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OF THE
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

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

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, March 12, 2012

The Senate was called to order at 12:00 o'clock noon by Hon. John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate.

**Morning Hour
CONVENING ROLL CALL**

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Nevers
Adley	Erdey	Peacock
Allain	Gallot	Perry
Amedee	Johns	Peterson
Appel	Kostelka	Riser
Broome	Long	Smith, G.
Buffington	Martiny	Tarver
Chabert	Mills	Thompson
Cortez	Morrell	Walsworth
Crowe	Morrish	Ward
Donahue	Murray	White
Total - 33		

ABSENT

Brown	Guillory	LaFleur
Claitor	Heitmeier	Smith, J.
Total - 6		

The President of the Senate announced there were 33 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Father Jeffery Bayhi, following which the Senate joined in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Senator Thompson, the readings of the Journals were dispensed with and the Journals of June 23, 2011, and January 9, 2012, were adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and
Communications**

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

**SENATE
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

February 9, 2012

Honorable Daniel R. Martiny
State Senator
131 Airline Drive
Suite 201
Metairie, LA 70001

RE: Senate Parliamentarian

Dear Senator Martiny:

In accordance with Senate Rule 3.3(28), it is my pleasure to appoint you to serve as Senate Parliamentarian.

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

Sincerely,
JOHN A. ALARIO JR.
Senate President

**SENATE
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

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Louisiana State Senate
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

RE: Standing Committee Appointments

Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Senate Rule 13.1 and 13.2 the following appointments are submitted for the record:

Committee on Agriculture, Aquaculture and Rural Development

Sen. Thompson, Chairman
Sen. Allain, Vice Chairman
Sen. Amedee
Sen. Gallot
Sen. Long
Sen. Riser
Sen. J. Smith

**Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and
International Affairs**

Sen. Martiny, Chairman
Sen. Gallot, Vice Chairman
Sen. Appel
Sen. Chabert
Sen. Cortez
Sen. Crowe
Sen. J. Smith
Sen. Thompson
Sen. White

Committee on Education

Sen. Appel, Chairman
Sen. LaFleur, Vice Chairman
Sen. Claitor
Sen. Donahue
Sen. Guillory
Sen. Walsworth
Sen. White

Committee on Environmental Quality

Sen. Walsworth, Chairman
Sen. Brown, Vice Chairman
Sen. Buffington
Sen. Crowe
Sen. Erdey
Sen. Heitmeier
Sen. Morrish

Committee on Finance

Sen. Donahue, Chairman
Sen. Chabert, Vice Chairman
Sen. Allain

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Sen. Buffington
Sen. Claitor
Sen. Johns
Sen. LaFleur
Sen. Mills
Sen. Murray
Sen. Tarver
Sen. White
Sen. Long, Interim member
Sen. Morrish , Interim member
Sen. Thompson, Interim member
Sen. Walsworth, Interim member

Committee on Health and Welfare

Sen. Heitmeier, Chairman
Sen. Mills, Vice Chairman
Sen. Allain
Sen. Buffington
Sen. Claitor
Sen. Dorsey-Colomb
Sen. Erdey
Sen. Guillory
Sen. Nevers

Committee on Insurance

Sen. Morrish, Chairman
Sen. G. Smith, Vice Chairman
Sen. Broome
Sen. Brown
Sen. Johns
Sen. LaFleur
Sen. Long
Sen. Peterson
Sen. Ward

Committee on Judiciary A

Sen. Nevers, Chairman
Sen. Claitor, Vice Chairman
Sen. Appel
Sen. Donahue
Sen. Martiny
Sen. Murray
Sen. Ward

Committee on Judiciary B

Sen. Morrell, Chairman
Sen. Johns, Vice Chairman
Sen. Chabert
Sen. LaFleur
Sen. Peterson
Sen. G. Smith
Sen. Tarver

Committee on Judiciary C

Sen. Kostelka, Chairman
Sen. Perry, Vice Chairman
Sen. Adley
Sen. Dorsey-Colomb
Sen. Guillory
Sen. Mills
Sen. White

Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

Sen. Crowe, Chairman
Sen. Murray, Vice Chairman
Sen. Johns
Sen. Kostelka
Sen. Martiny
Sen. Peacock
Sen. Riser

Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs

Sen. Dorsey-Colomb, Chair
Sen. Tarver, Vice Chairman

Sen. Broome
Sen. Cortez
Sen. Mills
Sen. Perry
Sen. Peterson

Committee on Natural Resources

Sen. Long, Chairman
Sen. Ward, Vice Chairman
Sen. Allain
Sen. Amedee
Sen. Chabert
Sen. Morrell
Sen. Morrish
Sen. Cortez, Interim member

Committee on Retirement

Sen. Guillory, Chairman
Sen. Cortez, Vice Chairman
Sen. Appel
Sen. Crowe
Sen. Long
Sen. Peacock
Sen. Perry

Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs

Sen. Riser, Chairman
Sen. Erdey, Vice Chairman
Sen. Adley
Sen. Broome
Sen. Dorsey-Colomb
Sen. Gallot
Sen. Heitmeier
Sen. Kostelka
Sen. Morrell
Sen. G. Smith
Sen. J. Smith

Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs

Sen. Amedee, Chairman
Sen. Walsworth, Vice Chairman
Sen. Donahue
Sen. Kostelka
Sen. Morrell
Sen. Murray
Sen. Perry
Sen. Riser
Sen. Tarver

Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works

Sen. Adley, Chairman
Sen. Buffington, Vice Chair
Sen. Brown
Sen. Erdey
Sen. Heitmeier
Sen. Nevers
Sen. G. Smith

Sincerely,
JOHN A. ALARIO JR.
Senate President

**SENATE
STATE OF LOUISIANA**

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Louisiana State Senate
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

RE: Select Committee Appointments

Members of the Senate:

In accordance with Senate Rule 13.20 the following appointments are submitted for the record:

Select Committee on Coastal Restoration

- Sen. J. Smith, Chairman
- Sen. Allain, Vice Chairman
- Sen. Chabert
- Sen. Crowe
- Sen. Heitmeier
- Sen. Mills
- Sen. Morrish

Select Committee on Homeland Security

- Sen. Buffington, Chair
- Sen. White, Vice Chairman
- Sen. Amedee
- Sen. Murray
- Sen. Riser
- Sen. Thompson
- Sen. Walsworth

Select Committee on Hurricane Recovery

- Sen. Heitmeier
- Sen. Morrell
- Sen. Morrish
- Sen. Murray
- Sen. Peterson

Select Committee on Oversight of the Gulf Coast Claims Facility

- Sen. Morrell, Chairman
- Sen. Crowe
- Sen. Murray
- Sen. Peacock

Select Committee on Veterans Affairs

- Sen. Adley, Chairman
- Sen. Amedee
- Sen. Buffington
- Sen. Guillory
- Sen. Heitmeier
- Sen. Murray
- Sen. Perry
- Sen. Riser
- Sen. Tarver

Select Committee on Vocational and Technical Education

- Sen. Chabert, Chairman
- Sen. Erdey, Vice Chairman
- Sen. Adley
- Sen. Appel
- Sen. Brown
- Sen. Kostelka
- Sen. Murray
- Sen. Nevers

Select Committee on Women and Children

- Sen. Peterson, Chair
- Sen. Broome
- Sen. Buffington
- Sen. Dorsey
- Sen. Mills

Sincerely,
JOHN A. ALARIO JR.
Senate President

Rules Suspended

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a Committee of five be appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is now duly convened and organized and prepared to transact such business as may be brought before it.

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

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

- Senators Cortez,
- Gallot,
- Mills,
- Perry and
- Peterson.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a Committee of six be appointed to act with such a Committee as the House of Representatives may appoint to notify the Governor that the Legislature is now duly convened and organized and prepared to receive such communication as he may desire to lay before it.

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

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

- Senators Adley,
- Donahue,
- Appel,
- Martiny,
- Johns and
- Murray.

Reports of Committees

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

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

Committee from the House of Representatives

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

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Introduction of Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1— BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102.2(B)(4) and 883.1(A)(2)(a), (C)(4)(a)(introductory paragraph), (b)(introductory paragraph), and (c)(i), and (G), and to repeal R.S. 11:883.1(C)(4)(d) and (e), relative to application of excess investment earnings of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for post-retirement benefit increases funded from such earnings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2— BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:186, relative to state and statewide retirement systems; to provide relative to meetings of system boards of trustees; to provide for representation during executive sessions of the boards and committees of such systems; to provide for written authorization; to provide restrictions; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 3— BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:30.1(A)(2), relative to second degree murder; to add to the list of aggravating circumstances under which the killing of a human being constitutes second degree murder; to provide that second degree murder includes the killing of a human being when the offender is engaged in the selling of certain illegal drugs; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 4— BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:403(A)(4), relative to abuse of children; to provide for mandatory reporting of sexual abuse of a child; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 5— BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 793, 801, and 808, relative to jury trials; to provide for use of evidence during jury deliberations; to provide for note taking; to provide for evidence in jury room; to provide for jury charges; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 6— BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1195.1(B) and (C) and 1195.2(B) and (C) and to enact R.S. 11:1195.1(D) and 1195.2(D), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for reporting of positions and employees that cease to be covered by the retirement system; to provide for audits to ensure compliance; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 7— BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1732(15) and 1763(J)(1), (2), and (3), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for final average compensation; to provide for calculation of additional benefits following participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for transitional provisions; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 8— BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1821(B) and (H)(1) and to enact R.S. 11:1821(C)(3) and (4) and (H)(4), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for the composition of the board of trustees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 9— BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62(7), 1786, and 1806, relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for ranges for employee contributions; to provide for board authority to set the employee contributions for Plan A and Plan B within the ranges for each fiscal year; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 10— BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:22(D), relative to actuarial valuation methods for state and statewide retirement systems; to provide for conversion of such methods; to specify the method to be utilized once the frozen unfunded actuarial accrued liability of certain systems has been fully amortized; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 11— BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1902(30) and (31), relative to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 12—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2031(5), relative to the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide for final average compensation; to provide for transitional provisions; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 13—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:22(B)(6) and (13), relative to actuarial valuation methods; to provide relative to the method utilized by the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana, to change such method from projected unit credit to entry age normal; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 14—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2072(A) and (B) and 2074(B) and to repeal R.S. 11:2072(C), relative to the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide for calculation of the annual amount of retirement allowance; to provide for calculation of disability benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1782(1) and (3) and 1802(1) and (3), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide for computation of normal retirement allowances of certain elected officials; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 16—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:185(D)(3) and (5), relative to public retirement systems; to provide relative to boards of trustees; to provide for educational requirements for members of such boards; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 17—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article X, Section 29(A) and (B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, and to add Article X, Section 29(G) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to state retirement systems; to provide for the establishment of a defined contribution plan within such systems; to provide for participation by certain persons; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 18—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:4(A)(1)(d), 22(B)(12), 42(B)(10), 62(10), 102(B)(3)(d)(viii), 148(B), 154(A)(2), 158(B)(13), 162(A), 173(A)(2), 174(B)(2), 181(A)(4), 182(A)(1), 185(A)(4), 211(heading), 222(A), 223, 234(A)(12), 251, 262(12), 271(B)(12), 272(A)(2), 312(A)(12), 417(A) and (C), 516, 1301(1)(4), and (8), 1302(A)(introductory paragraph), 1305(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 1307(D)(1), 1307.1(A), 1329, 1345.1, and 1345.2(4), relative to the State Police Pension and Retirement System; to provide for technical corrections; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 19—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:710(A)(1) and (4), (B)(1)(a), (C)(2), and (D), and to repeal R.S. 11:710(H), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to allow certain retirees reemployed as substitute teachers to receive benefits during reemployment; to provide 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 20—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:710(A)(5), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to allow certain retirees reemployed as adjunct professors to receive benefits during reemployment; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 21—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A)(2), Article X, Section 29(C), and Article XIII, Section 1(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to Acts of the legislature relative to public retirement systems; to provide relative to the prefiling deadline for retirement legislation; to provide relative to the public notice requirement for retirement legislation; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 22—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2174(B)(1)(b)(iv) and (d), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide for membership for part-time employees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 23—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102.1(B)(4) and 542(A)(2)(a), (C)(4)(a), (b)(introductory paragraph), and (c)(i), and (F), and to repeal R.S. 11:542(C)(4)(d) and (e), relative to application of excess investment earnings of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for post-retirement benefit

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increases funded from such earnings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 24—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2093, to enact R.S. 11:2077(D), and to repeal R.S. 11:2151, 2152, and 2153, relative to the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to compliance with applicable federal tax qualification requirements; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 25—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62, 102(B)(3)(d)(i) and (iv), and 247(A)(1), (D), and (E), to enact R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(e), 249, 446(G), 542(G), 783(L), 883.1(H), and 1150(C), and to repeal R.S. 11:1145.1 and 1332, relative to state retirement systems; to provide for contributions; to provide for permanent benefit increases; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 26—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact Subpart P of Part II of Chapter 4 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:331 through 336, relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to create a defined contribution plan within such systems; to provide relative to contributions and benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 27—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:411(2), (4), (7)(b), and (8), 441(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (d) and (2)(a)(introductory paragraph), 444(A)(1)(a)(ii), and 531(A)(1)(a) and (b), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to membership, contributions, eligibility for and calculation of benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 28—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1305(A)(1), (C)(1) and (2), 1307(A)(1) and (2)(b), (B), and (D)(1), 1345.3, 1345.4(introductory paragraph), (A), (B), and (C), and 1345.5, relative to the State Police Pension and Retirement System; to provide relative to membership, contributions, eligibility for and calculation of benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 29—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1116, 1133, 1137, 1141(A), 1144(A)(1), (2), (3) and (4), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to membership, contributions, eligibility for and calculation of benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 30—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:721, 761(A)(1)(b), (2), and (3) and 768(A) and (B)(2), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to membership, contributions, eligibility for and calculation of benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 31—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:728(C)(1)(a) and (b)(ii) and (iii) and (2)(a) and (b) and R.S. 17:3997(A)(2) and (3) and to repeal Act 999 of the 2010 Regular Session, relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to membership in the system of charter school teachers; to provide for purchase of service credit by charter school teachers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 32—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:22(B)(13) and 102(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 11:102(D), relative to the actuarial valuation method of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to change such method from projected unit credit to entry age normal; to provide for the amortization of any gain or loss attributable to such change; to provide relative to employer contributions after such change; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 33—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(1), 103(B)(1), 448(A), 450(B), 787(A)(1), 1152(E) and (H), 2221(E)(1)(a), and 2257(E), relative to deferred retirement option plans or programs; to provide for employer contributions in state and statewide retirement systems pursuant to such plans or programs; to require employer contributions to continue during any employee's participation in such a plan or program; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 34—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1751(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1)(a) and (b), (C), (E)(1) and (2)(e), 1755(A)(introductory paragraph), 2214(A)(1) and (2)(a), 2220(A)(1)(a), 2220.2(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 2253(A)(1)(a)(i),

and 2256(A)(1), (2), (3), and (4) relative to retirement for municipal employees; to provide relative to Municipal Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana, Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System, and Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide relative to membership, contributions, eligibility for and calculation of benefits; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 35—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:207 and 2178(B) and (G) and to enact R.S. 11:2186, relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide for benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 36—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1755(G), 1769(F), 1785(D), and 1805(C), relative to Municipal Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for compliance with applicable federal tax qualification requirements; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 37—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2178.1(C)(9)(c), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide for surviving spouse annuities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 38—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2144(A) and to enact Part X of Chapter 6 of Subtitle III of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:2165.1 through 2165.7, relative to the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to membership, benefit calculation, retirement eligibility, and disability benefits for certain members; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 39—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:411(11), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for system membership; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 40—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1429, relative to the insurance fraud investigation unit within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to extend the enforcement provisions of the unit to July 1, 2014; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 41—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:542.1.2 and 542.1.3, relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for a minimum benefit for certain retirees, beneficiaries, and survivors; to provide for a one-time benefit supplement; to provide for funding; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 42—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:403(5), 450(B) and (D)(3) and (4), 612(1), and 701(5)(b) through (e) and to enact R.S. 11:102(D) and 701(5)(f), relative to state retirement systems; to provide with respect to employer contributions; to provide with respect to benefit calculation; to provide with respect to system funding; to provide transitional provisions; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 43—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:1404(F), 1411(E), and 1446, relative to the Assessors' Retirement Fund; to provide for compliance with federal tax qualification requirements; to provide relative to benefits accrued during military service; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 44—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:242(E), relative to cost-of-living adjustments; to provide for funding of such adjustments; to provide for restrictions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 45—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62(11) and 1002(13), to enact R.S. 11:62(4)(c) and (d), 701(33)(b)(vi) and Part IV-A of Chapter 3 of Subtitle II of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:1160.1 - 1160.12, and to repeal Subpart IV of Chapter 2 of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 11:801-813, relative to food service workers; to provide for the retirement of employees of school boards paid from school food service funds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 46—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(introductory paragraph), (7), and (29), 822(A)(2), 826, 831, 832, 833, 834(A)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph) and (B) through (D), 1001(A) and

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(B), 1002(introductory paragraph), (8), (16), and (26) and 1161, to enact Subpart P of Part II of Chapter 4 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:331, and R.S. 11:701(22.1) and 1001(22.1), and to repeal R.S. 11:831, 1001(C), 1162 through 1165, and 1166 through 1171, relative to the merger of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana and the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for consolidation of administration of the two systems; to provide for the maintenance of separate plans, including asset pools, actuarial valuations, contribution rates, and benefit entitlements; to provide for development of a strategy to consolidate the plans; to provide for the redesignation of certain provisions of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute with respect to such redesignations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 47—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:403(5) and 701(5)(b) through (e) and to enact R.S. 11:701(5)(f) and Subpart P of Part II of Chapter 4 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:331, relative to certain members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and certain postsecondary education members of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide with respect to benefit calculation; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 48—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:511, 822(A) and (B), 1162(A), and 1164, relative to state retirement systems; to provide relative to the membership of the boards of trustees of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana, and the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 49—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1763(A) and to enact R.S. 11:1789 through 1789.5 and R.S. 11:1808 through 1808.5, relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to membership, employee contributions, benefit calculation, survivor benefits, disability benefits, and retirement eligibility for future system members; 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 Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 50—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:242(E) and 2178(K) and to enact R.S. 11:2175.1(C)(4), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide relative to permanent benefit increases; to provide for credits to the funding deposit account; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 51—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:441(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), (2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (b)(introductory paragraph), and 761(A)(4) and to enact Subpart P of Part II of Chapter 4 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:331, and R.S. 11:441(A)(4) and 761(A)(5), relative to certain members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and certain postsecondary education members of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to eligibility for retirement and to retirement benefits; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 52—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62(5)(a), (c), and (e) and (11)(c) and to enact R.S. 11:62(11)(d) and Subpart P of Part II of Chapter 4 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:331, relative to certain members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and certain postsecondary education members of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to increase employee contribution rates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 53—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62(4)(introductory paragraph), (5)(introductory paragraph), and (11)(introductory paragraph), 102(B)(1) and (3)(a) and (d)(v), (vi), and (vii), 542(A)(2)(a), 883.1(A)(2)(a), and 1145.1(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (a) and (E), and to enact R.S. 11:62(4.1), (5.1), and (11.1), 102(C)(1)(m), 542(C)(4)(d)(iii) and (e)(iii), 883.1(C)(4)(d)(iii) and (e)(iii), 1145.1(C)(4)(a)(iii) and (b)(iii), and Chapter 7 of Subtitle II of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:1399-1399.5, relative to state retirement systems; to create a cash balance plan in certain state systems; to provide for contributions, credits, eligibility, and benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 54—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:22(B)(6), 102(C)(4), and 102.1(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 11:102.1(B)(6) and (C)(6), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for a change in actuarial valuation method; to provide for application of gains and losses resulting from such change; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 55—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:22(B)(6), and 102(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 11:102(D) and _____, relative to the actuarial valuation method of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to change such method from projected unit credit to entry age normal; to provide for the amortization of any gain or loss attributable to such change; to provide relative to employer

contributions after such change; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 56—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(introductory paragraph), (7), and (29), 822(A)(2), 826, 831, 832, 833, 834(A)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph) and (B) through (D), 1001(A) and (B), 1002(introductory paragraph), (8), (16), and (26) and 1161, to enact Subpart P of Part II of Chapter 4 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:331, and R.S. 11:701(22.1) and 1001(22.1), and to repeal R.S. 11:831, 1001(C), 1162 through 1165, and 1166 through 1171, relative to the merger of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana and the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for consolidation of administration of the two systems; to provide for the maintenance of separate plans, including asset pools, actuarial valuations, contribution rates, and benefit entitlements; to provide for development of a strategy to consolidate the plans; to provide for the redesignation of certain provisions of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute with respect to such redesignations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 57—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact amend and reenact R.S. 11:542(A)(2) and (3), and (B)(introductory paragraph), 833.1(A)(2) and (3), (B)(introductory paragraph), and (G)(2) and to enact Subpart P of Part II of Chapter 4 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 11:131, and R.S. 11:542(A)(4), (B)(3), and (F)(3)and 833.1(A)(4), relative to certain members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and certain postsecondary education members of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to experience accounts; to provide for calculations of credits and debits; to provide for debits; to provide for subaccounts; to provide definitions; to provide for an effective date; to provide for revised valuations for the systems; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2934, relative to the expenditure of public funds; to prohibit the expenditure of public funds to disseminate the criminal history of a murder victim in the parish of Orleans; to provide exceptions; to provide for civil fines; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 59—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:981.5, relative to controlled dangerous substances; to create the crime of utilizing or permitting the presence of a juvenile in drug trafficking; to provide elements of the crime and definitions; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 60—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact 47:1923(D)(1), relative to tax assessors; to provide relative to the payment of certain insurance premiums for certain retired assessors and assessors' employees in the parishes of Caldwell and Lincoln; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 61—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:996.1 through 996.6, relative to dangerous substances; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals to determine whether a substance is a dangerous substance; to permit the secretary to issue dangerous substance stop orders; to provide for rulemaking authority; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 62—
BY SENATOR APPEL AND REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(6)(a) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(h), relative to the Department of Education, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Education 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 Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 63—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part IV of Chapter 3-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and to enact R.S. 23:302(9), (10) and (11), and 331, relative to employment discrimination; to provide additional protected classes; to provide for definitions; to allow for dress and appearance requirements; to provide with respect to discrimination by the state and state agencies; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 64—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:85.1, relative to alcohol permits; to provide for Class A-General retail permits; to provide for Class B Retail Liquor Permit; to allow manufacturers to obtain a Class A-General retail permit or a Class B Retail Liquor Permit, or both, 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 B.

