergency, non-ambulance medical transportation; to provide for reports to certain legislative committees of information on claims processing in the Medicaid managed care program; to specify data and other material to be included in such reports; 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 Health and Welfare.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 820—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO

AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Article 3472.1 and Code of Civil Procedure Article 562, relative to civil proceedings; to provide relative to declaration of emergencies; to provide relative to suspension of prescription and peremption periods and other legal deadlines; to provide relative to the suspension of abandonment; to provide for cessation of suspension; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 822—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:259(A)(20) and R.S. 37:3386.1 through 3387.4, 3387.5(B) through (D), (E)(introductory paragraph) and (1) through (3), (F), and (G)(2) through (4), 3387.6(B) through (D), (E)(introductory paragraph), (2), (3), (5), and (6), (F), (G)(2) through (4), and (I), 3387.10(B), (C), (D)(introductory paragraph), (1) through (4), (5)(b) through (d), and (6) through (8), and (E), 3387.11(B), (C), (D)(introductory paragraph), (1) through (4), (5)(b) through (d), and (6) through (8), and (E), 3387.12(B), (C), (D)(introductory paragraph), (1) through (4), (5)(b) through (d), and (6) through (8), and (E), 3387.14(B) through (E), 3388(B) and (C), 3388.1(B) and (C), 3388.2(B) through (D), 3388.3(A), 3388.4(A)(introductory paragraph) and (8) through (11) and (B), 3389, 3390, 3390.1(C) and (D), 3390.2, 3390.3(A)(introductory paragraph), (3), (5), (7), and (12) and (B) through (D), 3390.4(introductory paragraph) and (5), and 3390.6(A) and (B)(introductory

paragraph) and (1) through (7), to enact R.S. 37:3388.4(A)(13) through (15) and 3390.3(E), and to repeal R.S. 37:3387.10(F) and (G), 3387.13, and 3388.3(B), relative to the practice of counseling of persons with addictive disorders by licensed, certified, and registered professionals; to provide relative to credentialing requirements for such professionals; to make revisions in the Addictive Disorders Practice Act; to provide for the roles of the Louisiana Department of Health and the Addictive Disorder Regulatory Authority with respect to credentialing and regulation of professionals engaged in counseling of persons with addictive disorders; to provide for the governing board of the authority as the successor to the department with respect to the licensing, certification, and registration of such professionals; to provide for definitions; to provide for redesignation of certain laws by the Louisiana State Law Institute; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 826—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES PRESSLY, AMEDEE, BAGLEY, ROBBY CARTER, CREWS, EMERSON, FIRMENT, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GAROFALO, HARRIS, HORTON, LACOMBE, MCCORMICK, SEABAUGH, THOMAS, AND WHEAT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2800.25, relative to the limitation of liability; to provide for the limitation of liability during the COVID-19 public health emergency; to provide for the liability of certain property owners; to provide for the liability of certain natural and juridical persons; to provide for the liability of state and local governments and political subdivisions; to provide for liability related to the design, manufacture, distribution, use, and administration of personal protective equipment; to provide for the rights of employees; to provide for liability related to business operations; to provide for claims pursuant to the Louisiana Workers' Compensation Law; to provide for retroactive application; 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 Judiciary A.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 836—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:761(D) and 764(E), relative to professionals licensed by the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry; to provide for the waiver of certain licensing requirements in the event of a declared state of emergency; 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 Health and Welfare.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 846—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:3122, relative to the competitive projects payroll incentive program; to establish a payroll incentive for certain businesses impacted by certain public health emergencies; to provide for the amount of the incentive; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility; to provide for requirements and limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 871— (Substitute for House Bill No. 391 by Representative Marino)**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARINO, BRASS, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, PRESSLY, AND WRIGHT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(11)(d)(i) and 2112(B), relative to screening and intervention for students; to redefine the term dyslexia for purposes of testing students for dyslexia and

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providing services to students with dyslexia; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 22, 2020

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

- HCR No. 62 HCR No. 63 HCR No. 93
HCR No. 35 HCR No. 3 HCR No. 29
HCR No. 50 HCR No. 60 HCR No. 61
HCR No. 64 HCR No. 81 HCR No. 83
HCR No. 91

Respectfully submitted, MICHELLE D. FONTENOT Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Concurrent Resolutions

