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House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, April 4, 2001

The House of Representatives was called to order at 3:00 P.M., by the Honorable Charlie DeWitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, E	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, R	Hammitt	Powell
Ansardi	Heaton	Pratt
Baudoin	Hebert	Quezaire
Baylor	Hill	Richmond
Bowler	Hopkins	Riddle
Broome	Hunter	Romero
Bruce	Hutter	Salter
Bruneau	Iles	Scalise
Carter, K	Jackson, L	Schneider
Carter, R	Jackson, M	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Johns	Shaw
Clarkson	Katz	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Kennard	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Kenney	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	LaFleur	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	Lancaster	Sneed
Dartez	Landrieu	Stelly
Devallier	LeBlanc	Strain
Diez	Lucas	Swilling
Doerge	Martiny	Thompson
Donelon	McCallum	Toomy
Downer	McDonald	Townsend
Durand	McMains	Triche
Erdey	McVea	Tucker
Farrar	Montgomery	Waddell
Faucheux	Morrell	Walsworth

Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Nevers	Wooton
Futrell	Odinot	Wright
Gallot	Perkins	
Total—101		

ABSENT

Curtis	Holden	Hudson
Total—3		

The Speaker announced that there were 101 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Romero.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Hutter led the House in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, the Journal of April 3, 2001, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and
Communications**

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 3, 2001

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has finally passed the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 49
Returned without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 4, 2001

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted and asks your concurrence in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 25, 29, and 55

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Heaton, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Senate Concurrent Resolutions at this time.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained in the message were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—
BY SENATOR IRONS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To proclaim September 16-22, 2001 as "Yellow Ribbon Youth Suicide Awareness and Prevention Week" in Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Heaton, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

April 4, 2001

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has finally passed the following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill Nos. 19, 41, 53, 80, 110, 113, 114, 152, 163, 182, 197, 228, 229, 234, 247, 283, 284, 297, 325, 335, 390, 500, and 779

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Ansardi, the rules were suspended in order to take up the bills contained in the message at this time.

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

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on first reading were taken up, read, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

SENATE BILL NO. 19—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN AND REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:902(C), relative to funds; to provide for grants from the General Aviation and Reliever Airport Maintenance Grant Program; to increase the maximum annual

grant amount an airport can receive under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 41—
BY SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(A), the introductory paragraph of (B), and (C), relative to registration of sex offenders; to require such offenders residing in incorporated areas to register with chiefs of police in addition to sheriffs; to provide criminal penalties for failure to register with such chiefs of police; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 53—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT (BY REQUEST)
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.83, relative to prestige plates; to authorize the issuance of a special prestige license plate for Beta Sigma Phi; to provide for the design of the plate and a contract regarding the payment of a royalty fee to Beta Sigma Phi for use of its logo; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 80—
BY SENATOR C. FIELDS
AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 4 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:571.1, and R.S. 36:409(P), relative to execution of a sentence of death in capital cases; to establish and provide for the Louisiana Death Sentence Study Commission to study the death penalty in the state; to require the commission to make recommendations based on its findings; to provide for composition of the commission; to require Senate confirmation of commission members; to provide for the expenses of commissioners; to require meetings of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 110—
BY SENATOR THOMAS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.18(A) and (C)(1), relative to motor vehicle license plates; to authorize motorcycles to have a veteran's license plate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 113—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:183.1, 183.2(A) and (B)(1), 183.3 (A), (B)(1), the introductory paragraph of (B)(2), (B)(2)(f), and (C), the introductory paragraph of 183.4 (A)(1), (A)(1)(e), (B)(2)(f) and (4), the introductory paragraph of 183.5(A), (B)(2) and (5), (C), and (E), 183.6 (A), (B), and (C)(7), 183.7(A), (B), (C)(1) and (2)(b), (c) and (d), and (D), 183.8 (A)(1) and (2)(b)(vii), (B)(1), (2)(a), (e), (f), (g) and (h), and 183.9, and to repeal R.S. 17:183.3(B)(2)(g), relative to the high school career option program; to provide for references to the career major field of study; to provide course requirements; to provide relative to options that may be incorporated into school planning to aid in

curriculum design; to provide for reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 114—

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:421.6 (A), (B) and (C), relative to salaries of certain school employees; to provide a salary adjustment for certain public school administrators having certificates issued by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards; to extend the period of eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 152—

BY SENATORS SCHEDLER AND HINES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.83, relative to motor vehicle license plates; to provide for a special prestige license plate for the Louisiana Nursing Foundation; to provide for its charge; to provide for the distribution and use of the monies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 163—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article V, Section 29 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to coroners; to authorize the qualifications for office of coroner in Livingston Parish to be established by law; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 182—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.83, relative to motor vehicle license plates; to provide for a special prestige license plate for the Camp Woodmen; to provide for its charge; to provide for the distribution and use of the monies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 197—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:1(6), 62, 75, 451, 454, 457(A) (introductory paragraph), 459.1(B) and (D), 465(C)(2), and 662, and to enact R.S. 8:454.1, relative to operation of perpetual or endowed care cemeteries; to provide for the make up of the cemetery board; to increase fines for violations of board rules and regulations; to provide relative to trust funds and the administration thereof; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 228—

BY SENATORS MOUNT AND THEUNISSEN AND REPRESENTATIVES

FLAVIN, GUILLORY, JOHNS AND STELLY

AN ACT

To name Interstate 210 located in the city of Lake Charles as the Doug Fournet Memorial Parkway; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 229—

BY SENATORS SCHEDLER AND HINES

AN ACT

To enact Part VII of Chapter 1 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40: 31.41 through 31.48, and to repeal R.S. 40:31.2, relative to health care; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for definitions; to create the Louisiana Birth Defects Surveillance System; to provide for confidentiality of data in the surveillance system; to provide for annual reporting; to create an advisory board and provide for its duties, membership, terms, vacancies, and officers; to provide for cooperation by other state entities; to provide for promulgation of rules and regulations; to repeal certain provisions of law relative to reporting of congenital anomalies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 234—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1306(C)(3)(d), relative to motor vehicle inspections; to provide for the applicability of certain additional fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 247—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:421.7, relative to public school counselors; to provide a salary supplement for certain public school counselors that have acquired certain certification by the National Board for Certified Counselors; to provide conditions and guidelines for receiving the supplement; to provide for payment; to provide limitations; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 283—

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:817, relative to the Cameron Parish School Board; to authorize the levy of a parcel fee within School District No. 4 of the parish boundaries; to provide for voter approval; to provide for imposition and collection; to provide a limitation on the amount of any such parcel fee; to provide relative to the use of proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 284—

BY SENATOR ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1053(B)(4), relative to Iberia Parish Hospital Service District No. 1; to provide relative to the terms of office of members of the board of commissioners of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 297—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2504(G), relative to office space for the Board of Examiners of Nursing Facility Administrators; to authorize the board to lease, lease purchase, or purchase office space; to require approval from the division of administration; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 325—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2481(B)(6), relative to the fire and police civil service; to provide that the chief of police for the city of Hammond is placed in the unclassified service; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 335—
BY SENATORS B. JONES AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:34(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B), relative to vital records forms; to provide for electronic registration of vital records; to provide for promulgation of rules and regulations thereto; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 390—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.83 and 463.84, relative to license plates; to provide for the creation of a special prestige license plate for the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks and the Improved Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World; to provide for the creation of a special prestige plate for the Upper Room Bible Church; to provide for a charge for the license plate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 500—
BY SENATORS W. FIELDS AND C. JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.72(E), relative to special prestige license plates; to provide for the distribution of certain fees for the prestige license plate for Alpha Phi Alpha; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 779—
BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.83, relative to license plates; to establish a special prestige license plate for "Unlocking Autism"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Introduction of Resolutions,
House and House Concurrent**

