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

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, April 25, 2012

The Senate was called to order at 3:05 o'clock P.M. by Hon.
Sharon Weston Broome, President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

Morning Hour
CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Allain Erdey Peacock
Amedee Gallot Perry
Appel Heitmeier Peterson
Broome Johns Riser
Brown Kostelka Smith, G.
Chabert Long Smith, J.
Claitor Martiny Walsworth
Cortez Mills Ward
Donahue Morrell White
Dorsey-Colomb Murray

Total - 29

ABSENT

Mr. President Guillory Tarver
Adley LaFleur Thompson
Buffington Morrish
Crowe Nevers

Total - 10

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

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Father Gregory P. Fratt, 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 Adley, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of April 24, 2012, was adopted.

Privilege Report of the Legislative Bureau

April 25, 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. We advise and suggest the following amendments to the engrossed bills.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To approve the Atchafalaya Basin Annual Basin Plan for Fiscal Year 2012-2013, as adopted by the Atchafalaya Basin Research and Promotion Board and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 71—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 40:1602, relative to the state fire marshal; to authorize the state fire marshal to issue a burn ban; to authorize the state fire marshal and the commissioner of agriculture to issue civil fines for violations; to provide for the amount of the civil fine; to provide for the appeal of the civil fines; to provide for the deposit of monies collected in the Life Safety and Property Protection Trust Fund; to exempt prescribed burning; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 89—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LIGI
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.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 111—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY
AN ACT
To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in St. Landry Parish; to provide for the property description; to provide reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 217—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:3887.6, relative to Tangipahoa Parish; to provide relative to the governing board of the Tangipahoa Parish Sewerage District No. 1; to increase the maximum per diem authorized to be paid to members of such board for attending board meetings; to provide relative to the number of meetings for which board members may be paid; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

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.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 309—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:9097.13, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Park Forest Crime Prevention and Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide relative to the
To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the district; to provide for the levy of a parcel fee within the district; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 309 by Representative James

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 11, following "successor" insert "shall serve as a member"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, line 23, following "Miscellaneous" change "provision" to "provisions"

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.

Reported without amendments.

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 governmental laws pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 218 of the 2009 Regular Session of the Legislature; to repeal certain obsolete or ineffective provisions, specifically provisions relative to the power of local governments to punish vagrancy and provisions for laying out of public roads by a jury of freeholders, including provisions for an oath, for compensation of owners, for an appeal, and for the width of the roads and causeways; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 571—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2000.6(A)(11) and (12) and (D) and 2000.11(B), relative to the Atchafalaya Basin Research and Promotion Board; to provide relative to voting members of the board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 737—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1231(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 23:1231(B)(3) and 1251(3), relative to workers’ compensation; to provide death benefits to living descendants of a deceased employee; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 809—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD
AN ACT
To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in East Feliciana Parish; to provide for the property description; to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report

On motion of Senator Martiny, the Legislative Bureau amendments were adopted and the Bills and Concurrent Resolutions were read by title and passed to a third reading.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 82—
BY SENATOR JOHNS
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of William "Bill" L. Henning Sr.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 83—
BY SENATOR WALSWORTH
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to study the establishment of a recycling and collection system for electronic waste in Louisiana and report its findings to the legislature.

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

Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 72—
BY SENATOR ERDEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To establish an advisory group within the Department of Veterans Affairs to study, evaluate, and make recommendations on the proper utilization of the former Greenwell Springs Mental Health Hospital facility.

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

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading

SENATE BILL NO. 751— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 335 by Senator Morrish)
BY SENATOR MORRISH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1256 and to enact R.S. 32:1256.1, relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide relative to recreational product shows; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Adley the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 752— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 447 by Senator Peterson)
BY SENATORS PETERSON, APPEL, MARTINY AND MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, BILLIOT, CONNICK, HENRY, LEOPOLD, LIGI, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, TALBOT AND WILLMOTT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 9:5396 and R.S. 33:5065 through 5069, relative to workers’ compensation; to provide death benefits to living descendants of a deceased employee; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel R. Martiny
Chairman
certain municipalities to maintain abandoned properties; to provide for definitions; to provide for notice; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Dorsey-Colomb the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

**Senate Resolutions on Second Reading**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 75—**
**BY SENATOR BROOME**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Willie C. Johnson upon the memorable and historic occasion of "The Ultimate Graduation", hosted by the Leadership Greater Baton Rouge Alumni.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 76—**
**BY SENATOR MURRAY**

A RESOLUTION

To commend airman Calvin Moret, the last surviving New Orleans member of the Tuskegee Airmen.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 77—**
**BY SENATOR PETERSON**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Xavier University Preparatory School on its commitment to excellence and exemplary achievement.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 78—**
**BY SENATOR PERRY**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. A. David Barry, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette, on the occasion of his retirement.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 79—**
**BY SENATOR PEACOCK**

A RESOLUTION

To commend Kathleen "Kathy" Barberousse on a distinguished career as an educator, to recognize her contributions to the children and educational system of Caddo Parish, and to designate Friday, April 27, 2012, as Kathleen "Kathy" Barberousse Day.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 80—**
**BY SENATORS ALARIO, ADLEY, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOW, GUILORY, 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 RESOLUTION

To commend Edwin William "Bill" Curry for his lengthy career of exemplary public service to the state of Louisiana, in particular the thirty years of faithful service to the Senate body, and to congratulate him upon the occasion of his most deserved retirement.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 81—**
**BY SENATORS ALARIO, ADLEY, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOW, GUILORY, 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 RESOLUTION

To commend Sherri Breaux for her many years of dedicated public service to the state of Louisiana, in particular, the Louisiana Senate and to congratulate her on the occasion of her retirement.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68—**
**BY SENATOR BROOME**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, to study the impact of collecting the motor vehicle license tax on private passenger vehicles based upon the vehicle's fair market value at the time of each renewal.

