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

**Morning Hour**

**CONVENING ROLL CALL**

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

**PRESENT**

- Mr. President Crowe
- Adley
- Allain
- Amedee
- Appel
- Broome
- Brown
- Buffington
- Chabert
- Claitor
- Cortez

**ABSENT**

- Guillory
- Heitmeier
- Johns

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

**Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Reverend Robert L. Adams, 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 LaFleur, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of April 9, 2012, was adopted.

**Privilege Report of the Legislative Bureau**

April 10, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the following report:

The following bills are approved as to construction and duplication.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 113—**

By Representative Schexnayder

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:656(C)(1)(f) and 658(B) and to enact R.S. 51:650(13), relative to fireworks; to define resident; to establish a resident and nonresident subclassification of fireworks retailer; to establish fees for the resident and nonresident subclassification of fireworks retailer; to increase the maximum criminal fine for operating without a permit; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 491—**

By Representative Danahay

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:162, relative to oaths of office; to provide relative to manner in which the oath of certain officials is subscribed to and recorded; to provide for the duties of certain officials relative thereto; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel R. Martiny
Chairman
Senate Resolutions on
Second Reading

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 37—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Louisiana State University Professor Emeritus Dr. Milton C. "Chuck" Rush on his distinguished career and accomplishments in the field of plant pathology.

On motion of Senator Dorsey-Colomb the resolution was read by title and adopted.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 38—
BY SENATOR LONG
A RESOLUTION
To commend Lisa Tarpley Price upon her induction as Louisiana district governor for Pilot International.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 39—
BY SENATOR BROOME
A RESOLUTION
To commend the service and contributions of The Links, Incorporated and to recognize Tuesday, April 10, 2012, as Louisiana Links Day at the State Capitol.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 40—
BY SENATOR BROOME
A RESOLUTION
To express sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Lynn Valeria Spearman Dickerson.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 41—
BY SENATOR ALARIO
A RESOLUTION
To amend and readopt Senate Rule No. 13.22(C) of the Rules of Order of the Senate; to provide relative to the procedure for establishing the annual vouchered allotment for members of the Senate; to provide that the vouchered allotment be established at the beginning of each term for members of the Senate.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on
Second Reading

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—
BY SENATOR BROOME
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize the need to devise strategies, with a strong emphasis on recognizing the warning signs of a cardiovascular event, that encompasses socioeconomic factors, cultural barriers, and lifestyle choices, for women at highest risk, to decrease the incidence of women dying of heart disease and stroke.

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 Heitmeier Riser
Appel Johns Smith, G.
Broome Kostelka Smith, J.
Brown LaFleur Tarver
Buffington Long Thompson
Chabert Martiny Walsworth
Clairtor Mills Ward
Cortez Morrish White
Crowe Murray
Donahue Nevers
Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Guillory Morrell
Total - 2

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—
BY SENATOR BROOME
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Victor V. Bussie, former president of the Louisiana AFL-CIO and a pivotal force in labor relations for over five decades.

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 Nevers
Adley Erdey Peacock
Allain Gallot Perry
Amedee Heitmeier Peterson
Appel Johns Riser
Broome Kostelka Smith, G.
Brown LaFleur Smith, J.
Buffington Long Tarver
Chabert Martiny Thompson
Clairotor Mills Walsworth
Cortez Morrish
Crowe Murray
Donahue Nevers

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Guillory Morrell
Total - 2

The Chair declared the Senate adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it sent to the House.
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April 10, 2012

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of a beloved statesman, The Honorable Donald Ray Kennard, former member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President
Mr. President
Adley
Adley
Allain
Allain
Amedee
Amedee
Appel
Appel
Broome
Broome
Brown
Brown
Buffington
Buffington
Chabert
Chabert
Cortez
Cortez
Crowe
Crowe
Donahue
Donahue
Dorsey-Colomb

Mr. Erdey
Mr. Erdey
M. Gallot
M. Gallot
Mr. Heitmeier
Mr. Heitmeier
Mr. Johns
Mr. Johns
Mr. LaFleur
Mr. LaFleur
Mr. Long
Mr. Long
Mr. Martiny
Mr. Martiny
Mr. Mills
Mr. Mills
Mr. Morrish
Mr. Morrish
Mr. Murray
Mr. Murray
Mr. Nevers

Total - 37
Total - 3

NAYS

Total - 0
Total - 0

ABSENT
ABSENT

Claitor
Guillory
Morrell

Total - 3
Total - 3

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—
BY SENATOR ALARIO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of New Orleans public relations executive, Ray A. Liuzza, to commend his life of service to the community, and to note the proud legacy of good works that he leaves to the state of Louisiana.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President
Mr. President
Adley
Adley
Allain
Allain
Amedee
Amedee
Appel
Appel
Broome
Broome
Brown
Brown
Buffington
Buffington
Chabert
Chabert
Cortez
Cortez
Crowe
Crowe
Donahue
Donahue
Dorsey-Colomb

Mr. Peacock
Mr. Peacock
M. Perry
M. Perry
Mr. Peterson
Mr. Peterson
Mr. Riser
Mr. Riser
Mr. Smith, G.
Mr. Smith, J.
Mr. Tarver
Mr. Tarver
Mr. Thompson
Mr. Thompson
Mr. Walsworth
Mr. Ward
Mr. White