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 20—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Southern University Lab High School boys basketball coach Joel Hawkins for his outstanding and notable career.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Holden, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 21—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Marcus Spears of Baton Rouge upon being named as one of Louisiana's Gatorade Players of the Year for basketball and to recognize the numerous and impressive accomplishments of his high school athletic career.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Holden, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Southern University Lab High School boys basketball team and its coaches for an exceptional season and for winning their third consecutive Louisiana Class 1A State Championship.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Holden, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLDEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request each postsecondary education management board that establishes selective admissions criteria pursuant to the Master Plan for Higher Education as adopted by the Board of Regents on March 22, 2001, to adopt policies for each of the institutions under the management of the board to provide admission waivers to up to twenty-five percent of the students in the freshman class entering each such institution each academic year who fail to meet any of the admissions criteria.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to resurface Old Louisiana Highway 54 (Church Street) in Garyville, Louisiana.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15— BY SENATOR SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development and parish and municipal governments to remove dead animals from roads, highways, and rights-of-way in an expeditious manner.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22— BY SENATOR CRAVINS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Bayou Boeuf Advisory Committee to study and make proposals to the Senate and House committees on transportation, highways and public works relative to uses of Bayou Boeuf water and the advisability of the creation of a fresh water district along Bayou Boeuf from Alexandria to Washington in the parishes of Rapides, Avoyelles and St. Landry.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 3— BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT AND SENATOR BARHAM AN ACT

To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2001, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 539— BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER, DARTEZ AND TRICHE AND SENATORS DUPRE AND GAUTREAUX AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1000.6 and 1911, relative to the court-appointed special advocate program (CASA); to provide for the assessment and collection of additional costs in criminal matters for the support of CASA programs in the City Court of Houma and the Thirty-Second Judicial District Court; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1795— BY REPRESENTATIVE DAMICO AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:428.1(A), relative to oyster leases; to provide for annual determination by the Department of Natural Resources of projected impact areas of coastal restoration projects where leases may be renewed for less than fifteen years; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1796— BY REPRESENTATIVE FRUGE AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1123(28), relative to an exception to the ethics code; to provide for an exception to the ethics code to allow a public servant, legal entity in which he has a controlling interest, or member of his immediate family to donate services, property, or funds to his agency; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1797— BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:705(3), relative to office functions and duties of the office of charitable gaming; to provide for additional fees for pull-tabs and other charitable gaming supplies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1798— BY REPRESENTATIVE FRUGE AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3715.3(A)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and to enact R.S. 13:3715.3(G)(4)(e), relative to the production of evidence; to provide for the use of certain medical documents; to provide for the disclosure of medical documents; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1799— BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:51(2), (4), and (5) and to enact R.S. 24:55(G), relative to lobbying; to define "lobbying" to include multimedia or mass communication activities designed to aid in the passage or defeat of any legislation; to define "expenditure" to include monies spent on multimedia or mass communication activities; to define "lobbyist" to include a person making certain expenditures; to provide for reports to include such expenditures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1800—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3048.1(V), relative to the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to provide eligibility for certain program awards for students graduating from high schools or completing home study programs outside of the United States and its territories; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1801—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STELLY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1406(F), relative to motor vehicle insurance policies; to provide for loaner private passenger vehicles; to provide for primary coverage; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

SENATE BILL NO. 26—
BY SENATORS B. JONES AND BARHAM AND REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER AND GALLOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.3, relative to district court judges; to provide for an additional judge for the Third Judicial District Court; to provide for compensation for the additional judge; to provide for his election and his term of office and those of his successors in office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE BILL NO. 132—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT (BY REQUEST) AND REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2563.5(B) and 2563.17(C), relative to parish courts; to provide with respect to the salary of the judge of the Parish Court for the Parish of Ascension; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE BILL NO. 155—
BY SENATOR LAMBERT (By Request)
AN ACT

To amend R.S. 16:514(D); relative to district attorneys; to provide for certain additional assistant district attorneys and for their salaries; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE BILL NO. 254—
BY SENATOR B. JONES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1783(A)(2), relative to trustees; to provide that a bank or trust company authorized to exercise fiduciary powers may serve as a trustee of a trust; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

SENATE BILL NO. 281—
BY SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:995.1, relative to district courts; to provide with respect to judicial expense funds; to provide for the judicial building fund of the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District Court; to provide for an increase in the service charge collected in civil and criminal matters; to provide for dedication and disbursement of such funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE BILL NO. 364—
BY SENATORS ELLINGTON AND LAMBERT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:844(A) and (D) and to repeal R.S. 13:844(F), relative to clerks of court; to increase certain fees for filing, recording, or copying documents; to delete provisions requiring the payment of certain fees; to provide for the form of documents and noncompliance fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE BILL NO. 365—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5217, relative to multiple indebtedness mortgages; to provide for the fees charged by clerks of court for recording those mortgages; to provide for the form of those mortgages; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions
Reported by Committee**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to designate Louisiana Highway 96 within St. Martin Parish as a Blue Star Memorial Highway in honor of the citizens of St. Martin Parish who have served, are now serving, or will serve in the future in the armed forces of the United States and to authorize placement of a Blue Star Memorial Highway monument along this route.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—
BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHMOND AND SWILLING

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to install lighting on the northern and southern sides of Chef Menteur Highway from Downman Road to Bullard Avenue in Orleans Parish.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Second Reading Reported by Committee**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 55—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER

AN ACT

To redesignate a portion of Louisiana Highway 311 between St. Charles Avenue and Polk Street, located in Terrebonne Parish, as Veterans Parkway; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 126—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:274.3(A)(3), (C), and (D), relative to interstate highways; to provide relative to the placement of major shopping area guide signs; to provide for certain definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 126 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, between "hundred" and "thousand" change "fifty" to "forty"

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 135—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

AN ACT

To designate Chef Menteur Highway in Orleans Parish as Chef Menteur Boulevard; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 182—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:973, relative to the Lake Pontchartrain Causeway Bridge; to provide that retired or disabled firemen and policemen shall have free passage over the bridge; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 216—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE

AN ACT

To designate Louisiana Highway 3162 from Highway 1 to Highway 3235 as "Tarpon Pass"; to designate Louisiana Highway 3161 from Highway 1 to Highway 3235 as "Cote Blanche Connection"; to designate Louisiana Highway 657 from Highway 1 to Highway 3235 as "Larose Link"; to provide for signs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 243 —

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCALISE AND SWILLING

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:293, relative to the Louisiana Superdome; to authorize the transfer of the right to designate and use an alternative name and trademarks for the Louisiana Superdome; to require approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget relative to certain transactions; to require certain conditions in any agreement to transfer the right to designate and use an alternative name and trademarks for the Louisiana Superdome; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 243 by Representative Scalise

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 2, insert:

"authorize the transfer of the right to designate and use an alternative name and trademarks for the Louisiana Superdome; to require approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget relative to certain transactions; to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, on line 3, after "Louisiana;" delete "and" and insert:

"the district may authorize"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, on line 8, after "B." delete "Any agreement entered into by the" and insert "The"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, on line 9, after "District" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 10, delete "transfers" and insert:

"is authorized to sell or transfer"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 13, after "Section" delete the remainder of the line, and delete lines 14 through 18 in their entirety and insert:

"subject to the approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget. Any transaction providing for the disposition of any proceeds from the sale or transfer of such rights to any entity other than the state of Louisiana shall require approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget."