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**

Allain  Dorsey-Colomb  Peacock
Amedee  Erdey  Perry
Appel  Gallot  Peterson
Broome  Guillory  Riser
Brown  Heitmeier  Smith, G.
Buffington  Johns  Smith, J.
Chabert  Kostelka  Tarver
Claitor  Long  Thompson
Cortez  Martiny  Walsworth
Crowe  Mills  White
Donahue  Murray  Total - 32

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. President  Morrell  Ward
Adley  Morrish  Total - 7
LaFleur  Nevers

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69—**
**BY SENATOR HEITMEIER AND REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend New Orleans Fire Department Eighth District Fire Chief Darryl Klumpp for his heroic actions which saved an elderly man and his two dogs from a fire that consumed his Algiers home.

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

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 32

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President  Buffington  Nevers
Adley  Morrell
Amedee  Morrish

Total - 7

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 70—
BY SENATOR BROWN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility and costs of the four lane widening of LA 73 between LA 30 and Interstate 10 and the four lane widening of LA 30 between Interstate 10 and LA 44, all in Ascension Parish.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—
BY SENATOR JOHNS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To designate May 16, 2012, as Louisiana Housing Council Day.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Allain  Erdey  Peacock
Amedee  Gallot  Perry
Appel  Guillory  Peterson
Broome  Heitmeier  Riser
Brown  Johns  Smith, G.
Bridges  Kostelka  Smith, J.
Clair  LaFleur  Tarver
Cortez  Long  Thompson
Crowe  Martiny  Walsworth
Donahue  Mills  Ward
Dorsey-Colomb  Murray  White

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. President  Buffington  Nevers
Adley  Morrell
Amedee  Morrish

Total - 4

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 24, 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. 107  HB NO. 188  HB NO. 457
HB NO. 1010  HB NO. 1098  HB NO. 1164
HB NO. 1196

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 107—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 33:9097.13, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Hampton Village Crime Prevention and Improvement 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 placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 23:1601(1)(b), relative to disqualification for unemployment compensation benefits; to provide with respect to temporary employees employed by a staffing firm; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 457—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KATRINA JACKSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1804 and 1806(A), relative to crime victims reparations; to provide for notification requirements by the Crime Victims Reparations Board; to provide relative to applications for reparations; to extend the time in which an application for reparations is to be filed by certain applicants; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1164—BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 26:907 and 915, relative to tobacco product permits for retail dealers; to eliminate requirements relative to registration certificates for tobacco retail dealers and all references thereto; to provide for a single class of permits for tobacco retail dealers; to provide for a decrease in retail dealer permit fees; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1196—(Substitute for House Bill No. 868 by Representative Pearson)
BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1046(B), (C), (F), and (G)(3) and (4) and to repeal R.S. 22:1046(E), relative to group health plans; to provide for the disposition of the sale proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

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

Message from the House
ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 25, 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. 109  HCR NO. 110  HCR NO. 111

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

House Concurrent Resolutions
on First Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109—BY REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD, ST. GERMAIN, ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ANDERS, RADON, BARRAS, BARROW, BERTHELET, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, BROSETT, BROWN, 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, GUILORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENSON, HILL, HODGES, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HONORE, HOWARD, HUNTER, HUVAL, GIROD JACKSON, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, JONES, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, NANCY LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LEBA, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LEGI, LOPINTO, LORUSO, MACK, MILLER, MONTGOMERY, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, JIM MORRIS, NORTON, ORTEGO, PEARSON, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHENX NADYER, SCHRODER, SEABRAUGH, SHADoin, SIMON, SMITH, TALBOT, THIBAUD, THIBERT, THOMPSON, WHITNEY, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend H. "Butch" Browning, Jr., upon his retirement for his service to the state as the Louisiana State Fire Marshal.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 110—BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRISON, AND WHITNEY AND SENATORS ALLAIN AND CHABERT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize October seventeenth annually as Mesothelioma Awareness Day in Louisiana.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 111—BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To recognize Friday, June 8, 2012, as "A Day of Giving" and to commend volunteers throughout the state of Louisiana.

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

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 40—BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 1:822(A)(1), relative to the membership of the board of trustees of the Teachers’ Retirement System of Louisiana; to authorize the state superintendent of education to appoint a designee to serve on the board; 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. 66—BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(G) and (H), relative to the jurisdictional amount in dispute for city courts; to increase the jurisdictional amount in dispute for the City Court of Slidell; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 158—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:81(H)(1), relative to bond for release and expenses of board members, the secretary-treasurer, and the clerks of such a district; 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. 202—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON
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 C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 215—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1846, relative to communication between offender and victim; to amend provisions relative to prohibited communication between an offender and a victim; to amend procedures by which an offender and victim may communicate; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 410—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4564.5, relative to a recreation district in Jackson Parish; to provide relative to the board of commissioners of such a district; to provide relative to the authority of the governing authority of Jackson Parish with respect to the budget and taxing authority and the compensation and expenses of board members, the secretary-treasurer, and director of such a 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. 657—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1603(B), relative to the Department of Culture, Recreation, and Tourism; provides relative to the division of archaeology; provides relative to the minimum qualifications of the state archaeologist; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.
HOUSE BILL NO. 957—
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 30:4(L), relative to hydraulic fracturing; to provide for the authority of the commissioner of conservation to promulgate rules, regulations, and orders; to provide for the reporting of additives and ingredients of hydraulic fracturing fluid; to provide for reporting of certain ingredients with trade secret protection; 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. 989—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HUVAL, PIERRE, REYNOLDS, RITCHIE, TALBOT, AND THIBAULT
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:1576, relative to insurance producers; to require the retail establishment to obtain proof of compliance; to adhere to certain guidelines relative to public restrooms; to provide for bonding and liability; to provide for provisional status; to provide for enforceability of certain notarial acts; to provide for expiration of commissions; 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. 1020—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DANAHAY AND KLECKLEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1285(A)(1) and 1293, relative to certain records to be kept regarding certain elections; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1038—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOLUCET
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:5554(G)(3), relative to payment of group insurance premiums for sheriffs and deputy sheriffs of the Acadia Parish Sheriff’s Office; to provide for requirements relative to age and years of service with the Acadia Parish Sheriff’s Office after a certain date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1082—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAULT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 26:71.1(1)(b) and 271.2(1)(b), relative to Class A-General retail permits for low and high alcoholic beverages; to require a Class A-General retail establishment to adhere to certain guidelines relative to public restrooms; to require the retail establishment to obtain proof of compliance from the office of public health; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 22:1576, relative to insurance producers; to require certain training for insurance producers in order to sell annuity products; to provide for the registration of annuity training course providers as continuing education providers; to require insurers to verify that a producer who sells annuities has satisfied annuity training requirements; 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. 1192— (Substitute for House Bill No. 922)
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 17:264, relative to public high school graduation; to authorize the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to develop a diploma endorsement program for the performance of community service by high school students; to provide for related to rules, guidelines, and implementation; to provide for a report; 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. 1194— (Substitute for House Bill No. 525)
BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 35:191(W), relative to notaries public; to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1195— (Substitute for House Bill No. 622)
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:871(A) and 872(A), relative to uninsured motorists; to provide for reimbursement for damages; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1197— (Substitute for House Bill No. 893)
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 18:602(C) and to enact R.S. 18:602(E)(1)(c), relative to vacancies in the office of sheriff; to provide for the filling of such vacancies under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the eligibility of the person filling such a vacancy to seek the office; to provide for retroactive application; and to provide for related matters.

