The Senate was called to order at 3:20 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:

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

PRESENT
Mr. President
Abraham Fields
Abraham Foil Mills, F.
Allain Harris Mills, R.
Barrow Hensgens Morris
Bernard Hewitt Peacock
Bouie Johns Price
Bouie Johns
Carter Lambert Smith
Cathey Luneau Talbot
Fes Milligan Womack
Total - 27

ABSENT
Boudreaux Jackson Reese
Boudreaux
Cloud McMath Tarver
Connick Peterson Ward
Henry Pope White
Total - 12

The President of the Senate announced there were 27 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Sharon Hewitt, 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 Tarver, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of October 12, 2020, was adopted.

Message from the House

CONCURRENING IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
October 12, 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 concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENTATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY SENATOR HEWITT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Eugene Lussan on the celebration of his one hundredth birthday.

Reported without amendments.

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENTATE RESOLUTION NO. 17—
BY SENATOR CARTER
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of George V. Rainey, who was the oldest elected king of Zulu, who reigned at Mardi Gras in 2019, and who died at the age of eighty-nine on October 16, 2020.

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

SENTATE RESOLUTION NO. 18—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Terry Edmund Edwards.

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

SENTATE RESOLUTION NO. 14—
BY SENATOR FOIL
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Esther Elizabeth Streng Staats, resident of Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

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

SENTATE RESOLUTION NO. 15—
BY SENATOR FOIL
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Rt. Reverend James Malone Coleman.

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

SENTATE RESOLUTION NO. 16—
BY SENATOR FOIL
A RESOLUTION
To commend Captain Kenneth Wayne Martin of the Baton Rouge Police Department upon his promotion to Uniform Patrol Commander.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS
October 12, 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. 37  HB No. 38  HB No. 67  HB No. 78

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions

Senator Carter 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. 37—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BEAULLIEU AND CHARLES OWEN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:6041, relative to income tax credits; to authorize an income tax credit for certain businesses; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for requirements and limitations; to authorize the carryforward of unused amounts of the credit; to provide for the claiming of credits; 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 Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 38—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS, AMEDEE, BACALA, CARRIER, CREWS, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, GADDBERY, GAROFALO, HODGES, HORTON, NELSON, CHARLES OWEN, PRESSLY, SEABAUGH, VILLIO, AND WRIGHT
AN ACT
To enact Part VIII of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:291 and 292, relative to funding for parish and municipal police departments; to provide for budget submission requirements; to provide for the authority of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; 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. 67—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS
AN ACT
To provide for certain reductions to sales tax dedications under certain circumstances for Fiscal Year 2020-2021; to provide for the powers, duties, and authority of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; 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 Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 78—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:2760, relative to payments in lieu of taxes; to provide for agreements for investments in political subdivisions authorizing payments in lieu of ad valorem taxes that may allow for property tax exemptions; to provide for the authority of political subdivisions; to provide for ownership and title of property subject to certain agreements; to provide for certain conditions 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.

Message from the House
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

October 12, 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. 13

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

House Concurrent Resolutions

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the enforcement authority of the state fire marshal pursuant to R.S. 40:1591 and any powers delegated to the state fire marshal pursuant to R.S. 29:721 et seq. or 760 et seq. as they apply to violations of COVID-19-related restrictions.

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

Rules Suspended

Senator Reese asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to advance to:

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—
BY SENATOR REESE AND REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature the provisions of R.S. 23:1474(C), (G)(3), and (H) providing for the determination of the unemployment insurance taxable wage base, maximum weekly benefit amount, and formula for the calculation of benefits for the 2021 calendar year.

Floor Amendments

Senator Reese proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Reese to Reengrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 by Senator Reese

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 8, between "unemployment" and "trust" insert "compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13, between "state's" and "trust" insert "unemployment compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, at the end of line 14, add "fund"
AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 10, between "the" and "trust" insert "unemployment compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 13, change "UI" to "unemployment compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 16, between "the" and "fund" insert "unemployment compensation trust"

On motion of Senator Reese, the amendments were adopted.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Reese moved the final passage of the amended concurrent resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Harris Mizell
Abraham Henry Morris
Allain Hensgens Peacock
Barrow Hewitt Price
Bernard Jackson Reese
Bouie Johns Smith
Carter Lambert Talbot
Cathey Luneau Tarver
Connick McMath Ward
Fesi Milligan White
Fields Mills, F. Womack
Foil Mills, R.
Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Peterson
Cloud Pope
Total - 4

The Chair declared the amended concurrent resolution was passed, ordered re-engrossed and sent to the House. Senator Reese moved to reconsider the vote by which the concurrent resolution was passed and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY SENATORS CORTEZ AND REESE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the provisions of R.S. 23:1536(E)(1) relative to the unemployment insurance solvency tax on employers.