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3— BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the continuation of the Louisiana Commission on Justice System Funding established by HCR No. 87 of the 2019 Regular Session of the Legislature, to provide for the membership, powers, and duties of the commission, and to require the commission to report its findings.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29— BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the creation of the Clean Slate Task Force to study and evaluate the process and procedure for automatic criminal record-clearing for individuals who are eligible for expungement under Louisiana law.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35— BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To extend the existence of the False River Watershed Council and provide for its membership.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50— BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Insurance to study and report on the status of health insurance coverage for postpartum treatment and procedures for diastasis recti, pelvic floor dysfunction, and breast reduction and to submit a written report of its findings to the House Committee on Insurance and the Senate Committee on Insurance no later than February 1, 2021.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60— BY REPRESENTATIVES KERNER, BOURRIAQUE, BRYANT, BUTLER, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCCORMICK, MINCEY, RISER, ROMERO, ST. BLANC, THOMPSON, AND WHEAT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to review and consider the appropriation of additional funds for the purpose of performing inspections on foreign seafood processors and farms that import seafood into the United States.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61— BY REPRESENTATIVES RISER AND MINCEY A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to review the regulations governing the possession and ownership of certain exotic and invasive species and evaluate the advisability of including additional species in those prohibitions.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 62— BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue the Comite River Diversion Canal Project Task Force, which includes the Amite River Basin District, and to authorize the task force to study and make recommendations on actions necessary to complete construction of the Comite River Diversion Project and mitigate flooding caused by the Comite and Amite rivers.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63— BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the division of administration, office of community development, to consider funding the Darlington Reservoir.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64— BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express support for the annual Gulf Hypoxia Mapping Cruise conducted by the Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium (LUMCON), as well as support for continued funding for this important effort, and to recognize the important role the cruise plays in understanding and conserving our coastal resources by memorializing the United States Congress and the Louisiana congressional delegation to authorize continued funding for this most important endeavor.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish a task force to study and make recommendations relative to projected workforce demands in the cannabis industry in Louisiana and to report its findings and recommendations to the Legislature of Louisiana no later than February 1, 2021.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study the costs and benefits of setting Medicaid reimbursement rates for primary care services at levels that are at least equal to Medicare rates for those services, and to report findings from the study to the House Committee on Appropriations, the Senate Committee on Finance, and the legislative committees on health and welfare.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 91—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request Voice of the Experienced, the Formerly Incarcerated Transition Clinic at the Ruth U. Fertel Tulane Community Health Center, Loyola University New Orleans College of Law, and the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center at New Orleans to study the adequacy of health services provided to inmates in facilities operated by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and to report findings of the study to the legislature.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the governor to ensure that the individual liberty and rights of the citizens of Louisiana are protected as the state administers the public health function known as contact tracing.

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

### House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading

**HOUSE BILL NO. 263—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1053, relative to coverage of step therapy or fail first protocols; to provide for clinical review criteria and use of clinical practice guidelines to be used as minimum standards in developing a step therapy or fail first protocol; to provide for clarification on providers lawfully allowed to prescribe; to provide for an override request process for restricted prescription drugs; to provide for override clinical evidence; to provide for decision-making timelines; to provide for appeal rights; to provide for definitions; to provide for application; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 435—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-1 of Part II of Chapter 5-D of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1160.1 through 1160.4, relative to nonconsensual pelvic and rectal examinations; to provide methods by which consent shall be obtained by the patient or personal healthcare representative; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions to obtaining informed consent from the patient or personal healthcare representative; to provide for penalties; to provide for learners in a clinical setting; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 445—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, DUBUISSON, FRIEMAN,  
STEFANSKI, AND WRIGHT