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

House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Veterans Affairs to study Veterans Treatment Courts and the feasibility of creating and implementing such courts in the state of Louisiana.

The resolution was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Health and Welfare.
Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION AND
INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Senator Daniel R. Martiny, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs, submitted the following report:

April 25, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 214—
BY SENATOR MILLS

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.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 388—
BY SENATOR MARTIN

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.

Reported by substitute.

SENATE BILL NO. 723—
BY SENATORS APPEL, CHABERT AND MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVES LEGER AND BROSSETT

To enact Chapter 54 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3111 through 3117, relative to the Louisiana International Trade Initiative; to create the Louisiana International Trade Initiative Board; to provide for membership of the board; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 25—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS

To enact R.S. 37:2136.1(N), relative to certain state contractors’ licenses; to provide for an exemption from certain examination requirements for licensed arborists; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 91—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 144—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 178—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE

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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 208—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:22(F), relative to economic development; to extend the sunset for the confidentiality of information submitted to the Department of Economic Development; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 311—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

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

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right to inspect the proof of insurance; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 508—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1749.12(11) and (12), and to enact R.S. 40:1749.15(C), relative to the Louisiana Underground Utilities and Facilities Damage Prevention Law; to define "operator"; to define "person"; to define "wildfire"; to require notification of an emergency excavation within twelve hours of an underground facility excavation; to require notification of an emergency excavation within twenty-four hours after control of an emergency caused by a wildfire; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1033(B) and 1040(A), (B), and (C), R.S. 9:3561.1(B) and (F), and R.S. 37:1785(A) and 1786(C) and (D) and to enact R.S. 6:1033(D), R.S. 9:3561.1(I), and R.S. 37:1786(F), relative to licensure renewal dates within the regulation of the Office of Financial Institutions; to provide for annual renewal of licenses under the Sales of Checks and Money Transmission Act, the Louisiana Consumer Credit Law, and the Louisiana Pawnshop Act; to provide related to the electronic database licensing system; to provide for failure to pay renewal fee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
DANIEL R. MARTINY
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SENATE AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Senator Lee "Jody" Amedee, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

April 25, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

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.

Reported by substitute.
To urge and request state agencies, when translating information from the English language to the French language, to make every effort to make such translations using Louisiana French by utilizing dictionaries and other resources dedicated to the preservation and celebration of this unique language.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 729—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1113(D)(2)(b), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for an exception to the prohibition of contractual arrangements for any contract with any plan providing medicaid services to medicaid recipients; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 46—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To urge and request state agencies, when translating information from the English language to the French language, to make every effort to make such translations using Louisiana French by utilizing dictionaries and other resources dedicated to the preservation and celebration of this unique language.

Reported favorably.

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.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 763—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 18:1309(L), relative to voting; to provide relative to the days and hours of early voting at such locations; to provide relative to the authority and duties of registrars of voters and the secretary of state relative to early voting; to require notice; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 758—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:917(A) and (C), 1221(A), 1903(A), 1904(A) and (C) through (E), 1904.1, and 2562.26(A) and R.S. 44:40(E) and to repeal R.S. 44:40(F) and 427, relative to records in the custody of a clerk of court; to provide for the destruction of such records in certain circumstances; to provide for retention in certain circumstances and in certain formats; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 768—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2048.51(C)(14) and to enact R.S. 17:2048.51(C)(18) and (G)(7), relative to the Louisiana Health Works Commission; to provide for membership of such commission; to provide for membership of the executive committee within such commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE BILL NO. 608—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:1113(D)(1), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for an exception to the prohibition of contractual arrangements for any contract with any plan providing medicaid services to medicaid recipients; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SAFEONS II, LLC—
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 42:1113(D)(1), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide for an exception to the prohibition of contractual arrangements for any contract with any plan providing medicaid services to medicaid recipients; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE

Senator Dan W. "Blade" Morrish, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Insurance, submitted the following report:

April 25, 2012

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

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.

Reported favorably.
To enact R.S. 49:191(6) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(e), relative to
SENATE BILL NO. 87—
submit the following report:
To the President and Members of the Senate:
Committee on Health and Welfare, submitted the following report:
To enact Chapter 20 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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 373—
BY SENATOR MILLS
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.

Reported by substitute.

