

ROLL CALL AND RECORD VOTE**Committee:** Natural Resources and Environment**Location:** Room 4**Date/Time:** 04/22/21 9:00 a.m.**Staff:** Trinicia Bryant, Committee Administrative Assistant
Tyler Bosworth, Legislative Analyst
Robin Stalder, Attorney
Myrtis Jarrell, Sergeant at Arms

Roll Call:	14	Convened:	09:00 AM
Number of Members:	15	Adjourned:	01:10 PM
Quorum:	8		

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Present	
Bourriaque, Ryan		Absent
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Present	
Carrier, R. Dewith	Present	
Cormier, Mack	Present	
DeVillier, Phillip	Present	
Geymann, Brett F.	Present	
Kerner, Timothy P.	Present	
Landry, Mandie	Present	
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Present	
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Present	
Riser, Neil	Present	
Romero, Troy D.	Present	
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Present	
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Present	

HCR4 by LANDRY

Provides relative to public notices for minor source facilities

Amendment: HCAHCR4 3941 1276**Motion made by:** Coussan, Jean-Paul**AMD Motion:** Adopt

Vote:	10-0	Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
		Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
		Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
		DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
		Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
		Landry, Mandie	Yea
		Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
		Romero, Troy D.	Yea
		Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
		Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul**Motion:** Defer Voluntary

Vote:	11-0	Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
		Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
		Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
		DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
		Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
		Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
		Landry, Mandie	Yea
		Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
		Romero, Troy D.	Yea
		Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
		Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HCR4 by LANDRY**Final Action:** Defer Voluntary. (11-0)

HB72 by COUSSAN

Requires the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality to establish a voluntary environmental self-audit program

Amendment: Concept Amendment by Coussan

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 9-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 11:54:40 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: With Amendments

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 11:58:21 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB72 by COUSSAN

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

HB335 by COUSSAN

Provides relative to the exchange of certain property between the University of Louisiana System and the City of Lafayette

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 13-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 10:03:22 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB335 by COUSSAN

Final Action: Reported favorably. (13-0)

HB366 by MCFARLAND

Authorizes the exchange of state property in Caddo, Sabine, Richland, and Morehouse Parishes for property in Ouachita Parish

Amendment: HCAHB366 3209 1350

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 14-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:57:54 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Motion made by: Riser, Neil

Motion: With Amendments

Vote: 14-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:59:58 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB366 by MCFARLAND

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (14-0)

HB544 by HODGES

Extends the period for which the Comite River is exempt from certain provisions of the Louisiana Scenic Rivers Act

Motion made by: Butler, Rhonda Gaye

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 14-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:56:39 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB544 by HODGES

Final Action: Reported favorably. (14-0)

HB549 by MCCORMICK

Modifies definitions relative to hazardous materials reporting under the Right-to-Know Law

Motion made by: Orgeron, Joseph A.

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 14-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:40:39 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB549 by MCCORMICK

Final Action: Reported favorably. (14-0)

HB558 by LARVADAIN

Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in East Baton Rouge Parish

Amendment: HCAHB558 3209 1337

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 11-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 11:05:14 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Motion made by: Geymann, Brett F.

Motion: With Amendments

Vote: 11-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 11:05:30 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB558 by LARVADAIN

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (11-0)

HB590 by DAVIS

Authorizes the board of the Capital Area Groundwater Conservation District to assess fees for capital expenditures and nonpayment

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 11-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 12:01:45 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB590 by DAVIS

Final Action: Reported favorably. (11-0)

HB600 by GOUDEAU

Exempts certain property belonging to Lafayette and Lafayette Parish from third party transfer requirements

Motion made by: Romero, Troy D.

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 9-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 11:09:05 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB600 by GOUDEAU

Final Action: Reported favorably. (9-0)

HB627 by HUVAL

Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in St. Martin Parish

Amendment: HCAHB627 3209 1152

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 11:01:00 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB627 by HUVAL

Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in St. Martin Parish

Amendment: Concept Amendment by DeVillier

Motion made by: DeVillier, Phillip

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 7-5

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 10:59:37 AM

Objection by: Mincey, Jr., Buddy

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Nay
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Nay
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Nay
Riser, Neil	Nay
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Nay

Motion made by: DeVillier, Phillip

Motion: With Amendments

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 11:01:39 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB627 by HUVAL

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

HB646 by JAMES

Provides relative to the dedication of state lands to the Recreation and Park Commission for the Parish of East Baton Rouge (BREC)

Motion made by: Riser, Neil

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 13-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 10:04:38 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
Cormier, Mack	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB646 by JAMES

Final Action: Reported favorably. (13-0)

HB669 by GARY CARTER

Authorizes the Department of Environmental Quality to increase annual fees for hazardous waste generators

Motion made by: DeVillier, Phillip

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 11-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 12:16:20 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB669 by GARY CARTER

Final Action: Reported favorably. (11-0)

HB670 by GARY CARTER

Authorizes an increase in certain fees collected by the Department of Environmental Quality

Motion made by: Carrier, R. Dewith

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 11-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 12:22:13 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

HB670 by GARY CARTER

Final Action: Reported favorably. (11-0)

Consideration and adoption of the minutes of 2018 – 2019 Interim Session committee meeting held on September 26, 2018

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:07:34 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Consideration and adoption of the minutes of 2019-2020 Interim Session committee meeting on November 19, 2019

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:36:20 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Consideration and adoption of the minutes of 2019 Regular Session committee meetings held on April 24, May 1, May 15, May 21, and May 29

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:36:54 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Consideration and adoption of the minutes of 2020 Regular Session committee meetings held on May 6, May 13, May 19, and May 27

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:37:08 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Consideration and adoption of the minutes of 2020 First Extraordinary Session meetings held on June 10, 2020

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:37:23 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Consideration and adoption of the minutes of 2020 Second Extraordinary Session meeting held on October 6, 2020

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 9:37:38 AM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Mincey, Jr., Buddy	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Riser, Neil	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Consideration and approval of Site Code: 4-57-008 - LDH site, vacant lot, Abbeville, Vermillion Parish: Vacant lot, 11,794 sq. ft., \$8,000 as of 5.1.2020

Motion made by: Coussan, Jean-Paul

Motion: Approve

Vote: 11-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 1:10:20 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea

Motion made by: Kerner, Timothy P.

Motion: Adjourn

Vote: 11-0

Vote Date: 4/22/2021 1:10:36 PM

Coussan, Jean-Paul	Yea
Butler, Rhonda Gaye	Yea
Carrier, R. Dewith	Yea
DeVillier, Phillip	Yea
Geymann, Brett F.	Yea
Kerner, Timothy P.	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Romero, Troy D.	Yea
Schamerhorn, Rodney	Yea
Wheat Jr., William "Bill"	Yea