Total - 37
Total - 2

NAYS

Total - 0
Total - 0

ABSENT
ABSENT

Claitor
Guillory
Morrell

Total - 3
Total - 2

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

Message from the House

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

April 9, 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 Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HB NO. 19
HB NO. 20
HB NO. 41
HB NO. 252
HB NO. 256
HB NO. 998

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOFFMANN, BARROW, WESLEY BISHOP, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, CARMODY, CHANEY, COX, DIXON, GAINES, HARRIS, HILL, HOLLMAN, HOWARD, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LIEGER, LIGI, MONTOUCEY, JAY MORRIS, NORTON, PEARN, POPE, PRICE, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, SMITH, THOMPSON, ALFRED WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:710(A)(1), (B)(1)(a), (C)(2), and (D), to enact R.S. 11:710(A)(5), 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 reporting to the system; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
HOUSE BILL NO. 20—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HOFFMANN, BARROW, BROWN, HENRY BURNS, CHANEY, COX, HOLLIS, HOWARD, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JONES, LEMBERGER, LIGI, MONTOUCET, PEASE, POPE, PRICE, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, AND WILLMOTT
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; to provide definitions; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1532 and to enact R.S. 11:1518, 1521.2, 1524(C), and 1533(F), relative to the Clerks' of Court Retirement and Relief Fund; to provide relative to federal tax qualification status; to authorize changes to be made using the Administrative Procedure Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 252—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9097.8(B), (E)(8), and (F)(1)(b), relative to the Broadmoor Crime Prevention and Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish; to modify the boundaries of the district; to provide with respect to the parcel fee that the parish is authorized to impose on behalf of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 256—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 46:1053(Q)(3), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to allow certain retirees reemployed as adjunct professors to receive benefits during reemployment; to provide definitions; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 998—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GIROD JACKSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2955(A)(1)(j) and (k), relative to investments by political subdivisions; to provide relative to the power of municipalities, parishes, school boards, and other political subdivisions to invest their monies; to provide requirements relative to the investment of such monies; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:186, relative to meetings of state and statewide retirement system boards and committees; to provide for attendance on behalf of certain ex-officio members during executive sessions of such boards and committees; to provide requirements; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 16—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAY MORRIS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:447.9, relative to the Mayor's Court of the town of Sterlington; to authorize an increase in court costs for violations of municipal ordinances; to provide for the allocation of additional funds; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 24—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5554(Z)(introductory paragraph) and (3) and 5555(C)(2) and (D), relative to the payment of insurance premium costs; to provide for the payment of such costs for retired sheriffs and employees of the Bossier Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide relative to the Bossier Parish Retired Employees Insurance Fund; to provide for the administration of the fund; to provide for the use and investment of fund monies; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:2220(H), relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the effective date of applications for benefits; to provide with respect to payment of benefits; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 37—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCASLR
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:447.9, relative to the Mayor's Court of the town of Lockport; to provide for additional court costs for violations of municipal ordinances; to provide for the use of additional funds; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:2254(E), 2256(B)(5), and 2271(7), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 48**
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS  AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:67.28, relative to misappropriation without violence; to create the crime of theft of copper or other metals; to provide for a determination of the value of the copper or other metals taken; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 50**
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON  AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:1404(F), 1411(E), and 1446, relative to the Assessor’s 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 89**
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER  AN ACT
To enact Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 44 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 44:67.1 and 67.2, relative to collective bargaining involving public entities; to provide relative to acceptance or offering for acceptance of certain collective bargaining agreements; to provide for public availability of certain documents; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 91**
BY REPRESENTATIVE LIGI  AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1783(10) and (12), relative to the Louisiana Enterprise Zone Act; 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 Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 96**
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO  AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:73.10, relative to computer-related crime; to create the crime of online impersonation; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 109**
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAMPAGNE  AN ACT
To repeal Part I of Chapter 15 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 3:1961 through 1971, relative to the production and marketing of livestock; to repeal the regulation of use of stallions and jacks.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 110**
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAMPAGNE  AN ACT
To amend and reenact the heading of Part IV of Chapter 16 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 3:2226, relative to diseases of animals; to provide for a technical correction; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 145**
BY REPRESENTATIVE WESLEY BISHOP  AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33-9091.19, relative to Orleans Parish; to create the North Kenilworth Improvement and Security District within the parish; to provide relative to the purpose, governance, and powers and duties of the district; to provide for the imposition of a parcel fee and for the use thereof; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 152**
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS  AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3411.1(A), relative to the agricultural commodity dealer and warehouse law; to provide for a cotton merchant license; to provide for license renewal; to provide for fees; 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.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 154**
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT  AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1268(A)(2) and 1287, relative to policy refunds and interest; to provide for the crediting of refund amounts against future premiums; to provide for the accrual of interest on refunds; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 161**
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE  AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:846(A)(11) and 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; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 171**
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS  AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1413(C)(2)(a) and 1415(A)(6) and to enact R.S. 3:1415(A)(7), relative to fertilizers; to provide for the regulations on the sale of fertilizers; to provide for an inspection fee; to provide for due dates; to provide for a deficiency assessment; 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.