SENATE BILL NO. 669—
BY SENATOR WARD
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:997, relative to visual services and
choice of practitioners; to provide with respect to vision care
services performed by a licensed optometrist; and to provide for
related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 744—
BY SENATOR PETERSON
To enact Chapter 20 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised
Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:3401 through 3407, relative to
health insurance; to create the Louisiana Health Insurance Exchange as an agency of the state; to provide for a board; to
provide for the duties, terms, and membership of the board; to
provide for the powers, duties, and obligations of the exchange;
to provide relative to the hiring of employees; to provide relative
to contracts; to provide relative to fees; and to provide that if
several federal laws are repealed, defunded, or declared
unconstitutional by the U.S. Supreme Court, this act is repealed;
and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
DAN W. "BLADE" MORRISH
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
HEALTH AND WELFARE

Senator David R. Heitmeier, O.D., Chairman on behalf of the
Committee on Health and Welfare, submitted the following report:
April 25, 2012
To the President and Members of the Senate:
I am directed by your Committee on Health and Welfare to
submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 87—
BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON
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.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 191—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR
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.

Reported by substitute.

SENATE BILL NO. 216—
BY SENATOR MILLS
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.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 320—
BY SENATOR MARTINY
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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 378—
BY SENATOR MILLS
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.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 541—
BY SENATOR MILLS
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:5151(A) and  R.S. 39:1503(B) and to
enact 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 related matters.

Reported with amendments.
The following acts when committed by a person convicted of a sex offense as defined in R.S. 15:541 when the victim is under the age of thirteen years shall constitute the crime of unlawful residence or presence of a sex offender:

(5) The physical presence of the offender in or on public library property.

(6) Loitering within one thousand feet of public library property without lawful business or reason to be present.

§91.2. Unlawful presence of a sex offender
A. The following acts when committed by a person convicted of a sex offense as defined in R.S. 15:541 when the victim is under the age of thirteen years shall constitute the crime of unlawful residence or presence of a sex offender:

* * *

§91.2. Unlawful presence of a sex offender
A. The following acts when committed by a person convicted of a sex offense as defined in R.S. 15:541 when the victim is under the age of thirteen years shall constitute the crime of unlawful residence or presence of a sex offender:

* * *

(5) The physical presence of the offender in or on public library property.

(6) Loitering within one thousand feet of public library property without lawful business or reason to be present.

D. (1) It shall not be a violation of this Section if the offender has complied with all regulations of the governing board of the public library that restrict access of sex offenders to public library property.

(2) By January 1, 2013, each governing board of a public library shall develop and implement a plan to regulate access of sex offenders to public library property under its jurisdiction.

(3) Each governing board of a public library shall tailor its regulations to reasonably restrict the time, place, and manner of access to public library property and shall narrowly tailor the regulations to serve the significant governmental interest of protecting children from contact with sex offenders.

(4) The State Library of Louisiana shall provide technical assistance in the development of the regulations by the governing boards.

(5) Any public servant, including any head librarian, member of a governing board of a public library, staff and volunteers of a public library, and the state of Louisiana, who acts in good faith in compliance with this Subsection shall be immune from civil and criminal liability for his actions in connection with any injury or claim arising from a sex offender being present on public library property.

(6) Nothing in this Subsection shall prevent a public library from adopting a total ban on a sex offender's access to public library property, provided that the governing board complies with the criteria set forth in Paragraph (3) of this Subsection.

E. For purposes of this Section:

(T) "School property" means any property used for school purposes, including but not limited to school buildings, playgrounds, and parking lots.

(3) "Public park or recreational facility" means any building or area owned by the state or by a political subdivision which is open to the public and used or operated as a park or recreational facility and shall include all parks and recreational areas administered by the office of state parks in the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism.

(5) "Governing board of the public library" means a library board of control or other public body responsible for the operations of a public library.

F. Whoever violates the provisions of this Section shall be fined not more than one thousand dollars, imprisoned with or without hard labor for not more than one year, or both.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective on January 1, 2013.

On motion of Senator Kostelka, the committee substitute bill was adopted and becomes Senate Bill No. 753 by Senator Erdey, substitute for Senate Bill No. 162 by Senator Erdey.

SENATE BILL NO. 753— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 162 by Senator Erdey)

BY SENATOR ERDEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:91.2(D) and (E) and to enact R.S. 14:91.2(A)(5) and (6) and (F), relative to sex offenders; to add public libraries to the places at which the physical presence of sex offenders is prohibited; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to immunity from civil and criminal liability for certain public servants; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

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.

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 176 by Senator Buffington

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 and 3, and insert:

To enact R.S. 40:1299.41(L), relative to medical malpractice; to provide for definitions and general applications; to provide relative to certain acts or omissions regarding declarations or orders related to life-sustaining procedures; to provide for prospective application; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 5, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: "R.S. 40:1299.41(L) is hereby enacted to read as"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, delete lines 8-17 in their entirety and insert the following:

1. Any cause of action for the unintentional acts or omissions arising from resuscitating a patient who has a declaration concerning life-sustaining procedures executed pursuant to R.S. 40:1299.58.1 et seq., a Louisiana Physician Order for Scope of Treatment executed pursuant to R.S. 40:1299.64.1 et seq., or a Do Not Resuscitate order issued by a physician licensed in this state shall be governed by the provisions of this Part."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 7 and insert:
Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall be given prospective application only and shall not affect any action pending or claim arising prior to the effective date of this Act.