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 293—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(13) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(11)(a), relative to the Department of Economic Development, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Economic Development 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.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 295—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3269(8), relative to the Cane River Waterway Commission; to authorize the commission to levy an annual tax not to exceed six mills for capital outlay and for maintenance and operation of the waterway; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 301—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(13) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(11)(f), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Transportation and Development 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.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 301 by Representative Diez

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 2, between "July 1," and "pursuant" change "2005" to "2006"

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 312—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE

AN ACT

To enact Section 4(J) of Act No. 113 of the 1950 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, relative to the Bayou Lafourche Freshwater District; to provide for powers of the board of commissioners; to authorize the board to develop and implement measures to prevent the intrusion of salt water into the flow of fresh water; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 316—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI AND MCMAINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 303(7), 424.7(A), 438(C) and (D), 439(C), 443, 603(8), 619(C), 620(B), 624(C), (D), and (E), 626(B), 629, 630, 672, 672.1(D), 688, 702(C) through (G), 710(A)(introductory paragraph) and (C), 745(C), 776(A), 841(C), 1004(G), 1037.1, 1128, 1131(A), 1137(C), 1144(B), 1146(B) and (C), 1195(C), 1196(D), 1223(B)(4), 1223.1(C)(1)(A), 1243(A) and (C), and 1249 and Code of Civil Procedure Article 10(A)(1); to enact Children's Code Articles 438(E) and 439.1, 624(F), 710(D), and 1196(E); and to repeal Children's Code Articles 617(G) and (H), 618(G) and (H), and 702(H), relative to children; to provide for the continuous revision of the Children's Code; to provide for further implementation of the Adoption and Safe Families Act of 1999; to provide for children in need of care, court-appointed and court-approved administrative bodies, instanter orders, continued custody, informal adjustment agreements, assignment of custody of children, reunification efforts, and permanency hearings and orders; to provide for mediation in the Children's Code, selection and qualification of mediators, and preparation of mediation agreements; to provide for jurisdiction over children and minors; to provide for the effect of informal family services plan agreements, permanency planning reports, informal adjustment agreements, authorizations to file petitions for termination of

parental rights, continued contact with biological relatives, notice of opposition to adoptions, fee disclosure, intrafamily adoptions, and service and jurisdiction in adoption proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 316 by Representative Ansardi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "303(7)," and before "438(C)" insert "424.7(A),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 13, after "303(7)," and before "438(C)" insert "424.7(A),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"Art. 424.7. CASA; reports

A. ~~All reports of the CASA volunteer shall be submitted to the court and, except as otherwise provided in Paragraph B, all reports shall be distributed to all counsel of record and any unrepresented party prior to the next scheduled hearing. The CASA program shall submit reports to the court. Except as provided in Paragraph B, it shall distribute a copy of such reports prior to or at the same time it is submitted to the court to all counsel of record, any unrepresented party and the department.~~

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, line 8, change "each of the parties that he" to "the parties that each of them"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 6, line 25, after "Services" change "nor subject to its supervision or direction" to "or the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, nor subject to the supervision or direction of either department"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 12, line 7, change "Article 619," to "Articles 619,"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 18, line 28, change "Continued" to "Continuing"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 19, line 4, change "continued" to "continuing"

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AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 19, line 6, change "continued" to "continuing"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 19, line 8, change "continued" to "continuing"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 19, line 9, change "continued" to "continuing"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 19, at the beginning of line 10, delete "the final decree of adoption is rendered or"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 19, line 11, after "Article" insert a comma "," and insert "or the final decree of adoption is rendered"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 19, line 12, change "continued" to "continuing"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 26, line 12, after "father" and before "signature" insert "name or"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 27, line 7, change "the adoptive" to "an adoptive" and change "the biological" to "a biological"

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 318—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI, CLARKSON AND MCMAINS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 668, 675(B)(4), 702(E) through (H), 1218, and 1240 and to enact Children's Code Articles 675(B)(5), 702(I), 1042(D), 1146(D), 1208(D), and Chapter 14-A of Title XII of the Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 1269.1 through 1269.7, relative to adoption; to provide for continuing contact between a child and certain individuals in agency adoptions; to provide for continuing contact agreements and declarations, filings, court approval, effect, agreements confected after final decrees of adoption, enforcement, and modification; to provide for assessments of an adopted child's continuing contact with certain individuals in predisposition reports, case plans, permanency hearings, and reviews by counsel; to provide for hearings and the effect of a final decree of adoption, and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 318 by Representative Ansardi

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 13, after "parent," and before "sibling," insert "grandparent,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the beginning of line 6, add "grandparents,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 7, line 1, after "Parents," and before "siblings," insert "grandparents,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 8, line 11, after "if" and before the colon ":" insert "both of the following conditions are met"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 8, line 24, after "individual" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 25 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 8, line 26, at the beginning, before "meets" insert "who" and after "requirements of" and before "of the" change "Paragraph A," to "Paragraphs A or B,"

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 323—

BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:3813.2(D), relative to the Tangipahoa Water District; to provide relative to the terms of office of the members of the board of commissioners of the district; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 333—

BY REPRESENTATIVES POWELL AND ERDEY
AN ACT

To designate Louisiana Highway 43 in Livingston Parish from its intersection with Louisiana Highway 42, north through the village of Albany, Louisiana, to its intersection with U.S. Highway 190 as Veterans Highway; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 346—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCALLUM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1783(A)(2), relative to trusts; to provide for trustees; to provide criteria allowing certain financial institutions to serve as a trustee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 478—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:1794(A)(2)(a), (B), (F), and (G), relative to the compensation of members of the boards of commissioners of certain drainage districts; to provide for an increase in the maximum per diem of such members; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 711—
BY REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON AND DOWNER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:109(E)(15) and R.S. 37:3391, 3392(9), 3394(A), (B)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (H), and 3406(B) and (D), relative to the Louisiana Real Estate Appraisers State Board of Certification; to remove the board from under the jurisdiction of the Louisiana Real Estate Commission; to revise the name of the board; to change the membership of the board; to revise the quorum requirements of the board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 711 by Representative Clarkson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 19, after "Appraisers" and before "Board" delete "State" and after "Board" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the end of line 23, insert "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, after line 24, insert the following:

"Section 3. If House Bill 1448 of the 2001 Regular Session becomes law, the Louisiana Real Estate Appraisers Board will be transferred from the Department of Economic Development to the Office of the Governor pursuant thereto."

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 720—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND ANSARDI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 1263, 1314, 1701(B), 1702(A), 1913, 2004, 3612, 4905, and 4922, relative to the continuous revision of the Code of Civil Procedure; to provide for service of process on a partnership in commendam; to provide for service of pleadings by the sheriff; to provide for notice of judgments; to provide for the award of attorney fees in certain cases; to provide for the furnishing of a bond in certain appeals; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 720 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, immediately after line 2, add:

"C. Notice of the signing of a default judgment against a defendant on whom citation was served personally, and who filed no exceptions or answer, shall be mailed by the clerk of court to the defendant at the address where personal service was obtained or to the last known address of the defendant."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, at the beginning of line 8, change "C." to "D."

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 721—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND ANSARDI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2166(D) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2166(E), relative to the filing of applications of writs of certiorari to the supreme court; to allow any other party to apply for certiorari within certain delays after the filing of the initial application; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 722—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS, ANSARDI, AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 2332 and 2336, relative to the appraisal and sale of seized property; to provide for the sale of collateral through a writ of fieri facias without appraisal in an ordinary proceeding under certain circumstances; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 730—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(7)(i) and (10)(t), relative to local sales and use taxes; to exclude the sale, lease, or rental of tangible personal property by a person if such sale, lease, or rental is covered under the provisions of Medicare; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 846—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND ANSARDI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1789, 1891(A), 1932, 1961(C), 2026(2), 2030, 2045 and 2088(A) and to enact R.S. 9:1784, relative to the Louisiana Trust Code; to provide for the removal of a trustee; to provide for class trusts; to provide for the donation of property; to provide for the interest of the income beneficiary; to provide for the termination or modification of a trust; to provide for combination and division of trusts; to provide for the delegation of the right to revoke a trust; to provide for accountings; to provide for jurisdiction over the trustee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 896—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:304(F), relative to the state sales and use tax; to permit a dealer to absorb the tax under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 896 by Representative Johns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

"To amend and reenact R.S. 47:304(F), relative to the state sales and use tax; to permit a dealer to absorb the tax under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "hereby" delete the remainder of the line and insert "amended and reenacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"§304. Treatment of tax by dealer

* * *

F.(1) No dealer shall advertise or hold out to the public, in any manner, directly or indirectly, that he will absorb all or part of the tax or that he will relieve the purchaser from the payment of all or any part of the tax unless:

(a) The dealer includes in the advertisement that any portion of the tax not paid by the purchaser will be remitted on his behalf by the dealer.

(b) The dealer furnishes the purchaser with written evidence that the dealer will be liable for and pay any tax the purchaser was relieved from paying under this Paragraph himself. The failure of the purchaser to maintain such written evidence will be presumptive evidence that no tax was paid and the purchaser will be liable for the tax.