HOUSE BILL NO. 176—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1400(A)(introductory paragraph) and 1401(C)(1), relative to commercial feeds; to clarify the minimum deficiency assessment; to clarify minimum inspection fees; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 177—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1430.12(C), relative to agricultural liming materials, to provide for tonnage fees; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 181—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.472(I)(1), relative to the Concordia Economic and Industrial Development District; to provide relative to meetings of the board of commissioners of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 209—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:584(D)(3), relative to investments by insurers; to authorize domestic insurers to invest in certain master limited partnerships; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 217—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:60.4, relative to term limits for school board members; to require local option elections in certain school districts to determine if a district's school board members shall have term limits; to specify the term limitations for school board members; to require local option elections in certain school districts to determine if a district's school board members shall have term limits; to specify the term limitations for school board members if approved by the electors voting in a school district; to provide for applicability; to provide relative to the conduct of such elections and the costs thereof; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 227—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.1.8(D), relative to support enforcement services; to provide for designation of field officers; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 229—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAULT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:463.155, relative to motor vehicle special prestige plates; to provide for the creation, issuance, and design of such plates; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 234—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 3:1400(A)(introductory paragraph) and 33:130.472(I)(1), relative to the Concordia Economic and Industrial Development District; to provide relative to meetings of the board of commissioners of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 250—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1430.12(C), relative to agricultural liming materials, to provide for tonnage fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 254—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAMPAGNE
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:463.155, relative to motor vehicle special prestige plates; to provide for the creation, issuance, and design of such plates; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 259—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:60.4, relative to term limits for school board members; to require local option elections in certain school districts to determine if a district's school board members shall have term limits; to specify the term limitations for school board members if approved by the electors voting in a school district; to provide for applicability; to provide relative to the conduct of such elections and the costs thereof; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Education.
HOUSE BILL NO. 308—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY
AN ACT
To repeal R.S. 22:1965 and 1966, relative to unfair trade practices in automobile insurance; to repeal laws relative to unfair trade practices.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 311—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1123.113, relative to condominiums; to authorize an equivalent form of insurance to satisfy the requirement that condominium associations maintain a fidelity bond; to require proof of the insurance to be kept on the condominium premises; to provide for the right to inspect the proof of insurance; to require notice of the insurance and the right to inspect the proof of insurance; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 320—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 25:151(B)(4) and (C)(3), relative to the Calcasieu Parish Library; to provide relative to the disposition of surplus library books; to authorize the library, subject to the approval of its governing board, to sell such books; to provide relative to the disposition of proceeds collected from such sales; to provide relative to the location of 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 326—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLMOTT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Children’s Code Articles 1421, 1422(A)(1) and (2), and 1423(A)(2) and to enact Children’s Code Article 1404(23) and (24), relative to the emergency certificate admission procedure; to provide for definitions; to authorize a family psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner or psychologist to execute an emergency certificate under certain circumstances; to require the inclusion of the date that an examination was conducted by a family psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner or psychologist that executed an emergency certificate for a minor’s admission to treatment; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 346—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY
AN ACT
To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Ouachita 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 Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HOUSE BILL NO. 384—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1102.2(A)(1)(a) and (2)(a), relative to port commissions; authorizes shallow-draft port commissions to lease or sublease property without the necessity of public bid; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 430—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROSSETT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:4720.58.1, relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the New Orleans Redevelopment Authority; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the authority; to authorize the authority to purchase adjudicated properties located within its territorial jurisdiction from political subdivisions of the state; to provide procedures for such purchases; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the state and its political subdivisions with regard to such purchases; to require the authority to submit reports regarding its purchases to certain legislative committees; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 435—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LORUSSO, BROADWATER, BROWN, ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, BADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BROSNETT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, CONNICK, COX, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOVE, EDWARDS, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMANN, GISCLAIR, GREENE, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HODGES, HOFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HVAL, GIROD JACKSON, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMIS, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBAS, LEROY, LEOPOLD, LIGI, LOPINTO, MACK, MILLER, MONTOUCET, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MOSS, NORTON, ORTIZ, VERNER, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, SCHENYD, SCHRODER, SEARough, SIMON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, TALBOT, THIBAUT, THIERRY, THOMPSON, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:2137(E), relative to resident classification for tuition purposes at public colleges and universities; to provide that certain veterans shall be entitled to resident classification for such purposes without regard to length of time of residency in the state; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide for related implementation; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 456—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BURRELL AND RICHARD
AN ACT
To repeal R.S. 33:4874 and R.S. 48:492 through 495, relative to unfair trade practices; to repeal laws relative to unfair trade practices; to enact R.S. 17:2137(E), relative to resident classification for tuition purposes at public colleges and universities; to provide that certain veterans shall be entitled to resident classification for such purposes without regard to length of time of residency in the state; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide for related implementation; 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 Local and Municipal Affairs.
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.15(D)(1)(a), relative to the Department of Children and Family Services' limited administrative authority for certain paternity and child support actions; to clarify state law regarding unemployment insurance collections with respect to child support overpayments to comply with federal 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.

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:887(I), relative to property insurance policies; to provide relative to notices of reinstatement of certain policies; and to provide for related matters.

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

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(37), relative to public records; to provide for the application of the Public Records Law to certain information regarding archaeological sites; 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.