SENATE BILL NO. 65—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:985.2, relative to the Thirty-Eighth Judicial District; to provide for the assessment of court costs to fund court reporter fees prepared for indigents; to authorize additional costs in criminal cases; to authorize an additional filing fee in civil

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cases; to create an indigent transcript fund for the payment of court reporter fees; to provide terms and conditions for such funds; to authorize the clerk of court to retain certain fees; to provide for rates of payment to court reporters; to provide for an annual audit; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 66—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:966(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 40:966(B)(4), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to increase penalties for certain violations involving heroin; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 67—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:966(C)(1) and (D)(1) and to enact R.S. 40:966(C)(4) and (D)(2), relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to increase penalties for certain violations involving heroin; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 68—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895.5(D), relative to restitution recovery divisions established by district attorneys; to authorize a district attorney to assess a collection fee on funds due when the amount payable to the state or to a crime victim has not been satisfied; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 69—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:95(A)(6), relative to the crime of illegal carrying of weapons; to provide a sixty-day grace period for concealed handgun permit holders whose permit has expired; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 70—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 3421 and 3431(A)(introductory paragraph), and to repeal Code of Civil Procedure Article 3422.1(G), relative to small successions; to provide relative to small succession procedures and effects; to provide certain definitions, conditions, terms, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 71—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2266.3, relative to criminalistics laboratories operated by sheriffs; to exempt the criminalistics laboratory operated by the sheriff of Jefferson Parish from certain requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 72—

BY SENATOR MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:255(P), relative to witness fees payable to off-duty law enforcement officers; to authorize the transfer of surplus monies in the off-duty law enforcement officer witness fee fund of the Sixteenth Judicial District to the criminal court fund of the Sixteenth Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 73—

BY SENATOR CROWE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(E)(10), relative to controlled dangerous substances; to provide relative to substances having a stimulant effect on the central nervous system, specifically Kratom; to add Kratom to Schedule I of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 74—

BY SENATOR CROWE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:403.3(D) and to enact R.S. 14:403.3(E) and 403.7, relative to offenses affecting law enforcement; creates the crime of failure to report the death of a child; to provide for certain elements; to provide relative to false reports of missing children; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 75—

BY SENATOR KOSTELKA
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:403.3(D) and to enact R.S. 14:403.3(E), 403.7 and 403.8, relative to offenses affecting law enforcement; to increase the penalty for communicating false information to law enforcement regarding a missing child under certain circumstances; to create the crimes of failure to report a missing child and failure to report the death of a child; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 76—

BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(D)(2), relative to the election code; relative to municipal and parochial elections in Orleans Parish; provides for dates for elections to be held in 2014; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 77—

BY SENATOR GALLOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:402.3(C) and 408(C)(1) relative, to motorcycle endorsements on drivers' licenses; to provide that persons meeting certain qualifications are not required to take a written knowledge test to obtain an "M" endorsement on a driver's license; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 78—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(A)(4), relative to the illegal carrying and discharge of weapons; to exclude certain knives from the prohibition of certain weapons; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 79—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R. S. 32:388(B)(1)(b)(i), relative to trucks hauling concrete or construction aggregates; to authorize ready-mixed concrete trucks to exceed licensed gross vehicle weight under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 80—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.23, relative to the city of Youngsville, to provide for the authority and disciplinary actions by the chief of police with respect to police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 81—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1102(23), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide an exception to the definition of a "transaction involving the governmental entity" for certain transactions involving real property under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 82—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10(F)(4)(g) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the expenditure of state funds; to prohibit the limited redirection and transfer of funds from the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly in certain circumstances; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 83—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2869(A)(3), relative to the Polysomnographic Practice Act; to provide an additional exemption from the state licensure and permit requirement; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 84—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1123(18)(e), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for an exception to certain prohibitions of physicians as public servants; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 85—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart I-1 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:241, relative to traffic violations; to require voter approval prior to the imposition of civil fines for violations captured by automated traffic enforcement systems; to provide relative to fines imposed prior to the effective date of this Act; to define terms; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 86—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:4(A)(2), relative to the Sanitary Code; to provide with respect to the duties of a healthcare provider with regard to any general duty to warn concerning communicable diseases; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 87—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(6) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(e), relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Health and Hospitals 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 Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 88—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:968(D)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 49:968(D)(1)(c), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to require agencies to provide written notice to the office of state register upon submission of certain reports to the legislature; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

Rules Suspended

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

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable Bobby Jindal, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Peacock
Adley	Erdey	Perry
Allain	Gallot	Peterson
Amedee	Guillory	Riser
Appel	Johns	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Brown	Long	Tarver
Buffington	Martiny	Thompson
Chabert	Mills	Walsworth
Claitor	Morrell	Ward
Cortez	Morrish	White
Crowe	Murray	
Donahue	Nevers	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Heitmeier	LaFleur
Total - 2	

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

Introduction of Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions, Resumed

SENATE BILL NO. 89—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1187 and 1188(C) and to enact R.S. 40:73(E), relative to adoptions; to provide for accessing original birth certificates 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 A.

SENATE BILL NO. 90—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:46(A), relative to legitimation; to provide for legitimation by a major child and the biological parents; to provide for specific information required; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 91—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2583.5, relative to the appointment of a deputy constable in Calcasieu Parish; to authorize a constable of a justice of the peace court in Calcasieu Parish to appoint a deputy; to provide for compensation; to provide for qualifications of office; to provide for residency requirements; 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 Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 92—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:28(H)(1), relative to suitability standards for gaming licenses, permits or contracts; to provide with respect to suitability determination; to require persons with the capacity to influence a licensee, casino gaming operator, a permittee, or other person required to meet suitability requirements, to also meet suitability requirements and qualifications; to provide for considerations by the board or division; 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 B.

SENATE BILL NO. 93—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:28(E) and 308(D), relative to gaming and video poker; to provide with respect to the powers and duties of the Gaming Control Board; to provide relative to restriction on application after a finding of unsuitability or revocation of license, permit or approval; 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 B.

SENATE BILL NO. 94—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 15:823, relative to corrections services; to provide relative to the director of corrections; to repeal reference to the director of corrections; 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 B.

SENATE BILL NO. 95—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:1798(A)(1), relative to information furnished to police or sheriff; requires a pawnbroker to provide all transactional information obtained to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, division of probation and parole; to provide relative to the means for providing transactional information; to provide with respect to time delays for delivery of certain information; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 96—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1228.6(6) and (7), relative to component systems of the Integrated Criminal Justice Information System (ICJIS) operated by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; authorizes the name change of certain component systems; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 97—
BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 35 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5631 through 5636 and R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(ff); to create and provide relative to the

Louisiana Sheriff's Executive Management Institute; to provide relative to the board of directors, their qualifications and appointment; to provide for Senate confirmation; to provide for the necessary conditions required to receive an increase in compensation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 98—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1510, relative to fire protection districts, municipal fire departments or volunteer fire departments; to allow expenditure of public funds in connection with certain activities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 99—
BY SENATORS GALLOT AND RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:532.1(C)(3)(a) and 532.1(D)(1), relative to the election code; to allow certain parish governing authorities to merge certain precincts; to provide for approval and review of certain precinct changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 100—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part IV of Chapter 3-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and to enact R.S. 23:331, relative to employment discrimination; to provide additional protected classes; to provide for definitions; to allow for dress and appearance requirements; to provide with respect to discrimination by the state and state agencies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 101—
BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:714(A), relative to charitable gaming; to increase the number of days a licensee may hold, operate, or conduct any game of chance within a calendar month; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 102—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact Subpart I-1 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:241, relative to traffic violations; to provide for procedures, terms, and conditions; to prohibit a traffic citation issued by an automated traffic enforcement system from being submitted to a collection agency; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 103—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3165(D)(2), relative to public postsecondary education; to provide relative to the number of

credit hours required to earn a baccalaureate degree; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 104—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3164(A)(2)(b), 3167(E), and 3168, relative to postsecondary education; to provide relative to articulation and transfer of credit between and among public secondary and postsecondary educational institutions; to provide relative to the development and implementation of a statewide common course numbering system; to provide relative to reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 105—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:402(G), relative to contraband in correctional facilities; to require imposition of a monetary penalty for the introduction of contraband into a correctional facility; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 106—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:31.4(E), relative to legislators; to provide for vacant property of the state to be utilized as legislative offices; to provide for a process for requests for property; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 107—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:109, 463(A)(1)(a) and 551(D), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide for consistency of presentation of political party affiliations on voter identification cards, notices of candidacy, voter registration cards and precinct registers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 108—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:310(D), relative to video draw poker license qualifications; to require a lessor of immovable property being utilized as a qualified licensed truck stop facility to meet all suitability requirements and qualifications for licensees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 109—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 26:71(A), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 26:271(A), and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 26:903, relative to alcohol and tobacco permits; to establish permit fees not to exceed a maximum amount for a particular permit; to provide for rule

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making authority to set these fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 110—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:91(A)(2) and 287(A)(1)(a), relative to the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide relative to the suspension or revocation of permits; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 111—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(F) and (G), relative to the Public Records Law; relative to records of violations of municipal ordinances and of state statutes classified as a misdemeanor or felony; to provide the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy with access to expunged records under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 112—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1007(A), (B), (G), and (H), and to enact R.S. 40:1007(I) and (J), relative to the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; relative to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substance Law; to provide for access to prescription monitoring program information; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 113—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 23:966, relative to smoking tobacco products; to repeal the prohibition of smoking discrimination in the workplace; to repeal the prohibition of discrimination in employment because the individual is a smoker or nonsmoker; to repeal the prohibition that an employer may require, as a condition of employment, that the individual abstain from smoking outside the course of employment; to provide for legislative intent; 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 Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 114—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.58.5(A)(2)(a) and (b) and (3), relative to declarations concerning medical procedures; to provide with respect to the order of priority for the procedure for making a declaration for a qualified patient who has not previously made a declaration; to provide for voting number when the class involves multiple persons; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 115—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2110(D) and (E), relative to suspension of a license for a psychiatric hospital; to provide for immediate suspension of a license under certain circumstances; to provide for notice, appeal, and injunctive relief; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 116—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:912(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 28:912(B)(1)(g) and 915(B)(8), relative to human services districts; to provide with respect to the naming of Region 4; to provide the authority for the naming of human services districts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 117—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:90(A)(12) and 286(A)(12), and to enact R.S. 26:911(A)(5), relative to the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to prohibit the acceptance of nutritional assistance benefits for the purchase of alcohol or tobacco products; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 118—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1189, relative to the authority of the commissioner of insurance to promulgate regulations; to provide for the commissioner to promulgate regulations for independent review of benefit determinations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 119—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:436.1(K), relative to the administration of medication to public school students; to require public school governing authorities to adopt a policy allowing school nurses to administer certain medication to students under certain circumstances; to provide for definitions; to provide for limitation of liability; to provide for notification of policy; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 120—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:243(B)(4) and (C), relative to state banks; to provide for assets acquired by a bank from a failed or failing bank; to increase the amount property must be valued from one hundred thousand to two hundred fifty thousand dollars before a qualified appraisal on property is annually required; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 121—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:35.3(G)(2), to enact R.S. 14:37.7, 37.8, and 40.8, and to repeal R.S. 14:35.3(J), relative to assault and battery affecting domestic household members; to create the crimes of domestic abuse assault and domestic abuse aggravated assault; to create the crime of domestic violence as an enhancement to any crime of violence involving household members; to provide for enhancement of penalties when a minor under the age of thirteen is present during the commission of the crime; to provide relative to the cleansing period for prior domestic abuse battery convictions; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 122—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:541(2)(k) and (25)(f), relative to the registration of sex offenders; to provide relative to certain definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 123—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 1:58.5, relative to special days; to designate three days in October as "Care Enough to Wear Pink" in Louisiana to recognize and honor those individuals who have been diagnosed with breast cancer; to provide that these dates shall be observed annually by the state; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 124—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:21(B)(7), relative to limitations on disciplinary proceedings by professional or occupational boards and commissions; to provide an exemption for the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 125—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A), 295(B), and 300.1, relative to income tax; to reduce the rate of the individual income tax and estate and trust tax; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 126—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2225.2.1(A)(3), relative to public contracts; to extend the time relative to the utilization of design-build contracts 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 127—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Article 412(L), relative to records; to provide relative to the confidentiality of certain records; to provide for the custodian of the records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 128—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:711.15(A)(4)(b), and to repeal R.S. 37:711.4(D) relative to the Louisiana Professional Geoscience Practice Act; to provide for license eligibility; to provide for exemptions from examination requirements; to repeal certain prohibitions and limitations upon the receipt and use of state funds; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 129—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1124.7, relative to public officials; to require certain disclosures by certain public officials relative to the public servant's nominating for and awarding of scholarships to public and private institutions of higher education; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 130—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:91.9, relative to crimes involving the distribution, purchase, or possession of certain substances; to create the crime of unlawful distribution, purchase, or possession of Kratom; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 131—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3902(B)(5) and 3997(D)(2), relative to evaluation of the effectiveness of teachers and administrators; to provide relative to implementation of a value-added assessment model; to provide for interim use of local school board evaluation plans and processes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 132—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1121.2, relative to the code of governmental ethics; to prohibit former legislators, for a period of two years, from being employed or appointed by the state or its agencies; 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.

