

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Notice of Committee Meeting

Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

Will meet at: UPON ADJOURNMENT

Date: May 19, 2004

Location: Committee Room 5

Remarks:

- SB 432 C D JONES** **WORKERS' COMPENSATION:** Changes the amount of attorney fees on workers' compensation awards to twenty percent of the recovered amount. (gov sig)
- SB 488 HEITMEIER** **WORKERS' COMPENSATION:** Defines "owner operator" as regards motor carriers. (gov sig)
- SB 692 BARHAM** **EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS:** Requires employers of first responders to homeland security emergencies to maintain the employment, pay rate levels, pensions, and benefits for those first responders. (gov sig)
- SB 771 CRAVINS** **CONTRACTORS:** Places requirements on contractors and related parties concerning the employment of aliens not entitled to lawfully reside or work in the U.S. and provides for license suspension or revocation for violation. (gov sig).
- SB 851 NEVERS** **STUDENTS:** Provides scholarships for students of technical and community colleges from Incumbent Worker Training Program funds. (gov sig)
- HB 1054 RICHMOND** **EMPLOYMENT/WAGES:** Creates a civil cause of action for basing wages upon an employee's gender or race
- HB 1667 GALLOT** **WORKERS COMPENSATION:** Provides for jurisdiction over claims and disputes
- HB 1673 JEFFERSON** **LABOR:** Use unemployment funds to help dislocated workers start business
- HCR 166 WALKER** **MENTAL HEALTH:** Creates the Louisiana Commission on Employment of Mental Health Consumers to study and develop a plan to address barriers that prevent persons with mental illness from seeking, obtaining, and maintaining employment

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