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 8, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

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

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 prohibit the 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 perform for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for construction; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 330 by Senator Ward

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the beginning of line 26, change "Exceptions," to "Statutory Construction."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, at the end of line 6, after "is" insert "Intentionally"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, at the beginning of line 25, change ""Dismembered" or "dismemberment"

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

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; to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.
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.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 533—
BY SENATOR MILLS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact 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.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 533 by Senator Mills

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, delete lines 2 through 7 and insert the following: “To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 14:98(B)(1), (B)(1)(a) and (b), (C)(1), (D)(1)(b)(i), and (E)(1)(b)(i), to enact R.S. 14:98(B)(3), (C)(4), (D)(4), and (E)(4), relative to the crime of operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to penalties for operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to require a person convicted of 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;”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 10 and 11 and insert the following: “Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 533 by Senator Mills

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 16, after "dollars," delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 17, after "evaluation and" insert ", at the discretion of the court:

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, line 1, after "treatment" change "plan" to "program"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following: "(a) The offender is placed on probation with a minimum condition that he serve two days in jail, undergo an evaluation and treatment as provided in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, and participate in a court-approved substance abuse program pursuant to Subparagraph (3)(a) of this Subsection, and participate in a court-approved driver improvement program; or

(b) The offender is placed on probation with a minimum condition that he perform four eight-hour days of court-approved community service activities, at least half of which shall consist of participation in a litter abatement or collection program, undergo an evaluation and treatment as provided in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, participate in a court-approved substance abuse program pursuant to Subparagraph (3)(a) of this Subsection, and participate in a court-approved driver improvement program. An offender, who participates in a litter abatement or collection program pursuant to this Subparagraph, shall have no cause of action for damages against the entity conducting the program or supervising his participation therein, including a municipality, parish, sheriff, or other entity, nor against any official, employee, or agent of such entity, for any injury or loss suffered by him during or arising out of his participation in the program, if such injury or loss is a direct result of the lack of supervision or act or omission of the supervisor, unless the injury or loss was caused by the intentional or grossly negligent act or omission of the entity or its official, employee, or agent."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 2, line 27, after "treatment" delete "plan"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, line 4, after "dollars," delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, line 6, after "treatment" change "plan" to "program"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, at the beginning of line 16, after "abuse program" insert "pursuant to Subparagraph (4)(a) of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 3, line 21, after "abuse program" insert "pursuant to Subparagraph (4)(a) of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 4, line 27, after "treatment" delete "plan"

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 4, after line 29, insert the following: "(D)(1)(a) * * * *"

(b) Any offender placed on probation pursuant to the provisions of this Subsection shall be required as a condition of probation to participate in thirty eight-hour days of court-approved community service activities and to submit to and complete either of the following requirements:

(i) To immediately undergo an evaluation by a licensed mental health professional, who is an employee of the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of behavioral health, following the best practices published by the office of behavioral health, to determine the nature and extent of the offender's substance abuse disorder and to participate in any treatment plan recommended by the office of behavioral health, including treatment in an inpatient facility approved by the office for a period of not less than four weeks followed by outpatient treatment services for a period not to exceed twelve months or as determined by medical necessity criteria.

(ii) To immediately undergo an evaluation by a licensed mental health professional, who is an employee of the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of behavioral health, to determine the nature and extent of the offender's substance abuse disorder and to participate in any treatment plan recommended by the office of behavioral health, including treatment in an inpatient facility approved by the office for a period of not less than four weeks followed by outpatient treatment services for a period not to exceed twelve months or as determined by medical necessity criteria.

4) It shall be the responsibility of the offender to obtain the evaluation and treatment. All costs of evaluation and treatment shall be borne by the offender, unless the offender has been declared indigent.

5) The offender shall participate in the program, if such injury or loss is a direct result of the lack of supervision or act or omission of the supervisor, unless the injury or loss was caused by the intentional or grossly negligent act or omission of the entity or its official, employee, or agent.

E.(1)(a) * * * *

(b) Any offender placed on probation pursuant to the provisions of this Subsection shall be required, as a condition of probation, to participate in forty eight-hour days of court-approved community service activities and to submit to and complete either of the following requirements:

(i) To immediately undergo an evaluation by a licensed mental health professional, who is an employee of the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of behavioral health, to determine the nature and extent of the offender's substance abuse disorder and to participate in any treatment plan recommended by the office of behavioral health, including treatment in an inpatient facility approved by the office for a period of not less than four weeks followed by outpatient treatment services for a period not to exceed twelve months or as determined by medical necessity criteria.

(ii) To immediately undergo an evaluation by a licensed mental health professional, who is an employee of the Department of Health and Hospitals, office of behavioral health, to determine the nature and extent of the offender's substance abuse disorder and to participate in any treatment plan recommended by the office of behavioral health, following the best practices published by the office of behavioral health, to determine the nature and extent of the offender's substance abuse disorder and to participate in any treatment plan recommended by the office of behavioral health, including treatment in an inpatient facility approved by the office for a period of not less than four weeks followed by outpatient treatment services for a period not to exceed twelve months or as determined by medical necessity criteria.
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(4) It shall be the responsibility of the offender to obtain the evaluation and treatment. All costs of evaluation and treatment shall be borne by the offender, unless the offender has been declared indigent.

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

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.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 536 by Senator Peterson

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, delete line 14 and insert: "The supervision fee imposed shall not be less than ten nor more than one hundred fifty".

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 15, delete "not exceed ten"

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

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.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Original Senate Bill No. 606 by Senator Morrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, lines 2 and 7, delete "and (b), (4)(a)," and insert a comma ".

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 13, delete "not more than"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, delete lines 16 and 17, and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 11 in their entirety

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

SENATE BILL NO. 639—
BY SENATOR MARTINY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:30(A)(10) and to enact R.S. 14:30(A)(11), relative to the crime of first degree murder; to provide that first degree murder includes the killing of a taxicab driver under certain circumstances; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 689—
BY SENATOR APPEL
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:34.5.2, relative to assault and battery; to create the crime of battery of a security officer; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 689 by Senator Appel