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:2045, 2049(B), and 2063(A)(1), relative to the Louisiana Workforce Investment Council; to provide with respect to the chairman and vice chairman; to harmonizing of inconsistent provisions; 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.

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1188.1, relative to long-term care insurance; to provide for prompt payment of long-term care insurance claims; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide with respect to violations; and to provide for related matters.

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

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:651(A) and to enact R.S. 25:651(D), relative to the Council for the Development of French in Louisiana; to provide for the official working language of the council and its employees; to authorize the council to use certain other designations or names; and to provide for related matters.

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

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:23(D)(3)(b), 242(10), 653(A)(introductory paragraph), 851(A), 912(C), (D), and (E), 931(A)(10)(a), 1821(A), (C), (D)(1), (2)(e) and (g)(i)(aa), and (3)(c)(introductory paragraph) and (i) through (iv), and (e), and (F)(1), 1825(B)(introductory paragraph) and (C)(introductory paragraph) and (4), 1859(F), 1875, 1879(A), (B)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (C), 1880(B)(1)(introductory paragraph), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (D)(introductory paragraph), 1892(B)(1), (C)(1), and (D)(2), 1901(A)(2) and (9), 1903(C)(2)(introductory paragraph), 1904, 1905(C)(introductory paragraph) and (1), 1907, 1909(B) and (C), 1921(B) and (C), 1925(1)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (g), 1926(A), 1927(B), 1928(B), 1941, 1942, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1962(C) and (F), 1964(1)(g), (7)(a), (b), and (h), (9), (10)(c), (11), (13), (15)(c)(i), (iii), and (vii), (19)(b)(i)(introductory paragraph) and (c)(ii), (20), (24), and (25), 1967, 1968, 1971(C), 1973(B)(introductory paragraph), 1981(A)(2) and (3) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1983(D) through (H) and (I)(1) and (2), 1984(A) and (G), 1988, 1989, 1992, 1994(A), 2001, 2002(2) and (4), 2003(1)(e) and (f), 2005, 2006, 2008(A), 2009(E2) and (4), 2010(D), 2012(A)(introductory paragraph) and (3) and (B), 2013(B) and (B), 2019, 2020(C), 2021(A), 2023(C)(2), 2025(4), 2026, 2027(B), 2028(B), (C), (D)(6), 2029, 2032, 2033(B), 2034(G) and (H), 2035(A) and (D), 2036(C), 2038(3), 2044, 2055(6)(a)(ii), (7)(introductory paragraph) and (a), (9)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (i) and (b), (12), and (15), 2056(C)(2)(f), 2058(A)(1)(a)(ii), and (ii), (b)(i) and (ii), and (3)(a)(iv), 2059(A)(1), (C)(6), (D), and 2060(A)(1), 2061.1(A), 2062(A)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (i) and (ii), (5)(a), and (6), 2083(A)(2)(introductory paragraph) and (C)(introductory paragraph) and (1), 2084(6)(h), 2085(A)(1) and (3)(g), 2086(B) and (D)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (a) and (2)(introductory paragraph), (C)(2), (D)(introductory paragraph) and (3) and (4)(a), (E), (I)(introductory paragraph), (J), and (M)(3), 2088(D), 2089(A)(2) and (C)(8), 2091(A)(2) and (E)(1), 2092(D), 2093(E)(1), 2098(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 2112, 2113, 2114, 2118, 2119, 2123(C) and (D), 2132(2), 2135(A), 2147(A)(2), 2161(A)(introductory paragraph) and (6), 2171(A), (B), (C)(7), (13), and (21), (E)(6) and (14), (F)(5) and (12), and (G)(5), (11), and (12), 2181(B), 2191(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1), 2205, 2206, 2208, 2221(introductory paragraph), 2222(D)(introductory paragraph), 2223(F), 2242(2), 2244(A)(2), 2261(B), 2291, 2929(introductory paragraph), 2293(D)(2)(a)(i) and (j) and (3), 2294(A)(5), 2296(B)(1), 2297(D)(8), 2302(1), 2303, 2308, 2313, 2314(F), 2315(A), 2316, 2326(A), 2326(B), 2364(A) and (F), and 2369(E)(1) and to repeal R.S. 22:1824(C), 2028(D)(3), 2161(A)(7), (12), (34), (37), 2171(C)(20), (E)(17), and (G)(13), and 2303(D)(1), all relative to technical recodification of certain provisions of the Louisiana Insurance Code, including correction of citations, updates of terms and language, reorganization of provisions, elimination of obsolete or ineffectives provisions, and harmonizing of inconsistent provisions; and to provide for related matters.