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10(F)(4)(i) and Part V of Article VII, to be comprised of Section 28, of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to unclaimed property funds; to provide for the creation of a special trust fund; to provide for the dedication and credit of unclaimed property monies; to provide for the investment, administration, and use of the monies in the special trust fund; to exempt the monies in the fund from reduction in certain circumstances; to provide for certain reporting requirements; to provide for appropriation of monies in the special fund; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 455—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1046(A)(2)(a)(xvii), relative to recommendation by physicians of marijuana for therapeutic use, known commonly as medical marijuana; to provide for medical conditions which qualify a patient for treatment with medical marijuana; to authorize the recommendation of medical marijuana by a physician in treating any condition for which a patient is receiving hospice care or palliative care; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 536—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, AMEDEE, BACALA,  
BAGLEY, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIAQUE, BUTLER, CARRIER,  
WILFORD CARTER, COUSSAN, DAVIS, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER,  
DUBUISSON, EDMONDS, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FONTENOT,  
FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAROFALO, GOUDEAU, HARRIS,  
HILFERTY, HORTON, HUVAL, ILLG, MIKE JOHNSON, MAGEE,  
MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCKNIGHT, MCMAHEN, MIGUEZ,  
GREGORY MILLER, MINCEY, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN,  
RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, THOMAS,  
WHEAT, WRIGHT, AND ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To enact Subpart U of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.161, relative to unclaimed property; to provide for the dedication and credit of unclaimed property monies; to provide for the creation of a special fund; to provide for the investment and administration of the money in the special fund; to provide for the use of money in the special fund; 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 Finance.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 610—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LANDRY, ADAMS, BACALA, BEAULLIEU, BROWN, BRYANT, CARPENTER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COX, CREWS, DESHOTEL, DUPLESSIS, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, GAINES, GREEN, HILFERTY, HORTON, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JONES, JORDAN, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MAGEE, MCKNIGHT, DUSTIN MILLER, MINCEY, MOORE, NEWELL, PHELPS, PIERRE, SELDERS, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, THOMPSON, WHEAT, WHITE, AND WILLARD

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1079.1(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 40:1079.4, relative to minors; to provide for the minor's consent to medical treatment; to provide for forensic medical examinations; to provide for a minor's consent for sexual trauma treatment; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 765—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT, BRASS, CORMIER, FIRMENT, FREIBERG, GADBERRY, HORTON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, CHARLES OWEN, PIERRE, SCHAMERHORN, AND SELDERS

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 47:463.209, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to establish the "Louisiana State University National Champions 2019" specialty license plate; to provide for the creation, issuance, design, implementation, fees, distribution, and rule promulgation applicable to such 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.

**House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To authorize and direct the House Committee on Commerce, or a subcommittee thereof, and the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs, or a subcommittee thereof, to meet and to function as a joint committee to study what legislative measures should be taken to best capitalize on Louisiana's competitive advantage in international trade by 2030 and to report the findings of the joint committee to the legislature prior to the convening of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RETIREMENT**

Senator Edward J. "Ed" Price, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Retirement, submitted the following report:

May 22, 2020

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 57—**

BY SENATORS PRICE, FIELDS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, PEACOCK AND TALBOT

**A RESOLUTION**

To direct the executive branch agencies under the jurisdictional oversight of the Senate Committee on Retirement to continue to submit statutorily mandated reports until such time as the mandate is specifically amended or repealed.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON, ADAMS, BACALA, BEAULLIEU, EMERSON, FIRMENT, FREEMAN, HARRIS, ILLG, IVEY, NELSON, AND TARVER AND SENATOR BERNARD

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To memorialize the United States Congress to support S.521 of the 116<sup>th</sup> Congress, the Social Security Fairness Act, and to take such actions as are necessary to review and consider eliminating provisions of federal law which reduce Social Security benefits for those receiving pension benefits from federal, state, or local government retirement or pension systems, plans, or funds.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 4—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1985(B), relative to plan experience studies for the Parochial Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to the frequency of such studies; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 8—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIACQUE

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 11:710(A)(6)(c) and to repeal R.S. 11:710(A)(5)(a), relative to the reemployment of retirees from the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to earnings and benefits of substitute classroom teachers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 11—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2256(A)(3) and (B)(1)(d), to enact R.S. 11:2256(A)(6), and to repeal R.S. 11:2256(B)(1)(f), relative to benefits in the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to payment of benefits if a member dies prior to retirement; to provide for a benefit recipient; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 12—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2256(A)(5), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the reemployment of retirees; to provide for suspension of benefits; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 13—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:157(A)(1), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System and the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to employee membership in the systems; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.