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SENATE BILL NO. 133—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:587.2(A) and 587.4(A), relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to district courts; to provide relative to designation by judges of speciality divisions or sections; to provide certain procedures, terms and conditions; to provide relative to the Fourth Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 134—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:300(B)(3)(b), relative to possession of alcoholic beverages in motor vehicles; to further describe an open alcoholic beverage container in motor vehicle; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 135—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(D)(2), relative to the election code; to provide for certain municipal and parochial elections; to provide for dates for elections to be held in 2014; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 136—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 610(A) and(E)(1) and (2), relative to reporting of child abuse or neglect; to provide with respect to the reporting procedures for suspected cases of child abuse and neglect; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 137—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1310(B)(1), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide for a prohibition of any owner, operator or administrator of a nursing home from assisting any voter in casting his ballot in an election; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 138—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:387.7(B), relative to special permits; to provide relative to special permits for vehicles hauling sugarcane; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 139—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3334(C), relative to leases of movables; to provide an exception to the choice of insurer provision for certain consumer leases; to provide terms and conditions of such consumer leases; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 140—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1908(A)(26) and (C), to increase the amount the assessor of Jefferson Parish is allowed for clerical and other expenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 141—
BY SENATOR MILLS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article XII, Section 17, of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to liability; to authorize the legislature by law to limit or provide for the extent of liability of a provider of medical or health care; to provide certain terms and conditions; to provide that such limitation of liability includes the circumstances giving rise to liability and the kinds and amounts of recoverable damages; to provide that the limitation of liability applies to certain losses and damages; to provide for retroactivity; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 142—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S.13:5523(C)(23), relative to sheriff's commissions from tax collections; to increase the Iberia Parish sheriff's commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 143—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(4)(m) and 337.15(J), relative to sales tax; to define a pharmacy benefit management company as a dealer in certain circumstances; to require sales and use tax levied by political subdivisions which are due on the distribution of prescription drugs by a pharmacy on behalf of a pharmacy benefit management company to be collected from the pharmacy benefit management company; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 144—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:337.11.2, relative to the sales and use tax of political subdivisions of the state; to provide for a conditional phased-in exemption for certain inhibitors and complex biologics; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 145—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:22.8(A) and 451.4(B) and to repeal R.S. 28:894(A)(5) and R.S. 36:259(C)(15), (C)(17) through (C)(21), (C)(25), and (C)(26), relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to delete provisions related to certain supports and services centers and employment service programs no longer in existence; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 146—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1706(H)(10), relative to standards of conduct of public adjusters; to prohibit a public adjuster from acting as an appraiser on claims he or she is adjusting; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 147—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:1236.3, relative to the medical assistance program for emergency transportation of a person by ambulance; to repeal the provisions relative to the payment rates under Title XIX of the Social Security Act medical assistance program for emergency transportation of a person by ambulance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 148—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3408(A)(10), 3409(B) and (C), 3410(H)(3), 3411(G)(3), and 3420 and to repeal Part VII of Chapter 6 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 3:711 through 716, relative to agriculture commodities; to clarify provisions of the Agricultural Commodity Dealer and Warehouse Law; to provide relative to warehouse licenses; to repeal the Agriculture Commodity Marketing Law; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 149—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1399(A), the introductory paragraph of 1412(C), 1430.5(E), the introductory paragraph of 1430.7(A), 1431(26), 1435(3), 1439, 1440, 1441, and 1444(9), relative to the Louisiana Agricultural Liming Materials Law; to clarify the registration date for liming materials; to clarify terms relative to stop orders; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 150—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1604(A)(5), 1743(A) and (C), and 3801(C)(3) and (G), relative to changes in the membership of certain commissions within the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to provide for the membership of the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission; to provide for the membership of the Louisiana Sweet Potato Advertising and Development Commission; to provide for the membership of the Horticulture Commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 151—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 3:3243(G), the introductory paragraph of 3245(C), the introductory paragraph of 3246(G), 3367(F) and 3383(B) and to enact R.S. 3:3210(C)(6) and 3365(E), relative to the Pesticide Law; to provide relative to monies in the Pesticide Fund; to authorize the Structural Pest Control Commission to issue subpoenas; to extend records retention requirements for certain entities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 152—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 623(B) and (C), 661(B),(C) and (D), 675(B)(3),(4), and (5), 679(C) and (D), 695(Heading) and (A), (B), and (C), 696(B), 702(J), 705, 706(B), 776(B), 853, 908(Heading) and (C), 1015(3)(k), 1030(2), 1211(Introductory Paragraph) and to enact Children's Code Articles 623(D) and (E), 661(E), 675(B)(6), 679(E) and (F), 695(D), 696(C), 706(C), and 908(D), and to repeal Children's Code Article 730(10), relative to continuous revision of the Children's Code; to provide relative to notice and who has the right to be heard at a continued custody Child in Need of Care ("CINC") hearing; to provide for who shall be present at an adjudication hearing; to provide for the purpose and contents of the case plan; to provide for who receives notice of and who may be present at the disposition hearing; to provide for who shall receive notice of the right to appear and be heard at a case review hearing; to provide for the rights of the parties at a case review hearing; to provide for permanency hearings; to provide for notice of, the right to be heard, and the rights of the parties at permanency hearings; to provide for permanency planning reports; to provide for the effect of a parent's non-appearance at a delinquency hearing; to provide for the juvenile's care and treatment by the department; to provide for the grounds for termination of parental rights; to provide for suspension of the right of voluntary surrender of parental rights by initiation of a termination proceeding; to provide for the final decree at an adoption hearing; to provide for the grounds upon which an allegation that a family is a Family in Need of Services (or "FINS") must be based; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 153—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Subpart E of Part III of Chapter 1 of Code Title V of Code Book I of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:355.1 through 355.19, to enact R.S. 9:357, and to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to add a comment under Civil Code Article 134, relative to child custody and the relocation of the residence of a child; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide for the proposal of relocation; to provide for notice; to provide for an objection; to provide for a limitation on an objection; to provide for the failure to object; to provide for the burden of proof; to provide for court authorization to relocate; to provide for a temporary order; to provide for the priority for trial; to provide for factors to determine a contested relocation; to provide for the appointment of a mental health expert; to provide for a modification of custody; to provide for a posting of security; to provide for sanctions; to provide for the use of technology; 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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SENATE BILL NO. 154—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 414(A), 917, 918, 919(A), (B), (C), (D), and (E), 921(A) and (C), and 922, and R.S. 15:593 and 614(B) and to enact Children's Code Articles 781(F), 901(G), 923, and 924, and R.S. 44:9(M) and to repeal R.S. 44:9(A)(3)(c), relative to the continuous revision of the Children's Code; to provide for disclosure of juvenile records for sentencing purposes; to provide for the court's disposition alternatives in a Family In Need of Services (FINS) proceeding; to provide guidelines to the court in a juvenile disposition proceeding; to provide for expungement of juvenile criminal records; to provide for the grounds for expungement of juvenile records; to provide for expungement procedures; to provide for the order of expungement of agencies' records; to provide for the court's authority to waive expungement costs and fees; to provide expungement motion and order forms; to provide for prohibition of destruction of certain agencies' records and exceptions thereto; to provide for removal of an individual's records from the state police database; to provide for an individual to file a motion requesting expungement of his arrest records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 155—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.10(C)(1)(c), relative to early childhood education; to authorize the Department of Education to grant waivers for certain enrichment activity classes required in the Cecil J. Picard LA 4 Early Childhood Program; to provide for annual renewal of such waivers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 156—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Art. 905.1, relative to children committed to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, to provide for assessment of reading ability; to provide for creation of an academic plan and timetable; to provide for court approval; to provide certain procedures, terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 157—
BY SENATORS ADLEY AND ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:412(K) and R.S. 40:1321(K), relative to veteran designation on a driver's license and identification card; to provide for the exhibition of the word "Veteran" on a driver's license and identification card; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 158—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:968, relative to whistleblower protection; to provide employment protection for a person who reports the sexual abuse of a minor child; to provide a cause of action for certain employees; to provide for damages; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 159—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:220.24(J) and (M), and to enact R.S. 49:220.24(N), relative to the duties, powers, standards, functions and authority of certain agents of the office of the state inspector general; to provide for arrest powers; to provide for POST certification; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 160—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1923(D)(1), relative to tax assessors; to provide for the payment of certain insurance premiums by the St. Tammany Parish assessor office; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 161—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1311, relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to delete the requirement for the Registrar of Voters to post a list of voters who request to vote absentee by mail and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 162—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:91.2(A)(1) and (2) and (C), and to enact R.S. 14:91.2(D)(3), relative to sex offenders; to add public libraries to the places at which the presence of sex offenders is prohibited; to provide for exceptions; to provide relative to immunity from civil or criminal liability for head librarians; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 163—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:712(D)(3), relative to securities; to provide for unlawful practices; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 164—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:415(B), (C), (D), (F) and (G), and to enact R.S. 6:415(I), relative to banking; to provide certain restrictions and prohibit certain practices; to provide for loans, credit exposure, derivative transactions, restrictions, and rules; to provide certain definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 165—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:582.3(1), the introductory paragraph of 582.4, 582.5(2), the introductory paragraph of 582.5.6 and (5), and 582.7(4), and to enact R.S. 40:600.91(E), relative to housing development; to provide for the transfer of authority under the Louisiana Housing Development Area from the Department of Children and Family Services to the Louisiana Housing Corporation; to provide the Louisiana Housing Corporation with the authority to establish housing development areas under the Louisiana Housing Development Area; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 166—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:410(A)(6), relative to the form and information on a driver's license; to provide an option for a concealed handgun permit holder to include such permit number on his Louisiana driver's license; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 167—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1431 through 1437, relative to portable electronics insurance; to provide definitions; to provide with respect to the vendors of portable electronic devices; to provide for the requirements for the sale of portable electronics insurance; to provide with respect to termination of portable electronics insurance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 168—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R. S. 32:57(A) and 125(D), to enact R.S. 32:171(F)(5), and to repeal R.S. 32:123(E), relative to penalties for traffic violations; to provide for enhanced penalties for various traffic violations resulting in injury or death; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 169—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:730.3(B)(1), relative to the membership of the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board; to decrease the membership of the board; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 170—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1300.143(7)(a)(xiv), relative to rural hospitals; to provide with respect to the definition of a rural hospital; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 171—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:22(F), relative to economic development negotiations; to provide relative to confidentiality of certain information; to extend certain sunset provisions from 2012 to 2016; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 172—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:43, relative to automated enforcement systems; to prohibit the use of any automated enforcement system by a local governmental subdivision or political subdivision to issue a violation for exceeding the posted speed limit unless the motor vehicle exceeds the posted speed limit by more than ten miles per hour except in a school speed zone; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 173—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2519(B) and to repeal R.S. 13:2501.1(J), 2502, 2503, 2504, 2504.1, 2505(A), 2508, 2510, 2511, 2517, and 2518, relative to the Traffic Court of New Orleans; to repeal provisions relative to certain multiple misdemeanors or ordinance violations; to repeal provisions relative to certain judicial employees and their compensation; to repeal provisions relative to certain fidelity bonds; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 174—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2501.1(F) and to enact R.S. 13:1337(C), 2151(E) and 2151.4(E), relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to the jurisdiction of the Traffic Court of New Orleans and the First and Second City Courts of New Orleans; to provide relative to appeals by any person aggrieved by a decision concerning a traffic violation enforced by the city of New Orleans' automated traffic enforcement system; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 175—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1261(1)(x), relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide for regulation and enforcement by the commission; to provide for unauthorized actions of certain persons regulated by the commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 176—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.41(A)(13), relative to medical malpractice; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 177—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1705(B)(2)(c)(i) and (ii), relative to information provided regarding millage rates; to provide relative to certain notice publication deadline to the public in any year in which a tax recipient body intends to consider the levy of additional or increased millage rates without voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 178—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574(B)(30), 4574.1.1(A)(30), 4574.2(E), and 4574.6, relative to the Tangipahoa Parish Tourist and Film Commission; to rename the commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 179—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend the title of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and to enact Part III of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4035 and 4035.1, relative to school choice and school accountability; to provide relative to participation of certain nonpublic schools in the state school and district accountability system; to provide with respect to school performance letter grades for certain nonpublic schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 180—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend the title of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and to enact Part III of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4035 and 4035.1, relative to school choice and school and educator accountability; to provide relative to participation of certain nonpublic schools in the state school and district accountability system; to provide with respect to the certification and evaluation of teachers and administrators employed in certain nonpublic schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 181—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.10(A), (B), (I)(1)(a)(i) and (J) and to repeal R.S. 17:24.10(E)(2) and (F), relative to early childhood education; to require local school systems to provide access to all eligible students to the Cecil J. Picard LA 4 Early Childhood Program; to provide for collaborative agreements with non-school system providers; to provide 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 182—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend the title of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to enact Part III of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4035 and 4035.1, and to enact Part IV of Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4035.5 through 4035.7, relative to school choice and school and educator accountability; to establish and provide for the implementation of the Louisiana Parental School Choice Scholarship program; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to the duties of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the state Department of Education; to provide relative to eligibility and participation requirements for students and schools; to provide relative to funding and payments to eligible schools; to provide relative to testing; to provide for reports; to provide relative to participation of certain non-public schools in the state school and district accountability system; to provide with respect to the certification and evaluation of teachers and administrators employed in certain non-public schools; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 183—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:102.1(B), relative to amateur radio antennas; to provide for regulations related to amateur radio antennas; to prohibit the establishment of a limit less than a certain height; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 184—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Sections 2(A)(1), 16(A) and (E), Article IV, Sections 5(G)(2) and 9, Article VII, Sections 10(B) and (C)(1), 10.1(C)(1), 10.4(A), 10.5(C), 10.8(A)(2)(a) and (b), (3)(a) and (b), and (4)(a) and (b), (C)(1)(a), (b)(i) and (ii), and (c)(i) and (ii), and (3)(b), 10.10(D)(1), 11(A) and (C), and (27)(B), Article VIII, Section 13(B), Article X, Section 13(A), Article XII, Section 6(A)(1), and Article XIV, Section 10 and to repeal Article III, Section 2(A)(3) and (4) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to legislative sessions; to provide that the legislature shall meet biennially in regular session in even-numbered years; to remove certain references to annual regular sessions and to regular sessions in other years; to provide relative to biennial budgeting; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 185—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact Part VII of Chapter 15 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1360.81 through 1360.95, and R.S. 37:2353(C)(7), relative to behavioral analysts; to provide for the Board Certified Behavioral Analyst Practice Act; to provide for additional authority to the Louisiana State Board of Examiners for Psychologists; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 186—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article IV, Sections 15 and 16(A), Article V, Section 30, Article VI, Section 13(A), Article VII, Section 24(C), Article VIII, Section 3(C), and Article X, Section 27(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to state elected officials; to provide relative to the eligibility; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 187—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 8:663, relative to human remains; to provide for the collection, analysis, and reburial of exposed human skeletal remains; to provide certain terms, conditions, definitions, procedures and requirements; to provide for certain limitation of liability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 188—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1229(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 44:4(45), relative to the Louisiana Automated Victim Notification System; to restrict access to information regarding death row inmates available through the system to the inmate's victims and their families; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 189—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To enact Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:661 through 668, relative to payment of wages; to provide for definitions; to provide for prohibited acts constituting unequal pay; to provide for damages; to limit actions of employees; to require certain records be kept by employers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 190—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:403(A)(4), relative to abuse of children; to criminalize and make a felony the failure of any employee of a public postsecondary education institution who has witnessed the sexual abuse of a child or student to report such abuses to law enforcement or school administration; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 191—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:2405(A), and (A)(1) and (6), (B)(1), (2), (9), and (10), R.S. 37:3552(1), and 3562(D), and to repeal R.S. 36:259(CC) and 37:3554, relative to the transfer of the powers and duties of the Louisiana Board of Massage Therapy to the Louisiana Physical Therapy Board; to abolish the Louisiana Board of Massage Therapy and transfer the powers and duties of that board to the

Louisiana Physical Therapy Board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 192—

BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:3650, relative to professions and occupations; to provide for certain licensure of individuals with military training and experience; to provide terms, conditions, procedures and requirements; to provide for licensure by endorsement for spouses of such individuals; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 193—

BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.155, relative to special prestige motor vehicle license plates; to provide for the creation, issuance, and design of such license plates for the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity; to provide relative to the fee and distribution of fees for such plates; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 194—

BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4208, relative to arbitration awards; to provide for payment of attorney fees and costs in arbitration awards; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 195—

BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule I)(D)(4), relative to controlled dangerous substances; to provide relative to substances having a depressant effect on the central nervous system, specifically phenazepam; to add phenazepam to Schedule I 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 196—

BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule V)(D)(3), relative to controlled dangerous substances; to add Ezogabine as a Schedule V controlled dangerous substance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 197—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:29.3, and to repeal R.S. 27:20(A)(1)(d)(iii), relative to non-gaming suppliers; to provide relative to suitability requirements for non-gaming suppliers; to delete provisions relative to the issuance of non-gaming supplier permits; to provide relative to the promulgation of rules; and to provide for related matters.

March 12, 2012

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

SENATE BILL NO. 198—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:302(A)(5), relative to video draw poker; to provide with respect to legislative oversight of games of video draw poker and other such card games; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 199—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:70.8, relative to crimes involving theft and fraud; to create the crime of illegal transmission of monetary funds; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 200—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2351.28(B) and enact R.S. 30:2351.28(C), relative to environmental quality; to require DEQ to test school buildings and surrounding grounds constructed prior to 1978 for the presence of lead materials and report its findings annually to the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 201—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2351.51(E), relative to environmental quality; to require all state and local agencies engaged in lead hazard reduction activities to publish on-line, minimum lead standards allowable; to require minimum lead standards to conform with standards established by the federal government; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 202—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:435.1.1(A), relative to oyster harvesting in Calcasieu Lake; to remove the time limitation on the issuance of special permits for oyster harvesting in Calcasieu Lake; to remove the limitations on the number of special permits issued; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 203—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:72.2(A) and (C)(3)(a), relative to the crime of monetary instrument abuse; to provide that monetary instrument abuse includes the unlawful manufacture or transfer with intent to deceive of monetary instruments of the United States; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 204—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4581, relative to bonds; to provide an exemption for Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation from posting bond; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 205—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:550.3(B), 550.10(A), 550.12(A), 550.13(B), and 550.16(C), relative to captive insurers; to reduce the unimpaired paid-in capital requirements for captive insurers; to clarify requirements and prohibitions for captive insurers; to provide technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 206—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1060.3(A), 1068(D), and 1074(D) and to repeal R.S. 22:1061(5)(y), relative to health benefit plans; to provide with respect to the continuation of coverage; to provide for guaranteed renewability of coverage for employers in the group market; to repeal special definitions related to prescription drug programs; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 207—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1098, relative to review of health coverage premium rates; to provide for definitions; to enact requirements that meet the provisions of effective rate review as defined by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; to provide for information to be filed by health insurance issuers; to provide for review of filed information by the commissioner of insurance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 208—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:2171(C)(8), relative to the Louisiana Property and Casualty Commission; to provide for the addition of a representative of the Louisiana Surplus Lines Association to the commission membership; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 209—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1265(D) and 1333 (C) and to enact R.S. 22:1265(I) and 1333(G), relative to property, casualty, liability, and homeowners' insurance cancellation or nonrenewal; to allow an insurer to nonrenew up to three percent of its homeowners' insurance business in any year; to require the reporting of nonrenewals to the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 210—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:844.8, relative to telephone communications; to provide relative to wireless telephonic solicitation, and to provide relative to rules and regulations; to provide for regulation of unrequested commercial text messages and third-party charges to the consumer for certain text message solicitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 211—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2351.53, relative to environmental quality; to require certain public and non-public schools to publicly disclose any lead issues, abatement activities or testing; to provide for notice to parents or legal guardians of students attending such schools; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 212—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1177(A), relative to the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide for a specific date for the beginning of the term of pharmacists who are appointed to the board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 213—
BY SENATOR BROWN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(F) and (G), relative to criminal arrest and disposition records; to authorize the Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections to provide the Louisiana Department of Insurance access to criminal arrest and disposition records; to provide that the Louisiana Department of Insurance may use criminal arrest and disposition records which have been expunged; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 214—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1202(A)(5), 1203(A)(5), 1207(B), 1213, 1214, and 1230(C), and to repeal R.S. 37:1215, relative to the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide with respect to certain qualifications to engage in the practice of pharmacy; to require submission of an application by any applicant for licensure by examination; to provide with respect to submission of an application by any applicant for licensure as a pharmacist by reciprocity; to provide for applications for certain renewals; to provide for certain notifications of change; to provide for certain permit renewal applications; to remove the requirement to display certain licenses, certificates, and registrations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 215—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact Subpart E of Part II of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:290.1, and Subpart P of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:120.39, relative to fraud and abuse detection and prevention with regard to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program; to create and provide for donations to the SNAP Fraud and Abuse Detection and Prevention Fund; to provide for investment and appropriation of monies in the fund; to provide relative to donation of tax refunds; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 216—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1103(7) and (12)(e), relative to mental health counselors; to provide with respect to certain definitions for the Mental Health Counselors Licensing Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 217—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2315 and to enact R.S. 38:2183 and R.S. 39:1553.1, relative to equal employment in certain public contracts; to prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of race, religion, national ancestry, age, sex or disability; to provide for the inclusion of certain language in public contracts; to prohibit certain designations not provided for in law; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 218—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1208, relative to the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to authorize the board to waive the annual license renewal requirements for pharmacists in certain circumstances; to authorize the board to waive the annual certification renewal requirements for certified technicians in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 219—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To authorize McNeese State University to transfer certain state property to the Chennault International Airport Authority; to provide for the property description; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 220—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2198.12(A), the introductory paragraph of (B)(1), (B)(1)(b) and (f), (D)(2) and(8), and 2198.13 and to enact R.S. 40: 2198.12(B)(1)(h) through (k), and 2198.14 through 2198.19, relative to pain management clinics; to transfer the powers and duties for the regulation of pain

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management clinics from the Department of Health and Hospitals to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide licensure authority and powers to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to regulate and license pain management clinics; to provide for criminal penalties for operating a pain management clinic without a license; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 221— BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact Subpart DD of Part 1 of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.102, relative to donations of refunds; to provide for such donations to the Louisiana Association of United Ways/LA 2-1-1; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 222— BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1011(A) and (B) and 1964(15)(a)(i), relative to payment of pharmacy benefits, drugs, products, or services by health insurance providers; to provide coverage for mail-order pharmacy benefits, drugs, products, or services; to prohibit certain policy restrictions regarding mail-order pharmacy benefits, drugs, products, or services; to provide for unfair trade practices for violations of the prohibitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 223— BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:831(80) through (87), 846(A)(20), and 854, relative to embalmers and funeral directors; to create a continuing education program; to provide for definitions; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to provide for renewal of licenses; to provide for requirements and enforcement; to provide for terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 224— BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:410(A)(6), (7), and (8), relative to the form and information on a driver's license; to provide an option for the licensee of a lifetime hunting license, a lifetime sports fishing license, or combination lifetime hunting and sports fishing license to include such hunting, sports fishing, or combination hunting and sports fishing license number on his Louisiana driver's license; and to provide for related matters.

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

Motion

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

Joint Session of the Legislature

The joint session of the legislature was called to order at 1:14 P.M. by the Honorable John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate.

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

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

The President of the Senate appointed the following special committee to escort the Honorable Bobby Jindal, Governor of the State of Louisiana, to the joint session.

On the part of the Senate: Senators Dorsey-Colomb, Tarver, Morrell, Thompson, Walsworth, and Riser.

On the part of the House: Representatives Arnold, Fannin, Badon, T. Burns, Morrell, and Dove.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Reverend Kelly Boggs.

Pledge of Allegiance

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

The President of the Senate introduced the Honorable Bobby Jindal, who addressed the joint session of the legislature.

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

After Joint Session

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Adley, Allain, Amedee, Appel, Broome, Buffington, Chabert, Claitor, Crowe, Dorsey-Colomb, Erdey, Gallot, Johns, Kostelka, Martiny, Mills, Morrell, Morrish, Murray, Nevers, Peacock, Riser, Smith, G., Smith, J., Tarver, Thompson, Walsworth, Ward.

Total - 29

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Brown, Cortez, Donahue, Guillory, Heitmeier, LaFleur, Long, Perry, Peterson, White.

Total - 10

The President of the Senate announced there were 29 Senators present and a quorum.

Senate Business Resumed After Joint Session

Message from the House

CONCURRING IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1— BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable Bobby Jindal, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

Reported without amendments.

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

Rules Suspended

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3— BY SENATOR MILLS

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Glenn Lucien DeLaune Sr.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4— BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Charles H. "Charlie" Staples of Calhoun, Louisiana, upon selection as Outstanding Agricultural Producer of the Year at the 2012 AG EXPO Agricultural Awards and Legislative Appreciation Luncheon sponsored by the North Louisiana Agri-Business Council.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5— BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Ruston High School Cheerleader team and coaches upon receipt of their 2012 National Cheerleader Association Championship in the Game Time Division.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6— BY SENATOR NEVERS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Jordan Hamilton Smith on the honor of successfully completing thirteen years of perfect attendance in the Washington Parish school system, on the academic awards he has received, on the achievements he attained during his high school career, and his volunteer work within his community.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7— BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

A RESOLUTION

To commend Les Miles, head coach of the Louisiana State University Fighting Tigers, on his 2011 perfect football season, his NCAA Division One Southeastern Conference Championship, his distinction as the Associated Press "Coach of the Year," and the Bowl Championship Series bid.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8— BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

A RESOLUTION

To commend Jordan Jefferson, senior quarterback of the Louisiana State University Fighting Tigers Football Team, and to congratulate him on his outstanding collegiate football career.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9— BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Louisiana State University football team on culminating an outstanding season by capturing the 2011 SEC Championship and earning a No. 2 national ranking.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10— BY SENATOR APPEL

A RESOLUTION

To express the support of the Louisiana Senate for, and to urge and request continued participation in, the America's Legislators Back to School Program sponsored by the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL).

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

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2— BY SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to prepare and submit a report to the Legislature of Louisiana that details how the department and its contractors plan to combat Medicaid fraud and abuse.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3— BY SENATOR ERDEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, the office of motor vehicles, and the Louisiana state police, to apply and enforce R.S. 32:303(D) which provides that headlamps on motor vehicles shall emit a white light only, including light emitted by white high intensity discharge forward lighting, and prohibits a motor vehicle from being equipped with headlamps that are off-road colored lights.