(2) Whoever violates this provision with respect to advertising shall be fined not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than two hundred fifty dollars, or imprisoned for not more than three months, or both. For a second or subsequent offense, the penalty shall be double.

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On motion of Rep. Hammett, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 923—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PINAC AND DANIEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:303(B)(7), relative to the sales and use tax; to provide for the responsibility for collection and remittance of the tax with regard to a motor vehicle lease agreement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 923 by Representative Pinac

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 2, after "Whenever a", delete the remainder of the line, and delete lines 3 through 6 in their entirety and insert the following:

"licensed dealer in motor vehicles sells, assigns, or otherwise transfers an agreement for the lease of a motor vehicle to a licensed lessor of motor vehicles for whom the licensed dealer has prepared the agreement, the transfer shall include all unremitted taxes collected by the licensed dealer, and the licensed lessor shall have the sole responsibility for remitting such taxes to the proper taxing authorities."

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 993—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT AND DANIEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:128(B)(1), relative to capital outlay budget execution; to exempt from inclusion in the capital outlay budget certain projects for certain higher education institutions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 993 by Representative Hammett

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 14 and insert "three hundred fifty thousand dollars" and at the beginning of line 15, delete "revenue."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert "A state college, university, or higher education facility may not incur debt to fund any project that is not included in the capital outlay budget."

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 997—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2412(B) and 2413(A), relative to garnishment under a writ of fieri facias; to provide for service of garnishment petitions; to provide for notice of contradictory hearings when a garnishee fails to answer; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 997 by Representative McMains

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 3, change "department's" to "department"

On motion of Rep. McMains, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1083—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAINS AND ANSARDI
(On Recommendation of the Louisiana State Law Institute)
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2082, 2086, 2087, 2090, 2127, and 2142, to authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate Subpart E of Part V of Chapter 1 of Code Title II of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as Subpart F and to enact a new Subpart E of Part V of Chapter 1 of Code Title II of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 to be comprised of R.S. 9:2158 through 2163, and to repeal R.S. 9:2116, relative to the Louisiana Trust Code, to provide for a duty of impartiality in the administration of a trust; to provide for self-dealing by a corporate trustee; to provide for delegating performance; to provide for prudent administration; to provide for the standard of care in investing and management; to provide for income and principal; to provide for remedies when a trustee has abused his discretion; to provide for effective dates and transitional provisions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1095—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1469, relative to real estate; to require contracts of sale or lease to contain certain notices; to provide for prospective application; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1843, relative to the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission; to increase per diem for members; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1190—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHWEGMANN AND SENATOR BOISSIERE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:336(B)(2)(b), relative to property of the Orleans Levee District along Lake Pontchartrain; to exempt a specified piece of property from dedication to use as green space; to provide for sale or lease of such property; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 1190 by Representative Schwegmann

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 13, after "park" delete the period "." and insert "and the general public."

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1232—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3392(10), 3396(D) and (E), 3398(B), and 3408(B), relative to real estate appraisers; to provide for definitions; to revise provisions relative to the certification and examination of real estate appraisers; to provide for continuing education; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 1232 by Representative Clarkson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 37:3392(10)" and before "and" insert a comma "," and "3396(D) and (E), 3398(B),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "definitions;" insert "to revise provisions relative to the certification and examination of real estate appraisers;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "R.S. 37:3392(10)" and before "and" insert a comma "," and "3396(D) and (E), 3398(B),"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

"§3396. Applications for certification

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D.(1) Certificates shall be granted only to persons who bear a good reputation for honesty, trustworthiness, integrity, and competence to perform real estate appraisals and only after satisfactory proof of such qualifications has been presented to the board.

(2) When an applicant has been convicted of forgery, embezzlement, obtaining money under false pretense, larceny, extortion, conspiracy to defraud, or theft, or has been convicted of a felony or a crime of moral turpitude in any court of competent jurisdiction, such untrustworthiness of the applicant, and the conviction, may in itself be sufficient grounds for refusal of a certificate.

(3) When an applicant has made a false statement of material fact on his application, such false statement may in itself be sufficient grounds for refusal to certify.

E. Suspension or revocation or grounds for suspension or revocation of a real estate appraiser certificate or license, or suspension or revocation of a real estate salesperson or broker license in Louisiana, or any other jurisdiction may be grounds for refusal of a certificate.

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§3398. Examination

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~~B. If an applicant is not certified within five years after passing an examination given pursuant to the provisions of this Section, he shall be required to retake the examination. Effective August 1, 2001, any applicant not certified within two years after passing an examination given pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be required to retake and pass the examination.~~

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On motion of Rep. Pinac, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1274—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PINAC, DEWITT, MCMAINS, LEBLANC, K. CARTER, M. JACKSON, AND SCALISE AND SENATORS HOLLIS, HAINKEL, DARDENNE, ELLINGTON, AND MICHOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:306(A)(3)(a) and (B)(4) and 318(B)(1) and (D) and to repeal R.S. 47:318(B)(2)(c) and (C), relative to economic development; to provide relative to compensation for dealers and manufacturers remitting certain taxes; to provide relative to the rate of compensation; to provide for the funding of certain programs; to repeal provisions relative to the deposit of certain monies into the Workforce Development and Training Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 1274 by Representative Pinac, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 23, after "Bill" insert "1666 or Senate Bill 906"

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1281—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1447, relative to real estate licensees; to prohibit solicitation of certain referral fees; to prohibit interference with brokerage relationships; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 1281 by Representative Clarkson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "unless" and before the colon ":" insert "both of the following occur"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, after "payment" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period "."

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER AND MONTGOMERY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:299.2(1)(a)(vii) and 299.11(9), relative to offset claims against individual income tax refunds; to authorize the Louisiana Board of Ethics to file such claim; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1448—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PINAC, DEWITT, MCMAINS, LEBLANC, K. CARTER, M. JACKSON, AND SCALISE AND SENATORS DARDENNE, HAINKEL, HOLLIS, ELLINGTON, AND MICHOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:61(A), 143(2) and (3), 144(A), 161(B), and 161.2(B), R.S. 6:101(A) and 966(J)(4)(f), R.S. 8:61(A), R.S. 9:3574.2(4), R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(a), R.S. 25:900(C)(1), R.S. 27:323(B)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 30:2308(4), R.S. 32:772(A)(1) and 1253(A)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 34:3405(B), R.S. 36:101(C)(1), 107(A), 801(introductory paragraph), 801.1(A), 802(introductory paragraph), and 803(A), and 921(A), R.S. 37:74(A), 142, 493(A)(1), 1432(A), 1474(A), 1782(1), 2151(A)(introductory paragraph), 2303(A)(1), 2551(A), 2835(A)(1), 3103(A)(6), 3111(A), 3173(A)(1) and 3394(A), R.S. 44:5, R.S. 46:231.12(A)(6) and 1443(A)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 48:1403, R.S. 49:191(13), 229.1(B)(1), and 968(B)(1) and (2)(a), and R.S. 51:703(G)(introductory paragraph), 1923(3) and (7), 1924(G), 2377(A), 2379(A)(3), 2383(B)(3), 2388(5) and 2402(A), to enact R.S. 36:4.1 and 209(R), and to repeal R.S. 12:492(E), R.S. 36:108(C), 109(B), (C), (E), (G)(2) and (3), (I)(2), (K), (L), and (S), R.S. 40:2745(B)(9), R.S. 46:1443(A)(11) and Part VII of Chapter 3 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:981 through 984, relative to economic development; to transfer certain boards, commissions, and offices out of the Department of Economic Development; to provide for changes to various occupational and licensing boards; to provide relative to the Louisiana State Racing Commission; to provide relative to the commissioner of financial institutions and to create the Office of Financial Institutions as a state agency within the office of the governor; to provide relative to criminal records; to provide for arts programs; to provide relative to certain funds; to provide relative to resource recovery; to provide relative