**HOUSE BILL NO. 14—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2256(E)(3), relative to employee contributions to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide relative to the refund of employee contributions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 15—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE COUSSAN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1753(C) and 1923(C), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana and the Parochial Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide with respect to membership of certain employees in Lafayette; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 17—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1902(12)(c) and (d) and (13) and 1903 and to enact R.S. 11:1902(12)(f) and (g), relative to employers covered by the Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to certain employers that choose such coverage; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 18—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2220(G), 2221(C) and (E)(1)(a), 2225(A)(1), 2225.4(B) and (C)(1)(a), and 2227(B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (b), (G), and (J), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to employer and employee contributions; to provide for suspension of benefit payments and extension of Deferred Retirement Option Plan participation period under certain circumstances; to provide with regard to interest and penalties for delinquent contributions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 21—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2213(11)(b) and (12), 2214(A)(2)(a) and (d)(ii) and (B), 2220(B)(1)(a)(i) and (2)(d), 2223(F), 2241.4, 2241.8(1)(a), and 2242.8(1)(a), to enact R.S. 11:2213(11)(h), (12.1), and (21.1), 2214(A)(2)(d)(iv) and (v), 2220(B)(2)(e) and (6) and (J), (K), and (L), 2223(A)(3) and (G), 2224(G) and (H), 2241.8(5), and 2242.8(5), and to repeal R.S. 11:2219, relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide for payment of benefits to trusts; to provide relative to age and other limitations on membership; to provide relative to required physical examinations; to provide relative to survivor and disability benefits and beneficiary options; to provide relative to reemployment of retirees; to provide relative to collection of benefits paid in error; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
EDWARD J. "ED" PRICE  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON****FINANCE**

Senator Mack A. "Bodi" White Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:

May 22, 2020

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER AND GAROFALO  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state of Louisiana through the Louisiana Department of Health, or any other state agency as may be deemed appropriate, to provide funding from the CARES Act, P.L.116-136, or any additional federal funding to Louisiana private healthcare systems for COVID-19 testing and to report the proposed distribution to the legislature by June 1, 2020.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 249—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5722(A)(2)(e), relative to court costs in Concordia Parish; to provide for an additional court fee in criminal matters in all courts in Concordia Parish; to provide relative to the coroner's operational fund; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 269—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:94(C)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 39:73(D) and 94(A)(5) and (C)(5), relative to the Budget Stabilization Fund; to provide for the uses of the fund; to provide for limits on the use of the fund; to provide for the incorporation of a certain amount of the fund in the official forecast for costs incurred by the state associated with a federally declared disaster; to provide for deposit of certain monies into the fund; to provide for allotment and expenditure of the amount incorporated into the official forecast; to provide certain limitations and requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 412—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.31(B) and to enact R.S. 39:100.31(C), relative to the State Emergency Response Fund; to provide for authorized uses of monies in the fund; to provide for legislative intent with respect to prior Acts of the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 469—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BEAULLIEU AND GAROFALO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:33.1(A) through (C), relative to the expenditure limit; to provide for submission of the expenditure limit to the legislature; to provide for the base for determining the expenditure limit; to cap the annual growth of the expenditure limit; to provide for the calculation of the growth factor; to provide for the calculation of state general fund and

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dedicated funds applicable to the expenditure limit; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 477—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:199.1, relative to technology procurement; to authorize alternative procedures for procurement of certain technology; to provide limitations and requirements; to provide relative to the duties and authority of the Joint Legislative Committee on Technology and Cybersecurity and the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 562—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:51(C) and 57.1(B) and to enact R.S. 39:57.1(C), relative to state expenditures; to provide for the initial expenditure allocation of personal services in the operating budget; to limit the transfer of personal services expenditures; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 653—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:159(B)(1) through (3) and 161(B), relative to unclaimed property; to revise reporting thresholds for abandoned property; to revise the minimum value beneath which unclaimed property need not be advertised; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 691—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS  
AN ACT

To reenact R.S. 30:2551 and 2552(A) and (C), to amend and reenact R.S. 30:2552(B) and Section 22 of Act No. 612 of the 2018 Regular Session, and to repeal R.S. 30:2552(A), (B), and (C) as amended by Section 9 of Act No. 612 of the 2018 Regular Session, relative to brownfields cleanup and redevelopment; to reinstate the Brownfields Cleanup Revolving Loan Fund and program; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 758—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2211(A)(14) and 2248(C), relative to payment of obligations arising under public contracts; to allow public entities to withhold liquidated damages for public works contracts under certain circumstances; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 835—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAHEN  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart D-1 of Part I of Chapter 5-E of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1248.1 through 1248.11, relative to financing by the state Medicaid program of health services in certain parishes; to create and provide for a local healthcare provider participation program; to designate the parishes in which the program may be operated; to authorize local hospital assessment payments to be

made to those parishes; to authorize the establishment of special provider participation funds by those parishes; to provide requirements for the uses of monies in such special funds; to require public hearings concerning local hospital assessment payments and uses of monies derived from such payments; to authorize a rural institutional provider payment methodology contingent upon federal approval; to provide for administrative rulemaking by the Louisiana Department of Health; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 849—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES OWEN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(F)(5), relative to the Beaugard Tourist Commission; to provide relative to the collection of hotel occupancy taxes levied by the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,  
MACK A. "BODI" WHITE JR.  
Chairman