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

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—

BY SENATOR ERDEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the Department of Transportation and Development to study truck traffic patterns on LA 1019 between LA 16 and LA 64 in Livingston Parish.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY SENATOR KOSTELKA AND REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Irene Riley Anderson on the celebration of her one hundredth birthday and to honor her lifetime of outstanding accomplishments.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY SENATOR CLAITOR
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mr. and Mrs. Jim de Brueys and family of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, upon their dedication to the legacy and memory of their late son, James Clifton de Brueys.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Louisiana State University football team on culminating an outstanding season by capturing the 2011 SEC Championship and earning a No. 2 national ranking.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to improve the operational safety of the exit from Interstate 10 to East Washington Street in Baton Rouge.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study widening and lengthening the on-ramp to Interstate 110 from which traffic traveling from the state capitol enters Interstate 110 north in Baton Rouge.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to install a left turn signal at the intersection of Eddie Robinson and Government Street (LA 73) in Baton Rouge.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY SENATOR MURRAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create a special committee to study the process of redistricting or reapportionment including, creation of precincts, demographer certification, notice requirements for changes in voting, reapportionment and redistricting plans, electronic data requirements for Geographic Information Systems (GIS), submission deadlines for changes in voting and to develop recommendations for changes to the Louisiana Election Code to implement such changes.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—

BY SENATOR MURRAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the many contributions made by Irish-Americans toward the betterment of the state and nation and to designate each March as Irish-American Heritage Month.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of senators and representatives who voted 'YEAS', including Mr. President, Crowe, Murray, Adley, Donahue, Perry, Allain, Dorsey-Colomb, Riser, Amedee, Erdey, Smith, G., Appel, Johns, Smith, J., Broome, Kostelka, Tarver, Brown, Long, Thompson, Buffington, Martiny, Walsworth, Chabert, Mills, White, Claitor, Morrish.

Total - 29

NAYS

Peacock
Total - 1

ABSENT

Table listing names of senators and representatives who were absent: Cortez, Heitmeier, Nevers, Gallot, LaFleur, Peterson, Guillory, Morrell, Ward.

Total - 9

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

Explanation of Vote

Senator Peacock stated he intended to vote yea on Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12, and asked that the Official Journal so state.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—

BY SENATOR MORRELL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Leon "Smokey" Brier, a lifelong resident of the Gentilly neighborhood in New Orleans, Louisiana, and a man of character known for his good deeds and kind heart.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Chief Judge Joan Bernard Armstrong on her retirement from the Louisiana State Court of Appeal Fourth Circuit and for thirty-seven years of dedicated service to the judicial system in Louisiana.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15—

BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to promote the department's EarlySteps system with the Louisiana Hospital Association and the Louisiana State Medical Society.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission rule (LAC 76:V.115(E)(1) and (F)(2)), to provide exemptions from the department's rules governing private possession of potentially dangerous quadrupeds, exotic cats and nonhuman primates; to include in those exemptions, facilities certified by the Zoological Association of America; and to direct the office of the state register to print the amendments in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

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

Introduction of Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions, Resumed

SENATE BILL NO. 225—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1122(1), 1132(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 1133, 1135(A), (B), and (D)(introductory paragraph), 1137(A), and 1144(B) and to enact R.S. 22:1122(27.1), 1132(B)(3), (4), and (5), and 1137(E), and to repeal R.S. 22:1122(18), relative to Medical Necessity Review Organizations; to provide definitions; to provide with respect to independent external review and appeal processes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 226—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1123(42), relative to the code of governmental ethics; to provide for an exception to the prohibition of a public servant from doing business with a person who has a business relationship with the agency of the public servant under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 227—

BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact Part VI of Chapter 4-A of Title 28 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 28:456.1 through 456.5, relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for the conversion and transfer of private immediate care facility for the developmentally disabled beds; to create

new residential options waiver slots; to provide for the termination of the initiative; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 228—

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2054(B)(2)(b)(x), relative to air quality control; to provide for exceptions to the powers of the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality; to allow sweet potato farmers to burn their crates used to store or transport sweet potatoes; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 229—

BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1203.1(J), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for workers' compensation benefits; to provide for appeals relative to care to the medical director; to provide for the time period to file an appeal; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 230—

BY SENATOR BROWN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:611(8)(b), (c), and (d) and 613(A)(1)(b) and (c), relative to risk-based capital for domestic insurers; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to a company-action level event; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 231—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1006.1, relative to prior authorization forms; to provide with respect to the issuance and use of prior authorization forms; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 232—

BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:18(C), relative to the suspension or revocation of insurers' licenses; to provide for the issuance of cease and desist orders by the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 233—

BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1486, relative to automobile insurance; to provide for premiums charged on insurance policies; to provide for the use of the insured's parish of residence in formulating a schedule of premiums in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 234—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:932(1) and (5) through (9), 933(B)(2), (D) and (E), 934(2) and (3), 935(A), (B)(1)(a), and (C), 936(B), and 937 and to enact R.S. 26:932(10) and 933(F), relative to alcoholic beverages; to provide with respect to terms and definitions; to provide relative to a responsible vendor program; to provide with respect to security personnel training courses for servers; to provide relative to requirements for certification as a responsible vendor; to provide with respect to server liability, penalties, fines, and suspension or revocation of server permit and fees; to provide relative to server training programs; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 235—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact Part LXXII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.351 through 1300.352, relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to require the department to consult with parish and municipal entities relative to health care funding; to require the department to submit an annual financial report to the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 236—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1209(A)(2), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to prescription; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 237—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact Section 7-A of Act No. 41 of the 2006 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, relative to the forgiveness of certain debts due to the state of Louisiana pursuant to the Local Debt Service Assistance Program; to provide for the forgiveness of certain loans made by the state of Louisiana to certain political subdivisions affected by hurricanes Katrina and Rita to assist such political subdivisions to pay debt service on their outstanding debt; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 238—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1021(12)(c), relative to definition of wages for purposes of workers' compensation benefits; to provide for computation of average weekly wage for professional athletes entitled to workers' compensation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 239—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part XXII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1299.39.5 through 1299.39.7, and 1299.58(C),

1299.131(A)(3), and 1300.11, and to enact R.S. 36:259(MM), relative to informed consent; to provide for methods in which informed consent may be obtained; to create the Louisiana Medical Disclosure Panel within the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for definitions; to provide for membership and terms; to provide for powers and duties; to provide for medical disclosure lists; to provide for exceptions to obtaining informed consent; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 240—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2780 (I) and to enact R.S. 9:2780 (J), relative to indemnification agreements; to provide for certain mineral lease indemnification agreements; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 241—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1141(B) and 1143, relative to attorney fees in workers' compensation claims; to provide relative to defense attorney fees; to provide for approval by a workers' compensation judge; to provide relative to withholding attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 242—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:822(A) and (B)(3), relative to criminal bail bond annual license fees; to provide with respect to exceptions for bonds written for charges to be prosecuted in the Criminal District Court of the Parish of Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 243—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:131.1, relative to the failure to report certain crimes; to create the crime of failure to report the commission of certain felonies; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 244—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1874(A), relative to billing by contracted health care providers; to provide with respect to the enforcement of a contracted health care provider privilege on net proceeds collected from a third party in favor of medical providers for services and supplies furnished to injured persons; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 245—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405(D), and to enact R.S. 40:2405(A)(4), relative to peace officer training requirements; to provide with respect to certification as a peace officer; 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 B.

SENATE BILL NO. 246—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.42, relative to medical malpractice; to provide relative to limitation of recovery; to provide certain procedures, terms, conditions, requirements, and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 247—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217.1(A) and to enact R.S. 17:3232, relative to postsecondary education; to provide for the creation of the Central Louisiana Technical Community College; to provide with respect to the management, supervision, and operation of the institution; to provide with respect to program offerings; to provide for the awarding of certificates, diplomas, and degrees; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the Board of Regents and the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to provide relative to accreditation; to provide with respect to performance agreements with the Board of Regents; to provide reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 248—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1132(B)(4)(c), relative to the Board of Ethics; to provide for changes relative to persons eligible for nomination to the board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 249—
BY SENATOR LONG AND REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(6) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(a), relative to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries 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 Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 250—
BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

AN ACT

To enact Part VI of Chapter 3 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:971.1 through 971.12, relative to the Department of Economic Development; to establish the Military Advisory Council; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for membership and terms of office; to provide for officers; to provide for qualifications; to provide for a quorum; to provide for meetings; to provide for committees; to provide for expenses and staff; to provide for

duties; to require certain reports; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 251—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact Part II-A of Chapter 7 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1931 through 1942, relative to insurance fraud; to provide definitions; to prohibit insurance fraud; to provide for civil actions and monetary penalties; to provide with respect to civil investigative demand and deposition; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 252—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1538(A), relative to the unemployment compensation fund; to provide for penalties against employers who fail to file complete and accurate quarterly payroll reports in a timely manner; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 253—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:220.22(D), relative to the office of the state inspector general; to provide for legal counsel; to provide for additional legal representation as the office deems necessary; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 254—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:35.4, relative to the crime of domestic abuse battery; to create the crime of aggravated domestic abuse battery; to provide for fines and penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 255—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:37.4(C), relative to the crime of aggravated assault with a firearm; to increase the penalties for aggravated assault with a firearm; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 256—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact Part I-D of Chapter 7 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 15:744 through 744.8, relative to prisoners and correctional institutions; to provide relative to the use of restraints on pregnant prisoners; to provide relative to medical treatment and monitoring of pregnant prisoners; to provide for reporting and record keeping; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 257—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:124(E)(1)(b), relative to the lease of public lands for alternative energy sources; to provide certain terms, conditions, and requirements for certain lands governed by ports, harbors, and terminal districts; to provide for the reimbursement of studies and reports; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 258—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2772(A)(intro paragraph) and (B)(3) and to enact R.S. 9:2772(A)(1)(c), relative to preemptive periods for certain actions; to authorize the filing of certain contribution, indemnity or third-party claims; to provide certain terms, conditions and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 259—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:2(A)(1)(intro. paragraph) and to enact R.S. 35:2(D), relative to notaries public; to place certain limitations of power upon non-attorney commissioned notaries public; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 260—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236(67), relative to the sale of certain animals along roadsides, parking lots and other outdoor areas; to provide that any parish governing authority in the state shall have the authority to prohibit such sales; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 261—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 136 and 137 and R.S. 9:344(D), relative to children; to provide relative to the duties of care, custody, and control of children under certain circumstances; to provide relative to rights and responsibilities; to provide relative to custody and visitation; to provide relative to awards of visitation rights; to provide relative to visitation by grandparents and other non-parents; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 262—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:80(A), (F)(2), and (H) and 280(A), (F)(2), and (H), and to enact R.S. 26:80(I), (J), and (K), and 280(I), (J) and (K), relative to the office of alcohol and tobacco control, to provide relative to the qualifications of applicants for alcoholic beverage permits; to provide relative to the

consideration of arrests, summons, charges, or indictments of applicants; to provide relative to the duty of licensees and permittees to provide certain information to the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 263—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3424(B), R.S. 13:3471(1)(c), R.S. 22:177(B), 335, and 442(B), and R.S. 45:200.8(B), relative to service of process; to provide for the manner in which the secretary of state effects service of process; to allow the secretary of state to obtain service of process by certified mail, and to remove the requirement that return receipt be requested; to provide for the secretary of state's service of process on a foreign corporation or foreign limited liability company; to provide for the secretary of state's service of process on an insurer's attorney-in-fact, on a foreign insurer and on an unauthorized insurer; to provide for the secretary of state's service of process on the owner of a public carrier vehicle; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 264—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:874(5), relative to the inmate compensation fund; provides relative to disbursements from 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 265—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4769 and to enact R.S. 40:1563(L) and Subpart E of Part III of Chapter 7 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1651 through 1658, relative to condemnation of buildings and structures; to authorize the state fire marshal to condemn and order demolition or removal of certain buildings and structures in parishes and municipalities; to provide certain procedures, terms, and conditions; to provide for notice of condemnation hearing; to provide for service of notice; to provide for appeal process; to provide for costs and fees attributed to demolition or removal of a building or structure; to provide for repairs of the building or structure; to provide for funding; to provide for liens; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 266—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 895.1(C), relative to the division of probation and parole; to amend provisions relative to monetary assessments imposed as conditions of probation or parole; to require probation supervision fees to be collected from a defendant under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 267—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:9(K)(4), relative to records of violations of municipal ordinances and of state statutes classified as a misdemeanor or felony; to provide relative to expungement of arrest record for an applicant over the age of sixty-five; 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 B.

SENATE BILL NO. 268—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:376, 379.4 and 1245, and to enact R.S. 25:380.3(C), 380.24(C), 380.34(C), 380.54(C), 380.64(C), 380.74(C), 380.84(C), 380.94(C), 380.104(C), 380.114(C), 380.124(C), 380.134(C), 380.154(C) and 380.165(C), relative to operations of the Old State Capitol and certain museums; to authorize the secretary of state to temporarily close the Old State Capitol and certain museums under his jurisdiction when no funds are appropriated for the operation of such facilities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 269—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4461, relative to franchise fees imposed by political subdivisions; to limit the franchise fees and similar charges which may be imposed on an electric, gas, or water public utility; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 270—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart DD of Part 1 of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.102, relative to donations of refunds; to provide for such donations to the Friends of Palmetto Island State Park, Inc.; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 271—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart DD of Part 1 of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.102, relative to donations of refunds; to provide for such donations to the Dreams Come True, Inc.; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 272—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:372(C), relative to use of the Old State Capitol; deletes the requirement to provide office space for the Department of Veterans Affairs in the Old State Capitol; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 273—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4510(D), relative to franchise fees and similar charges of political subdivisions; to exclude certain such payments of certain public utilities from the authority to add the amount of the payments to the sales price of such public utility's service and billing pro rata to the utility's customers receiving local service within the political subdivision; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 274—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:3.2(B), relative to economic development; to provide for proprietary and trade secret information; to provide for non-disclosure of such information submitted for economic development purposes; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate prior to introduction.

SENATE BILL NO. 275—
BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1252(4), (19), and (23), 1254(C)(12), (D)(4)(b) and (7), (E)(4), (9)(b) and (11), 1257.1, 1258(A)(10) and (E), 1260(B)(1) through (3), 1261, and 1261.1, to enact R.S. 32:1252(52) through (60), 1262(C), 1267(C), 1268(D) and Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:1270 through 1270.9, and to repeal R.S. 32:1268.1, relative to marine products; to provide for terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide for the establishment of a new marine dealership or the relocation of an existing marine dealership; to provide for unauthorized acts; to provide for warranty agreements and application thereof; to provide for the sale of certain marine products; to provide relative to the leasing of marine products; to provide for the succession of marine dealer; to provide for the procedure to terminate a marine dealership; to provide for the repurchase of certain marine products, parts, tools, and equipment; to provide relative to conflicts of laws; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 276—
BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1257.1 and 1261 and to enact R.S. 32:1252(52) through (60), 1262(C), 1267(C), 1268(D), and Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:1270 through 1270.10, relative to motorcycles and all-terrain vehicles; to provide for terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide for definitions; to provide for the establishment of a new motorcycle or all-terrain vehicle dealership or the relocation of an existing motorcycle or all-terrain vehicle dealership; to provide for unauthorized acts; to provide for warranty agreements and applications; to provide for the sale of certain motorcycles or all-terrain vehicles; to provide relative to the leasing of motorcycles or all-terrain vehicles; to provide for the succession of motorcycle or all-terrain vehicle dealer; to provide relative to conflicts of laws; to provide for indemnification of motorcycle and all-terrain vehicle franchised dealers; 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.

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SENATE BILL NO. 277—
BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1261, 1261.1, and 1263 and to enact R.S. 32:1252(52) through (60), 1262(C), 1267(C), 1268(D), and Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 32:1270 through 1270.11, relative to recreational vehicles; to provide for terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide for definitions; to provide for unauthorized acts; to provide for warranty agreements and applications; to provide for payment to recreational vehicle dealers; to provide for repairs to recreational vehicles; to require a disclosure of damage and recall notices; to provide for the sale of certain recreational vehicles; to provide for the succession of recreational vehicle dealers; to provide for indemnification of recreational vehicle dealers; to provide relative to recreational vehicle lessors; to provide for responsibilities for parties involved in the termination of a recreational vehicle dealers business; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 278—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1174.2, relative to payment of certain costs of court; to exempt the office of workers' compensation from the payment of certain costs of court; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 279—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:1330(A), relative to limited liability companies; to provide for assignment of membership interests; to prohibit an assignee from actions causing dissolution; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 280—
BY SENATOR MURRAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2501.1(B) and (C), relative to the Traffic Court of New Orleans; to provide relative to the terms of office of certain judges of the traffic court; to reduce the number of judges and sections of the traffic court from four to three effective January 1, 2018, and from three to two effective January 1, 2021; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 281—
BY SENATOR JOHNS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:42.1 and 43(A) and (B), relative to confidentiality of records in the custody of the Department of Insurance; to provide with respect to disclosure of categorical descriptors relative to complaints filed against all persons and entities subject to the jurisdiction of the department; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 282—
BY SENATOR ALARIO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:100.22, relative to state funds; to establish the 2012 Overcollections Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the use of the 2012 Overcollections Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 283—
BY SENATOR ADLEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:978(E), relative to group, family group, blanket, and association health and accident insurance; to provide with respect to notice required for certain premium increase, cancellation, or nonrenewal; to provide for the release of claims data; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 284—
BY SENATORS CORTEZ, MILLS AND PERRY AND REPRESENTATIVES STUART BISHOP AND NANCY LANDRY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1994(C) and 3217.3, relative to community and technical colleges; to provide for the merger of the certain Louisiana Technical College campuses with South Louisiana Community College; to provide relative to the transfer of the students, employees, funds, obligations, property, programs, facilities, and functions of such technical college campuses to South Louisiana Community College; to provide relative to performance agreements with the Board of Regents; 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 Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 285—
BY SENATOR ADLEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:835(F) and 835.1, relative to the dedication of a portion of the fire marshal tax receipts; to provide for the dedication of a portion of such receipts for fire protection at Camp Minden; to create the Camp Minden Fire Protection Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 286—
BY SENATOR NEVERS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:421.6(A)(1), (B) and (C), 421.8(A) and (C), 421.9(B) and (C), 421.10(A), (B) and (C), and 421.11(A), (B) and (C) and to repeal R.S. 17: 421.8(D), 421.9(F) and (G), 421.10(D) and (F), and 421.11(D) and (F), relative to salary supplements for school employees having certain certifications or credentials; to provide that school boards shall be reimbursed for payment of such supplements by the state Department of Education; to remove the limitation on the time period for teachers, school counselors, and school psychologists to qualify for such supplements; to repeal outdated provisions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 287—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2213.1, relative to public works; to provide for fair treatment for materials produced, manufactured, or fabricated in Louisiana used in public works; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 288—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:14, relative to the authority of the commissioner of agriculture; to authorize the commissioner to employ an executive counsel and assistants; to provide relative to qualifications; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 289—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3086.6, relative to the Teche-Vermilion Fresh Water District; to authorize the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority to provide engineering assistance and services to the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 290—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3451, 3453(B), (D) and (E), and 3456, to enact R.S. 17:3453.1, and to repeal R.S. 17:3453(F), relative to the Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium for Research and Education; to provide relative to the purpose of the consortium and the membership of the executive board; to establish and provide for the membership and duties of an advisory council; to provide relative to development of a master plan; to provide for annual reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 291—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 349.7(A)(3), relative to bail; to provide for enforcement and satisfaction of judgments of bond forfeiture; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 292—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 345(G) and (I)(introductory paragraph), relative to surrender of the defendant; to provide with respect to the defendant's extradition; to provide relative to entering the defendant's name into the National Crime Information Center registry; to provide with respect to an extension of time to surrender a defendant; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 293—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1310.3(F), relative to the office of workers' compensation administration; to provide relative to exclusive jurisdiction over all claims for workers' compensation discrimination; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 294—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 349.3(C), relative to notice of judgment; to provide relative to failure to mail notice of the signing of judgment after the defendant fails to appear; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 295—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1221(1)(a), (2)(a) and (c), and (3)(a) and (d), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for temporary total disability, permanent total disability, and supplemental earnings benefits; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 296—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article I, Section 17(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to jury trials in criminal cases; to provide with respect to the waiver of a trial by jury; to provide that a criminal defendant's waiver of a jury trial shall be contingent upon the prosecution's consent and court approval; and to specify an election for the submission of the proposition to electors and to provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 297—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R. S. 22:861(A)(5), relative to the approval of insurance policy forms; to provide for the effective period of insurance policy form approval; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 298—
BY SENATORS ADLEY AND PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:26.1(E)(2), relative to the Louisiana National Guard; to provide for disability benefits; to provide for eligibility of disability benefits; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 299—
BY SENATOR WHITE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 13(D)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide that for certain effects and purposes the Southeast Baton Rouge community school system