to certain projects; to provide for public records; to provide relative to the secretary of the Department of Economic Development's place on certain boards; to provide for the termination of certain agencies; to provide relative to the promulgation of rules and submission of a budget; to provide relative to capital companies; to provide relative to the Louisiana Economic Development Council; to provide relative to business and industrial development corporations; to abolish certain agencies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 1448 by Representative Pinac, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, after "802(introductory paragraph)," and before "R.S." delete "and 803(A)," and insert in lieu thereof "803(A), and 921(A),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, after "51:" and before "1923(3)" insert "703(G)(introductory paragraph),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 16, after "36:" and before "109(B)," insert "108(C)," and after "(E)," and before "(I)(2)," insert "(G)(2) and (3),"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 5, after "institutions" and before the semicolon ";" insert "and to create the Office of Financial Institutions as a state agency within the office of the governor"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete lines 12 and 13 and insert in lieu thereof "governor through the commissioner of administration."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 16, after "commissioner" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 5, at the end of line 13, delete "the", and on line 14, delete "division of"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 6, line 8, after "created" delete the remainder of the line and insert "the Office of Financial Institutions as a state agency."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, line 9, after "governor" delete the comma "," and "which" and insert in lieu thereof a period "." and "It"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 12, line 5, after "802(introductory paragraph)," and before "are" delete "and 803(A)" and insert in lieu thereof "803(A), and 921(A)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 12, at the end of line 8, add a semicolon ";" and "agencies placed within the office of the governor"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 12, line 11, after "802," and before "shall" delete "and 803" and insert in lieu thereof "803, and 921"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 12, line 13, after "means" delete the remainder of the line, and on line 14, delete "agency within the office of the governor. With" and insert in lieu thereof a comma "," and "with"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 12, line 15, after "Section," delete the remainder of the line, and on line 16, delete "secretary" in R.S. 36:802 shall mean"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 12, at the end of line 17, insert the following:

"Otherwise, the term "assistant secretary" shall have no application to the transfer or placement of agencies in the office of the governor provided in this Section and shall not be deemed to grant any power or authority to any officer or employee of the office of the governor with respect to any agency transferred to or placed within the office of the governor by this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 13, delete lines 5 through 24 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"C.(1) The Office of Financial Institutions is hereby placed within the office of the governor and shall perform and exercise its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities as provided in R.S. 36:801.1.

(2) The Office of Financial Institutions shall be a separate budget unit within the office of the governor."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 15, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"F. The Department of Occupational Standards (R.S. 37:1-15) is hereby abolished and its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities are transferred to the governor, through the commissioner of administration, in the office of the governor and hereafter shall be exercised and performed as provided in Part IV of Chapter 22 of this Title.

G. Not later than the first day of January in each year, each entity transferred or placed in the office of the governor pursuant to this Section shall submit a copy of its proposed budget for the ensuing fiscal year to each chairman of the House Committee on Commerce and the Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, pursuant to R.S. 39:1335."

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 20, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

"§921. Transfer, merger and consolidation of functions

A. The powers, duties, functions, responsibilities, programs, and operations as vested by the constitution and laws of the state, of each of the agencies abolished by the provisions of R.S. 36:4.1(F), R.S. 36:109(G), R.S. 36:159(D), R.S. 36:209(H), R.S. 36:209(I), R.S. 36:259(F), R.S. 36:259(G), R.S. 36:309(F), R.S. 36:359(G), R.S. 36:409(F), R.S. 36:459(C), R.S. 36:509(F), R.S. 36:559(D), R.S. 36:559(F), R.S. 36:610(C), R.S. 36:651(H), R.S. 36:651(K), R.S. 36:744(E), and R.S. 36:769(E), upon and after the date of each such abolition shall be exercised and performed by and be under the administration and control of the secretary of the department to which such powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities are transferred. The secretary shall assign those functions of each which are required to be performed and administered by the undersecretary of each department, as heretofore provided for each department by this Title, to the undersecretary.

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AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 25, line 6, after "any" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 7 and 8 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"agency transferred or placed within the office of the governor or transferred or placed within any agency within the office of the governor by R.S. 36:4.1."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 27, line 15, after "transferred" and before "the" delete "or place in" and insert in lieu thereof "to or placed within"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 28, line 14, after "(1)" and before "The" delete "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 28, line 15, after "those" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "agencies transferred to or placed within the" and delete lines 19 through 24 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 29, line 13, after "51:" and before "1923(3)" insert "703(G)(introductory paragraph),"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 29, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

"§703. Registration of dealers, salesmen, and investment advisers; surety bonds; records

* * *

G. Fees. The following fees shall be paid in advance to the commissioner and shall be transmitted by him to the state treasurer on or before the tenth day of each succeeding month, for credit to the state general fund; provided that the commissioner of securities shall retain an amount sufficient to properly administer the provisions of this Part and to provide a sufficient number of examiners and other personnel necessary for the purpose and for all other expenses incurred in the operation of ~~his office~~ the Office of Financial Institutions:

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AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 32, line 6, after "36:" and before "109(B)," insert "108(C)," and after "(E)," and before "(I)(2)," insert "(G)(2) and (3),"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 32, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"Section 19. In the event that House Bill 1666 or Senate Bill 906 of the Regular Session of 2001 is enacted and becomes effective, then the provisions of R.S. 36:101(C)(1) as enacted in House Bill 1666 or Senate Bill 906 shall take precedence over the same provisions contained in this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 32, line 10, after "Section" and before "(A)" change "19." to "20.", and after "the" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety, and on line 11, delete "the commissioner of financial institutions and his staff are" and insert in lieu thereof "Office of Financial Institutions is hereby"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 32, line 13, after "The" and before "in" delete "commissioner and his staff" and insert in lieu thereof "Office of Financial Institutions, created as a state agency pursuant to R.S. 6:101 et seq." and after "governor" and before "shall" insert a comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 32, line 14, after "institutions" and before the period "." insert "in the Department of Economic Development"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 32, line 17, after "obligations of the" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "Office of Financial Institutions.", and delete line 19 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "Office of Financial Institutions."

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1521—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FUTRELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:461.4(b)(3), relative to advertising signs; to provide that certain signs shall not be placed in a stacked configuration; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 1521 by Representative Futrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 3, after "configuration;" insert "to provide for an effective date;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 13, after "as of" delete "July 31, 2001," and insert "the effective date of this Act"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, after line 15, insert the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided in Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1526—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5161, relative to mortgages; to provide for the cancellation of mortgages; to provide for the reinscription of mortgages; to provide for prescription of reinscription; to provide for the effects of reinscription; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. McMains, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1657—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FUTRELL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:381.2(G), relative to rights-of-way; to provide relative to an annual report by the secretary; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 1657 by Representative Futrell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5 after "is hereby" delete the remainder of the line and insert "enacted to read"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 11 through 17 in their entirety and insert the following:

"G. The secretary shall prepare and submit an annual report to the House and Senate Transportation, Highways and Public Works Committees, which summarizes the activities, revenues, and expenditures of the right-of-way permit office related to the administration of R.S. 48:381.1 and 381.2. The first annual report required under the provisions of this Subsection shall contain a summary of the activities, revenues, and expenditures of the right-of-way permit office from the beginning of the program to date and shall be submitted to the House and Senate Transportation, Highways and Public Works Committees not later than August 15, 2001. Each subsequent annual report shall be submitted not later than ninety days following the end of each fiscal year and shall contain the following information:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 10 through 26 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(e) A description, including the location, of any shared resources used by the department.

(3) Number of fiber optic permits issued by the department.

(4) Names of all active permittees.

(5) Information on all permits which have been revoked including the reason for revocation.

(6) Status of all pending permit applications.

(7) Amount of fees collected by the department from permittees.

(8) Copies of all rules promulgated by the department and all notices of intent to promulgate administrative rules.

(9) Description and summary of all meetings with industry members or their representatives.