Floor Amendments

Senator Cortez proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cortez to Engrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 by Senator Cortez.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 15, between "unemployment" and "trust" insert "compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 17, between "unemployment" and "trust" insert "compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 2, between "unemployment" and "trust" insert "compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, at the end of line 9, add "unemployment compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, at the end of line 15, add "compensation"

On motion of Senator Cortez, the amendments were adopted.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Reese moved the final passage of the amended concurrent resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Harris Mizell
Abraham Henry Morris
Allain Hensgens Peacock
Barrow Hewitt Price
Bernard Jackson Reese
Bouie Johns Smith
Carter Lambert Talbot
Cathey Luneau Tarver
Connick McMath Ward
Fesi Milligan White
Fields Mills, F. Womack
Foil Mills, R.
Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Peterson
Cloud Pope
Total - 4

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

Special Order of the Day No. 1

SENATE BILL NO. 38—
BY SENATOR WHITE
AN ACT
To enact Subpart N 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. 39:100.51, relative to special funds; to create the Fiscal Year 2021 Balanced Budget Reserve Fund in the state treasury; to provide relative to the transfer, dedication, deposit, and use, as specified, of the Fiscal Year 2021 Balanced Budget Reserve Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator White proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator White to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 38 by Senator White.

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, following "To enact" and before "Subpart N" insert "R.S. 39:100.22 and"
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after “39:100.51,” and before “relative” insert “and to amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.2(D),”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, delete lines 5 and 6, and insert the following: “treasury; to create the 2020 Overcollections Fund in the state treasury; to provide relative to the transfer, dedication, deposit, and use of certain special funds in the state treasury; to provide for an effective”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 9, following “Section 1.” and before “Subpart N” insert “R. S. 39:100.22, and”

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 10, following “R.S. 39:100.51,” and before “hereby”, change “is” to “are”

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 3, after “expenditures” and before “Fiscal Year” change “in” to “and attributable to”

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, between lines 11 and 12, insert “* * *”

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, between lines 22 and 23, insert the following:

D. (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section to the contrary, for the 2020-2021 Fiscal Year monies in the fund in the amount of two hundred thousand dollars may be made available for the LSU Health Sciences Center Shreveport provided, however, that any distributions of monies to the LSU Health Sciences Center Shreveport shall occur in equal quarterly amounts after the distributions to entities which have pledged or dedicated such monies into bonds have been made each quarter.

(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section to the contrary, for the last two quarters of the 2020-2021 Fiscal Year monies in the fund in the amount of one hundred eighty-seven thousand dollars may be made available for the LSU Health Sciences Center Shreveport provided, however, that any distributions of monies to the LSU Health Sciences Center Shreveport shall occur in equal quarterly amounts after the distributions to entities which have pledged or dedicated such monies into bonds have been made each quarter.

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, line 23, change “Section 2.” to “Section 3.”

On motion of Senator White, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Harris Morris
Abraham Henry Peacock
Allain Hensgens Price
Bernard Hewitt Reese
Bouie Johns Smith
Carter Lambert Talbot
Connick McMath Tarver
Fesi Mills, F. White
Fields Mills, R. Womack
Foil Mizell
Total - 32
NAYS
Total - 0
ABSENT

Barrow Jackson Pope
Boudreaux McMath
Cloud Peterson
Total - 7

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

Special Order of the Day No. 2

HOUSE BILL NO. 24—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT
To appropriate funds from certain sources in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations to the capital outlay budget for Fiscal Year 2020-2021; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Allain proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Allain to Engrossed House Bill No. 24 by Representative Zeringue

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 6, after “Act” insert “No.”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 15 through 18 and insert:

On page 8, delete lines 35 and 36 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Payable from Federal Funds $ 362,928,040
Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues $ 3,000,000
Total $ 1,078,416,654"

On motion of Senator Allain, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Harris Mizell
Abraham Henry Morris
Allain Hensgens Peacock
Bernard Hewitt Price
Bouie Johns Reese
Carter Lambert Smith
Cathey Luneau Talbot
Connick McMath Tarver
Fesi Mills, F. White
Fields Mills, R. Womack
Foil Mizell
Total - 32
NAYS
Total - 0
ABSENT

Barrow Jackson Pope
Boudreaux McMath
Cloud Peterson
Total - 7

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

ROLL CALL

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

Special Order of the Day No. 3

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE
AN ACT
To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and reductions for the agencies and purposes for Fiscal Year 2020-2021; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator White proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator White to Reengrossed House Bill No. 39 by Representative Zeringue

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the end of line 9, delete "Livingston-", at the beginning of line 10, delete "Tangipahoa Parishes" and insert "South Tangipahoa Parish"

On motion of Senator White, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Hewitt proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Hewitt to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5 by Senator Hewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the end of line 9, delete "Livingston-", at the beginning of line 10, delete "Tangipahoa Parishes" and insert "South Tangipahoa Parish"

On motion of Senator Hewitt, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Hewitt proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Hewitt to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5 by Senator Hewitt

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, after line 5, insert:

"Section 2.  This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the
time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval. 10

On motion of Senator Hewitt, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President  Harris  Morris
Abraham  Henry  Peacock
Allain  Hensgens  Price
Bernard  Hewitt  Reese
Boudreaux  Johns  Smith
Boue  Lambert  Talbot
Carter  Luneau  Tarver
Cathy  McMath  Ward
Connick  Milligan  White
Fesi  Mills, F.  Womack
Fields  Mills, R.
Foil  Mizell