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in East Baton Rouge Parish shall be regarded and treated as a parish and shall have the authority granted parishes, including the purposes of certain funding and the raising of certain local revenues for the support of elementary and secondary schools; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 300—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(2)(a)(iv) and R.S. 47:1508(B)(8), relative to the election code; to provide for consent of disclosure of certain limited tax information within the notice of candidacy; to provide that the secretary of the Department of Revenue disclose certain limited tax information upon written request; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 301—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351(A)(18) and R.S. 39:82(H) and to enact R.S. 17:3351(A)(19), relative to the powers, duties, and functions of college and university boards; to provide for the authority to carry forward certain funds at the end of a fiscal year under certain conditions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 302—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(C) and 287.12, relative to income tax; to reduce corporate income tax rates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 303—
BY SENATORS RISER, ADLEY, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CROWE, ERDEY, GUILLORY, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, NEVERS, PERRY, WALSWORTH AND WHITE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article I, Section 11 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to one's right to acquire, keep, possess, transport, carry, transfer, and use arms; to provide that any denial or infringement or other restriction be subject to a strict scrutiny standard by courts in determining a violation of the right; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 304—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:149.30, relative to the names of state buildings; to name the new University Medical Center/Louisiana State University Hospital in New Orleans the "Reverend Avery C. Alexander Hospital"; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 305—
BY SENATOR WHITE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Sections 9 and 13(B) and (C) and to enact Article VIII, Section 13(D)(3) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the creation of school boards and school districts by the legislature; to remove provisions limiting the legislature's authority to define the geographic jurisdiction of school districts; to provide relative to funding for such school districts; to allow and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 306—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:98(F)(2), relative to driving offenses; to provide with respect to the crime of operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide with respect to the ten-year cleansing period for purposes of determining when a person has a prior offense; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 307—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1302(12), 1305, and 1315(E)(4), and to enact R.S. 15:1304(C)(3), relative to the interception of communications; to include sheriffs in the definition of investigative or law enforcement officer for purposes associated with the interception and disclosure of wire, electronic, or oral communications; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 308—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5107(A), relative to service of citation and process; to provide relative to service of citation and process upon the state and state agencies; to provide certain procedures, terms, conditions, and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 309—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:10.2 and to repeal R.S. 17:7(19), relative to the school and district accountability system; to provide relative to certain requirements for educational improvement plans; to remove certain requirements relative to submission of school improvement plans; to require the Department of Education to provide trend data reports to the governing authority of each public school; to repeal provision relative to implementation of a school improvement pilot program; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 310—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1882 and to repeal R.S.22:1826, relative to noncontracted providers of emergency medical services; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to reimbursement of such providers by health insurance issuers; to

provide for binding arbitration in certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 311—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1892(A)(3) and 1973(B)(6), relative to the payment and adjustment of insurance claims; to provide with respect to the good faith duty and claims settlement practices; to provide a definition for initiation of loss adjustment; to provide factors to be considered in determining the penalty to be awarded in the event of a certain violation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 312—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2571, relative to the position of assistant chief of police in certain municipalities; to provide that the position of assistant chief of police in the municipalities of Broussard, Carencro, Scott and Youngsville shall be in the unclassified 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 313—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.26, relative to the disposition of certain state sales tax collections in St. Tammany Parish; to provide for annual appropriations to the St. Tammany Parish Fund and for the disposition and use of the money in such fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 314—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(6) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(c), relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism and the statutory entities made a part of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism 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 Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 315—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(6)(a) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(c), relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism 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 Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 316—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 6:356, relative to financial institutions; to provide relative to the use of a power of attorney for certain bank transactions; to provide for revocation of a power of attorney; to provide for definitions; to provide for terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 317—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(B) and to enact R.S. 15:574.4(D), relative to juvenile parole eligibility; to provide relative to juvenile parole eligibility; to provide for parole eligibility for juveniles sentenced to life imprisonment for certain offenses; to provide for exceptions; to provide for conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 318—
BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:701(B), relative to the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board; to provide powers, duties, and jurisdiction of the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board; to provide relative to naval architects and marine engineers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 319—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 344(C), relative to the right to notice of certain required appearances; to provide with respect to the right to notice of time and place of a defendant's required appearance to the personal surety or the commercial surety; 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 B.

SENATE BILL NO. 320—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1743.1, relative to certain healthcare providers; to restrict the use of the title "Doctor" or "Dr." by certain healthcare providers; to provide for procedures and terms; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 321—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(5), relative to parole; to provide for eligibility for parole consideration for certain inmates who are at least fifty years of age and have met certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 322—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:644, relative to hunting and fishing; to provide exemptions of residents of certain states from hunting and fishing licensing requirements; to allow residents of Arkansas, Mississippi, or Texas to purchase hunting and recreational fishing licenses at resident rates; to provide conditions for hunting and fishing licensing agreements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 323—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To enact Subpart R 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. 39:100.126, relative to special funds; to establish the Prescription Drug Overdose and Abuse Awareness Fund; to provide for the deposit of certain monies into the fund; to provide for the uses of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 324—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(D)(7), relative to the clerk of court of Vermilion Parish; to provide for an automobile expense allowance for the clerk of court of Vermilion Parish; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 325—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1861(B)(6), relative to secondhand dealers; to provide definitions; to exempt federal firearm licensees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 326—
BY SENATORS BROOME AND DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3578.8(C), relative to the Louisiana Deferred Presentment and Small Loan Act; to provide for duties of the commissioner of the office of financial institutions; to provide for the compiling of certain information; to require the commissioner to submit a report to the Louisiana Legislature by January 1, 2013; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 327—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2023, relative to the availability of vaccines for the elderly; to provide for availability of certain immunizations for elderly inpatients; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 328—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:603.2, relative to the legislation; to provide for poverty impact statements for certain legislative measures; to provide for the duties of the legislative fiscal office; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 329—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 334.4, relative to bail; to prohibit the release of a defendant arrested for certain crimes on his own recognizance; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 330—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:32.9 and 32.9.1, relative to abortion; to create the crime of criminal abortion; to create the crime of aggravated criminal abortion; to prohibit any individual who is not a licensed physician from performing an abortion; to prohibit the dismemberment of an unborn child by an abortionist who is not a licensed physician; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for construction; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 331—
BY SENATORS RISER AND ALARIO

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(L) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to authorizing the granting of ad valorem tax exemption contracts to certain businesses; to authorize the Board of Commerce and Industry to enter into contracts subject to gubernatorial approval; to provide for certain contract limitations; to provide with respect to the assessment and taxation of property subject to a contract; to require the legislature establish a program for the granting of contracts; to provide for effectiveness; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 332—
BY SENATORS RISER AND ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 5 of Subtitle V of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:4351 through 4355, relative to ad valorem taxation; to establish a program for the granting of ad valorem tax exemption contracts for certain businesses; to provide for the administration of the program; to provide for optional participation by parishes; to authorize the Board of Commerce and Industry to enter into contracts under certain circumstances; to provide for contract terms, conditions and limitations; to provide with respect to approval of contracts and notification of certain entities relative to contracts; to provide with respect to contract suspension and cancellation; to authorize rulemaking; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 333—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:200.2, relative to administration of state agencies; to provide for electronic access to any license or permit issued by any state agency; to provide through mobile Web applications; to provide for the promulgation of rules for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 334—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:923(B) and (C), 924(A), and 928, and to enact R.S. 51:924(C), relative to the State Board of Commerce and Industry; to provide for membership; to provide for terms of office; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 335—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1256 and to enact R.S. 32:1256.1, relative to the Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide relative to recreational vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 336—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1253(H), relative to the Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide for an appeal of decision of the commission; to provide for venue; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 337—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(K)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions of certain property owned by certain disabled veterans and their spouses; to provide for eligibility for claiming the exemption; to provide for an effective date; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 338—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2215(C) and to enact R.S. 38:2215 (D) and (E), relative to certain public works; to provide for the time period between award of the contract and execution of the contract; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 339—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2241.1, relative to acceptance of certain contracts by governing authorities; to provide for the time period for the final acceptance by a public entity; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 340—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:4815(F), relative to general contractors; to provide relative to escrow of funds due under contract; to provide for certain procedures; to prohibit a waiver of certain procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 341—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:699.5(A) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 56:699.1 and 699.2, relative to the firearm and hunter education courses; to provide for firearm and hunter education requirements; to provide terms and conditions for exceptions from firearm and hunter education; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 342—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 535 of the 1988 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Section 2 of Act No. 285 of the 1992 Regular Session of the Legislature, Section 3 of Act No. 1291 of the 1997 Regular Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 50 of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 7 of the 2001 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 14 of the 2004 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, Section 1 of Act No. 76 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Section 1 of Act No. 232 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Louisiana Tax Free Shopping Program; to change the termination date of the program; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 343—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1851(B) and (M), relative to ad valorem taxation; to provide for the definition of certain public service property for purposes of assessment; to provide for the definition of barge lines and towing companies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 344—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2363(15), relative to environmental quality; to provide definitions of a reportable release; to provide for the reportable quantity of a release from natural gas pipelines; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 345—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1155, relative to the denial of dental benefit claims; to require certain information to be included in such denials or any written communications related thereto; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 346—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:180(C), relative to annexation of certain property; to provide relative to the prohibition of annexing certain property by a municipality; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 347—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116(D)(2), relative to nursing facilities; to provide with respect to the moratorium on additional nursing facilities or additional beds in nursing facilities through facility need review; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 348—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1164(1), (9), and (11), relative to the definitions of the Louisiana Pharmacy Practice Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 349—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1732(1), relative to limitation on jury trial; to provide relative to the monetary threshold necessary to request a jury trial; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 350—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:551(A), relative to local taxes; to continue the levy of a local tax on the gross proceeds derived from the lease or rental of an automobile pursuant to an automobile rental contract; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 351—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:551(A), relative to local taxes; to authorize a parish or municipality to continue the levy of a local tax on the gross proceeds derived from the lease or rental of an

automobile pursuant to an automobile rental contract; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 352—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart R 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. 39:100.126, relative to state funds; to establish the Major Events Fund in the state treasury; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 353—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:170.17, relative to Irish-American Heritage Month; to designate the month of March as Irish-American Heritage Month; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 354—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:968(B), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; provides for electronic reporting of rules to oversight committees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 355—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Ascension Parish; to provide for the property description; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; 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 Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 356—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:751.1, relative to notaries; to provide for a court-appointed parish affidavit clerk; to provide for such parish affidavit clerk's qualifications, duties and authority; to provide certain procedures and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 357—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:403(A) and Children's Code Article 603(15)(introductory paragraph) and (d) and 610(A) and (E)(1) and (2) and to enact Children's Code Article 603(15)(j), relative to the reporting of abuse of children; to provide relative to the reporting of the abuse or neglect of children; to provide relative to the reporting of sexual abuse of children; to provide for definitions; to amend the definition of "mandatory reporter" for purposes of reporting abuse of children; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 358—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:2296.1, relative to recovery against Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to prohibit claimants from recovering penalties from Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation in the form of class action lawsuits; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 359—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1295(1)(a)(v), relative to uninsured motorist coverage; to provide for selection or rejection of uninsured motorist coverage pursuant to the Louisiana Electronic Transactions Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 360—

BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1252(4), (19) and (23), 1254(C)(12), (D)(4)(b) and (7), (E)(4), (9)(b), and (11), 1258(A)(10) and (E), 1260(B)(1) through (3), 1261, 1261.1, and 1263, to enact R.S. 32:1252(52) through (78), 1262(C), 1267(C), 1268(D), and Parts II, III, and IV of Chapter 6 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:1270 through 1270.32, and to repeal R.S. 32:1257.1 and 1268.1, relative to marine products, motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles, and recreational vehicles; to provide for certain terms, conditions, requirements, and procedures; to provide for definitions; to provide for the establishment of new dealerships and the relocation of existing dealerships; to provide for payment to dealers; to provide for unauthorized acts; to provide for warranty agreements and application thereof; to provide for the sale and leasing of certain marine products, motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles, and recreational vehicles; to provide for the succession of a dealer; to provide for the procedure to terminate a dealership; to provide for the repurchase of certain products, equipment, parts, and tools; to provide relative to conflicts of laws; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 361—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9106.2(B)(1), (C) and (D), relative to the Orleans Parish Communication District; to provide for fixed rate service charges relative to 9-1-1 emergency calls; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 362—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(4)(c)(introductory paragraph), 306(A)(4)(c)(ii)(aa) and (bb), and 306(A)(4)(c)(iii)(aa), relative to the operation of video draw poker devices at qualified truck stop facilities; to amend the definition of a "qualified truck stop facility"; to provide with respect to certain amenity requirements of a qualified truck stop facility; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 363—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:306(A)(4)(e), relative to the operation of video draw poker devices; to provide relative to amenities required of qualified truck stop facilities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 364—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(4)(c)(iii)(aa), relative to the operation of video draw poker devices at qualified truck stop facilities; to amend provisions of law regarding truck stop facility parking areas; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 365—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(4)(b)(introductory paragraph), relative to the operation of video draw poker devices at qualified truck stop facilities; to provide with respect to the calculation of fuel sales; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 366—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:78(A) and 278(A), relative to the contents of applications for alcoholic beverage permits; to provide for the form of sales tax clearance to be submitted with each original and renewal alcoholic beverage application; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 367—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1123, 1142(A)(1), 1203(E), 1307, and 1317.1(A), relative to workers' compensation; to provide relative to independent medical examinations; to provide that certain information be given to certain injured workers; to provide relative to utilization review companies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 368—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(B)(1), relative to the crime of illegal carrying of weapons; to increase the penalties for a first conviction of illegal carrying of weapons; to make first offense illegal carrying of weapons a felony; and to provide for related matters.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 369—
BY SENATOR BROWN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:24.1, relative to bridges; to provide for lighting on any bridge over the Mississippi River; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 370—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:105(A), relative to wild birds and wild quadrupeds; to provide for special permits and licenses; to provide for special permits and licenses for the entertainment industry to take and possess certain wildlife; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 371—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1300.332, relative to Medicaid; to provide for an upper payment limit financing mechanism for Medicaid services provided in a capitated system; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 372—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 17:431, relative to certain school employees; to repeal certain requirements relative to salaries of certain supervisors, principals, and other administrative personnel in certain school systems; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 373—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1657 and to enact R.S. 37:1164(57) and 1182(A)(25), relative to pharmacy benefit managers; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain powers and duties of the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to authorize promulgation of rules; to provide for effectiveness of certain licenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 374—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 17:285.1, relative to the Louisiana Science Education Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 375—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:266(D), relative to the Louisiana Fur Public Education and Marketing Fund; to provide for the trapping license fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 376—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1525(A)(1) and (3), relative to motor carrier violations; to provide for notice of a violation of provisions regarding the transportation of hazardous waste; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 377—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542.1.2(A)(4), relative to sex offender registration and notification laws; to provide for reporting changes of name, address, and other information by certain offenders required to register with law enforcement officials; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 378—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1218.1, relative to immunizations; to provide for the administration of certain immunizations in health professional shortage areas; to provide for the requirements of pharmacists administering the immunization; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 379—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:121.2(D), relative to powers and duties of the commissioner of the office of financial institutions; to provide for the commissioner's authority to obtain criminal history record information; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 380—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 2 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 6:151 through 153, relative to mortgage service companies; to provide for the registration of mortgage service companies doing business in the state; to provide for definitions; to provide for required annual continuing education; to create and provide for a fund; to provide a source of monies in the fund and for use and investment of 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 Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 381—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:972(A)(22), R.S. 36:4(N) and 802.14, the title of Chapter 17 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 49:1112(A) and (B)(2)(a) and 1122 and to repeal R.S. 49:1121, relative to the Louisiana Serve Commission; to provide for a change in the name of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 382—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7(2)(b), relative to elementary and secondary education; to provide relative to the duties, functions, and responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide with respect to a board study and evaluation of the minimum foundation program formula; to provide relative to submission of study findings, conclusions, and recommendations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 383—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3128(A) and (B)(1), relative to postsecondary education; to provide relative to the master plan for postsecondary education and for revisions thereto; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 384—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(6) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(i), 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 385—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 5(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the management of public postsecondary education; to provide relative to the respective authority and powers of the Board of Regents and the public postsecondary education management boards; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 386—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1201(E), relative to timely payment of medical bills; to provide for a shorter time frame for timely payment for providers who utilize the electronic billing rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 387—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:125(B), relative to hunting; to provide certain requirements for the possession of game quadrupeds; to provide for the positive evidence of sex identification of deer and turkey; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 388—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:712(E) and to enact R.S. 51:712(F), relative to securities; to provide for the offering, selling, or purchasing of mutual funds under certain circumstances; to provide for unlawful practices; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 389—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1726 and 1727, relative to sweepstakes promotions; to provide for the regulation of sweepstakes promotions by the attorney general; to provide for definitions; to provide for the display of sweepstakes promotions winners; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 390—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 305(B)(4) and (E) and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 644.1, relative to juvenile proceedings; to amend provisions relative to divestiture of juvenile court jurisdiction; to provide relative to the jurisdiction over mental capacity determinations; to provide relative to mental capacity determination proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 391—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:833(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 22:833(E), relative to the authorization of local taxes; to provide with respect to the exemption of Louisiana Medicaid programs from taxes imposed by a municipal or parochial corporation; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 392—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1142, relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide the Board of Ethics a limited right to appeal decisions of the Ethics Adjudicatory Board; to provide for clarification of duties relative to the Board of Ethics and the Ethics Adjudicatory Board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 393—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 4732 and 4735, relative to eviction of tenants and occupants; to provide relative to a motion for a new trial; to provide certain procedures, time periods, and effects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 394—

BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of R.S. 22:2005 and R.S. 22:2008(B), 2009(E)(3), 2028(D)(3), and 2036(A) and to enact R.S. 22:2005.1 and 2043.1, relative to rehabilitation and liquidation of insurers; to comply with the federal Dodd Frank Act; to provide for notice by mail when the receiver allows or disallows a claim; to provide for actions by and against a receiver; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 395—

BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.13, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create a crime prevention and improvement district for the Carmel Acres Subdivision; to provide the purpose and boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the duties and powers of the district; to provide for the levy of a parcel fee within the district; to provide for indemnity and exculpation of board members; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 396—

BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3494(A) and (B), relative to the Louisiana International Gulf Transfer and Terminal Authority; to provide for changes in the board membership; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 397—

BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1991(A), relative to ad valorem property tax assessments; to provide relative to the cancellation of certain assessments; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 398—

BY SENATOR GALLOT

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 25(A)(1) and (B)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to tax sales; to provide relative to the procedure for bidding at ad valorem tax sales; to authorize an alternative bidding procedure; to provide for related matters; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 399—

BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:403(2) and 407, relative to electric cooperatives; to provide relative to powers and bylaws; to provide for perpetual existence of cooperatives in certain circumstances; to provide relative to adoption, amendment, or repeal of bylaws; to provide certain terms, conditions, and requirements; to provide for the board of directors taking certain

actions without authorization of the members of the cooperative; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 400—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.1(A)(1) and 574.2(A), (B), (C)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph), and (3), (D)(introductory paragraph), (4), (9), and (11), (E), (F)(1)(introductory paragraph), (G), and (H)(1) and (2), relative to the Board of Pardons; to merge the functions and duties of the Board of Parole into the Board of Pardons; to create a committee on parole; to provide for the membership, duties, and functions of the committee on parole; to provide for transitional provisions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 401—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 890.1, relative to criminal sentencing; to provide that certain sentences may be served with the benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence under certain circumstances; to provide for applicability; to provide for limitations; 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 C.

SENATE BILL NO. 402—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542.1.3(A) and 544, relative to sex offender registration and notification; to provide relative to the duration of sex offender registration and notification for certain offenders; to amend procedures relative to petitions to reduce the sex offender registration and notification period; to provide relative to sex offenders convicted under the laws of another state; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 403—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(E)(3), relative to expungement of criminal records; to authorize the expungement of criminal records of persons who have successfully completed the Department of Public Safety and Corrections intensive incarceration program; to provide relative to other conditions necessary for the expungement of criminal records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 404—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2211(A)(12), relative to public contracts; to provide relative to letting contracts for public works; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 405—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2481.5 and 2541.2, relative to the municipal fire civil service; to authorize the municipal governing authority to create the position of chief of administration of fire department; to provide that the position is appointed on a competitive basis; to provide relative to the appointment, supervision, and discharge of any person in any such position; to provide relative to the qualifications, duties, and responsibilities for such position; to provide relative to reinstatement to previous class of positions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 406—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:384(D) and (E)(1)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 32:384(E)(1)(d), relative to trailers and towed vehicles; to require trailers with a certain gross weight capacity to be equipped with a safety device; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 407—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4121(A)(1)(a), relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans; to provide relative to exemptions from charges; to provide for effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 408—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4080(A), relative to the sewerage system in the city of New Orleans; to provide for the shifting of high voltage electric lines and certain wires, at the owner's expense, to accommodate public system projects; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 409—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2225.2.1(A)(1) and (3), relative to public contracts; to authorize the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans to use design-build contracts; to extend the authorization time for use of design-build contracts by certain public entities in areas damaged by Hurricane Katrina, Hurricane Rita, or both; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 410—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 13, of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to local or special laws; to provide certain requirements prior to legislatively creating certain special districts; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 411—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.3(C)(5) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Budget Stabilization Fund; to provide for deposits into the Budget Stabilization Fund in certain circumstances; to provide for the interruption of deposits into the Budget Stabilization Fund in certain circumstances; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 412—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3361(A)(6), relative to colleges and universities; to provide relative to leases of college and university properties; to provide relative to leases to certain organizations; to authorize leases to Louisiana businesses to be located in an area of property designated by the college or university as a business incubator or research park; to provide certain terms, conditions, requirements, and definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 413—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:191 and 194(B), relative to nutrition programs served by governing authorities of nutrition program providers pursuant to an agreement or contract with the state Department of Education; to remove the prohibition on the disbursement of state appropriated funds for the support of nutrition programs used by any private entity for profit; to provide relative to definitions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 414—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(2)(c)(i), 1505.4(A)(1) and (4), 1511.4(D), and 1511.5(A)(2), (B) and (D), and to enact R.S. 18:1511.4.1, relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; clarifies the enforcement of certain violations of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 415—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:94(C)(4)(b), relative to the Budget Stabilization Fund; to provide for deposits into the Budget Stabilization Fund in certain circumstances; to provide for the interruption of deposits into the Budget Stabilization Fund in certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 416—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:696(C), relative to the deputy commissioner for consumer advocacy; to provide for the termination of the deputy commissioner without cause; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 417—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:461(A)(1), and to enact R.S. 18:461(A)(2)(d) and 462(C), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide for the manner of qualifying for elections for candidates serving outside of the United States in the armed forces; to provide relative to fees; to provide for filing by facsimile or electronic mail; to provide for qualifying with the secretary of state or a person in his office designated to receive qualifying papers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 418—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3126(D)(2)(a), relative to postsecondary education; to provide relative to the regional distribution of postsecondary educational institutions within the state; to provide relative to the evaluation of the instructional and physical resources of postsecondary institutions within each region of the state; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 419—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:666(A)(1)(a)(i), relative to offenses involving operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to breath, blood, and urine tests for the presence of alcohol 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 B.

