

**ROLL CALL AND RECORD VOTE****Committee:** Administration of Criminal Justice**Location:** Room 6**Date/Time:** 04/04/24 10:00 a.m.**Staff:** Zachary Gonzalez, Attorney  
Stephanie Weinman, Committee Administrative Assistant  
Angela McKnight, Sergeant at Arms  
Michael McCain, Clerk

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| <b>Roll Call:</b>         | 13 | <b>Convened:</b>  | 10:11 AM |
| <b>Number of Members:</b> | 13 | <b>Adjourned:</b> | 02:00 PM |
| <b>Quorum:</b>            | 7  |                   |          |

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| Villio, Debbie             | Present |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Present |
| Bacala, Tony               | Present |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Present |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Present |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Present |
| Horton, Dodie              | Present |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Present |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Present |
| Moore, Pat                 | Present |
| Ventrella, Lauren          | Present |
| Walters, Joy               | Present |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Present |

**HR12 by FREEMAN**

Continues the task force created by House Resolution No. 174 of the 2023 R.S. to study the educational programs in the prisons and jails of this state

**Motion made by:** Adams, Roy Daryl**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 13-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 12:14:29 PM

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| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Ventrella, Lauren          | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

**HR12 by FREEMAN****Final Action:** Reported favorably. (13-0)**HCR22 by MARCELLE**

Directs the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections to establish family-sensitive policies for all correctional facilities under the jurisdiction of the department

**Amendment:** A Horton**Motion made by:** Horton, Dodie**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 10:59:24 AM

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| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Ventrella, Lauren          | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

**HCR22 by MARCELLE**

Directs the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections to establish family-sensitive policies for all correctional facilities under the jurisdiction of the department

**Motion made by:** Walters, Joy

**Motion:** With Amendments

**Vote:** 12-0

**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 11:01:58 AM

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|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HCR22 by MARCELLE**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (12-0)

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**HCR24 by MARCELLE**

Directs the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections to permit incarcerated parents to virtually attend certain ceremonies involving their children

**Amendment:** A Villio

**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

**Vote:** 8-4

**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 11:08:29 AM

**Objection by:** Walters, Joy

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Nay |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Nay |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Nay |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Nay |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**Motion made by:** Walters, Joy

**Motion:** With Amendments

**Vote:** 12-0

**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 11:09:51 AM

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| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HCR24 by MARCELLE**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (12-0)

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**HB125 by BAYHAM**

Provides relative to the penalties for battery of a bus operator

**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie**Motion:** Defer Voluntary**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:59:25 PM

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

**HB125 by BAYHAM****Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)**HB127 by BAYHAM**

Provides relative to the penalties for the crime of simple obstruction of a highway of commerce

**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie**Motion:** Defer Voluntary**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:59:35 PM

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|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

**HB127 by BAYHAM****Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)**HB165 by BOYD**

Provides relative to marijuana paraphernalia

**Motion made by:** LaFleur, Vanessa Caston**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 10-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 10:16:26 AM

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| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

**HB165 by BOYD****Final Action:** Reported favorably. (10-0)

**HB166 by BOYD**

Provides relative to penalties for a person convicted of a sex offense

**Amendment:** A Bacala**Motion made by:** Bacala, Tony**AMD Motion:** Adopt

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| <b>Vote:</b>      | 10-0                 | Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| <b>Vote Date:</b> | 4/4/2024 10:22:39 AM | Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
|                   |                      | Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
|                   |                      | Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
|                   |                      | Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
|                   |                      | Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
|                   |                      | Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
|                   |                      | LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
|                   |                      | Walters, Joy               | Yea |
|                   |                      | Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**Motion made by:** LaFleur, Vanessa Caston**Motion:** With Amendments

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| <b>Vote:</b>      | 12-0                 | Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| <b>Vote Date:</b> | 4/4/2024 10:31:03 AM | Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
|                   |                      | Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
|                   |                      | Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
|                   |                      | Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
|                   |                      | Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
|                   |                      | Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
|                   |                      | Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
|                   |                      | LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
|                   |                      | Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
|                   |                      | Walters, Joy               | Yea |
|                   |                      | Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HB166 by BOYD****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (12-0)**HB206 by VILLIO**

Provides relative to the commitment of certain persons who are found not guilty by reason of insanity