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barrow  Jackson  Pope
Cloud  Peterson

Total - 5

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

SENATE BILL NO. 69—

BY SENATORS JOHNS, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUE, CARTER, CATHY, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, Mizell, Morris, Peacock, Price, Reese, Smith, Talbot, Tarver, Ward, White and Womack

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 14 of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:1611 through 1613, relative to cable service providers and video service providers; to provide relative to an emergency service plan; to provide for submission of the plan to the legislature and certain executive branch agencies; to provide for civil fines; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Johns proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Johns to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 69 by Senator Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 5, delete "the plan" and insert "certain information"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, delete lines 16 through 28 and insert:

"A.(1) On or before June 1, 2021, each cable service provider and video service provider shall prepare and submit to the commission an emergency service plan, which shall include a provider's emergency preparedness and response plan to an emergency or disaster.

(2) The emergency service plan shall include all of the following information:

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, line 29, change "(1)" to "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 4, line 2, change "(2)" to "(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 4, line 4, change "(3)" to "(c)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 4, line 7, change "(4)" to "(d)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 4, line 9, change "(5)" to "(e)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 4, line 11, change "(6)" to "(f)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 4, line 14, change "(7)" to "(g)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 4, between lines 15 and 16 insert:

"B.(1) Upon receipt of an emergency service plan, the commission shall review the plan to determine compliance with the provisions of this Chapter and any rules and regulations of the commission.

(2) On or before August first of each year, the commission shall submit a written declaration certifying compliance or noncompliance with the provisions of this Section for each cable service provider and video service provider to the director of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness, the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs, and the House Committee on Commerce.

C. Each cable service provider and video service provider shall review its emergency service plan on an annual basis. If any change is made to the emergency service plan, the revised plan shall be submitted to the commission on or before the following June first. If no change was made to the emergency service plan, written notification that the previously submitted plan is current shall be submitted to the commission on or before the following June first.

D. On or before March 1, 2021, the commission shall adopt rules and regulations consistent with its rulemaking authority in Article 4, Section 21(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana to implement the provisions of this Chapter.

E. The filing of an emergency service plan in accordance with the provisions of this Section shall not subject any cable service provider or video service provider to any regulatory jurisdiction by the commission not in effect on December 1, 2020.

F. If a cable service provider or video service provider uses the same facilities to provide any other service regulated by the commission and files with the commission an emergency service plan for that service that includes an emergency preparedness and response plan for cable service, video service, or both, that cable service provider or video service provider shall not be required to submit an additional emergency service plan pursuant to the provisions of this Section.

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 4, delete lines 22 through 26 and insert:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective on December 1, 2020."

On motion of Senator Johns, the amendments were adopted.
The bill was read by title. Senator Johns moved the final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

- Mr. President: Foil, Mills, R.
- Abraham: Harris, Mizell
- Allain: Henry, Morris
- Barrow: Hensgens, Peacock
- Bernard: Hewitt, Price
- Boudreaux: Jackson, Reese
- Bouie: Johns, Smith
- Carter: Lambert, Talbot
- Cathey: Luneau, Tarver
- Connick: Milligan, White
- Fesi: Mills, F., Womack
- Fields: Mills, R., Womack

**Total - 36**

### NAYS

**Total - 0**

### ABSENT

- Boudreaux: Luneau
- Cloud: Peterson
- Petre: Pope

**Total - 5**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 12—**

By Senator Robert Mills and Representative Edmonds

An Act

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:770(B) and 771(B)(2)(c) and to enact R.S. 40:2005.1, relative to a state of public health emergency; to require hospitals, nursing homes, and adult residential care homes to provide patient or resident access to members of the clergy during a state of public health emergency for COVID-19 or other contagious or infectious diseases; to require the Department of Health to promulgate rules; to provide for rules for members of the clergy who voluntarily enter inpatient health care facilities to minister; to provide for definitions; to provide for licensed professional counselors; to provide for emotional and spiritual support from clergy; to provide for legislative purpose; to provide for restrictions; to provide for immunity from liability for hospitals, nursing homes, and adult residential care homes; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Robert Mills proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Robert Mills to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12 by Senator Robert Mills

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 3, change "R.S. 29:770(C)" to "R.S. 40:2005.1"

On motion of Senator Robert Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

- Mr. President: Harris, Morris
- Abraham: Henry, Peacock
- Allain: Hensgens, Price
- Barrow: Hewitt, Reese
- Bernard: Jackson, Smith
- Bouie: Johns, Talbot
- Carter: Lambert, Tarver
- Cathey: McMath, Ward
- Connick: Milligan, White
- Fesi: Mills, F., Womack
- Fields: Mills, R., Womack

**Total - 34**

### NAYS

**Total - 0**

### ABSENT

- Boudreaux: Luneau
- Cloud: Peterson
- Petre: Pope

**Total - 5**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 13—**

By Senator Peacock

An Act

To enact R.S. 40:1133.1(E) and Part VI of Chapter 5-C of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1141, relative to the Emergency Medical Services Personnel Licensure Interstate Compact (REPLICA); to provide for enactment of the model legislation required to participate in the compact; to provide for criminal background checks; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