(10) Other information the secretary deems helpful regarding fiber-optic cable within highway rights-of-way."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Diez, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1666—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PINAC, DEWITT, MCMAINS, LEBLANC, K. CARTER, M. JACKSON, SCALISE, E. ALEXANDER, BROOME, BRUCE, CROWE, DOERGE, FLAVIN, FRITH, LAFLEUR, NEVERS, SCHWEGMANN, GARY SMITH, AND SNEED AND SENATORS DARDENNE, HAINKEL, HOLLIS, ELLINGTON, AND MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:101(A) and 966(J)(4)(f), R.S. 9:3574.2(4), R.S. 36:101(C)(1), 107(A), 108, and 201(C)(1), R.S. 37:1782(1), R.S. 44:5, R.S. 47:1123(2) and (9), 1125, and 4313(B)(1), R.S. 49:191(13) and 968(B)(1) and (21)(a), and R.S. 51:1786(4), 1923(3) and (7), 2302(7), (8), (9), and (10), 2311(A)(1) and (E), 2312(A)(introductory paragraph), (5), (6), and (7), 2316, 2319, 2332(2) and (3), 2333, 2335(B), 2336(2), 2337, 2341(A), (B), (C), (D), and (F), and 2388(5), to enact R.S. 36:4.1, 101(C)(3) and 109(D)(2), (3), and (4) and R.S. 51:938.1, 938.2, Part II of Chapter 3 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:941 through 945, R.S. 51:2302(11) and (12), 2311(A)(2)(j), (k), and (l), and 2312(A)(8), (9), and (10), and to repeal Chapter 4-A of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:315 through 317, R.S. 36:109(B)(3), (H), and (R), 208(G), 209(S), and 917, and Chapter 20 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:1751 through 1766, Chapter 32 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2131 through 2134, Chapter 33 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2141, and R.S. 51:2323, 2332(6), 2334, 2341(E), and 2342, relative to economic development; to modify the structure of the Department of Economic Development; to provide for the creation of the Office of Financial Institutions as a state agency and its placement in the office of the governor and the repeal of the transfer of the commissioner of securities to the Department of

Economic Development; to provide relative to the offices of the department and their duties; to provide relative to the assistant secretaries; to provide relative to the offices of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide relative to public records, termination of agencies, and review of agency rules; to provide for definitions; to provide for tax incentives for motion picture production companies; to provide relative to tax exemptions; to repeal provisions relative to the Louisiana Music Commission and to provide for its re-creation, composition, and duties; to repeal provisions relative to the office of film and video and the Louisiana Film and Video Commission and to provide for the re-creation of the commission, its composition, and its duties; to repeal provisions relative to the division of small and emerging business development and create the Small and Emerging Business Development Program in the Department of Economic Development; to provide for the functions of the program; to repeal the provisions relative to the Small and Emerging Business Development Advisory Council and to provide for its re-creation, composition, and duties; to provide relative to the findings relative to and purposes of the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation; to increase the number of members on the corporation board; to add additional powers and duties for the corporation; to provide relative to the staff of the corporation; to provide for a quarterly report of the corporation; to provide relative to the Louisiana Small Business Incubator Program; to provide for the issuance of loans and guarantees; to provide relative to the Workforce Development and Training Program; to provide for the administration of the program; to provide relative to the Economic Development Award Program; to provide for the administration of the program; to repeal the Small Business Incubator Fund, the Workforce Development and Training Fund, the Economic Diversification Marketing Fund, and the Economic Development Award Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 1666 by Representative Pinac, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" and before "R.S." insert "R.S. 6:101(A) and 966(J)(4)(f), R.S. 9:3574.2(4)," and after "201(C)(1)," and before "R.S." insert "R.S. 37:1782(1), R.S. 44:5,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "4313(B)(1)," and before "and" insert "R.S. 49:191(13) and 968(B)(1) and (21)(a)."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, before "2302(7)," insert "1923(3) and (7)," and after "2311(A)(1)" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "and (E)."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 6, delete "2321(B), 2324(A)(1) and (B)(1)."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 7, after "2337" and before "2341(A)" delete "and" and after "(F)," and before "to" insert "and 2388(5),"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 8, after "36:" and before "101(C)(3)" insert "4.1,"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, at the beginning of line 11, delete "2311(2)(j) and (k)," and insert in lieu thereof "2311(A)(2)(j), (k), and (l),"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 1, line 13, after "36:109" and before "and" delete "(H)" and insert "(B)(3), (H),"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 1, after "2134," and before "2141" insert "Chapter 33 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 3, after "Development;" and before "to" insert "to provide for the creation of the Office of Financial Institutions as a state agency and its placement in the office of the governor and the repeal of the transfer of the commissioner of securities to the Department of Economic Development;"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 6, after "Tourism;" and before "to" insert "to provide relative to public records, termination of agencies, and review of agency rules;"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, line 19, after "the" and before "purposes" insert "findings relative to and"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, line 21, after "duties" and before the semicolon ";" insert "for the corporation"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 3, after "Training Fund," and before "and" insert "the Economic Diversification Marketing Fund,"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 6:101(A) and 966(J)(4)(f) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§101. Establishment of office; commissioner

A. There is hereby created ~~an office of financial institutions~~ the Office of Financial Institutions as a state agency, within the office of the governor, which shall have supervisory and regulatory jurisdiction over all financial institutions and other persons as provided by this Title, and such other jurisdiction as is conferred on the office or commissioner in other legislation.

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(f) To receive a license required by this Subsection an applicant shall post a bond in the aggregate amount of one hundred thousand dollars. The bond shall be filed with the Office of Financial Institutions within the ~~Department of Economic Development~~ office of the governor, or the applicant may file proof satisfactory to the commissioner of financial institutions that he is bonded under his membership in one or more of the organizations listed in Subparagraph (d) of this Subsection in an amount at least equal to one hundred thousand dollars.

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Section 2. R.S. 9:3574.2(4) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§3574.2. Definitions

As used in this Part, unless the context otherwise requires:

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(4) "Office" means the Office of Financial Institutions in the ~~Department of Economic Development~~ office of the governor.

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AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, line 7, change "Section 1." to "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 3, line 8, after "36:" and before "and" delete "101(C)(3)" and insert in lieu thereof "4.1, 101(C)(3),"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 3, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"§4.1. Agency placed within the office of the governor

A.(1) With regard to the agency placed within the office of the governor pursuant to the provisions of this Section, the following terms used in R.S. 36:801.1 shall have the following meanings when used in that Section:

(a) "Department" means the office of the governor.

(b) "Secretary" means the governor through the commissioner of administration.

(c) "Undersecretary" means the commissioner of administration.

(2) The term "assistant secretary" shall have no application to the transfer or placement of the agency placed in the office of the governor as provided in this Section and shall not be deemed to grant any power or authority to any officer or employee of the office of the governor with respect to any agency transferred to or placed within the office of the governor by this Section.

B.(1) The Office of Financial Institutions is hereby placed within the office of the governor and shall perform and exercise its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities as provided in R.S. 36:801.1.

(2) The Office of Financial Institutions shall be a separate budget unit within the office of the governor.

C. Not later than the first day of January in each year, the agency placed in the office of the governor pursuant to this Section shall submit a copy of its proposed budget for the ensuing fiscal year to each chairman of the House Committee on Commerce and the Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, pursuant to R.S. 39:1335.

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AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 3, delete lines 21 through 25 in their entirety, and on page 4, delete lines 1 through 9 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(3)(a) However, the department shall be prohibited from employing, appointing, or assigning any of the following persons to positions within the department for a period of two years following the termination of their public service as any of the following:

(i) An elected official who was serving in such capacity as of March 26, 2001.

(ii) An appointee or employee of the executive branch of state government who was subject to Senate confirmation and who was appointed or employed as of March 26, 2001. However, officers and employees of the Department of Economic Development, the Louisiana Music Commission, and the office of film and video within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism shall be exempted from this Subparagraph.

(iii) An officer, appointee, or employee of the office of the governor as of March 26, 2001.

(b) The department shall also be prohibited from contracting with any of the persons described in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph for a period of two years following the termination of their public service in the capacities described in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 5, line 3, after "the" and before "attraction" delete "formation,"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 7, line 22, after "impair" and before "Louisiana" insert "the growth, expansion, development, and retention of"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 8, line 4, after "develop and" and before "a" change "pursue" to "implement"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 8, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"(19) It shall promote and develop popular commercial music and its related industry in Louisiana.