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

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, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism and the statutory entities made
15th DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 663—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 8:501, 502, 502.1(3), 505.1, and 506(A)(3), relative to cemetery authorities; to provide for contracts for the sale of personal property or services; to provide for deposits into a merchandise trust fund; to provide relative to personal property delivery; to provide for annual reports and report filing fees; to provide for examination by the board; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 744—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:67.16(C)(5), relative to identity theft; to provide for an additional fine for certain persons who commit the crime of identity theft; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 832—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:463.155, relative to motor vehicle special prestige plates; to provide for creation, issuance, and design of such license plates; to provide relative to the fee and distribution of fees for such plates; to authorize 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 872—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315(C)(7), relative to net child care costs for purposes of child support calculations; to provide for inclusion of reasonable costs of child care incurred due to job training or education; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 926—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(2)(h)(i)(cc); to provide guidelines and procedures permitting the Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission to receive and consider certain test scores submitted by an applicant for a Taylor Opportunity Program for Students award after statutorily established deadlines; to provide applicability; to provide limitations; to provide for the adoption of certain program rules by the administering agency; 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1028— (Substitute for House Bill No. 323 by Representative Hoffman)
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 47:463.2(E), relative to the advertisement of special prestige license plates; to provide for advertisements for special prestige license plates; to provide rule making authority; to provide for deadlines; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1029— (Substitute for House Bill No. 798 by Representative Ponti)
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:911.23, to enact Part XIV-A of Chapter 2 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:912.1 through 912.10, and to repeal R.S. 51:911.25, relative to manufactured housing; to enact the New Manufactured and Modular Home Warranty Act; to provide for the purpose of the act; to provide for definitions; to provide for warranties for new manufactured and modular housing; to provide for exclusions to the warranties; to require an owner to provide notice of defects; to require notice of the warranties to be given to the owner; to provide for a peremption period for warranties; to allow the use of insurance to meet the warranty requirements; to provide for transfer of warranties and insurance; to establish a cause of action for actual damages due to violations; to authorize attorney fees and court costs; to provide for arbitration; to provide for exclusiveness; to repeal existing warranty 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.

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KATRINA JACKSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development to install a traffic light at the junction of LA 594 and Millhaven Road and the entrance to Millhaven Estates Subdivision in Ouachita Parish.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Georgia Lynn Hilburn upon being named the Caddo Public Schools 2012 Elementary School Student of the Year and to recognize her extraordinary accomplishments.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Peacock moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President
Mr. President
Murray
Adley
Erdey
Nevers
Allain
Gallot
Peacock
Amedee
Guillory
Perry
Appel
Heitmier
Peterson
Broome
Johns
Riser
Brown
Kostelka
Smith, G.
Buffington
LaFleur
Tarver
Chabert Long Thompson
Cortez Martiny Walsworth
Crowe Mills Ward
Donahue Morrish White
Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Claitor Morrell Smith, J.
Total - 3

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 72—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Ruth Bishop of Caddo Magnet High School upon being named the Caddo Public Schools 2012 High School Student of the Year and to recognize her extraordinary accomplishments.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Peacock moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dorsey-Colomb Murray
Adley Erdey Nevers
Allain Gallot Peacock
Amedee Guillory Perry
Appel Heitmeier Peterson
Brown Johns Riser
Buffington Kostelka Smith, G.
Chabert LaFleur Tarver
Claitor Long Thompson
Cortez Martiny Walsworth
Crowe Mills Ward
Donahue Morrish White
Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Broome Morrell Smith, J.
Total - 3

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of J. Ray Teddie.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Riser moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell Smith, J.
Total - 2

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of William "Bill" Lovejoy Henning, Sr., of Sulphur.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Johns moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.
ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dorsey-Colomb Nevers
Adley Erdey Peacock
Allain Gallot Perry
Amedee Heitmeier Riser
Appel Johns Smith, G.
Broome Kostelka Smith, J.
Brown Lafleur Tarver
Chabert Long Thompson
Claitor Martiny Walsworth
Cortez Mills Ward
Crowe Morrish White
Donahue Murray Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the United States Postal Service to consider assigning a new zip code to the town of Richwood in Ouachita Parish.

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

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE,
AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Senator Francis C. Thompson, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development, submitted the following report:

April 10, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 646—
BY SENATOR THOMPSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1615(A)(1) and (4), relative to Boll Weevil Eradication assessments; to provide for the transfer of assessments to the Louisiana Agricultural Finance Authority; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCIS C. THOMPSON
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Senator Michael A. Walsworth, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Environmental Quality, submitted the following report:

April 10, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Environmental Quality to submit the following report:

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.

Reported with amendments.

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.

Reported favorably.

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.

Reported with amendments.

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.

Reported favorably.

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.

Reported by substitute.
Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2497 and 2500.2(A)(1), and to repeal

SENATE BILL NO. 621—
To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 305(B)(4) and (E) and

SENATE BILL NO. 390—
To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study
inclusion of the Uniform Adult Guardianship and Protective
Proceedings Jurisdiction Act (UAGPPJA) in Louisiana law.

Reported favorably.

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.

Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL A. WALSWORTH
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
JUDICIARY B

Senator Jean-Paul "JP" Morrell, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

April 10, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

Respectfully submitted,
BEN W. NEVERS
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
JUDICIARY A

Senator Ben W. Nevers, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

April 10, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—
BY SENATOR DORSEY-COLOMB
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study
inclusion of the Uniform Adult Guardianship and Protective
Proceedings Jurisdiction Act (UAGPPJA) in Louisiana law.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 108—
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.

Reported with amendments.

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.