SENATE BILL NO. 420—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2780.1(G), relative to contract provisions; to provide relative to motor carrier transportation contracts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 421—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 22:347(A)(4)(a) and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 48:756(A)(1), relative to population estimates used in certain fund distributions; to provide for an entity under the latest federal-state cooperative program for local population estimates; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 422—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:953(B)(1) and (4)(a), relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to provide for legislative review of emergency rules or fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 423—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:122(D), relative to contracts, combinations, and conspiracies in restraint of trade or commerce; to exempt officers and employees acting on behalf of the same entity from such provisions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 424—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart I-1 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:241, relative to traffic violations; to provide regarding automated traffic enforcement systems; to require certain procedural mechanisms to be in place before civil fines may be imposed; to provide relative to fines imposed prior to the effective date of this Act; to define terms; 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 425—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1428, relative to unfair trade practices and consumer protection; to prohibit the required use of settlement service providers in residential real estate transactions; to provide certain definitions, terms, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 426—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:3.2(C), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 44:3.2(F), relative to economic development; to provide for the confidentiality of any proprietary or trade secret information submitted to the Department of Economic Development for economic development purposes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 427—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1404(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B) and to enact R.S. 15:1404(B)(9) through (13), relative to criminal gang activity; to provide for the definition of "pattern of criminal gang activity"; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 428—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:91.9, relative to sexual offenders; to prohibit sex offenders from residing or being physically present within a certain distance of a former victim; to prohibit sex offenders from communicating with a former victim; to provide for penalties; to provide for affirmative defenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 429—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 970(A), relative to motions for judgment on offer of judgment; to provide relative to time periods; to provide for certain terms, conditions and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 430—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1209(A)(3), relative to workers' compensation; provides for the prescriptive period of developmental injury; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 431—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1203.1(A)(5) and (O), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for the medical treatment schedule; to provide for applicability; 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 Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 432—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1132(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), (C) and (D), 1134(A)(1) and (K), 1135, 1141(A), (B)(1)(a), (C)(1), (2) and (3)(c) and (d), and 1157, to enact R.S. 42:1141(B)(3) and 1141.2 through 1141.6, and to repeal R.S. 42:1141(C)(4), (5), (6), (7) and (8), (D), (E) and (F), 1141.1 and 1157.2, relative to the enforcement of the laws under the jurisdiction of the Board of Ethics; to clarify the powers and duties of the Board of Ethics and the Ethics Adjudicatory Board relative to such enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 433—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.7, relative to the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East; to allow the authority to employ a superintendent of police security; to allow the authority to deploy security personnel; to provide for rules, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 434—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:168(B)(2), relative to judicial district indigent defender funds; to require the inclusion of certain data with monthly remittances in Orleans Parish; to require certain notification; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 435—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:541.1, relative to human trafficking; to provide that certain establishments shall post information regarding the National Human Trafficking Resource Center hotline; to provide for the form and content of the posting; to provide for languages in which the information is to be posted; to provide for certain departments to notify affected establishments of the requirements; to provide for a civil penalty; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 436—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2325(A)(16), relative to the Sabine River Authority; to provide for the powers and duties of the authority; to provide rules, conditions, and requirement for the sale, utilization, distribution, or consumption of water outside the state; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 437—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1553(A), 1576, 1601(8), 1713, 1714, and 1726, relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for separation notices; to provide for method of calculation regarding the experience-rating account of an employer; to provide for disqualification of employee benefits subsequent to commission of a fraudulent act; to provide for the recovery of overpayment of benefits; to provide relative to the overpayment of benefits; to provide for the payment of certain benefits; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 438—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.47(A)(1)(c), relative to medical malpractice; to provide for claims against health care providers; to provide terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide relative to the medical review panel; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 439—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact Part XXXV of Chapter 13 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:3087.400 through 404, to provide for conservation districts; to authorize certain parishes to establish a conservation district; to provide for the boundaries, powers and duties, and membership of the district; to provide terms, conditions, procedures, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 440—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1226(C)(3), relative to vocational rehabilitation in workers' compensation cases; to provide for the vocational rehabilitation counselor to verify every job identified as suitable and available; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 441—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1269(B)(1)(introductory paragraph), relative to insurance and liability; to provide relative to civil actions against insurers; to provide for rights of injured persons or their survivors; to provide for certain terms, conditions and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 442—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:91.5 and to enact R.S. 15:543.1(18), relative to the crime of unlawful use of social media; to amend the crime of unlawful use of social media to the crime of unlawful use of a social networking website; to provide for definitions; to remove the exception allowing the use of social media by certain registered sex offenders under certain circumstances; to provide relative to notice of this crime to offenders; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 443—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1563, relative to liability and damages; to provide relative to limited admission of liability in environmental damages lawsuits; to provide for effect of such limited admission on a determination of damages; to provide for the admissibility of such a limited admission in any action; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 444—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 737(A), 738(A) and (D), 779(A)(5), 782(A)(6), 791, and 1509.1(C), and to repeal Children's Code Articles 739(B) and 742(B), relative to families in need of services proceedings; to eliminate commitment of the child to a detention facility; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 445—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3991(I), relative to charter schools; to provide relative to charter proposals and charter agreements; to prohibit charter agreements to operate a portion of an existing high school; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 446—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact RS. 40:2013.7, relative to mental health; to provide a prohibition on discrimination by a healthcare facility based on a person's mental illness or disorder; to provide 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 447—

BY SENATORS PETERSON, APPEL, MARTINY AND MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, BILLIOT, CONNICK, HENRY, LEOPOLD, LIGI, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, TALBOT AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:5062 and 5063, relative to ordinances requiring property be maintained in a safe and sanitary condition; to provide for the governing authority of a municipality to require that property is maintained by its owners; to provide for definitions; to provide for notice; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 448—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:9002(3), 9029(A)(3), and 9060(A) and to enact R.S. 47:9029(E), relative to the Louisiana Lottery Corporation; to prohibit certain expenditures; to prohibit advertising by the Louisiana Lottery Corporation; to provide for certain expenditures; to provide relative to addiction to gambling; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 449—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:284.1(B) and 336, relative to state banks; to provide for compliance review; to provide for privilege of results of the compliance review; to provide for evidence in court or administrative proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 450—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2193.1, relative to environmental quality; to prohibit the dumping of certain electronic waste items in landfills; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality to promulgate rules and regulations for the recycling of electronic wastes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 451—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2014.5, relative to environmental quality; to require the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality to recover all additional costs associated with processing an expedited permit; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 452—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:3(A)(4)(b)(viii), relative to public records; to provide with respect to records of prosecutive, investigative, and law enforcement agencies, and communications districts; to provide relative to the initial report; to provide that the photograph of any person arrested for an alleged offense shall be subject to disclosure; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 453—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3451, 3453(B), (D) and (E), and 3456, to enact R.S. 17:3453.1, and to repeal R.S. 17:3453(F), relative to the Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium for Research and Education; to provide relative to the purpose of the consortium and the membership of the executive board; to establish and provide for the membership and duties of an advisory council; to provide relative to development of a master plan; to provide for annual reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 454—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1212(D) and to enact R.S. 41:1323.6, relative to school lands; to provide exemptions from the public lease law for certain school lands; to ratify and confirm certain leases of certain school lands; to ratify and confirm certain leases of sixteenth section lands; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 455—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact Part XII of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:409.1 through 409.7, and R.S. 36:651(CC), relative to school facilities; to create and provide for the Louisiana Statewide Education Facilities Authority in the Department of Education; to provide for a board of commissioners and an advisory council and for their membership, powers, duties, and functions; to provide for program participation; to provide relative to ownership and control of public school facilities funded through the authority; to provide relative to implementation and funding; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 456—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1098.8, relative to juvenile detention centers; to provide for the creation of a multi-jurisdictional board of commissioners to support the operation of a juvenile detention facility; to provide the purpose and boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the duties and powers of the district; to provide for special costs; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 457—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843 (E) and (G), relative to city courts; to provide relative to jurisdiction; to increase the civil jurisdictional maximum amount in dispute in the city courts of Abbeville and Kaplan.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 458—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3092(5), relative to the Student Tuition Assistance and Revenue Trust program; to amend the definition of institution of postsecondary education for eligibility purposes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 459—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1295(1)(a)(i), relative to motor vehicle liability insurance; to provide for uninsured motorist coverage for guest passengers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 460—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 461—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:151(B), relative to public schools; to provide for pupil-classroom-teacher ratios; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 462—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1110(E), relative to juvenile detention centers; to provide relative to license requirements for St. James Parish Youth Center; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 463—
BY SENATORS WALSWORTH AND ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 5 of Subtitle V of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:4401, relative to corporation income tax; to authorize the establishment of the Corporate Tax Apportionment Program and to provide for the administration thereof; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for contracts; to provide for certain eligibility requirements, limitations, and restrictions of such program; to provide with respect to applications; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 464—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:2183 and to repeal Chapter 25 of Subtitle III of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:2191 and 2192, relative to procurement; to allow for

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the prohibition of certain convicted felons from participating in the contract and procurement process; to provide for technical corrections to certain Louisiana Revised Statute provisions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 465—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1800.3(9) and 1800.4(A), (C)(2), (F), and (G) and to enact R.S. 39:1800.4(H), relative to the Louisiana Corrections Private Management Act; to provide for the definition of applicable facilities; to provide for the duration of private contracts; to authorize entering into contracts for the selling of facilities; to provide for the sale of certain state facilities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 466—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1034.2(C)(1), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for mandatory annual updating of the medical reimbursement schedule; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 467—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 730 (introductory paragraph) and 731(A) and to enact Children's Code Articles 731(C)(5) and 749(A)(5), relative to families in need of services; to provide for grounds for initiating proceedings; to provide for required documentation prior to filing complaints; to provide for required allegations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 468—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:325.2(C), relative to saltwater recreational fish; to provide requirements of possession; to provide exceptions for possession; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 469—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:5.1, relative to pooling of oil and gas wells; to provide for authority of the commissioner of conservation to create ultra deep water structure units; to provide for applications, allocations of costs, and rules and regulations; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 470—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1127, relative to workers' compensation; to provide for the release of medical records and information; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 471—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1032(C)(3), relative to the exclusivity of remedies under the workers' compensation system; to provide for civil liability; to provide for employers who fail to provide certain employee protections; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 472—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1472(12)(E) and 1761(9) and to enact R.S. 23:1711(G), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for employers' classification of workers; to provide for independent contractors; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 473—
BY SENATORS MURRAY, ALARIO AND MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-28 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.551 through 130.560.5, relative to economic and community development in Orleans Parish; to create the New Orleans Hotel Tourism District, a political subdivision of the State of Louisiana; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the authority, powers, duties, and functions of the governing body of the district; to allow for the levy and collection of assessments within the district; to allow the governing body of the district to enter into cooperative endeavor agreements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 474—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:162(2) and 164(C), relative to motor carriers; to provide for definitions; to exempt motor carriers of non-hazardous oilfield waste from proving public convenience and necessity; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 475—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB AND REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:469, relative to the rebate of sales and use tax of the state and its political subdivisions; to provide for performance based tax rebates for musical or other entertainment events held in public facilities under certain conditions; to provide for the qualifications of the rebate; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 476—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1142(B)(1) and (C)(1), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for certain medical treatment limits; to provide for responsibility for certain medical treatment; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 477—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1209(A)(2) and (C), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to prescription; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 478—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1101(B), 1102(B) and (C)(1), and 1103(B), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for third party claims brought by an employee or employer; to provide for satisfaction of claims; to provide for penalties for employers under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 479—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:140(C) and the introductory paragraph of (D), and to enact R.S. 41:140(D)(4), relative to public lands; to provide for the procedure of the sale of immovable property; to provide an exception from public auction or sealed bids; to provide terms, conditions and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 480—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 31:136.1, relative to mineral leases; to provide relative to notice and opportunity to comply with lease conditions to restore property; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 481—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 718.1 and to repeal R.S. 46:1845, relative to discovery; to provide relative to discovery procedures in certain criminal cases; to prohibit the reproduction of certain evidence in certain cases involving pornography involving juveniles, video voyeurism, and obscenity; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 482—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 729.7, relative to discovery in certain criminal cases; to prohibit taking the deposition of the victim in certain sexual abuse cases involving

a minor except under certain circumstances; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 483—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:127.2, relative to golf carts; to authorize operation of golf carts on roadways within Palmetto Island State Park; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 484—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:46.2(D), 46.3(D)(1) and (2), 81.1(A)(1), (B)(5), (D), and (E)(1), (2), (4), and (5)(a) and (b), (F)(1), and (G)(introductory paragraph), 81.3(A)(1) and (2), (B)(1)(a) and (c), and (C), 82.1, 83, 83.1(B), 83.2(B), 84, 85, 86(B)(1), 89(B), 89.2(B)(3), 104, 105, 282, and 403.3(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (C), R.S. 15:541(12)(c) and (25)(k) and (l), R.S. 40:2521, R.S. 46:1433 and 1809(B)(3)(d) and (4)(a), Code of Criminal Procedure Article 571.1 and Children's Code Articles 603(3), 728(1), 804(3) and (5), and 1015(3)(i) and (l) and to enact R.S. 14:46.2(E), 46.3(A)(6), (C)(3) and (D)(1)(c), 82(C)(4) and (5) and (G), 83.3(D), 83.4(C), 86(C), 89(C), and 89.2(D), R.S. 15:541(12)(d) and (25)(m) and (n), and 1308(A)(2)(q), R.S. 40:2405.7, and Children's Code Articles 606(A)(6) and 918(D), relative to human trafficking, trafficking of children for sexual purposes, and the commercial sexual exploitation of children; to amend certain crimes involving the prostitution and trafficking of children for sexual purposes; to provide for increased penalties for certain prostitution and trafficking offenses when the offense involves persons of a certain age; to provide for affirmative defenses; to prohibit certain defenses to certain crimes; to authorize the use of wiretaps for trafficking investigations; to provide for law enforcement officer training; to require the reporting of rescued children; to provide relative to victim reparations; to provide with respect to limitations on the institution of prosecution for specific offenses; to provide access of child sex trafficking victims to certain services; to authorize the expungement of certain juvenile adjudication records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 485—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:32.1(A)(7), 32.8(A)(2)(g), 39.1(A)(6), 39.2(A)(6), and 98(A)(1)(f), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide that certain crimes involving operating a vehicle while intoxicated include operating a vehicle when any detectable amount of certain controlled dangerous substances is present in the operator's blood; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 486—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:414(D)(1)(c), relative to offenses involving operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to a hardship license for certain persons convicted of certain offenses involving operating a vehicle while intoxicated; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 487—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 32:667(H), relative to motor vehicles and traffic regulation; to provide relative to seizure, suspension, or revocation of driver's licenses; to repeal certain provisions relative to reinstatement of a seized, suspended, or revoked driver's license 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 488—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:414(A)(1)(c)(ii), relative to denial of driving privileges; to provide with respect to eligibility for a restricted license by persons convicted of certain crimes involving operating a vehicle while intoxicated; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 489—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 32:668(A), relative to hearing procedures following revocation or denial of drivers' licenses; to provide relative to testimony of law enforcement officers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 490—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 34 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5401, to enact Chapter 34-A of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5501, and to repeal R.S. 13:621.41(J) and 1343(C), relative to reentry courts; to authorize the creation of reentry divisions of court in certain judicial district courts in the state; to provide for the implementation of the workforce development sentencing program in the reentry division; to provide for conditions and procedures; to provide for applicability; to repeal provisions related to the Criminal District Court of Orleans Parish or the Forty-First Judicial District workforce development program; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 491—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4702(B)(2)(c), (h), and (i), and (6)(b), and to enact R.S. 33:4702(B)(6)(c), relative to Orleans Parish; to change references to a specific legislative district in Orleans Parish which has appointing authority for members serving on the board of the New Orleans Regional Business Park; to provide for the board's membership and term of office; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 492—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 324(A)(3), relative to bail in criminal matters; to authorize the Twenty-Third Judicial District Court to alter the percentage amount of bail to be deposited; to authorize the collection of an administrative fee for processing such bond; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 493—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(1)(a), and to enact R.S.18:18(E), relative to the duties and powers of the secretary of state; to provide the secretary of state collect and maintain email addresses for current elected officials; to provide for the secretary of state to include email addresses of candidates and elected officials in the department database; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 494—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.2, relative to elementary and secondary education; to provide with respect to school improvement; to provide for technical assistance to local public school systems; to provide relative to selection of certain teachers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 495—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:359(K) and (L) and 802.18, and R.S. 38:3076(A)(24), 3087.136(4), 3087.266(A)(1), 3097.2(3), and the introductory paragraph of 3097.4(A), (D)(4),(5), and (6), and 3097.7, and to enact R.S. 38:3097.4(20) and (D)(7), relative to the Ground Water Resources Commission; to change the name of the Ground Water Resources Commission; to provide for additional members to the commission; to provide for the powers and duties of the commission; to change the name of the Ground Water Management Advisory Task Force; to provide for the study of the surface waters of the state; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 496—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 7(B) of Act No. 333 of the 1972 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature as amended by Act No. 56 of the 1987 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature and Act No. 17 of the 1998 First Extraordinary Session of the Louisiana Legislature and to enact R.S. 33:423.23, relative to the city of Kaplan; to provide for the authority of the chief of police regarding police personnel; to provide that the position of assistant to the chief of police shall be in the unclassified service; to provide for the authority of the assistant to the chief of police; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 497—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 15:308(C) and 574.22, relative to the Louisiana Risk Review Panel; to repeal the statutory authority for the panel; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 498—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2(G), relative to the authority of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to provide for the administration of the surface water management plan; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 499—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1405.5, relative to the issuance of debt by political subdivisions; to prohibit the State Bond Commission from approving the issuance of bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness of political subdivisions against whom there is filed certain unpaid judgments; to provide for the filing of notices of certain unpaid eligible judgments with the State Bond Commission; to provide that eligible judgments shall include judgments owed for goods, services, or work performed under a contractual obligation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 500—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:919.4 and R.S. 40:1231, 1231.1(A), 1232(A) and (B), 1232.1(A) and (B), 1232.2(B)(1)(b) and (d), (B)(2), and (G), 1232.3(A)(1) through (3) and (B), 1232.4(1), (3), and (5), 1232.5, the introductory paragraph of 1232.6, and 1232.6 (1), (2), and (12), 1232.7 (D) and (E), 1232.9, 1232.11, 1233, 1234, 1235(A)(1), (2)(a), (c), and (d), 1235.1(A), 1236, 1236.1, 1236.13(B) and (F), 1299.58.2(4), 1299.64.2(3); to enact R.S. 40:1232.4(10) and 1232.6(15), and to repeal R.S. 40:1236.3, relative to the changes within the emergency medical services provisions; to provide for changes in references to emergency medical personnel; to provide with respect to title designations for certain licensee providing emergency medical services; to provide with respect to grounds for disciplinary proceedings relative to intentional falsification of documents; to provide relative to the duties of emergency medical personnel; to provide relative to the permissible functions which an emergency medical services practitioner student may perform and under what conditions they may be performed; to provide with respect to the certifications necessary for an emergency medical services practitioner to hold; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 501—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(f)(vii), relative to public contracts; to provide relative to electronic bidding; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 502—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:3097.8, relative to water quality; to require annual reports from certain special districts regarding water quality and use and saltwater intrusion or encroachment; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 503—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:71(B)(3), relative to motor vehicles; to provide relative to driving in the left lane in certain municipalities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 504—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1123(10)(b), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to permit certain contracts between higher education institutions and faculty, research, and athletic staff; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 505—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:10(A)(2)(e), relative to minerals, oil, and gas; to provide for the agreements for drilling units; to provide for pooling interests; to provide for the election not to participate in a unit well; to provide for payment to certain royalty owners; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 506—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1426.1, relative to discovery; to provide relative to stay of discovery in civil proceedings for good cause shown by district attorney conducting a related criminal investigation; to provide certain terms and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 507—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:176(H), relative to extracurricular interscholastic athletic activities; to provide relative to participation by student athletes in certain activities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 508—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:407.1(1) and 407.2, relative to early childhood programs; to provide for certain education programs; to provide relative to appropriate early childhood programs for certain young children; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 509—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4919(D), relative to service of citation in justice of the peace courts; to provide for service by certified mail; to provide relative to service of the notice of judgment; to provide for certain terms and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 510—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:996, relative to public health; to authorize the Department of Health and Hospitals to develop a voluntary testing program for offenders convicted of certain drug crimes; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 511—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1035(A) and enact R.S. 23:1035.3, relative to workers' compensation; to provide for exceptions for workers' compensation coverage; to require workers' compensation coverage for certain individuals; to provide for a waiver of coverage in 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 512—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1300.31(A)(1), (2), (5), and (7), (B), (C), (D), (E), and (F), and 1300.33 (A) and (B), and R.S. 33:9100.21(B) and (C), and to repeal R.S. 18:1300.32, relative to crime prevention and security districts; to streamline the procedure by which municipalities and parishes may create such districts and levy parcel fees; to remove all references to the need for a petition to request an election for the approval of such districts; to remove the requirement that an election must be held to approve the creation of such districts; to authorize municipalities and parishes to create such districts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 513—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:249, relative to the expenditure of state funds; to prohibit certain expenditures by the division of administration; to prohibit the approval of certain expenditures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 514—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6007(B)(10) through (13), (D)(2)(d) and (7) and to enact R.S. 47:6007(B)(14) through (16) and 6007.1, relative to the motion picture investor tax credit; to provide for definitions; to provide for an audit; to provide for