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, at the end of line 12, after "R.S. 37:3272" insert "and licensed by the state of Louisiana pursuant to Chapter 47 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 14 and 15 and insert "fined not more than one thousand dollars and imprisoned for not more than six months."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 710—
BY SENATOR PERRY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1302(4), (11) and (15), 1303(A)(1), (2), (3), and (4), (C)(2), (3) and (4), 1304(A), the introductory paragraph of 1308(A) and 1308(B), 1309, the introductory paragraph of 1310(A) and 1310(A)(6), the introductory paragraph of 1310(C) and 1310(C)(5), the introductory paragraph of 1310(D)(1), 1310(E), (F)(1) and (2), the introductory paragraph of 1310(F)(4), 1310(F)(4)(c) and (G), the introductory paragraph of 1310(H)(1) and 1310(H)(2), 1311(C) and the introductory paragraph of 1312(A), relative to the interception of communications; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to authorizations and disclosures; to provide relative to procedures for interception and reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 738—
BY SENATORS MORRELL, DORSEY-COLOMB AND HEITMEIER AND REPRESENTATIVES BROSSETT, LEBAN AND MORENO
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 14:20.1, relative to self-defense; to provide relative to when such immunity from criminal prosecution is not available; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 738 by Senator Morrell
Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary B. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 74—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH
AN ACT
To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 163(D) and 163.1(D), relative to search warrants; to provide relative to the examination and testing of property and bodily samples seized pursuant to a search warrant; to provide relative to the timing of the examination or testing; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 121—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4.2(A)(2) and (3) and to enact R.S. 15:574.4.2(A)(4) and (5), relative to conditions of parole; to revise statutory provisions regarding conditions of parole; to provide for the forfeiture of good time or credits earned; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 138—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:536(A), 537(A), 541(2)(n) and (o), 542.1(A)(2)(d), and 543.1(8), relative to sex offender registration and notification provisions; to make technical corrections to sex offender registration and notification provisions; to make technical corrections to sex offender registration and notification provisions relative to crime against nature and crime against nature by solicitation; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 146—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:65.5(1), 239.1, and 361(F), relative to gaming; to provide with respect to the methods of wagering at gaming facilities; to prohibit the use of debit cards for wagering; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 190—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 349.3(A)(1), relative to bail; to provide relative to notice provided to a commercial surety upon a judgment of bond forfeiture; to provide relative to the registered address of a commercial surety; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 237—
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:499(A)(introductory paragraph), relative to certificates of analysis; to provide with respect to the timing of the examination or testing; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary B. The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HOUSE BILL NO. 248—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.35.1(C)(2)(e), relative to the Lafourche Parish Pretrial Home Incarceration Program; to authorize the earning of credit for time served participating in the program under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 352—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:5557.1, relative to payment of group health insurance premiums for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs; to create the DeSoto Parish Retired Employees' Insurance Fund to fund premium costs for eligible retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs; to provide for the total amount of principal and earnings in the DeSoto Parish Retired Employees' Insurance Fund; to provide for the limitations on withdrawal and appropriation of monies; to provide for limitations on equity and fixed income investments; to provide for the membership and election on the investment advisory board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary B. The bill was read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 447—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:44(3), 45(A)(introductory paragraph), 52(introductory paragraph) and (3) and (4), and 65(B)(2), (3), (13), and (15) and to repeal R.S. 27:46, 48, 51, 88, and 97, relative to the Riverboat Gaming Commission; to repeal antiquated references to the Riverboat Gaming Commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 759—
BY REPRESENTATIVES NANCY LANDRY, ADAMS, ANDERS, ARNOLD, BARROW, WESLEY BISHOP, BURRELL, CHAMPAIGNE, KATRINA JACKSON, LEBAS, NORTON, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, ROBIDEAUX, AND WILLIAMS
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 13:5554(S), relative to payment of group insurance premiums for sheriffs and deputy sheriffs retired from the Franklin Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for requirements relative to age and years of service with the Franklin Parish Sheriff's Office; to provide for requirements relative to age and years of service with the Franklin Parish Sheriff's Office; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 836—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:110(B)(4), relative to the crime of female genital mutilation; to provide for the imposition of restitution on offenders in local correctional facilities; to expand restitution to cover medical costs to the offender or others which are caused by the offender; to provide for the amount of restitution; and to provide for related matters.

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

Mr. President in the Chair

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Recengrossed House Bill No. 759 by Representative Nancy Landry

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, at the beginning of line 16, after "years" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period ".

On motion of Senator Morrell, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 826—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 44:9(E)(2), relative to arrest and prosecution records; to make a technical correction to the provision regarding the expungement of arrest and prosecution records of sex offenders; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 827—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 14:110(B)(3) and (E) and to enact R.S. 14:110(B)(4), relative to escape; to provide relative to the crime of simple and aggravated escape; to expand the listing of prison facilities to include home incarceration; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 836—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL
AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 905.2(B), relative to sentencing hearings in capital cases; to provide that members of the Board of Pardons shall not be required to appear at sentencing hearings for capital cases; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 984—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALFRED WILLIAMS
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:413(11), relative to membership in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for classes of employees who are ineligible for membership in the system; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1006—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLANT
AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:705(D)(1) and (2), relative to the imposition of restitution on offenders in local correctional facilities; to expand restitution to cover medical costs to the offender or others which are caused by the offender; to provide for the amount of restitution; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 727—
BY SENATORS CLAITOR, APPEL, CORTEZ, CROWE, GUILLORY, LONG, AND PERRY
AN ACT
To enact R.S. 11:413(11), relative to membership in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for classes of employees who are ineligible for membership in the system; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Senator Martin moved to place the bill on the Involuntary Calendar.

Senator Caitor objected.
ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President
Adley
Allain
Appel
Broome
Brown
Buffington
Chabert
Cortez
Crowe
Donahue
Dorsey-Colomb
Total - 35

NAYS

Amedee
Claitor
Total - 3

ABSENT

Peacock
Total - 1

The Chair declared the bill was placed on the Involuntary Calendar.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
Returned from the House of Representatives
with Amendments

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.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 640 by Senator Alario

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 4, after "member" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 5 and insert "under"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 9, delete "physically"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 2, at the end of line 11, after "may" delete the colon ";" and at the beginning of line 12, delete "(1) Appoint" and insert "designate"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 12, between "member of" and "a university" insert "the faculty of"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, at the end of line 14, after "meeting" delete the period "." and delete lines 15 through 19 and insert "and act on his behalf. In the event the economist principal is incapacitated to the extent that he is unable to designate the ad hoc member as provided in this Subsection, the president of the college or university of which the economist principal is a faculty member shall make the designation on behalf of the economist principal.