- Mr. President: Foil, Mills, R.
- Abraham: Harris, Mizell
- Allain: Henry, Morris
- Barrow: Hensgens, Peacock
- Bernard: Hewitt, Price
- Boudreaux: Jackson, Reese
- Bouie: Johns, Smith
- Carter: Lambert, Talbot
- Cathey: Luneau, Tarver
- Connick: Milligan, White
- Fesi: Mills, F., Womack

**Total - 36**

### NAYS

**Total - 0**

### ABSENT

- Boudreaux: Luneau
- Cloud: Peterson
- Petre: Pope

**Total - 5**
SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR MILLIGAN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:81(O) and (Z) and R.S. 42:851(E)(2) and to enact R.S. 42:851(U), relative to group health insurance for public school employees; to provide relative to effective dates of coverage for employees of public elementary and secondary school systems during a disaster or emergency; to provide for application and rules promulgation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 24—
BY SENATOR TALBOT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:31.37(J), relative to licensing and permit fees; to provide for an exemption or refund for fees paid by certain businesses closed due to COVID-19; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Foil Mills, R.
Abraham Harris Mizell
Allain Henry Morris
Barrow Hensgens Peacock
Bernard Hewitt Price
Boudreaux Jackson Reese
Bouie Johns Smith
Carter Lambert Talbot
Cathey Luneau Tarver
Connick McMath Ward
Fesi Milligan White
Fields Mills, F. Womack
Total - 36

NAYS
Total - 0

ABSENT
Cloud Peterson Pope
Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 27—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1272(2) and to enact Part I - C of Chapter 15 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1310.1, relative to the practice of medicine; to provide for certain qualifications of applicants who wish to practice medicine; to provide for authority to enter into the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact; to provide for the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact; to provide for the effectiveness of the compact upon adoption by ten member states; to provide for definitions, powers, duties, and functions of the compact; to designate Chapter 34 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 37:2650 through 2666, "PART I. SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS AND AUDIOLOGISTS"; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Foil Mills, R.
Abraham Harris Mizell
Allain Henry Morris
Barrow Hensgens Peacock
Bernard Hewitt Price
Boudreaux Jackson Reese
Bouie Johns Smith
Carter Lambert Talbot
Cathey Luneau Tarver
Connick McMath Ward
Fesi Milligan White
Fields Mills, F. Womack
Total - 36

NAYS
Total - 0

ABSENT
Cloud Peterson Pope
Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 34—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
AN ACT
To enact Part II of Chapter 34 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2678.1, relative to the Audiological and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact; to provide for the model language required to participate in the compact; to provide for the effectiveness of the compact upon adoption by ten member states; to provide for definitions, powers, duties, and functions of the compact; to designate Chapter 34 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 37:2650 through 2666, "PART I. SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS AND AUDIOLOGISTS"; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Foil Mizell
Abraham Harris Morris
Allain Henry Peacock
Barrow Hensgens Price
Bernard Hewitt Reese
Boudreaux Johns Smith
Bouie Lambert Talbot
Carter Luneau Tarver
Connick McMath Ward
Fesi Milligan White
Fields Mills, F. Womack
Total - 36

NAYS
Total - 0

ABSENT
Cloud Peterson Pope
Total - 3

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Peacock moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.
SENATE BILL NO. 47—
BY SENATOR PETERSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.43(F), relative to the Coronavirus Local Recovery Allocation Program; to determine the maximum allocation for each parish from the Coronavirus Local Recovery Allocation Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 51—
BY SENATOR BARROW
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:1218 and the introductory paragraph of 1218.1(A) and to repeal R.S. 37:1218(A)(5) and 1218.1(A)(4), relative to the administration of immunizations and vaccines by pharmacists; to provide for the administration of influenza immunizations; to provide for the administration of other immunizations and vaccines including but not limited to a COVID-19 vaccine when available, without a patient-specific prescription or medical order contingent upon all of the following provisions:

§1218. Administration of influenza immunization
A pharmacist may administer an influenza immunization to any person three years of age or older without a prescription or medical order contingent upon all of the following provisions:

§1218.1. Administration of immunizations and vaccines other than influenza immunizations
A pharmacist may administer to an individual age three or older an immunization or a vaccine, including but not limited to a COVID-19 vaccine when available, without a patient-specific prescription or medical order if the immunization or vaccine is administered in conformance with the most current immunization administration protocol as set forth by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Advisory Committee on Immunization Practice, is consistent with United States Food and Drug Administration approved labeling, or is otherwise authorized by the United States Food and Drug Administration. At the time that a pharmacist administers an immunization or vaccine under the provisions of this Section, the pharmacist shall also inform the individual that the administration of an immunization or vaccine under this Section is not to be construed as being in lieu of an annual checkup with the individual’s primary care or family physician.