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON  
FINANCE**

Senator Mack A. "Bodi" White Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:

May 25, 2020

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 56—**  
BY SENATOR WHITE  
A RESOLUTION

To direct the executive branch agencies under the jurisdictional oversight of the Senate Committee on Finance to continue to submit statutorily mandated reports until such time as the mandate is specifically amended or repealed.

Reported favorably.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68—**  
BY SENATOR WHITE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the executive branch agencies under the jurisdictional oversight of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to continue to submit statutorily mandated reports until such time as the mandate is specifically amended or repealed.

Reported favorably.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 734—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRASS AND FREEMAN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3129.6(B), to enact Chapter 18-A of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:2941 through 2944, and to repeal R.S. 17:2922.1(C) and 2929, relative to dual enrollment; to provide for a statewide dual enrollment program; to provide for funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without action.

Respectfully submitted,  
MACK A. "BODI" WHITE JR.  
Chairman

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Milligan asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 697 from the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 697—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCORMICK  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Subpart D of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:140.1 through 140.36, relative to the Shreveport Metropolitan Planning Commission of Caddo Parish; to remove the territory of Caddo Parish from the jurisdiction of the commission; to remove the powers granted to the governing authority of Caddo Parish to participate in commission functions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Milligan, House Bill No. 697 was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Foil asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 738 from the Committee on Judiciary B.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 738—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DUSTIN MILLER AND SCHEXNAYDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:147.1(D) and R.S. 27:438(A) and (B)(1) through (3) and to enact R.S. 4:147.1(E), relative to horse racing; to provide relative to monies earned for purse supplements from video draw poker device revenues; to provide relative to the distribution of video draw poker device revenues at licensed eligible facilities; to provide relative to purse supplements for quarter horse and thoroughbred races; to provide for a contingent effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Foil, House Bill No. 738 was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary C.

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Foil asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 812 from the Committee on Judiciary B.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 812—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DUSTIN MILLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:214.1, relative to horse racing facilities; to provide for racing days; to provide for thoroughbred race meets; to provide for a contingent effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Foil, House Bill No. 812 was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary C.

**Rules Suspended****Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 60—**  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK  
A RESOLUTION

To direct certain executive and judicial branch agencies to continue to submit statutorily mandated reports to the Senate Committee on Judiciary A until such time as the mandate is specifically amended or repealed.

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

**Message from the House****SIGNED HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 29—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:403.3(A) and R.S. 40:2521, relative to reports of missing children; to provide relative to the duty of law enforcement upon receipt of reports of missing children; to provide relative to the entities to which the law enforcement agency is required and permitted to report; to provide relative to the entry of certain information into the National Crime Information Center's database; to provide relative to the time period within which the entry and reporting occur; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 58—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER  
AN ACT

To enact 13:5554(LL), relative to the Catahoula Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for the payment of insurance premium costs; to provide for eligibility requirements for the payment of insurance premium costs for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs of the Catahoula Parish Sheriff's Office; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 62—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:477(14), 589(A), and 621.14, relative to the Fourteenth Judicial District; to provide for the election of judges in the Fourteenth Judicial District; to provide for a new division of the court with limited or specialized jurisdiction; to abolish a division of the court; to provide for the composition of the election sections for the election of judges; to provide for the election sections from which the judges are elected; to provide relative to the election of the magistrate judge of the Fourteenth Judicial District; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 65—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:139.1(C), relative to the crime of political payroll padding; to provide relative to the exceptions to the crime of political payroll padding by a sheriff; to provide for additional exceptions when no opponent qualifies to run against an incumbent sheriff or when an incumbent sheriff's reelection has been officially declared; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 77—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart (2) of Part II of Chapter 5 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:574.14, and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895(P), relative to supervision of persons on probation or parole; to provide relative to the reporting requirements of persons on probation or parole; to authorize the use of certain technology to comply with reporting requirements; to provide certain specifications for the technology; to provide relative to when the technology may be used; to authorize the Department of Public