duties of a qualified accountant; to provide for a qualified cost report; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 515—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1947(A), relative to funding for special education and related services to students with exceptionalities; to require that funding be provided for all educational services which are provided to students placed in a residential or intermediate care facility; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 516—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 26 of Title 12 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 12:1701, relative to commercial regulations; to provide for notification to officers, members, managers, and partners of certain changes; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide that notice be given to certain individuals; to provide for documents; to provide for a cause of action; to provide for judicial review; to provide for the duties of a certain court; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 517—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Art. 813(C) and to enact Children's Code Art. 814(G), relative to taking a child into custody; to require the notification of certain school officials when a child has been taken into custody; to provide for the confidentiality of such notification; to provide relative to violations of confidentiality; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 518—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:705(B), 706(B), 707.4(A)(1), (2), and (4), and 713, and to enact R.S. 35:393.2, relative to vehicles; to provide relative to ex-officio notaries public in the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 519—
BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 407(A), 412(A) and 879, relative to juvenile proceedings; to provide relative to the confidentiality of delinquency hearings and the records thereof; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 520—
BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1231(B)(2), 1251(2), and 1253, relative to workers' compensation benefits; to provide for death benefit awards to dependent children; to provide for payment to adopted or natural children of deceased employee; and restrict payments to certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 521—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:642, relative to employment; to prohibit a parish or municipality from establishing certain minimum, mandatory leave days; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 522—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact Subpart C, of Part X, of Chapter 26 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 to be comprised of R.S. 17:3398.10 through 3398.11, relative to stimulus to economic and educational development; to provide for the University Research Economic Development Startup Act of 2012; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for establishment of guidelines; to provide for certain procedures, terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 523—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.8(B), relative to authority of levee districts; relative to the funding of the Algiers Levee District and the Orleans Levee District; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 524—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:180(B), relative to annexation of territory owned by a public body; to provide for the authority to exclude certain territory from annexation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 525—
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:28(I), relative to drilling permits; to require the commissioner of conservation to provide thirty days notice to landowners affected by certain drilling operations; to provide terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 526—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1681.1(C), relative to scholarships for children of certain public employees; to add children of state investigators killed or permanently disabled in the performance of duty; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 527—
BY SENATORS WALSWORTH AND RISER AND REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3233 through 3233.6 and to repeal R.S. 17:3215(5), relative to postsecondary education; to provide for the transfer of Louisiana State University at Shreveport to the University of Louisiana System; to provide relative to the transfer of the facilities, resources, funds, obligations, and functions of such institution and related foundations; to provide for the merger of Louisiana Tech University and Louisiana State University at Shreveport; to provide for the transition responsibilities of the impacted institutions and postsecondary education boards; to provide for cooperative agreements; to provide relative to accreditation issues; to provide relative to student enrollment, program completion, and the awarding of diplomas; to provide relative to employees; to provide relative to 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 Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 528—
BY SENATOR LONG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:29, relative to remediation; to provide relative to remediation of certain sites by the Department of Natural Resources; to provide relative to the remediation of oil and gas and other sites; to provide terms, conditions, procedures, requirements, definitions, and standards; to provide relative to duties and responsibilities of certain agencies; to provide relative to certain actions or claims involving environmental damage; to provide relative to parties, proceedings, orders, judgments, and awards by the court; to provide relative to remediation and cleanup arising from such actions or claims; to provide relative to oilfield sites and exploration and production sites; to provide for landowner notification of environmental testing; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 529—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:409(I), 37:1861(C), and Chapter 22 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1961 through 1975, relative to used or secondhand property; to exempt scrap metal recyclers from the secondhand dealer law; to establish the Louisiana Scrap Metal Recyclers Registration and Licensing Board within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide for definitions; to provide for board membership; to provide for meetings of the board; to provide for compensation of the board; to establish a registration and licensing program for scrap metal recyclers; to provide for denial, revocation, and suspension of licenses; to require a license to operate as a scrap metal recycler; to provide for the application for licensure as a scrap metal recycler; to provide for expiration and renewals of licenses; to require changes in location to be noted on a license; to require records of scrap metal purchased; to require the records to be kept for three years; to require the records to be made available for inspection by law enforcement; to require photographic records of scrap

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metal purchased and of the sellers; to prohibit the purchase of scrap metal not owned by the seller; to prohibit scrap metal purchases from person under the age of eighteen; to require a statement of ownership from the seller; to provide that failure to obtain the statement shall be prima facie evidence of fraud; to provide for exoneration from fraudulent, willful, or criminal knowledge; to require daily reports; to provide for violations; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 530—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact Part 6 of Chapter 13 of Title 31 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 31:216, relative to mineral rights and interests; to provide relative to certain unsolicited offers for lease or purchase of mineral rights or interests; to provide certain terms, conditions, requirements, and effects of such unsolicited offers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 531—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:63(G)(5), relative to criminal trespass; to provide relative to penalties for criminal trespass; to provide for forfeiture of and payment for the killing of wildlife in the course of a criminal trespass; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 532—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:4(K) and 4.1(K), and R.S. 38:3097.3(E), relative to uses of ground water; to provide for the powers and duties of the assistant secretary and the commissioner of conservation; to prohibit certain uses of ground water; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 533—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact of R.S. 14:98(B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (C)(1) and to enact R.S. 14:98(B)(3) and (C)(4), relative to the crime of operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to penalties for first and second offense operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to require persons convicted of first or second offense operating a vehicle while intoxicated to be evaluated to determine the nature and extent of the offender's substance use disorder and to participate in a treatment plan; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 534—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1852, 1857, and 1859, relative to pharmacy and pharmacist claims; to provide relative to prescription drugs and recoupment of health insurance claims payments; to provide with respect to licensed pharmacists; to allow licensed pharmacists forty-five days to appeal a health

insurance issuer's recoupment notification; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 535—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:441.13, relative to the mayor's court for the town of Westlake; to expand the court's jurisdiction; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 536—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Art. 901.1(A), relative to probation and parole supervision fees; to provide with respect to a reduction in supervision fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 537—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:100.52, relative to state funds; to establish the Mental Health Services Access and Improvement Fund; to provide for the deposit of certain monies into the fund; to provide for the uses of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 538—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1730.42 and 1730.45(A) and (B), relative to the state fire marshal; to provide for definitions; to provide for enforcement and rules; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 539—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.86(A) and (B)(1), relative to local sales and use taxes; to provide for credits against local sales and use taxes when tangible personal property is brought into the state under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 540—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2780.1(A)(2)(a), (A)(5), (B), (C), and (D), to enact R.S. 9:2780.1(G), and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 492 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to motor carrier transportation contracts and construction contracts; to provide relative to definitions; to exclude certain contracts; to provide relative to the enforcement of certain clauses in motor transportation contracts and construction contracts; to repeal a provision excluding certain contracts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 541—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:5151(A) and R.S. 39:1503(B) and to enact R.S. 38:2212(T), R.S. 39:1594(E)(3), and R.S. 42:802(B)(8)(b)(iii), all relative to procurement; to provide for certain bid evaluation criteria or documentation relative to the procurement of certain medical products and services; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 542—
BY SENATORS WALSWORTH AND ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3 of Subtitle VII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:6301, relative to rebates; to authorize contracts for certain sales and use tax rebates; to provide for definitions, requirements, and limitations; to provide for the amount, approval, and issuance of rebates; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 543—
BY SENATOR RISER AND REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 48:196(A) and to enact R.S. 48:196.I, relative to the issuance of bonds; to authorize the State Bond Commission to issue bonds secured by monies in the State Highway Improvement Fund; to provide for the use of the proceeds of the bonds; to provide for a special fund; to provide for certain requirements and limitations on the issuance of bonds; to provide for a procedure to contest the validity of issuance of the bonds; to provide for the rights of bondholders; to authorize the issuance of refunding bonds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 544—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:258(4), relative to contracting with a private attorney to represent a Louisiana postsecondary educational institution in connection with an intellectual property matter; to provide an exception from certain procurement procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 545—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:114, relative to the Department of Revenue; to provide for the quarterly filing of income tax returns with respect to withholding returns; to provide for due dates of payment; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 546—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1254(O), relative to the distribution and sale of motor vehicles; to provide for licensure of dealers; to provide for an exception for non-resident dealers of recreational products; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 547—
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:1308.3, relative to limited liability companies; to provide for change in the jurisdiction of domestic and foreign companies; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 548—
BY SENATORS RISER AND ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 54 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3111, relative to the creation of the Competitive Projects Payroll Incentive Program; to provide for contract for the payment of rebates to certain qualified businesses; to provide for procedures and requirements for the execution of such contracts and the payment or repayment of such rebates; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 549—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.27, relative to disposition of certain collections in St. Martin Parish; to provide for appropriations from the St. Martin Parish Enterprise Fund to the St. Martin Parish government; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 550—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305(D)(4)(b) and 337.9(C)(17), relative to exemptions from local sales tax; to exempt certain complex biologics from payment of the tax; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 551—
BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 22:1573(I)(1)(b), relative to continuing education requirements; to repeal the legislator exemption from continuing education requirements for insurance license renewal; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 552—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:961, relative to data collected by certain state departments; to provide that certain state departments develop reports providing statistics on women by race and ethnic groups; to provide for annual reports; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 553—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894(B)(2) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894(A)(7) and (B)(3), relative to suspension and deferral of criminal sentences; to provide relative to probation for cases assigned to certain substance abuse programs; to provide relative to discharge and dismissal of certain prosecutions under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 554—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:1303.1, relative to commercial regulation; to provide relative to limited liability companies; to provide for notification to individuals of certain changes; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 555—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:29(A), (C)(1) and (3), and (H), relative to the remediation of oilfield sites and exploration and production sites; to provide for the admission or finding of liability by certain parties; to provide terms, conditions, requirements, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 556—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart DD of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:120.102, relative to donations of refunds; to provide for such donations to the Alliance for the Advancement of End of Life Care; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 557—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.71(C), relative to the special prestige license plate for the Boy Scouts of America; to provide for an annual royalty fee and for distribution of collections; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 558—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1306(C)(3)(a), relative to the operation of official motor vehicle inspection stations; to reduce the additional fee charged for motor vehicle inspection in non-attainment parishes and municipalities; to eliminate the two dollar fee transferred to the Department of Environmental Quality; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 559—
BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:898(A) and 901, relative to certificates of insurance; to provide for method of filing proof and notice of cancellation or termination; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 560—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1123, 1124.1, 1201(F)(1), (2) and (4), 1210(A), 1221(3)(a) and (4)(s)(i), and 1224, and to enact R.S. 23:1020.1, Subpart A-1 of Part I of Chapter 10 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 consisting of R.S. 23:1213 through 1213.27, and 1314(D) and (E), relative to workers compensation; to provide for a purpose; to provide for a burden of proof; to provide with respect to disputes as to injury causation and extent of disability; to provide with respect to appointment of independent medical examiners; to provide with respect to nonpayment of benefits; to provide for medical provider networks; to provide with respect to burial benefits; to provide with respect to supplemental earnings benefits; to provide with respect to benefits for catastrophic injury; to provide with respect to payment of compensation in first week; to provide with respect to prematurity of petition; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 561—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:386, 389, 390, 391, and 392(D), relative to the Louisiana Workforce Commission; to provide for the approval of apprentice agreements; to provide for certain complaint procedures; to provide for a method of resolving controversies; to provide for special protection or consideration for certain individuals; to provide for qualifications of certain individuals; to provide for the operations of apprenticeship programs; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 562—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9039.124(A)(1) and (4), relative to the tax upon the occupancy of hotel rooms, motel rooms, and overnight camping facilities levied and collected by the Abbeville Film and Visitors Commission District; to terminate the tax upon the occupancy of hotel rooms, motel rooms, and overnight camping facilities with the district; to authorize the district to collect and levy a one percent tax, 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 563—
BY SENATOR WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:58.2(I), 67, and 67.1, relative to the Southeast Baton Rouge Community School System; to provide for the school system, including its establishment and geographic boundaries; to provide for the school board and an interim board of control; to provide for board membership, apportionment, qualifications, method of selection, terms of office, filling of vacancies, compensation, expenses, powers, duties, and

responsibilities; to provide relative to facilities and property; to provide relative to the collection and remittance of certain taxes; to provide relative to the provision of certain student services; to provide relative to certain applications for funding; to provide for the reapportionment of the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board; to provide for effectiveness and for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 564—

BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.66, relative to the city of Grambling; to create the Grambling Legends Square Taxing District; to provide for the governing authority of the city of Grambling to create a special taxing district; to provide relative to the purpose and boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance, powers, and duties of the district; to provide for definitions; to provide for taxes to be levied by the district and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 565—

BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:833(A) and R.S. 46:1816(B)(6), and to enact Chapter 21-C of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 46:1851 through 1857, relative to prisons and prisoners; to provide for the creation of escrow accounts for certain prisoners who enter into contracts for profits derived from the notoriety gained from their crimes; to provide relative to the distribution of escrow account funds to certain crime victims; to provide relative to notice to crime victims of escrow account funds becoming available; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to inspection of certain prisoner correspondence; to provide relative to the Crime Victims Reparations Fund; to provide for the payment of certain prisoner escrow account funds into the Crime Victims Reparations Fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 566—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3552 through 3561 and 3563 through 3566, relative to the Louisiana Massage Therapist and Massage Establishment Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions and exemptions to the act; to provide for membership to the Louisiana Massage Therapy Board; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to provide for licensure and qualifications; to provide for examinations for massage therapists; to provide for applications for licensure, issuance of a license, and renewals; to provide for the suspension, revocation, or failure to renew or issue a license; to provide for advertising; to provide for penalties; to provide for injunctions; to provide for certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 567—

BY SENATORS RISER AND ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 54 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3111 through 3115, relative to the creation of a Corporate Headquarters Relocation Program; to authorize contracts with businesses that relocate or expand a

headquarters in the state; to provide for the content and approval of contracts; to provide for the authority of the Department of Economic Development; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 568—

BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 1-A of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 42:5 through 5.7, relative to payment of wages to certain public employees; to provide for a declaration of public policy; to provide for definitions; to provide for prohibited acts constituting unequal pay; to provide for a complaint procedure; to provide for damages; to limit actions of employees; to require certain records be kept by employers; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 569—

BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:398(F), (G), and (K)(1)(a) and (2), relative to accident reports; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 570—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:146(A)(5), relative to the Louisiana Public Defender Board; to provide requirements for the membership of the board; to provide for transition; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 571—

BY SENATORS MILLS, CORTEZ AND PERRY AND REPRESENTATIVES BARRAS, STUART BISHOP, CHAMPAGNE, HARRISON, HUVAL, NANCY LANDRY, MONTOUCET, ORTEGO AND ROBIDEAUX

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 10-D of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:1191 through 1198, relative to health care service districts; to provide the authority to create health care service districts; to provide for governing boards for health care service districts; to provide for governing board's membership, appointment, terms, and compensation; to authorize districts to levy taxes and incur debt and issue and sell bonds; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 572—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:95.1.3, relative to weapons; to prohibit the purchase of firearms or ammunition with the intent to transfer illegally; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 573—

BY SENATORS MURRAY, ALARIO AND MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-28 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.551 through 130.560.2, relative to economic and

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community development in Orleans Parish; to create the New Orleans Hospitality and Entertainment District, a political subdivision of the State of Louisiana; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the authority, powers, duties, and functions of the governing body of the district; to allow for the levy and collection of taxes and special assessments within the district; to provide for the authority to create subdistricts within the district; to authorize the district to issue and sell bonds; to provide for the duration of the district; to allow the governing body of the district to enter into cooperative endeavor agreements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 574—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2161 and to enact R.S. 47:2164, relative to ad valorem taxes; to require the payment of ad valorem taxes during the redemptive period after a tax sale; to provide for the liability for the payment of such taxes; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 575—
BY SENATOR MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:90(C), R.S. 27:20(A)(1)(d)(ii), and Chapter 8 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 27:401 through 457, to enact Chapter 9 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 27:501 and 502, and to repeal Chapter 6 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 27:301 through 326, relative to the licensing and operation of video draw poker devices; to provide for a comprehensive reorganization of the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide for definitions; to provide for the types of licensed establishments which may be issued for the operation of video draw poker devices; to provide for limits on the number of devices which may be offered at those licensed establishments; to provide for specifications of video draw poker devices; to provide for the types of games which may be played on video draw poker devices; to provide for progressive jackpots; to provide with respect to suitability criteria for the issuance of video draw poker devices; to provide for criteria and amenities which shall be offered at different licensed establishments; to provide for the calculation of fuel sales at qualified truck stop facilities; to provide with respect to the construction and location of qualified truck stop facilities; to provide for the temporary operation of video draw poker devices; to provide with respect to force majeure; to provide for applicability; to provide for exceptions; to provide with respect to leasing qualified truck stop facilities; to repeal statutory provisions which have become obsolete; to provide with respect to the sale or transfer of a license; to provide for tax clearances for the granting or renewal of a license to operate video draw poker devices; to provide for the application process for three machine locations; to provide for issuance of licenses by the office of state police for three machine locations; to provide for the regulation and enforcement regarding the operation of video draw poker devices; to provide for rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 576—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1021(12)(c), relative to definition of wages for purposes of workers' compensation benefits; to provide for computation of average weekly wage for professional athletes entitled to workers' compensation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 577—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact Part XIV of Chapter 9 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 1019 through 1019.2, relative to employment; to create the Louisiana Equal Pay Task Force; to provide for purpose; to provide for composition of the task force; to provide for duties and powers of the task force; to provide for reporting deadlines; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 578—
BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1826(A) and to enact 1826(D), relative to payment of claims for emergency services provided by noncontracted health care providers; to provide with respect to billing by certain noncontracted physicians; to provide for amounts paid by health insurance issuers in certain cases; to prohibit billing by certain noncontracted physicians for emergency services; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 579—
BY SENATORS ADLEY AND PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(b)(i), (c)(i), (d)(i) and (4)(a)(iii), (B)(3)(a), (P)(1)(c), (2)(b), (3)(b) and (4)(b), (Q)(1)(d), and (V)(1)(c), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for initial award eligibility and continuing eligibility for certain students who reenlist in the United States Armed Forces and maintain continuous active duty under certain circumstances; to extend the length of time required to claim or maintain an award for certain students on active duty under certain circumstances; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 580—
BY SENATOR DONAHUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:25.1(C)(1)(a)(iii), (b), (c) and (d), relative to forensic services; to provide for authority to transfer from parish jails to forensic facilities; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 581—
BY SENATORS APPEL AND ALARIO AND REPRESENTATIVES CARTER AND KLECKLEY