Floor Amendments
Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51 by Senator Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 2, following beginning of the line and before "A" insert "A."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 7, after "Immunization" and before the comma change "Practice" to "Practices"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments
Senator Barrow proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Barrow to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51 by Senator Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:
"Section 2. The introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:1218 and the introductory paragraph of 1218.1(A) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1218. Administration of influenza immunization
A pharmacist may administer an influenza immunization to any person three years of age or older without a prescription or medical order contingent upon all of the following provisions:

§1218.1. Administration of immunizations and vaccines other than influenza immunizations
A pharmacist may administer to an individual age three or older an immunization or a vaccine, including but not limited to a COVID-19 vaccine when available, without a patient-specific prescription or medical order if the immunization or vaccine is administered in conformance with the most current immunization administration protocol as set forth by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Advisory Committee on Immunization Practice, is consistent with United States Food and Drug Administration approved labeling, or is otherwise authorized by the United States Food and Drug Administration. At the time that a pharmacist administers an immunization or vaccine under the provisions of this Section, the pharmacist shall also inform the individual that the administration of an immunization or vaccine under this Section is not to be construed as being in lieu of an annual checkup with the individual’s primary care or family physician.

On motion of Senator Barrow, the amendments were adopted.
Floor Amendments

Senator Bernard proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Bernard to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51 by Senator Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1
Delete Senate Floor Amendment No.1 proposed by Senator Barrow and adopted by the Senate on October 13, 2020, designated as SFASB51 CANNONB 520.

AMENDMENT NO. 2
Delete the set of Senate Floor Amendments, proposed by Senator Barrow and adopted by the Senate on October 13, 2020, designated as SFASB51 CANNONB 441.

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and on line 6, delete "other immunizations and vaccines including"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 4, after "administration of" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 5, and on line 6, delete "other immunizations and vaccines including"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, delete lines 10 through 17 and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 15, and insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 37:1218.2 is hereby enacted to read as follows:
§1218.2. Administration of COVID-19 vaccine
A. A pharmacist may administer a COVID-19 vaccine to any person three years of age or older without a prescription or medical order contingent upon all of the following provisions:
   (1) The pharmacist shall administer the COVID-19 vaccine in conformance with the most current immunization administration protocol as set forth by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Advisory Committee on Immunization Practice.
   (2) The pharmacist shall report each COVID-19 vaccination to the Louisiana Department of Health, office of public health’s Louisiana Immunization Network for Kids Statewide at the time of the immunization or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter.
   (3) The pharmacist shall report all adverse events he observes or which are reported to him to the Vaccine Adverse Events Reporting System, the cooperative program of the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the United States Food and Drug Administration for vaccine safety, or its successor program. The pharmacist shall also refer the patient with an adverse event to the COVID-19 vaccination for appropriate medical care.
   (4) The pharmacist shall maintain for at least two years a record of each COVID-19 vaccine administered.
   (5) The pharmacist shall request the name of the patient’s primary care provider prior to the administering of a COVID-19 vaccine. If the patient identifies a primary care provider to the pharmacist, the pharmacist shall notify the primary care provider, by written or electronic communication, as soon as reasonably possible thereafter that the vaccine was administered.
   (6) At the time that a pharmacist administers a COVID-19 vaccine pursuant to the provisions of this Section, the pharmacist shall also inform the individual that the administration of a vaccine is not to be construed as being in lieu of an annual checkup with the individual’s primary care or family physician.
C. The provisions of this Section shall terminate on August 1, 2027."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, delete line 17

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 18, change "Section 4." to "Section 3."
On motion of Senator Bernard, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Allain       Connick       Luneau
Barrow      Fields        Mills, F.
Bernard     Harris        Mizell
Boudreaux   Hensgens      Price
Bouie       Jackson       Reese
Carter      Lambert       Ward

Total - 18

NAYS
Mr. President Hewitt       Peacock
Abraham     Johns         Smith
Cathey      McMath        Talbot
Fesi        Milligan      White
Foil        Mills, R.     Womack
Henry       Morris	

Total - 17

ABSENT
Cloud       Pope
Peterson    Tarver

Total - 4

The Chair declared the amended bill failed to pass.

Notice of Reconsideration

Senator Barrow moved to reconsider on the next Legislative Day the vote by which the amended bill failed to pass.

SENATE BILL NO. 52—
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:6006(G), 6006.1(H), and 6014(G), relative to tax credits; to provide for the 2020 tax year to be treated as timely paid for purposes of the tax credits for ad valorem taxes paid; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Reese proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Reese to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 52 by Senator Reese

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 15, change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 9, change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 19, change "may" to "shall"

On motion of Senator Reese, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Reese moved the final passage of the amended bill.
ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**
- Mr. President: Foil
- Abraham: Harris
- Allain: Henry
- Bernard: Hensgens
- Boudreaux: Hewitt
- Bouie: Johns
- Carter: Lambert
- Cathey: Luneau
- Connick: McMath
- Fesi: Milligan
- Fields: Mills, F.
- Total: 33