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Safety and Corrections to promulgate certain rules; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 89—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:964(Schedule II)(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (E)(3) and to enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(A)(68) through (71), (D)(6) and (7), (Schedule IV)(B)(2.1) and (25.1) and (D)(14), and (Schedule V)(D)(5) and (6), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to add certain substances to Schedules I, II, IV, and V; to provide relative to substances of vegetable origin or chemical synthesis in Schedule II; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 98—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 863(A), relative to the signing of civil pleadings; to provide for a physical service address; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 99—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(12)(b) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(9)(a), relative to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 113—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:284(F), relative to the use of facility dogs in certain circumstances; to provide an alternative reference to the law regarding the use of facility dogs in court proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 116—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE COX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5807(A)(15) and 5807.1(A)(introductory paragraph), to enact R.S. 13:5807(C), and to repeal R.S. 13:5807.1(D), relative to costs and fees; to provide relative to the fees of office of city marshals and constables; to increase fees that the city marshal of Natchitoches is entitled to charge for services provided in civil matters; to provide relative to the marshal's training and equipment fund; to provide relative to the use of the marshal's training and equipment fund; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 144—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES GREEN AND BAGLEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2582(A) and 2583(A), relative to certain elected officials; to provide relative to the office of justice of the peace; to provide relative to the office of constable; to provide relative to qualifications; to provide for the elimination of the mandatory age limit of justices of the peace and constables; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 204—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(J), relative to providing of information to protect children; to provide relative to the criminal history record information requested by and provided to a Court Appointed Special Advocate program; to provide relative to the duty of the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information with respect to federal criminal history record information; to provide relative to the program's authority to receive federal criminal history record information; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 265—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 38:1501 and R.S. 51:282, relative to clerks of court; to eliminate requirements for the clerk of court to maintain certain records.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 288—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(D)(1)(a)(iii) and to repeal R.S. 13:783(D)(5), relative to the clerk of court of Livingston Parish; to exempt the clerk of court of Livingston Parish from obtaining consent from the governing authority to purchase an automobile; to remove the limitation on the amount the clerk may use to purchase the automobile; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 400—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:996.67(D), relative to the imposition of court costs and service charges by the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans and the clerk of court of the Civil District Court for the parish of Orleans; to provide for an extension of time in which to impose such fees and charges; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 420—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2404.2(B), relative to peace officers; to provide for the training of peace officers; to establish exceptions to annual training requirements; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 499—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 3396.1, relative to the issuance of letters of independent administration or executorship; to authorize the clerk of court to issue letters of independent administration or executorship; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 602—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT AND SENATOR BARROW  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(a) and 587.1(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 15:576(6) and 587(A)(1)(j) and (I), relative to criminal identification and information; to provide relative to the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information; to provide relative to definitions; to require the bureau to make available to the Louisiana Department of Education criminal history record and identification files; to provide relative to latent fingerprint searches; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
MICHELLE D. FONTENOT  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Message from the House**

**SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 25, 2020

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Concurrent Resolution:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health and the Medicaid managed care organizations with which it contracts to plan for actions that are necessary for their compliance with newly issued federal rules on interoperability of health records and access by patients to their health data and to request that the department report on these plans to the legislative committees on health and welfare.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
MICHELLE D. FONTENOT  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Concurrent Resolution contained herein was signed by the President of the Senate.

**ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**

**PRESENT**

Mr. President	Foil	Peacock
Abraham	Harris	Pope
Allain	Henry	Price
Barrow	Hensgens	Reese
Bernard	Hewitt	Smith
Bouie	Johns	Talbot
Carter	Luneau	Tarver
Cathey	McMath	Ward
Cloud	Milligan	White
Connick	Mills, F.	Womack
Fesi	Mills, R.	
Fields	Mizell	
Total - 34		

**ABSENT**

Boudreaux	Lambert	Peterson
Jackson	Morris	
Total - 5		

**Leaves of Absence**

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Boudreaux	1 Day	Jackson	1 Day
Lambert	1 Day	Morris	1 Day
Peterson	1 Day		

**Announcements**

The following committee meetings for May 26, 2020, were announced:

Agriculture	9:00 A.M.	Room E
Judiciary A	10:30 A.M.	Room A
Judiciary C	8:00 A.M.	Room A
Senate and Gov't Affairs	11:00 A.M.	Hainkel Room

**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 6:00 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, May 26, 2020, at 4:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN  
Journal Clerk