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Kleckley to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 640 by Senator Alario

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 11, change "may" to "shall"

Senator Claitor moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President
Adley
Allain
Appel
Broome
Brown
Buffington
Chabert
Cortez
Crowe
Donahue
Dorsey-Colomb
Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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.

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. 202 by Senator Morrish
AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 11, following "authorized by" change "R.S. 56:435.1(1)(D)(2)" to "Paragraph (D)(2) of this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 2, line 7, following "tongs" and before "a single" change ";" to ",; a hand dredge;",

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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ABSENT

Total - 0

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

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. Senator Johns moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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

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), 380.44(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 Department of State to temporarily close the Old State Capitol and certain museums under its jurisdiction when no funds are appropriated for the operation of such facilities; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

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NAYS

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ABSENT

Total - 1

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

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. Senator Appel moved the final passage of the bill.
ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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

Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Claitor Total - 1

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

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.

Floor Amendments

Senator Crowe proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Crowe to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 370 by Senator Crowe

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 1, change “entertaining” to “entertainment industry.”

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 Dorsey-Colomb Murray
Adley Erdey Nevers
Allain Gallot Peacock
Amedee Guillory Perry
Appel Heitmeier Peterson
Broome Johns Riser
Brown Kostelka Smith, G.
Buffington LaFleur Smith, J.
Chabert Long Tarver

Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

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.

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. Senator Martiny moved the final passage of the bill.

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
Broome Johns Riser
Brown Kostelka Smith, G.
Buffington LaFleur Smith, J.
Chabert Long Tarver

Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it 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. 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.

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. 405 by Senator Buffington

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 18, following "that" and before "which" delete "from"

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Donahue Morrish
Adley Dorsey-Colomb Murray
Allain Guillory Nevers
Amedee Heitmeier Perry
Appel Johns Riser
Broome Kostelka Smith, G.
Brown LaFleur Smith, J.
Buffington Long Thompson
Chabert Martiny Walsworth
Cortez Mills Ward
Crowe Morrell
Total - 32

NAYS
Peacock
Total - 1

ABSENT
Claitor Gallot Tarver
Erdey Peterson White
Total - 6

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

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.

Floor Amendments

Senator Walsworth proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Walsworth to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 461 by Senator Walsworth

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, between "ratios;" and "and" insert "to provide for waivers; to provide for reporting requirements;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 12, and insert the following:

"B.(1) Not later than September first of each year, the Department of Education shall submit a written report to the Senate Committee on Education and the House Committee on Education detailing all waiver requests submitted by city, parish, and other local public school boards for the prior school year and the disposition of each request.

On motion of Senator Walsworth, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Crowe Peacock
Adley Donahue Perry
Allain Guillory Riser
Amedee Heitmeier Smith, G.
Appel Johns Kostelka Thompson
Broome LaFleur Walsworth
Buffington Long Ward
Chabert Martiny Nevers
Cortez Mills White
Crowe Morrell
Total - 28

NAYS
Brown Morrell Peterson
Dorsey-Colomb Morrish Smith, J.
Johns Murray Tarver
Total - 9

ABSENT
Erdey Gallot
Total - 2

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

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. Senator Perry moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President Crowe
Adley Donahue
Allain Guillory
Amedee Heitmeier
Appel Johns
Broome Kostelka
Buffington Long
Chabert Martiny
Cortez Mills
Crowe Morrell
Total - 12

NAYS
Brown Morrell
Dorsey-Colomb Morrish
Johns Murray
Total - 7

ABSENT
Erdey Gallot
Total - 1

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

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.

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 505—
BY SENATOR ADLEY
AN ACT
To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 30:10(A), (A)(1) and (2), 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.

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. 505 by Senator Adley
AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 3, line 14, following "pay" and before "share" change "its" to "his."

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, line 15, following "then" change "the above notified" to "such."

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 4, line 1, following "of" and before "lessor" change "its" to "his."

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 4, line 14, following "during the" and before ", the" change "above recovery" to "recovery set forth in Subsection (ii)(aa) of this Subparagraph."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 4, line 24, following "as" and before "." change "hereinabove provided" to "provided in this Subsection."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 5, line 25, following "owner" and before "has not" change "whom" to "who."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 6, line 3, following "provisions" and before "for" change "hereinabove" to "of this Subsection."

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 6, line 12, following "provisions" and before "for notice" change "hereinabove" to "of this Subsection."

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Adley 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
Amedee          Guillory        Perry
Appel           Heitmeier       Peterson
Broune          Johns           Riser
Brown           Kostelka        Smith, G.
Buffington      LaFleur         Smith, J.
Chabert         Long            Tarver
Claitor         Martiny         Thompson
Cortez          Mills           Wardsworth
Crowe           Morrell         Ward
Donahue         Morrish         White
Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

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

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.

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

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.

Floor Amendments

Senator Peacock proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Peacock to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 530 by Senator Peacock

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, lines 3 and 9, change "216" to "218".

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 12, change "216" to "218".

On motion of Senator Peacock, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President    Dorsey-Colomb    Murray
Adley            Erdey           Peacock
Allain          Gallot          Perry
Amedee          Guillory        Peterson
Appel           Heitmeier       Riser
Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

AbSENT

Total - 0

The bill was read by title. Senator Peacock moved the final passage of the amended bill.
Broome                      Johns                      Smith, G.
Brown                       Kostelka                   Smith, J.
Buffington                  LaFleur                     Tarver
Chabert                     Long                       Thompson
Claitor                     Martiny                     Walsworth
Cortez                      Mills                       Ward
Crowe                       Morrell                    White
Donahue                     Morris

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

SENATE BILL NO. 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 facilities and property; to provide relative to the provision of certain student services; to provide relative to the reapportionment of the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board; to provide for school purposes for the Southeast Baton Rouge Community School System for its proportional share of legacy costs in an amount equal to its student enrollment beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2033. The legacy costs shall be allocated on a per pupil basis.