**NAYS**
- Total: 0

**ABSENT**
- Barrow: Jackson
- Cloud: Mizell
- Peterson: Pope
- Total: 6

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

SENATE BILL NO. 53—
BY SENATOR MCMATH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:1203.2(C)(3), relative to the employment of nonlicensed persons by adult day health care providers; to provide for an exemption from the criminal history and security check requirement for certain rehired persons; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 55—
BY SENATORS CORTEZ AND REESE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 23:1474(J), relative to unemployment insurance; to provide for taxes and benefits for calendar year 2021; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**
- Mr. President: Foil
- Abraham: Harris
- Allain: Henry
- Bernard: Hensgens
- Boudreaux: Hewitt
- Bouie: Johns
- Carter: Lambert
- Cathey: Luneau
- Connick: McMath
- Fesi: Milligan
- Fields: Mills, F.
- Total: 35

**NAYS**
- Total: 0

**ABSENT**
- Cloud: Pope
- Peterson: Womack
- Total: 4

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

SENATE BILL NO. 62—
BY SENATOR SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:6006(G), relative to tax credits; to provide for refunds of the ad valorem taxes paid on inventory for certain taxpayers impacted by the 2020 emergency and disasters; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**
- Mr. President: Foil
- Abraham: Harris
- Allain: Henry
- Bernard: Hensgens
- Boudreaux: Hewitt
- Bouie: Johns
- Carter: Lambert
- Cathey: Luneau
- Connick: McMath
- Fesi: Milligan
- Fields: Mills, F.
- Total: 36

**NAYS**
- Total: 0

**ABSENT**
- Cloud: Pope
- Peterson: Womack
- Total: 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 66—
BY SENATOR CARTER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 44:3.6, relative to disclosure of personal information by state and local government agencies; to prohibit the disclosure of the home address and telephone number of appointed or elected judges or law enforcement officials; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 71—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:17.1(A), relative to meetings of public bodies during a gubernatorially declared state of disaster or emergency; to provide requirements for meeting via electronic means; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.
Floor Amendments

Senator Luneau proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Luneau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 71 by Senator Peacock

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 10 and insert:

“(2) The presiding officer of the public body certifies on the notice of the meeting that the agenda of the meeting is limited to one or more of the following:
(a) Matters that are directly related to the public body's response to the disaster or emergency and are critical to the health, safety, or welfare of the public.
(b) Matters that if they are delayed will cause curtailment of vital public services or severe economic dislocation and hardship.
(c) Matters that are critical to continuation of the business of the public body and that are not able to be postponed to a meeting held in accordance with the other provisions of this Chapter due to a legal requirement or other deadline that cannot be postponed or delayed by the public body.
(d) Other critical or time-sensitive matters that are placed on the agenda at least twenty-four hours before the meeting provided that the matters are certified at the meeting by a unanimous vote of the body that the matters are critical and time-sensitive and there is no reason for delay.”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 11, delete “(3)” and insert “(3)”

Senator Luneau moved the adoption of the amendments.

Senator Peacock objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Barrow Harris Morris
Bernard Johns Price
Boudreaux Lambert Smith
Bouie Luneau Ward
Connick McMath White
Fields Mills, F. Womack
Foil Mills, R.
Total - 27

NAYS
Abraham Hensgens Peacock
Allain Hewitt Talbot
Fesi Milligan Tarver
Henry Mizell
Total - 11

ABSENT
Cloud Peterson
Luneau Pope
Total - 5

The Chair declared the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Harris Mizell
Abraham Henry Peacock
Allain Hensgens Price
Bernard Hewitt Reese
Carter Johns Talbot
Cathey McMath Tarver
Fesi Milligan Ward
Fields Mills, F. White
Foil Mills, R. Womack
Total - 27

NAYS
Barrow Connick Morris
Boudreaux Jackson Smith
Bouie Lambert
Total - 8

ABSENT
Cloud Peterson
Luneau Pope
Total - 4

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

SENATE BILL NO. 72—
BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:6041, relative to income tax credits; to authorize an income tax credit for certain businesses; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for the claiming of credits; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 72 by Senator Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 9, following “(C)(1)” and before “.,” insert “of this Section”

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Foil Mills, R.
Abraham Harris Mizell
Allain Henry Peacock
Barrow Hensgens Price
Bernard Hewitt
Total - 11

ABSENT
Cloud Peterson
Luneau Pope
Total - 5

The Chair declared the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Peacock moved the final passage of the amended bill.
The Chair declared the amended bill was passed, ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Senator Talbot moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE BILL NO. 74—
BY SENATOR CLOUD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1461.2(A)(2), (3), (5), and (6), relative to election offenses affecting registration and election fraud or forgery; to provide for absentee ballot offenses; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Hensgens Peacock
Abraham Hewitt Price
Allain Jackson Reese
Bernard Johns Smith
Cathery Lambert Talbot
Connick Milligan Tarver
Fesi Mills, F. Ward
Foil Mills, R. White
Harris Mizell Womack
Henry Morris
Total - 29

NAYS
Barrow Bouie Fields
Boudreaux Carter Luneau
Total - 6

ABSENT
Cloud Peterson Pope
Total - 4

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

Rules Suspended
Senator Talbot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to advance to:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To suspend until thirty days after final adjournment of the 2020 Second Extraordinary Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the authority of the governor to declare or renew a state of emergency or public health emergency which addresses or is related to the COVID-19 pandemic pursuant to R.S. 29:724(A) and (B)(1), 766(A) and (B), and 768(A).

