

AGENDA

House Committee on Ways and Means

Monday, April 26, 2021

Committee Room 6

9:00 a.m.

Chairman: Stuart J. Bishop
Vice Chairman:

Staff: Brittany Lea, committee administrative assistant
Alison Pryor, senior attorney
Catherine Zeringue, attorney

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

_____	HB 5	RISER	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Provides for the effectiveness of the Annual Louisiana Sales Tax Holidays
_____	HB 6	RISER	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Provides for the effectiveness of the annual state sales tax holiday for hurricane-preparedness items or supplies
_____	HB 7	FREEMAN	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Provides for a sales and use tax exemption for feminine hygiene products and diapers
_____	HB 8	BUTLER	ASSESSORS Requires the Evangeline Parish Tax Assessor to pay the cost of certain insurance premiums for eligible retirees from the assessor's office
_____	HB 9	TURNER	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Provides for the Annual Louisiana Second Amendment Weekend Holiday
_____	HB 26	MCCORMICK	TAX/SEVERANCE-EXEMPTION Provides with respect to the severance tax exemption for stripper wells
_____	HB 50	STEFANSKI	TAX/SALES & USE Provides a state and local sales and use tax exclusion for certain releases or re-rentals of items of tangible personal property
_____	HB 61	HODGES	TAX CREDITS Requires taxpayers claiming the earned income tax credit to provide certain residency information regarding dependents

_____	HB 62	BRASS	ASSESSORS Requires the St. James Parish assessor to pay the cost of certain insurance premiums for certain retirees of the assessor's office
_____	HB 76	LACOMBE	CAPITAL OUTLAY Provides relative to the exemption from local match requirements for certain rural water system projects
_____	HB 89	BAGLEY	TAX/INCOME TAX Establishes an individual income tax deduction for certain insurance costs
_____	HB 94	FONTENOT	TAX COMMISSION, STATE Extends authority for imposition of certain fees levied by the Louisiana Tax Commission for the assessment of certain properties
_____	HB 117	ECHOLS	TAX CREDITS Establishes an income tax credit for certain foster care expenses
_____	HB 143	WILLARD	TAX/AD VALOREM TAX (Constitutional Amendment) Limits the amount of the increase in the assessed value of certain immovable property in Orleans Parish following reassessment of property for purposes of ad valorem taxes
_____	HB 146	HILFERTY	TAX CREDITS Establishes an income tax credit following the delivery of a stillborn child
_____	HB 148	ECHOLS	TAX/SALES-USE, STATE Exempts certain educational institutions from state sales and use tax on the lease or rental of tangible personal property
_____	HB 165	CORMIER	TAX/SALES-USE, STATE Provides that the one percent state sales and use tax does not apply in Plaquemines Parish during a certain period of time
_____	HB 173	ECHOLS	TAX/INCOME-INDIV/EXEMPT Establishes a corporate income tax credit for certain broker-dealer financial businesses
_____	HB 200	BACALA	TAX/INCOME TAX Exempts military survivor benefit plan payments from state individual income tax
_____	HB 289	MCFARLAND	TAX CREDITS Establishes an income and corporate franchise tax credit for Class II and Class III railroads
_____	HB 299	JAMES	TAX CREDITS Increases the amount of the earned income tax credit and makes the increased amount permanent

_____	HB 314	WRIGHT	TAX CREDITS Provides an income tax credit for contributions to certain foster care charitable organizations
_____	HB 362	ORGERON	TAX RETURN Creates an individual income tax checkoff for the La. State University Agricultural Center Grant Walker Educational Center (4-H Camp Grant Walker)
_____	HB 443	BEAULLIEU	TAX/INCOME-CREDIT Provides for individual income tax credits for donations made to school tuition organizations
_____	HB 503	CORMIER	TAX CREDITS Provides for a refundable individual income tax credit for residents of parishes that contain certain toll bridges
_____	HB 539	CORMIER	TAX Imposes a tax on the transmission of certain money and creates a special fund for the disposition of the avails of the tax
_____	HB 562	BOURRIAQUE	TAX APPEALS/BOARD Provides relative to the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board and the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers
_____	HB 573	STEFANSKI	TAX COMMISSION, STATE Provides for the administration, review, and adjudication of ad valorem tax assessments
_____	HB 659	WILLARD	TAX/INCOME-CREDIT Establishes an income tax credit for taxpayers claiming a dependent less than eighteen years of age
_____	HB 660	HUGHES	TAX CREDITS Increases the amount of the earned income tax credit for certain taxpayers for a specific period of time

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Persons who do not feel comfortable giving testimony in person at this time may submit a prepared statement in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee:

A. Any interested person or any committee member may file with the committee a prepared statement concerning a specific instrument or matter under consideration by the committee or concerning any matter within the committee's scope of authority, and the committee records shall reflect receipt of such statement and the date and time thereof.

B. Any person who files a prepared statement which contains data or statistical information shall include in such prepared statement sufficient information to identify the source of the data or statistical information. For the purposes of this Paragraph, the term "source" shall mean a publication, website, person, or other source from which the data or statistical information contained in the prepared statement was obtained by the person or persons who prepared the statement.

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All persons desiring to participate in the meeting shall utilize appropriate protective health measures and observe the recommended and appropriate social distancing.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE SUBMIT A WITNESS CARD TO THE COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT BEFORE THE MEETING BEGINS IF YOU WANT TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.