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. 563 by Senator White

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 10, following “of” and before “board” change “said” to “such”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 4, line 4, following “in” and before “that” change “in a manner such” to “such a manner”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 4, line 18, following “otherwise” and before “provided” insert “generally”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 4, line 19, following “law” and before “for” delete “generally”

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 4, line 21, following “as” and before “provided” insert “generally”

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 4, line 21, following “law” delete “generally”

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AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 4, line 25, following “as” change “provided by law generally” to “generally provided by law”

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 4, line 26, following “as” and before “provided” insert “generally”

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 4, line 27, following “law” and before “for” delete “generally”

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 6, line 21, following “due date” change “of, on,” to “on”

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 7, line 3, following “state” and before “shall” change “dollars” to “monies”

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 10, line 1, following “immovable,” change “tangible or intangible” to “corporeal or incorporeal”

On motion of Senator Martiny, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments
Senator White proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator White to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 563 by Senator White

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 6, line 4, between “taxes” and “collected” insert “levied for school purposes”

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 6, line 7, change “tax” to “taxes levied for school purposes”

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 6, line 10, between “taxes” and “collected” insert “levied for school purposes”

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 6, line 14, between “taxes” and “collected” insert “levied for school purposes”

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 6, line 17, between “taxes” and “collected” insert “levied for school purposes”

On motion of Senator White, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments
Senator Broome proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Broome to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 563 by Senator White

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 6, delete lines 26 through 29 and insert:
“L. The Southeast Baton Rouge Community School System shall be obligated to compensate the East Baton Rouge Parish School System for its proportional share of legacy costs in an amount equal to its student enrollment beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2033. The legacy costs shall be allocated on a per pupil basis.”
AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 7, delete line 1 and insert:

M. Beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2018, the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board shall be permitted to continue collecting its voter approved one-cent sales tax within the geographic boundaries of the Southeast Baton Rouge Community School System as provided by R.S. 33:2740.37.

N. Beginning January 1, 2014, and ending January 1, 2018, the sheriff of East Baton Rouge Parish shall withhold from the ad valorem tax collections of the Southeast Baton Rouge Community School System for payment to the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board related to all costs associated with debt incurred to acquire Qualified School Construction Bonds.

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 7, line 2, change “M” to “O”

Senator Broome moved the adoption of the amendments.

Senator White objected.

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Broome
Brown
Dorsey-Colomb
Gallot
Heitmeier
Kostelka
Total - 16

NAYS
Broome
Brown
Dorsey-Colomb
Murray
Heitmeier
Peterson
Total - 8

ABSENT
Amedee
Total - 1

The Chair declared the amendments were rejected.

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

ROLL CALL
The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS
Mr. President
Adley
Allain
Appel
Buffington
Chabert
Claitor
Crowe
Donahue
Total - 29

NAYS
Broome
Brown
Dorsey-Colomb
Total - 7

ABSENT
Amedee
Total - 3

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
Adley
Allain
Appel
Buffington
Chabert
Claitor
Cortez
Crowe
Donahue
Total - 30

NAYS
Broome
Brown
Dorsey-Colomb
Total - 8

ABSENT
Amedee
Total - 1
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.

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Thompson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to revert to the Morning Hour.

**Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73**—BY SENATOR CROWE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States and to urge and request the President of the United States to maintain steadfast support for the State of Israel and express vigorous support and unwavering commitment to the welfare, security, and survival of the State of Israel as a Jewish and democratic state with secure borders.

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

**Message from the House**

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

April 25, 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. 907  HB NO. 1125  HB NO. 1145

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 907**—BY REPRESENTATIVES KATRINA JACKSON AND HENRY BURNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2(D), 4274.1, 4276, 4279(A), 4292, 4325, and 4326 and to repeal R.S. 3:4271(B), 4274(6), 4274.2, 4279(B) and (C), 4280, 4284 through 4289, 4290, 4291, 4293 through 4295, and 4302, relative to forests and forestry; to provide for cooperative endeavors; to provide for the powers and duties of the state forester; to provide for the duties of forestry officers; to provide for the clearing of combustible material; to provide for the instruction of forestry on certain days; to provide for a parish board of forestry; to provide for a forestry program; to repeal certain provisions for the protection and reforestation of lands; to repeal certain provisions relative to forest tree seedling nurseries; to repeal the provisions of acreage tax on certain forest lands; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1125**—BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 2166 and 2167 and Children's Code Article 1143(C)(1), (2), and (3) and (D)(1), to enact Children's Code Article 1143(E), and to repeal R.S. 13:4446, relative to appellate procedure; to provide for notices of judgment; to provide for electronic and facsimile transmission; and to provide for related matters.

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

**Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 67—BY SENATOR PEACOCK AND REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Georgia Lynn Hilburn of South Highlands Magnet Elementary School in Caddo Parish on being selected as the Louisiana 2012 Elementary School Student of the Year.

Respectfully submitted,

"JODY" AMEDEE

Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolution was signed by the President of the Senate.

**ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

PRESENT

Mr. President  Dorsey-Colomb  Murray
Adley       Erdey        Nevers
Allain      Gallot       Peacock
Amedee     Guillory     Perry
Appel      Heitmeier    Peterson
Broome     Johns        Riser
Brown      Kostelka     Smith, G.
Buffington LaFleur    Smith, J.
Chabert    Long         Tarver
Claitor    Martiny      Thompson
Cortez Mills Walsworth
Crowe Morrell Ward
Donahue Morrish White
Total - 39

ABSENT

Total - 0

Announcements

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Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 6:10 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Thursday, April 26, 2012, at 9:00 o'clock A.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 9:00 o'clock A.M. on Thursday, April 26, 2012.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O’QUIN
Journal Clerk