Reported favorably.
To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations relative to a potential conflict between provisions of law regarding the notice that must be provided to a defendant's right to waive formal arraignment.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 403—
BY SENATOR MORRELL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(E)(3), relative to expungement of defendant's right to waive formal arraignment.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 642—
BY SENATOR BROOME
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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 198—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2337(A)(1) and (2), relative to mutual

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 317—
BY SENATOR MARTIN
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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 633—
BY SENATOR JOHN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact 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.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 121—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:68.2 and to enact R.S. 14:68.2.1, relative to crimes involving the supplemental nutrition assistance program; to create the crime of unauthorized use of supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits or supplemental nutrition assistance program benefit access devices and the crime of failure to report unauthorized use of supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
JUDICIARY C

Senator Robert W. Kostelka, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Judiciary C, submitted the following report:

April 10, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations relative to a potential conflict between provisions of law regarding the notice that must be provided to a criminal defendant as to his right to waive trial by jury, and the defendant's right to waive formal arraignment.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 65—
BY SENATOR MORRIS
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 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.

Reported favorably.

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

**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.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Finance.

**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to Original Senate Bill No. 82 by Senator Buffington

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, line 5, change "electors and" to "electors; and"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 2, line 11, change "FOR or AGAINST" to "YES or NO"

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

**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.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 624—**
BY SENATOR MURRAY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1513, relative to the Clerks' of Court Retirement and Relief Fund; to provide for reemployment of retirees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 640—**
BY SENATOR ALARIO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 39:22(1) and 25, relative to the attendance of an economist principal at a session or meeting of the Revenue Estimating Conference; to authorize the economist principal to appoint an ad hoc member or to attend a session or meeting by telephone, video-conference, or other communications technology under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 657—**
BY SENATOR LONG
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1651(B)(introductory paragraph) and (2)(a), relative to the board of trustees of the District Attorneys' Retirement System; to provide for board membership; to increase the number of active members on the board; to specify that one active member shall be an assistant district attorney; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage**

**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.

**Floor Amendments**
Senator Martiny proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**
Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 84 by Senator Martiny

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**
On page 1, line 14, after "Revised Statutes of 1950," insert "or by local, special or general law,

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**
On page 1, line 16, after "health care services" insert "directly related to their expertise as a licensed physician, for purchase or lease of property related to the licensed physician's practice"

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**
Mr. President Dorsey-Colomb Murray
Adley Erdey Nevers
Allain Gallot Peacock
Appel Guillory Perry
Broome Heitmeier Riser
Brown Johns Smith, G.
Buffington Kostelka Smith, J.
Chabert LaFleur Tarver
Claitor Long Thompson
Cortez Martiny Ward
Cowie Mills White
Donahue Morrish
Total - 35

**NAYS**
Total - 0

**ABSENT**
Amedee Peterson
Morrell Walsworth
Total - 4

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed, ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Senator Martiny moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.
SENATE BILL NO. 167—
BY SENATOR GARY SMITH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:821(B)(34) and 1431, and Part VIII-A of Chapter 5 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1781.1 through 1781.6, 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.

Floor Amendments
Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 5, following "defined in" and before "may be" change "R.S. 22:1780.1(7)" to "R.S. 22:1781.1(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 7, following "vendor" and before "defined" change "and" to "as"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, line 7, following "defined in" change "R.S. 22:1780.1(9)" to "R.S. 22:1781.1(9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 18, following "Notwithstanding" change "Paragraph" to "Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 23, following "Notwithstanding" change "Paragraph" to "Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 3, line 6, following "shall" delete ";"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, line 7, following "liability" insert ";"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 5, line 11, change "vendor" to "vendor"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 5, line 25, following "portable" change "electronic" to "electronics"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 6, line 25, following "a refund or" change "credit of" to "credit for"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 9, line 3, following "require" and before "any" change "provided however that" to "However"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 9, lines 12 and 19, change "22:821(34)" to "22:821(B)(34)"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell

Total - 1

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

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.

On motion of Senator Martiny, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 186—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR
A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Article IV, Sections 15 and 16(A), 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.

Floor Amendments
Senator Claitor proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "16(A)," add "Article V, Section 30, Article VI, Section 13(A), Article VII, Section 24(C),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, delete "state"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 5, between "electors" and "and" insert a semi-colon ";"
AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 9, after "16(A)," add "Article V, Section 30, Article VI, Section 13(A), Article VII, Section 24(C),"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 1, change "The nominee who fills the vacancy is due to the death of the lieutenant governor, whoever takes the oath of office to fill the vacancy and for the succeeding term."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, line 2, before the period"," add "and for the succeeding term."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 5, change "assistant, who" to "assistant. Except when the vacancy is due to the death of the incumbent, whoever takes the oath of office to fill the vacancy and for the succeeding term."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 2, line 6, change "vacancy." to "and for the succeeding term of that office."

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 2, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:
"ARTICLE V. JUDICIAL BRANCH
§30. Vacancies
Section 30. When a vacancy occurs in the following offices, the duties of the office, until it is filled by election as provided by law, shall be assumed by the persons herein designated: (1) sheriff, by the chief criminal deputy; (2) district attorney, by the first assistant; (3) clerk of a district court, by the chief deputy; (4) coroner, by the chief deputy. If there is no such person to assume the duties when the vacancy occurs, the governing authority or authorities of the parish or parishes concerned shall appoint a qualified person to assume the duties of the office until filled by election. Except when the vacancy is due to the death of the incumbent or when there are less than ten employees in the office of the elected official at the time of the vacancy, whoever takes the oath of office to fill the vacancy and for the succeeding term of that office."