Floor Amendments
Senator Talbot proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Talbot to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 9 by Representative Schexnayder

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 10, after "Number" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: "134 JBE 2020 and Proclamation Number 135 JBE 2020"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, line 6, after "through the" and before "day" change "thirtieth" to "sixtieth"

On motion of Senator Talbot, the amendments were adopted.

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

Rules Suspended
Senator Bouie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to revert to the Morning Hour.

Message from the House
CONCURRING IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
October 13, 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 concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—
BY SENATORS ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JOHNS, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, PEACOCK, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD AND WHITE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt adjustments to the minimum foundation program (MFP) formula to ensure that school districts impacted by Hurricane Laura do not lose MFP funding during the 2020-2021 fiscal year due to decreases in student enrollment.

Reported with amendments.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19—
BY SENATOR FOIL
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of James Raymond "Jim" LeBlanc.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 20—
BY SENATORS FOIL AND MORRIS
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Sylvia Bernadette Sullivan Duke.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS
October 13, 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:

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Respectfully submitted,

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT
Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Bills and Joint Resolutions

Senator Talbot 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. 9—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCCORMICK, AMEDEE, BACALA, CARRIER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, CREWS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FIRMENT, FRIEMAN, GAROFALO, HARRIS, HODGES, HORTON, MACK, MIGUEZ, CHARLES OWEN, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUH, AND TARVER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 29:776, relative to the applicability of certain limitations of liability during public health emergencies; to provide for the freedom to exercise religious assembly during public emergencies; to provide for immunity from civil liability and criminal prosecution; 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. 10—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT
To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property in Jackson Parish; to provide for the property description; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; to repeal Section 3 of Act No. 272 of the 2019 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana; 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 Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.44(J), relative to the Louisiana Main Street Recovery Program; to dedicate a certain portion of program funds for certain businesses; to provide relative to the liability of public, nonpublic, and charter schools, systems, and governing boards under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the liability of public and nonpublic postsecondary education systems and institutions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Finance.
9th DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

HOUSE BILL NO. 75—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND AND SENATOR CATHEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the heading of Part II-A of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 3:4321(C) and (D) and to enact R.S. 3:4321(E), relative to the severance tax on timber; to modify the disposition of the portion of the severance tax on timber allocated to the state general fund; to create the "Wildfire Suppression Subfund", to provide for the use of monies in the subfund; to provide for the appointment of forest firefighters within the office of forestry; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 84—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:134(C), relative to the expenditure of federal funds; to modify requirements for Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget approval of the expenditure of federal funds received under certain circumstances; to provide for certain requirements; 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. 85—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.44(Q) and 100.45(A) and to enact R.S. 39:100.42(6.1) and 100.44.1, relative to the Louisiana Main Street Recovery Program; to provide with respect to program funds; to establish a dedicated subaccount for funding awards to certain eligible businesses; to provide for administration of grants to such eligible businesses; to provide with respect to the powers and duties of the Department of Revenue, the division of administration, and the office of alcohol and tobacco control; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
October 13, 2020

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVES COUSAN, HOURIAUD, BUTLER, CARRIER, CORMIER, LYONS, AND MICEY AND SENATOR HENSGENS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the United States Congress and the Louisiana Congressional delegation to take such actions as are necessary to require the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to more efficiently coordinate the removal of dislocated oilfield equipment after natural disasters in Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCFARLAND, EDMONSTON, FARNUM, FREIBERG, MIKE JOHNSON, SCHAMERHORN, AND THOMPSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to meet to discuss possible adjustments to the Minimum Foundation Program formula to ensure adequate funding for school systems affected by the displacement of students due to Hurricane Laura, to take into account the financial needs of systems that have lost students and systems that have gained students due to the hurricane, and, if adjustments are necessary, to adopt a revised formula and submit it to the legislature while the legislature is convened for the 2020 Second Extraordinary Session and has the opportunity to consider the revised formula for approval.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BUTLER, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DESHOTEL, ECHOLS, EMERSON, FIRMENT, FREIBERG, GAROFALO, GARDNER, HARRIS, HORTON, JEFFERSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JONES, LACOMBE, LARVADAIN, MCMAHON, MOORE, CHRISTIAN, PRESSLY, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, SCHEXNAYDER, SEABAUGH, TARVER, THOMPSON, AND WHITE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To establish the Task Force on the 4.9 GHz Spectrum to study and make recommendations on how to close the digital divide and allocate the 4.9 GHz spectrum should it become available in Louisiana and to submit a written report of its findings and recommendations to the legislature no later than February 1, 2021.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WHEAT AND EDMONDS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism, office of tourism, in consultation with the Department of Revenue, to establish the Task Force on the 4.9 GHz Spectrum to study and make recommendations on how to close the digital divide and allocate the 4.9 GHz spectrum should it become available in Louisiana and to submit a written report of its findings and recommendations to the legislature no later than February 1, 2021.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS JOHNSON AND SENATOR JACKSON AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, BRASS, BRYANT, BUTLER, GAFF, CARTER, CORMIER, COX, CREWS, DUNLEVY, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, GARDNER, GAROFALO, HARRIS, HORTON, JEFFERSON, KEHNS, MIKE JOHNSON, JONES, LACOMBE, LARVAUL, LAY, MOORE, NEWELL, CHARLES OWEN, SELDERS, THOMPSON, TURNER, AND WILLARD
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism, office of tourism, in consultation with the Department of Revenue, to establish the Task Force on the 4.9 GHz Spectrum to study and make recommendations on how to close the digital divide and allocate the 4.9 GHz spectrum should it become available in Louisiana and to submit a written report of its findings and recommendations to the legislature no later than February 1, 2021.
of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility of creating a bike and walking trail along the Mississippi River spanning approximately eighty miles, beginning in Vidalia, Louisiana, and ending in East Carroll Parish in Lake Providence and make recommendations in regards to the creation.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHENXNAYDER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Senate to take such actions as are necessary to confirm President Donald Trump's nomination of Judge Amy Coney Barrett to the United States Supreme Court to fill the seat of the late Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GADBERRY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Civil Service Commission to establish the same or substantially similar benefits as those provided in R.S. 17:1201(C)(1) and (D)(1), relative to sick leave benefits for public school teachers injured or disabled while acting in their official capacity, for classified employees serving as teaching staff within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of juvenile justice.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to issue guidance and policies relative to the creation and operation of micro schools, by public schools or public school governing authorities approved for such purpose, to help ensure that Louisiana students continue to have high quality and safe learning experiences amidst the ongoing COVID-19 public health emergency.