**Amendment:** HCAHB206 4274 2224**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie**AMD Motion:** Adopt

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| <b>Vote:</b>      | 12-0                 | Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| <b>Vote Date:</b> | 4/4/2024 12:18:33 PM | Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
|                   |                      | Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
|                   |                      | Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
|                   |                      | Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
|                   |                      | Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
|                   |                      | Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
|                   |                      | LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
|                   |                      | Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
|                   |                      | Ventrella, Lauren          | Yea |
|                   |                      | Walters, Joy               | Yea |
|                   |                      | Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**Motion made by:** Horton, Dodie**Motion:** With Amendments

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| <b>Vote:</b>      | 12-0                 | Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| <b>Vote Date:</b> | 4/4/2024 12:45:39 PM | Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
|                   |                      | Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
|                   |                      | Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
|                   |                      | Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
|                   |                      | Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
|                   |                      | Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
|                   |                      | LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
|                   |                      | Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
|                   |                      | Ventrella, Lauren          | Yea |
|                   |                      | Walters, Joy               | Yea |
|                   |                      | Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HB206 by VILLIO**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (12-0)

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**HB355 by GALLE**

Amends provisions of law regarding justification in the use of force or violence

**Motion made by:** Knox, Alonzo L.

**Motion:** Defer Voluntary

**Vote:** 6-6

**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:39:34 PM

**Objection by:** Horton, Dodie

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Nay |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Nay |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Nay |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Nay |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Nay |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Nay |

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**Motion made by:** Bacala, Tony

**Motion:** Defer Voluntary

**Vote:** 12-0

**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:48:02 PM

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| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HB355 by GALLE**

**Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)

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**HB436 by FREEMAN**

Provides relative to intentional exposure to HIV

**Motion made by:** Bacala, Tony

**Motion:** Defer Voluntary

**Vote:** 12-0

**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:19:47 PM

|                            |     |
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| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HB436 by FREEMAN**

**Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)

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**HB705 by JORDAN**

Provides relative to payphones and communications for incarcerated individuals

**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie**Motion:** Defer Voluntary**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:20:38 PM

|                            |     |
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| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HB705 by JORDAN****Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)**HB734 by VILLIO**

Provides relative to victim notification

**Amendment:** HCAHB734 4274 1377**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 11:13:30 AM

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|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**Amendment:** HCAHB734 4274 2343**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie**AMD Motion:** Adopt**Vote:** 11-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 11:13:49 AM

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|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HB734 by VILLIO**

Provides relative to victim notification

**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie**Motion:** With Amendments**Vote:** 12-1**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 12:11:45 PM**Objection by:** Walters, Joy

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Ventrella, Lauren          | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Nay |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

**HB734 by VILLIO****Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (12-1)**HB735 by KERNER**

Provides relative to penalties for distribution or possession with intent to distribute certain controlled dangerous substances

**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie**Motion:** Defer Voluntary**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:59:03 PM

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

**HB735 by KERNER****Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)**HB779 by BOYD**

Provides relative to the definition of "commercial sexual activity" within the crime of trafficking of children for sexual purposes

**Motion made by:** LaFleur, Vanessa Caston**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 12-0**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 10:36:02 AM

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

**HB779 by BOYD****Final Action:** Reported favorably. (12-0)

**HB816 by WILFORD CARTER**

Provides relative to residential contractor fraud

**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie

**Motion:** Defer Voluntary

**Vote:** 12-0

**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:59:48 PM

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HB816 by WILFORD CARTER**

**Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)

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**HB852 by MANDIE LANDRY**

Increases the penalties for malfeasance in office

**Motion made by:** Villio, Debbie

**Motion:** Defer Voluntary

**Vote:** 12-0

**Vote Date:** 4/4/2024 1:59:57 PM

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Villio, Debbie             | Yea |
| Adams, Roy Daryl           | Yea |
| Bacala, Tony               | Yea |
| Boyer, Chad Michael        | Yea |
| Cox, III, Vincent E.       | Yea |
| Fontenot, Bryan            | Yea |
| Horton, Dodie              | Yea |
| Knox, Alonzo L.            | Yea |
| LaFleur, Vanessa Caston    | Yea |
| Moore, Pat                 | Yea |
| Walters, Joy               | Yea |
| Wiley, Jeffrey "Jeff" Fons | Yea |

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**HB852 by MANDIE LANDRY**

**Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (12-0)

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