(20) It shall perform and have responsibility for the functions of the state relative to the development of the film and video industry in the state."

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 9, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"Section 4. R.S. 37:1782(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1782. Definitions

As used in this Part:

(1) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of the Office of Financial Institutions within the ~~Department of Economic Development~~ office of the governor.

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Section 5. R.S. 44:5 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§5. Records in custody of governor

A. This Chapter shall not apply to any of the books, records, writings, accounts, letters, letter books, photographs or copies thereof, ordinarily kept in the custody or control of the governor in the usual course of the duties and business of his office. However, the provisions of this Subsection shall not apply to any state agency placed within the governor's office pursuant to R.S. 36:4.1.

B. The provisions of this Section shall not prevent any person otherwise herein authorized so to do from examining and copying any books, records, papers, accounts, or other documents pertaining to any money or moneys monies or any financial transactions in the control of or handled by or through the governor."

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 9, line 6, change "Section 2." to "Section 6."

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 11, line 3, after "secretary" and before "shall" insert "of the Department of Economic Development"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 11, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"Section 7. R.S. 49:191(13) and 968(B)(1) and (21)(a) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§191. Termination of legislative authority for existence of statutory entities; phase-out period for statutory entities; table of dates

Notwithstanding any termination dates set by any previous Act of the legislature, the statutory entities set forth in this Section shall begin to terminate their operations on July first of each of the following years and all legislative authority for the existence of any statutory entity, as defined in R.S. 49:190, shall cease as of July first of the following year, which shall be the termination date:

* * *

(13) July 1, 2005:

(a) The Department of Agriculture and Forestry and all statutory entities made a part of the department by law.

(b) Those entities placed within the office of the governor pursuant to R.S. 36:4.1.

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§968. Review of agency rules; fees

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B. Prior to the adoption, amendment, or repeal of any rule or the adoption, increasing, or decreasing of any fee, the agency shall submit a report relative to such proposed rule change or fee adoption, increase, or decrease to the appropriate standing committees of the legislature and the presiding officers of the respective houses as provided in this Section. The report shall be so submitted on the same day the notice of the intended action is submitted to the Louisiana Register for publication in accordance with R.S. 49:953(A)(1). The report shall be submitted to each standing committee at the committee's office in the state capitol by certified mail with return receipt requested or by messenger who shall provide a receipt for signature. The return receipt or the messenger's receipt shall be proof of receipt of the report by the committee.

(1) The Department of Economic Development, and all of the agencies made a part of it, and those agencies placed within the office of the governor pursuant to R.S. 36:4.1, shall submit the report to the House Committee on Commerce and the Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

* * *

(21)(a) ~~The~~ Except as provided in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the office of the governor and the office of the lieutenant governor and all of the agencies within or part of either and any other agency for which provisions are not otherwise made in this Subsection, shall submit the report to the speaker of the House of Representatives and the president of the Senate, except that executive orders duly issued by the governor and attested to by the secretary of state are exempt from the provisions of this Chapter. The speaker of the House of Representatives and the president of the Senate shall promptly forward the report to the appropriate standing committee of their respective houses.

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AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 11, line 10, change "Section 3." to "Section 8." and after "1786(4)," and before "2302(7)," insert "1923(3) and (7),"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 11, at the beginning of line 11, delete "(2)(h) and"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 11, line 12, delete "2321(B), 2324(A)(1) and (B)(1),"

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 11, line 13, after "2337," and before "2341(A)" delete "and" and after "(F)" and before "are" insert a comma "," and "and 2388(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 11, line 14, after "51:938.1" and before "938.2" change the comma "," to "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 11, at the beginning of line 16, change "2302(11) and (12), 2311(j) and (k)" to "R.S. 51:2302(11) and (12), 2311(A)(2)(j), (k), and (l)"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 12, line 11, after "purpose" and before the period "." insert "and pursuant to the travel rules adopted by the division of administration"

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 12, line 19, after "Section" and before the comma "," delete "properly"

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 13, line 11, after "functions" and before the period "." insert "relative to the promotion and development of popular commercial music and its related industry in Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 15, line 12, after "duties" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and "pursuant to the travel rules adopted by the division of administration"

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 15, delete lines 20 and 21 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 15, at the beginning of line 22, change "J." to "I.", and delete lines 25 and 26 in their entirety and insert the following:

"I. With the advice of the commission, the department shall promote the development of the film and video industry in this state and may engage in the following activities:"

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 17, at the beginning of line 15, change "L." to "K.", and at the beginning of line 19, change "M." to "L."

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 18, line 20, after "capital" and before "opportunities" insert "or credit"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 19, at the end of line 11 and the beginning of line 12, delete "and diversity"

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 19, delete lines 19 through 22 in their entirety, and at the beginning of line 23, change "(4)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 20, at the beginning of line 1, change "(5)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 20, line 9, after "businesses" and before the period "." insert the following:

"and may charge application fees as necessary to cover the costs associated with administering the program in a manner consistent with the financial and economic benefits and risks of the program to the state"

AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 20, line 15, after "Act" delete the remainder of the line, and on line 16, delete "necessary"

AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 20, line 23, after "certification" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 24 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"are subject to the review of an administrative law judge, from the division of administrative law, upon the aggrieved party requesting an adjudicatory hearing for the review of the department's decision pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 13-B of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950."

AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 20, delete lines 25 and 26, and on page 21, delete lines 1 through 5 and insert the following:

"H. No applicant or employee of the department shall commit the crime of deceptive certification of a small and emerging business as provided for in R.S. 51:944."

AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 21, line 6, after "J.(1)" and before "received" delete "State funds" and insert in lieu thereof "Funds"

AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 22, line 4, after "finance" and before "within" insert "and the assistant secretary of the office of business development"

AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 22, line 13, after "members" and before the colon ":" delete "as follows"

AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 23, line 6, after "purpose" and before the period "." insert "and pursuant to the travel rules adopted by the division of administration"

AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 23, line 12, after "for" and before "of" change "determination" to "certification"

AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 24, line 7, after "51:942" and before the period "." insert "or any similar program conducted or funded by the state or a political subdivision thereof"

AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 24, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"B. Any employee of the department who, with the intent to defraud, knowingly commits any of the acts provided for in Subsection A of this Section or knowingly assists an applicant in committing any such acts shall be guilty of the crime of deceptive certification of a small and emerging business and shall be subject to any penalties or other court orders provided for in this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 24, at the beginning of line 15, change "B." to "C.", and at the beginning of line 19, change "C." to "D."

AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 25, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

"§1923. Definitions

For the purposes of this Chapter, the following terms shall have the meanings provided herein, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

* * *

(3) "Department" means the Office of Financial Institutions within the ~~Department of Economic Development~~ office of the governor.

* * *

(7) "Secretary" means the ~~secretary of the Department of Economic Development, through the~~ commissioner of the Office of Financial Institutions.

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AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 27, line 23, after "of" and before "members" change "eleven" to "twelve"

AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 27, line 24, after "and" and before "members" change "ten" to "eleven"

AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 28, delete lines 5 through 8

AMENDMENT NO. 61

On page 28, between lines 13 and 14, and insert the following:

"(l) One member who is appointed from a list of three private sector individuals submitted by the Louisiana Workforce Commission."

AMENDMENT NO. 62

On page 28, line 15, after "E." and before "members" change "Six" to "Seven"

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AMENDMENT NO. 63

On page 28, line 19, after "assistance," delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "loans," and at the end of line 20, delete "and", and on line 21, between "programs" and "administered" insert a comma "," and "and any related appropriations, grants, or joint ventures"

AMENDMENT NO. 64

On page 30, line 11, after "House" and before "and" delete "and Senate Commerce Committees" and insert in lieu thereof "Committee on Commerce, the Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection."

AMENDMENT NO. 65

On page 30, line 14, after "all" and before "applicants" insert "approved"

AMENDMENT NO. 66

On page 30, delete lines 21 through 23, and on page 31, delete lines 1 through 18

AMENDMENT NO. 67

On page 33, line 21, after "Budget" and before "in" insert a comma "," and "the House Committee on Commerce, and the Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection"

AMENDMENT NO. 68

On page 35, line 10, after "Budget" and before "in" insert a comma "," and "the House Committee on Commerce, and the Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection"

AMENDMENT NO. 69

On page 35, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"§2388. Definitions

The following words and phrases as used in this Chapter shall have the following meanings unless a different meaning clearly appears from the context:

* * *

(5) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of the Office of Financial Institutions ~~of the Department of Economic Development~~ within the office of the governor.