AN ACT

To enact Part X-A of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:407.21 through 407.24, relative to early childhood education; to provide for the creation of an early childhood care and education network; to

provide for the purposes of such network and the duties and responsibilities of certain state agencies related thereto; to provide relative to early childhood education programs and standards; to provide for an accountability system for early childhood education programs; to provide relative to a quality rating system for certain day care centers; to provide for legislative findings and intent; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 582—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:191.3(B), relative to motorcycles; to provide relative to handlebars on motorcycles; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 583—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To authorize the Department of Health and Hospitals to transfer certain state property in Lincoln Parish to Grambling State University; to provide for the property description; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 584—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:10.1(F), relative to school and district accountability; to provide for a school quality rating system for public schools and school districts; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 585—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1236(66), relative to certain powers of parishes; to provide for cleanup and removal requirements of abandoned structures by certain owners of land adjacent to certain lakes; to provide for terms, conditions, procedures, and definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 586—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:123.1, relative to reporting requirements on certain construction projects; to provide for semi-annual reporting to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget by the project manager or the contractor manager for the University Medical Center in New Orleans; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 587—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:663.3, relative to community development block grants and other federal hurricane recovery dollars; to provide for the office of community development; to provide for the

allocation of certain funds; to provide for purpose; 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 Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 588—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-28 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.551 through 130.553, relative to Orleans Parish; to authorize the city of New Orleans to levy a tax on hotels; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 589—
BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4562.3(D), relative to the Evangeline-Ville Platte Recreation District; to remove certain requirements relative to the district's budget; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 590—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3045.3 and 3045.8; R.S. 23:3003; R.S. 25:933(9) through (15), and 941(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B)(1); R.S. 32:57(G)(2), 171(F)(1) and (2), 175(C)(4), the introductory paragraph of 412(H) and (H)(1), and 783(G); R.S. 36:209(T); R.S. 37:3390.6; R.S. 38:2216(E); R.S. 39:100.94(B)(1), 2162(B), and 2165.11(B); R.S. 47:463.88(E); R.S. 51:955.4(F); and Sections 2, 3, 4(C), and 5 of Act No. 1212 of the 2001 Regular Session; to enact R.S. 3:3391.12(C); and to repeal R.S. 2:904; R.S. 3:283.2(H), Part II of Chapter 4-A of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 3:321 through 323, and 3391.13; R.S. 17:10.3, 421.12, 2036, and 3042.11; R.S. 23:1310.12, and Part XIII of Chapter 11 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 23:1771 through 1776, and 3003; R.S. 25:933(16), 940 and 942; R.S. 27:270(B); R.S. 29:731.1; R.S. 30:2417(B) and (C); R.S. 32:412(H)(2) and (3) and 783(H); R.S. 33:3006, 4769 and 4770; R.S. 37:3119; Subpart H of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.11 and 100.12, Subpart L of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.36, Subpart P of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.71, 100.93, Subpart P-3 of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.101, Subpart Q of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.121, Subpart Q-1 of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:122, Subpart Q-2 of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.123, Subpart Q-3 of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.124, Subpart Q-4 of Part II of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:100.125, R.S. 39:127.2, 2161, and 2165.10; Part LX of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:1300.221, and 1300.263; R.S. 46:2609 and 2802, Chapter 65 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 46:2901; R.S. 47:120.81, 322.44, 332.15, 332.50, 463.88(F) and (G); R.S. 48:393; R.S. 51:955.5, 1262.1, and 2315(D), relative to the elimination of

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certain special treasury funds; to eliminate the General Aviation and Reliever Airport Maintenance Grant Program Fund, Agricultural Products Processing Development Fund, Rural Development Fund, Formosan Termite Initiative Fund, School and District Accountability Rewards Fund, Teacher Educational Aid for Children Fund, Job Reserve Fund, Teachers Education Incentive Program Trust Fund, Louisiana Opportunity Loan Fund, Director Of Workers' Compensation Revolving Fund, Domestic Violence Victims Account, Special Fund for the Vocational Rehabilitation of Individuals with Disabilities, Louisiana Historic Cemetery Trust Fund, Casino Gaming Proceeds Fund, State Disaster or Emergency Relief Fund, Used Oil Recycling Trust Fund, Greater New Orleans Expressway Commission Additional Cost Fund, Office of Motor Vehicles Testing Fund, Louisiana Used Motor Vehicle Commission Fund, Allen Parish Local Government Gaming Mitigation Fund, Louisiana Blighted Property Reclamation Revolving Loan Fund, Louisiana Auctioneers Licensing Board Fund, Addictive Disorders Professionals Licensing and Certification Fund, Small Contract Bond Fund, Municipalities Energy Expense Fund, Louisiana Economic and Port Development Infrastructure Fund, Manufactured Home Tax Fairness Fund, Grants for Grads Fund, FEMA Mobile Home Reimbursement Fund, Hurricane Recovery Health Insurance Premium Fund, Center of Excellence for Autism Spectrum Disorder Fund, Walking the Walk of Our Kids Fund, Technology Commercialization Fund, Statewide Education Facilities Fund, Capitol Complex Master Plan Fund, Hurricane Relief Programs Fraud Detection Fund, Oil Spill Relief Programs Fraud Detection Fund, Community-based Primary Health Care Initiative Fund, Tobacco Control Program Fund, Louisiana Children, Youth and Families Investment Fund, Child Poverty Prevention Fund, Community Hospital Stabilization Fund, St. Helena Parish Tourist Commission Fund, Claiborne Parish Tourism and Economic Development Fund, Kappa Kamp Fund, Railroad Crossing Safety Fund, Broadband Infrastructure and Information Technology Fund, Louisiana Welcome Center Improvement Fund, Rural Economic Development Account, and the Manufactured and Mobile Homes Settlement Fund; to authorize the transfer of balances between funds; to provide for deposit of monies into the state general fund; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 591—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1488, relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to authorize the creation of the Interest On Candidate Contributions Trust Account program; to authorize the supervisory committee on campaign finance disclosure to adopt rules and regulations relative to such program; to provide for oversight of such program; to provide for basic criteria for program development; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 592—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3981.1, relative to charter schools; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to establish an independent statewide chartering authority for certain types of charter schools; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of such authority; to provide with respect to the charter application and review process; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 593—
BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.35.1(4), (7) through (11), 1299.35.2(B) and (C), the heading of R.S. 40:1299.35.4, 1299.35.4(A),(B) and (C) and 1299.35.12 and to enact R.S. 40:1299.35 and 1299.35.1(12),(13),(14) and (15) , relative to abortion; to provide for the Viable and Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date, and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 594—
BY SENATOR BROWN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:158(I), relative to school transportation; to provide for the transportation of certain students to certain technical colleges; to provide for responsibilities of city, parish, and other local public school boards; to provide for the adoption of rules; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 595—
BY SENATOR CROWE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:2.1 and R.S. 44:4(45) and 4.1(B)(37), relative to access of certain public records; to provide for the "Business Identity Theft Prevention Act"; to make confidential certain electronic mail addresses; to provide relative to the duties of the secretary of state; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 596—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To enact Code of Evidence Article 519, relative to testimonial privileges for judges in civil and criminal cases; to prohibit the issuance of a subpoena requiring a judge to testify in a civil, criminal, or juvenile proceeding without a hearing to determine privilege; to provide for specific requirements regarding the information being sought through the judge's testimony; to provide for a waiver for failure of a judge to timely object to a subpoena; to extend privilege to any judge or commissioner provided for in the constitution of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 597—
BY SENATOR APPEL AND REPRESENTATIVES CARTER AND KLECKLEY

AN ACT

To R.S. 17:158(A)(1), 3973(3) through (6), 3981(4), 3982(A)(1)(a) and (2), 3983(A)(3)(a), (4)(a), (b), and (d), (B)(2), and (D), 3991(B)(3) and (13), (C)(1)(c)(iv) and (6), (D)(2)(a)(i), and (H), 3992(A)(1), 3995(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c), 3996(C) and (G), 3998, 4001(A) and (C)(1) and (2), and 4011 through 4025, to enact R.S. 17:10.5(F), 3973(2)(b)(vi), (7), and (8), 3981(7) and (8), 3981.1, 3981.2, 3982(A)(3) and (4), 3983(A)(2)(d) and (3)(d) and (G), 3992(D), and Part VII of Chapter 42 of Title 17 of the Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4002 through 4007, and to repeal R.S. 17:3991(B)(9) and 3996(A)(16) and (B)(4), relative to school choice; to provide relative to the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program; to provide relative to program eligibility and participation requirements for students and schools; to provide relative to selection and enrollment of eligible students; to provide relative to funding and payments to

eligible schools including eligible nonpublic schools; to provide for reports; to provide for the submission of petitions by parents requesting that a school be transferred to the Recovery School District under certain conditions; to require rules and regulations to be adopted by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for the petition process; to change charter proposal submission time lines; to provide a mechanism for Type 1 and Type 3 charter schools to convert to a Type 2 charter school under certain conditions; to authorize the state board to allow the state superintendent of education and the superintendent of the Recovery School District to amend the charter of Type 5 charter schools to accommodate a unified enrollment system; to modify the initial charter period; to provide for charter school admission requirements; to allow foreign language immersion schools to establish special admission standards; to provide for the qualifications of teachers; to provide relative to the evaluation of charter school teachers and other school employees; to provide relative to teacher certification requirements; to remove the requirement that charter schools comply with laws relative to the length of the school year; to provide for the Course Choice Program; to provide for program definitions and funding; to provide for the powers of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and local public school systems relative to course providers; to provide relative to entities that authorize charter schools; to provide for certification of certain state agencies and nonprofit corporations as charter authorizers; to provide relative to the responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education with respect to certification of such authorizers; to provide relative to requirements, powers, responsibilities, and limitations of such authorizers; to provide relative to schools whose charter is authorized by such entities, including matters related to funding for such schools; to provide for procedures, processes, fees, and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 598—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-28 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.551 and 130.552, relative to Orleans Parish; to authorize the city of New Orleans to levy a tax on hotels; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 599—
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:508.2(A) and R.S. 48:1161; to enact R.S. 36:509(F)(11), R.S. 48:25.1, 197, 1161.1 and 1167.1; to repeal R.S. 33:2201(B)(17), R.S. 35:408, R.S. 36:504(A)(9) and 509(M), R.S. 47:820.5, 820.5.2, and 820.5.3, and R.S. 48:1092.1 and 1101.1, relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; provides relative to termination of the Crescent City Connection Division; provides relative to the Crescent City Connection Bridge and ferries; provides relative to the Mississippi River Bridge Authority; provides relative to transfer of funds, property, buildings, and improvements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 600—
BY SENATOR PERRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(Q)(1), and to enact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(Q)(2)(g) and (3), relative to the tax upon occupancy on hotel rooms, motel rooms, and camping facilities; to terminate the tax upon occupancy on hotel rooms, motel rooms,

and camping facilities levied and collected by the Vermilion Parish Tourist Commission for the purpose of funding recreation programs for youth; to authorize the tourist commission to levy and collect an additional two percent tax for certain purposes, 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 601—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1306(C)(1) and (2), relative to motor vehicle inspections; to require official inspection stations to offer one year and two year certificates of inspection; to provide relative to the charge or fee; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 602—
BY SENATOR APPEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1310.5 and to enact R.S. 23:1309, relative to workers' compensation; to provide for the creation of the Workers' Compensation Benefits Review Board; to provide for board membership; to provide for duties of the board; to provide with respect to appeals from the decisions of the board; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 603—
BY SENATORS APPEL AND ALARIO AND REPRESENTATIVES

CARTER AND KLECKLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:54(B)(1)(b)(i) and (iii), 81(A), and (P)(1), 81.4, 229, and 414.1, 441, 442, 443, 444(B)(1), to enact R.S. 17:418 and 532(C), and to repeal R.S. 17:44, 45, 81(I), 154.2, 235.1(E), 346.1, 419, 419.1, 420, 421, 421.1, 421.2, 421.3, 421.5, 422, 422.1, 422.2, 422.3, 422.4, 422.5, 431, 444(A) and (B)(2) and (3), 446, 461 through 464, and 1207, relative to elementary and secondary education; to provide with respect to teachers and other school employees; to provide with respect to local school superintendents, their employment, and their duties and responsibilities; to provide relative to local school boards and their functions and powers; to provide relative to school personnel decisions; to provide relative to school board reduction in force policies; to provide with respect to the salaries and compensation of teachers and other school employees; to provide relative to tenure for school employees and the removal of tenured and non-tenured teachers; 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 Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 604—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1472(19)(a), relative to unemployment insurance benefits; to amend the definition of unemployment in the context of eligibility for unemployment insurance benefits; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 605—
BY SENATOR GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2126, 2153(A), (B)(1)(a) and (C), 2154, and 2286, and to enact R.S. 47:1993(D)(3) and 2153(B)(8), and to repeal R.S. 47:2122(10) and 2156, relative

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to ad valorem tax; to provide with respect to property subject to tax sale; to require assessors to compile certain information relative to transferred property; to provide relative to information included on tax rolls; to provide for tax sale procedures and notifications; to provide for the assessment of property sold at a tax sale; to repeal the right to a redemption nullity for a tax debtor; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 606—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(A)(3)(a) and (b), (4)(a), (5)(a), (c) and (d), (B)(1)(b) and (2), (C)(2), and (E)(1)(b), relative to records of arrests and violations of municipal ordinances and state statutes; to provide with respect to expungement of records; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 607—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1226(A), (B), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 23:1227, relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to vocational rehabilitation; to provide for functional capacity evaluation testing, and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 608—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-47 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.851 through 130.860, relative to economic and community development in Orleans Parish; to create the district; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the powers, duties, and functions of the district; to provide for the creation of subdistricts; to provide for the incurrence of debt; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 609—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:477(introductory paragraph), 691(A), 1306, 1307, 1311, 1312, 1381.2, and R.S. 44:181; and to enact R.S. 13:1213.2 and 13:1336(D) and to repeal R.S. 13:474.1, 477(41), 621.41, 621.42, 621.43, 621.44, 621.45, 621.46, 714.1, 714.2, 751.1, 751.2 through 751.5, 841.3, 996.62 through 996.64, R.S. 44:181.5 and 181.6, Sections 6, 8, 9, 19, 22, and 31 of Act No. 621 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature, as amended by Acts 635, 674, 675, 743, 792, 868, 873, 879, of the 2008 Regular Session, Act 409 of the 2009 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Act 726 of the 2010 Regular Session, relative to courts and judicial procedure; to provide relative to the civil and criminal district courts and juvenile court of the parish of Orleans; to repeal all provisions relative to the consolidation of the civil and criminal district courts of Orleans Parish into the Forty-First Judicial District Court and their respective clerks; to repeal all effective dates that would repeal provisions related to the civil and criminal district courts and the abolishment of the juvenile court of Orleans Parish; to provide for the distribution of fees collected in the Civil District Court; to provide for the salaries of the civil and criminal district court judges and certain family and juvenile court judges; to provide

exclusive jurisdiction to the magistrate and criminal district court judges and commissioners to set certain bonds and release certain defendants; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate certain statutory provisions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 610—
BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:120.37(A), (C), and (D), relative to the Department of Revenue; to provide for distribution dates for donations from individual state income tax returns to donees; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 611—
BY SENATOR PETERSON

AN ACT

To enact 17:100.1.1, relative to preparation for the General Education Development test; to provide for supervision of private providers by the Louisiana Community and Technical College System; to provide with respect to provider eligibility requirements; to provide with respect to student eligibility; to provide with respect to Minimum Foundation Program funds; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 612—
BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:151, relative to the employment of minors; to provide for certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 613—
BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1021(12), 1034.2(C)(4), 1121(B)(1), 1208(A) and (D), and to enact R.S. 23:1226(H), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to the calculation of wages; to provide with respect to reimbursement for medication; to provide with respect to examination by a physician; to provide with respect to fraudulent conduct; to provide with respect to vocational rehabilitation; 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.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY SENATOR APPEL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, in collaboration with the Louisiana Serve Commission, to study the feasibility of establishing a "distinction for community service" endorsement program for students who have performed an exemplary number of community service hours during their high school career, and to provide a report to the Senate Committee on Education by February 1, 2013.

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

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17— BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents and the Board of Supervisors for Community and Technical Colleges to study the feasibility of merging Capital Area Technical College and Baton Rouge Community College in order to more adequately address the educational needs of students and the economic and workforce development needs of the greater Baton Rouge area.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18— BY SENATORS ALARIO, ADLEY, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD AND WHITE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of renown politician, beloved gentleman, tireless public servant, and former Louisiana State Senator, the Honorable Samuel Bernard "Sammy" Nunez, Jr. and to celebrate a life well spent in service to the betterment of the state of Louisiana and the nation.

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

March 12, 2012

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. 4 HCR NO. 8 HCR NO. 9
HCR NO. 14 HCR NO. 15 HCR NO. 17
HCR NO. 18 HCR NO. 19 HCR NO. 20
HCR NO. 21 HCR NO. 22 HCR NO. 24
HCR NO. 25 HCR NO. 26 HCR NO. 27
HCR NO. 28 HCR NO. 32 HCR NO. 33
HCR NO. 34 HCR NO. 35 HCR NO. 36
HCR NO. 37 HCR NO. 38 HCR NO. 39
HCR NO. 40

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4— BY REPRESENTATIVE BROSSETT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Jim Henderson upon his retirement as sports director for WWL-TV in New Orleans.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8— BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize July 2012 as Sarcoma Awareness Month in Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9— BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Cameron Windham of Jena upon his receipt of a 2012 Prudential Spirit of Community Award.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14— BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend General Bennett C. Landreneau upon his retirement from the Louisiana National Guard.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15— BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO AND SENATOR APPEL A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commemorate the two hundred twenty-fifth anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States and to recognize the contributions of the Louisiana Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and the Louisiana Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17— BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Public Administration Institute Student Association (PAISA) at Louisiana State University and to recognize April 13, 2012, as the fourteenth annual PAISA Day in the state of Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18— BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS AND DIXON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of David V. Stock of Alexandria.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19— BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Terry Alan Mathews of Boyce.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, April 10, 2012, as Ponchatoula Strawberry Festival Day.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 9, 2012, as Elmer's Candy Day in the state of Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARTER, BARROW, BERTHELOT, EDWARDS, FOIL, GREENE, HAVARD, HODGES, HONORE, JAMES, LAMBERT, MACK, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, RICHARDSON, SCHEXNAYDER, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THIBAUT, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS AND SENATORS AMEDEE, BROOME, CLAITOR, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, NEVERS, AND RISER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Victor Bussie, former longtime president of the Louisiana AFL-CIO.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Roscoe Bolton of Alexandria upon the momentous occasion of his ninety-ninth birthday.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Lesley "Les" E. Golmon of Alexandria.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of John Clifton McDonald, M.D., chancellor emeritus of the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center at Shreveport and dean emeritus of the School of Medicine in Shreveport.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Cliff Dodge and his grandson Robert Brown for their efforts in preserving Cajun culture by constructing a hand-made cypress pirogue.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Ragin' Cajuns of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette upon winning the 2011 New Orleans Bowl.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend William Joyce, Brandon Oldenburg, and Moonbot Studios in Shreveport upon winning the Oscar for Best Animated Short Film for The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr. Morris Lessmore at the Eighty-Fourth Annual Academy Awards.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana State University Tigers football team upon the memorable and historic 2011 season.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend posthumously the life of Lutrill Amos Payne, Sr.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of the Reverend Dr. Joseph David Dupree, Jr.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIXON, HARRIS, AND HAZEL AND SENATORS GALLOT, KOSTELKA, LONG, AND RISER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of former state representative Israel B. Curtis of Alexandria.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the members of Better than Ezra for their musical accomplishments and their contributions to the state of Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Norman Victor Kinsey of Shreveport.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SMITH, BADON, BARROW, WESLEY BISHOP, BROSSETT, BURRELL, COX, DIXON, FRANKLIN, GAINES, HONORE, HUNTER, GIROD JACKSON, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, TERRY LANDRY, NORTON, PIERRE, PRICE, THIERRY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS AND SENATORS BROOME, BROWN, DORSEY-COLOMB, GALLOT, GUILLORY, MORRELL, MURRAY, PETERSON, AND TARVER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Iota Theta Chapter of the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, upon the celebration of its fortieth anniversary and to recognize Saturday, March 31, 2012, as Delta Sigma Theta Day.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARTER, BARROW, BERTHELOT, EDWARDS, FOIL, GREENE, HAVARD, HODGES, HONORE, JAMES, LAMBERT, MACK, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, RICHARDSON, SCHEXNAYDER, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THIBAUT, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS AND SENATORS AMEDEE, BROOME, BROWN, CLAITOR, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, RISER, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of John W. Barton, Sr.

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

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dorsey-Colomb	Peacock
Adley	Erdey	Perry
Allain	Gallot	Peterson
Amedee	Guillory	Riser
Appel	Johns	Smith, G.
Broome	Kostelka	Smith, J.
Brown	Long	Tarver
Buffington	Martiny	Thompson
Chabert	Mills	Walsworth
Claitor	Morrell	Ward
Cortez	Morrish	White
Crowe	Murray	
Donahue	Nevers	
Total - 37		

ABSENT

Heitmeier	LaFleur
Total - 2	

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

LaFleur	1 Day	Heitmeier	1 Day
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Announcements

The following committee meetings for March 13, 2012, were announced:

Finance	8:00 A.M.	Room A
Health and Welfare	1:00 P.M.	Hainkel Room
Judiciary B	10:00 A.M.	Room E
Judiciary C	10:00 A.M.	Room F
Revenue and Fiscal Affairs	9:00 A.M.	Hainkel Room

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Long, at 3:20 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, March 13, 2012, at 4:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 4:00 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, March 13, 2012.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk