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

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY B**

Senator Gary L. Smith Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

October 13, 2020

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 77—**

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:309(A)(2), relative to fantasy sports; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(J)(1)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 15:574.4(J)(4), relative to parole eligibility for juvenile offenders; to modify the applicability of certain parole eligibility provisions to juvenile offenders serving life sentences; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 15:584(C) and 587(J), relative to criminal justice system data and information under certain conditions; to provide relative to the nonprofit entities access to de-identified arrest and conviction information; to provide relative to the execution of a nondisclosure agreement; to provide for a termination date; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 12—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:573.2 and 574.4.1(A)(2), relative to parole relative to the continuity of government by authorizing certain persons to appear before the Board of Pardons and committee on parole by teleconference; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report
On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the Bills and Joint Resolutions were read by title and passed to a third reading.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10—
BY SENATOR SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Angelle Bourgeois on being selected as the 2021 Elementary School Teacher of the Year by the Louisiana Department of Education.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY SENATOR CATHEY
A RESOLUTION
To commend John Benjamin "JB" Humphrey on the occasion of his one hundredth birthday on October 7, 2020.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12—
BY SENATORS BARROW AND WOMACK
A RESOLUTION
To commend the Phillip's Masonic Lodge 238 and Progressive Chapter 186 Order of the Eastern Star on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of both of these chapters in Clinton, Louisiana.

Respectfully submitted,
SHARON W. HEWITT
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate and presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary.
Message to the Secretary of State

SIGNED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

October 13, 2020

To the Honorable Secretary of State:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Sister Joan Martinette Rivers, OLS.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY SENATORS ALLAIN, TARVER, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, McMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, PETERSON, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK, AND REPRESENTATIVES ST. BLANC, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, BEAULIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIEAQUE, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARPENTER, CARRIER, GARY CARTER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DESHOTEL, DEVELLIER, DUBUSSON, DUPLESSIS, D Unity, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FERMENT, FONTENOT, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GADIBERRY, GAINES, GAROFALO, GLOVER, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HARRIS, HENRY, HILFERTY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HORTON, HUGHES, HUVAL, ILLG, IVEY, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNS, TRAVIS JOHNS, JONES, JORDAN, KERNER, LACOMBE, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MACK, MAGEE, MARCELLE, MARINO, MCCORMICK, MCTARLAND, MCKNIGHT, McMANN, MIGUEZ, DUSTIN MILLER, GREGORY MILLER, MINCEY, MOORE, MUSCARELLO, NELSON, NEWELL, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, PHELPS, PIERRE, PRESSLY, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHENAYDER, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, TARVER, THOMAS, THOMPSON, TURNER, VILLIO, WHEAT, WHITE, WILLARD, WRIGHT AND ZERINGUE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences on behalf of the members of the Legislature of Louisiana, past and present, and the citizens of Louisiana to the family of Governor Murphy James "Mike" Foster Jr., businessman and statesman.

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

PRESENT

Mr. President
Abraham
Allain
Barrow
Boudreaux
Bojie
Carter
Cathey
Connick
Fesi
Fields

Foil
Harris
Henry
Hensgens
Jackson
Johns
Lambert
Luneau
McMath
Milligan
Mills, F.

Mills, R.
Mizell
Morris
Peacock
Price
Smith
Talbot
Tarver
Ward
White
Womack

ABSENT

Cloud
Pope

Total - 4
Total - 3

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Cloud 1 Day
Pope 1 Day

Announcements

The following committee meetings for October 14, 2020, were announced:

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Adjournment

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 5:25 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, October 14, 2020, at 3:00 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