ARTICLE VI. LOCAL GOVERNMENT
§13. Vacancies
Section 13.(A) Vacancy; Appointment. Except as otherwise provided by this constitution, a vacancy in any local office filled by election wholly within the boundaries of a local governmental subdivision or a school district shall be filled by appointment by the particular governing authority of the local governmental subdivision or school district in which the vacancy occurs, until it is filled by election as provided by law. Except when the vacancy is due to the death of the incumbent or when there are less than ten employees in the office of the elected official at the time of the vacancy, an appointee who takes the oath of office to fill the vacancy shall be ineligible as a candidate at the election to fill the vacancy and for the succeeding term of that office."

ARTICLE VII. REVENUE AND FINANCE
§24. Tax Assessors
Section 24.

(C) Vacancy. When a vacancy occurs in the office of tax assessor, the duties of the office, until filled by election as provided by law, shall be assumed by the chief deputy assessor. Except when the vacancy is due to the death of the tax assessor or when there are less than ten employees in the office of the tax assessor at the time of the vacancy, whoever takes the oath of office to fill the vacancy shall be ineligible as a candidate at the election to fill the vacancy and for the succeeding term."

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 2, line 17, change "The appointee to "Except when the vacancy is due to the death of the incumbent, the appointee who takes the oath of office to fill the vacancy."

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 2, line 18, before the period ":" add "and for the succeeding term of that office."

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 2, line 27, change "and the appointee" to "Whenever the vacancy is due to the death of the incumbent or when there are less than ten employees in the office of the elected official at the time of the vacancy, an appointee who takes the oath of office to fill the vacancy.

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 2, line 28, change "vacancy." to "and for the succeeding term of that office."

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 3, line 9, between "designated" and "to" insert "who takes the oath of office"

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 3, line 10, before the question mark ":" insert "and for the succeeding term of office"

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 3, line 11, after "16(A)," add "Article V, Section 30, Article VI, Section 13(A), Article VII, Section 24(C),"

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Claitor Peacock
Adley Heitmeier Perry
Allain LaFleur Smith, G.
Amedee Morrish Smith, J.
Appel Nevers

Total - 14

NAYS
Broome Erdey Murray
Brown Gallot Peterson
Buffington Guillory Riser
Chabert Johns
Cortez Kostelka Thompson
Crowe Long Walsworth
Donahue Martiny Ward
Dorsey-Colomb Mills White

Total - 24

ABSENT
Morrell

Total - 1

The Chair declared the amended bill failed to pass.

Notice of Reconsideration
Senator Claitor moved to reconsider on the next Legislative Day the vote by which the bill failed to pass.

SENATE BILL NO. 231—
BY SENATORS MURRAY, MILLS AND THOMPSON
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.
Floor Amendments
Senator Martiny sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 231 by Senator Murray

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 13, following "Subpart I of" and before "Chapter 2" insert "Part I of"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 13, following "shall" and before "a single" change "only utilize" to "utilize only"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

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Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell

Total - 1

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

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; 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.

Floor Amendments
Senator White proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator White to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 399 by Senator White

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 12, change "shall" to "may"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 13, change "Only" to "However, only"

On motion of Senator White, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

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Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell

Total - 3

Guillory

Total - 3

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

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.

On motion of Senator Martiny, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 399—
BY SENATORS WHITE, NEVERS AND THOMPSON

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.
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. Senator White moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Erdey Peacock
Allain Gallot Perry
Amedee Heitmeier Peterson
Appel Johns Riser
Brown Kostelka Smith, G.
Buffington LaFleur Smith, J.
Chabert Long Tarver
Claitor Martiny Thompson
Cortez Mills Walsworth
Crowe Morrish White
Donahue Murray
Dorsey-Colomb Nevers
Total - 34

NAYS
Peterson
Total - 0

ABSENT
Adley Guillory Ward
Broome Morrell
Total - 5

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

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 Candidates Others PACS Education Trust Interest Credit 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.

Floor Amendments
Senator Claitor proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senator Claitor to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 591 by Senator Claitor

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 26, after "utilized by a" insert "PAC, other, or by a"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 27, after "committee" delete the period ":" and insert: "except to pay any tax which may be required to be paid on such interest or income"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 28, after "income" insert "net of any tax required to be paid on such interest or income"

On motion of Senator Claitor, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Dorsey-Colomb Murray
Allain Erdey Nevers
Amedee Gallot Peacock
Appel Guillory Perry
Broome Heitmeier Riser
Brown Johns Smith, G.
Buffington Kostelka Smith, J.
Chabert LaFleur Tarver
Claitor Martiny Thompson
Cortez Mills Walsworth
Crowe Morrish Ward
Donahue Nevers
Total - 36

NAYS
Peterson
Total - 1

ABSENT
Adley Morrell
Total - 2

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

SENATE BILL NO. 622—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 36:202(A) and 203, relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; authorizes the lieutenant governor to perform the duties, functions and responsibilities of the secretary of culture, recreation and tourism; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Dorsey-Colomb Nevers
Adley Erdey Peacock
Allain Gallot Perry
Amedee Guillory Peterson
Appel Heitmeier Riser

380
The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Amedee moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE BILL NO. 746— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 547 by Senator Peacock)

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:1308.3, relative to limited liability companies; to provide for the manner of converting the state of organization of domestic and foreign limited liability companies; to provide certain terms, conditions, procedures, requirements, and effects; to provide for the content and requirements for certain certificates; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell

Total - 1

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Morrell

Total - 2

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

SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON
THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE,
SUBJECT TO CALL

Called from the Calendar

Senator Peacock sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Martiny on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 130 by Senator Crowe

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, following "person" and before "distribute" change "knowingly to" to "to knowingly"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Crowe proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Crowe to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 130 by Senator Crowe

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "R.S. 14:91.9" to "R.S. 40:989.2(C)(5)(m)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "involving the", delete the rest of the line and delete lines 3 through 4, in their entirety, and insert, in lieu thereof, the following: "knowing and intentional possession of a compound or mixture of a certain prohibited plant; to provide for certain prohibited plants; and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, change "R.S. 14:91.9" to "R.S. 40:989.2(C)(5)(m)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 8 through 17 and insert the following: "$989.2. Unlawful production, manufacturing, distribution, or possession of prohibited plant products

C. For the purposes of this Section:

(5) "Prohibited plant" means any combination of any of the parts, leaves, stems, stalks, seeds, materials, compounds, salts, derivatives, mixtures, preparations, or any resin extracted from any part of the following plants:

(m) Mitragyna speciosa."
AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 4, in their entirety

On motion of Senator Crowe, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Erdey Peacock
Allain Gallot Perry
Amedee Guillory Peterson
Appel Heitmeier Riser
Broome Johns Smith, G.
Brown Kostelka Smith, J.
Buffington LaFleur Tarver
Chabert Long Thompson
Cortez Martiny Walsworth
Cowie Morrish White
Donahue Murray Total - 35
Dorsey-Columb Nevers

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT
Adley Mills
Claitor Morrell

Total - 4

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Claitor asked that Senate Bill No. 502 be called from the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 502—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

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.

Floor Amendments

Senator Claitor proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Claitor to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 502 by Senator Claitor

AMENDMENT NO. 1
Delete Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 proposed by Senator Long and adopted by the Senate on April 9, 2012.

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, at the beginning of line 8, before "On" insert "A.

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, between lines 1 and 2, insert the following:
"B. For purposes of the annual report, the amount of water used for agricultural purposes may be estimated."
Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—
BY SENATORS GALLLOT, ADLEY, KOSTELKA, LONG, RISER, LAFLEUR, JOHN SMITH AND WALSWORTH AND REPRESENTATIVES ARMES, BROWN, COX, HARRIS AND HAZEL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To memorialize the Congress of the United States to support the 259th Air Traffic Control Squadron Louisiana National Guard and urge the Louisiana congressional delegation to take action to reverse the planned disbanding of the squadron.

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred, Subject to Call

Called from the Calendar

Senator Martiny asked that Senate Bill No. 514 be called from the Calendar.

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.

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

Message from the House
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS
April 10, 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 Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HB NO. 67  HB NO. 153  HB NO. 298
HB NO. 131  HB NO. 101  HB NO. 402
HB NO. 721

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 67—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 101—
BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS AND MACK
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:108(D) and 4724, relative to planning and zoning; to provide relative to master plans adopted by municipal or parish planning commissions; to provide relative to the filing of certified copies of any such plan; to provide relative to zoning regulations and restrictions established by municipal governing authorities; to provide relative to public hearings held by any such governing authorities relative to the establishment and amendment of such regulations and restrictions; to change the notice requirements relative to such public hearings; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 131—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:19 and 20, relative to the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to provide for an organic certification cost-share rebate program; to provide for the duties of the commissioner of agriculture; to provide for cooperative agreements; to provide for organic labeling standards; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 153—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 3:19 and 20, relative to the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to provide for an organic certification cost-share rebate program; to provide for the duties of the commissioner of agriculture; to provide for cooperative agreements; to provide for organic labeling standards; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 298—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1127(C)(3), relative to written communication in workers' compensation claims; to provide for transmission by electronic mail in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 402—
BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS AND MACK
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:996.7 and 996.8, relative to the judicial expense fund for the Twenty-Second Judicial District; to prohibit the allocation of funds from the Twenty-First Judicial District's judicial expense fund for payment of salaries for personnel or judges in the Twenty-Second Judicial District and other expenses; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
HOUSE BILL NO. 721—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5073(A)(1), relative to the certification of tobacco product manufacturers; to provide for a fee for certification for tobacco product manufacturers; to provide for the use of the fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS
April 10, 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. 80

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BROSSETT, BADON, BARROW, WESLEY BISHOP, DIXON, LÉGER, MORENO, NORTON, AND SMITH AND SENATORS MORRELL, MURRAY, AND PETERSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Elizabeth Catlett, the former chair of the art department at Dillard University in New Orleans and an internationally renowned artist.

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

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Morrell 1 Day

Announcements

The following committee meetings for April 11, 2012, were announced:

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Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 3:50 o’clock P.M., the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, April 11, 2012, at 2:00 o’clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 2:00 o’clock P.M. on Wednesday, April 11, 2012.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O’QUIN
Journal Clerk