* * *"

AMENDMENT NO. 70

On page 35, line 18, change "Section 4." to "Section 9."

AMENDMENT NO. 71

On page 35, line 19, after "36:109" and before "and" delete "(H)" and insert in lieu thereof "(B)(3), (H),"

AMENDMENT NO. 72

On page 36, line 1, change "Section 5." to "Section 10."

AMENDMENT NO. 73

On page 36, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"Section 11.(A) On July 1, 2001, the Office of Financial Institutions is hereby placed within the office of the governor as provided in this Act.

(B) The Office of Financial Institutions, created as a state agency pursuant to R.S. 6:101 et seq. in the office of the governor, shall be the successor to the former office of financial institutions in the Department of Economic Development. All unfinished business of the former office shall be completed by, all references in laws and documents to the former office shall be deemed to refer to, and all obligations of the former office shall be the obligations of the Office of Financial Institutions. All funds and property of the former office shall be transferred to the Office of Financial Institutions.

Section 12. All assets, liabilities, and fund balances of the Small Business Surety Bonding Fund created pursuant to R.S. 51:1766 shall be transferred to the Small Business Surety Bonding Fund created pursuant to R.S. 51:942(J) upon the effective date of this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 74

On page 36, line 8, change "Section 6." to "Section 13."

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1742—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CLARKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1437(C)(2)(a) and (5)(a) and 1466(H), relative to the Louisiana Real Estate Commission; to provide with respect to licensure requirements for real estate brokers and salespersons; to provide for certain insurance coverage on certain licensees of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce.

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1794—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC

AN ACT

To appropriate funds from the State General Fund to the State Employees' Group Benefits Program for the Fiscal Year 2000-2001; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions on third reading for final consideration were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX, FRITH, HILL, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, R. CARTER, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, DEVILLIER, DOERGE, DOWNER, DURAND, GREEN, HAMMETT, HEATON, HUDSON, L. JACKSON, LEBLANC, MCDONALD, NEVERS, ODINET, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, QUEZAIRE, ROMERO, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WELCH, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of motor vehicles, Department of Public Safety and Corrections, to keep its local offices open and operational.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Faucheux, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on third reading and final passage were taken up and acted upon as follows:

Local and Consent Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 292—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:179.2, relative to horse racing; to provide relative to horsemen's organizations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, R	Guillory	Pitre
Ansardi	Hammett	Pratt
Baudoin	Heaton	Quezaire
Baylor	Hebert	Richmond
Bowler	Hopkins	Romero
Bruce	Hunter	Salter
Bruneau	Hutter	Scalise
Carter, K	Iles	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Smith, G.—56th
Cazayoux	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico	LaFleur	Sneed
Daniel	Lancaster	Stelly
Dartez	Landrieu	Strain
Devillier	LeBlanc	Thompson
Diez	Lucas	Toomy
Doerge	Martiny	Townsend
Donelon	McCallum	Triche

Downer	McDonald	Waddell
Durand	McMains	Walsworth
Farrar	McVea	Welch
Faucheux	Montgomery	Winston
Flavin	Morrell	Wooton
Frith	Murray	
Fruge	Odinet	
Total—82		

NAYS

Alexander, E	Kennard	Schneider
Broome	Nevers	Wright
Erdey	Perkins	
Futrell	Powell	
Total—10		

ABSENT

Clarkson	Holden	Riddle
Curtis	Hudson	Shaw
Gallot	Jackson, M	Swilling
Hill	Morrish	Tucker
Total—12		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Montgomery moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Regular Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 122—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1543, relative to the training and certification of firemen at Louisiana State University; to require reciprocity certification when International Fire Service Accreditation Congress accreditation standards are met; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Townsend moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Pinac
Alario	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, E	Hammett	Powell
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pratt
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hill	Richmond
Baylor	Hopkins	Riddle
Bowler	Hunter	Romero
Broome	Hutter	Salter
Bruce	Iles	Scalise
Bruneau	Jackson, L	Schneider
Carter, K	Johns	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Katz	Shaw
Clarkson	Kennard	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Kenney	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	LaFleur	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	Lancaster	Smith, J.R.—30th

Daniel	Landrieu	Sneed
Dartez	LeBlanc	Stelly
Devillier	Lucas	Strain
Doerge	Martiny	Swilling
Donelon	McCallum	Thompson
Downer	McDonald	Toomy
Durand	McMains	Townsend
Erdey	McVea	Triche
Farrar	Montgomery	Waddell
Faucheux	Morrell	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Nevers	Wooton
Futrell	Odinet	Wright
Gallot	Perkins	
Glover	Pierre	

Total—97

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, R	Holden	Tucker
Curtis	Hudson	
Diez	Jackson, M	

Total—7

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Townsend moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 164—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:393.2, relative to traffic violations and motor vehicle accidents; to provide relative to reports of traffic violations and motor vehicle accidents involving certain persons with federal diplomatic privileges; to require law enforcement officers to report certain violations and accidents to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to require the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to report such information to the United States Department of State; to provide for certain deadlines; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Diez moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, E	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, R	Hammett	Powell
Ansardi	Heaton	Pratt
Baudoin	Hebert	Quezaire
Baylor	Hill	Richmond
Bowler	Hopkins	Riddle
Broome	Hunter	Romero
Bruce	Hutter	Salter
Bruneau	Iles	Scalise

Carter, K	Jackson, L	Schneider
Cazayoux	Johns	Schwegmann
Clarkson	Katz	Shaw
Crane	Kennard	Smith, G.—56th
Crowe	Kenney	Smith, J.D.—50th
Damico	LaFleur	Smith, J.H.—8th
Daniel	Lancaster	Smith, J.R.—30th
Dartez	Landrieu	Sneed
Devillier	LeBlanc	Stelly
Diez	Lucas	Strain
Doerge	Martiny	Swilling
Donelon	McCallum	Thompson
Downer	McDonald	Toomy
Durand	McMains	Townsend
Erdey	McVea	Triche
Farrar	Montgomery	Waddell
Faucheux	Morrell	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Nevers	Wright
Futrell	Odinet	
Gallot	Perkins	

Total—97

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, R	Hudson	Wooton
Curtis	Jackson, M	
Holden	Tucker	

Total—7

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Diez moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 170—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:429(A), relative to office of motor vehicles field offices; to provide relative to the authorized fee for certain transactions at such field offices; to increase the authorized fee collected by the governing authority of a local governmental subdivision for support of local office of motor vehicles field offices; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Faucheux moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Pinac
Alario	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, E	Hammett	Powell
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pratt
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezaire
Baylor	Hill	Richmond
Bowler	Hopkins	Riddle
Broome	Hunter	Romero

Bruce	Hutter	Salter
Bruneau	Iles	Scalise
Carter, K	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Johns	Shaw
Clarkson	Katz	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Kennard	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Kenney	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	LaFleur	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	Lancaster	Sneed
Dartez	Landrieu	Stelly
Devillier	LeBlanc	Strain
Diez	Lucas	Swilling
Doerge	Martiny	Thompson
Donelon	McCallum	Toomy
Downer	McDonald	Townsend
Durand	McMains	Triche
Erdey	McVea	Waddell
Farrar	Montgomery	Walsworth
Fauchoux	Morrell	Welch
Flavin	Morrish	Winston
Frith	Murray	Wooton
Fruge	Nevers	Wright
Gallot	Odinet	
Glover	Pierre	
Total—94		

NAYS

Baudoin	Perkins	Schneider
Total—3		

ABSENT

Cazayoux	Holden	Tucker
Curtis	Hudson	
Futrell	Jackson, M	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Fauchoux moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Speaker Pro Tempore Bruneau in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 175—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ILES, E. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, CAZAYOUX, DURAND, FRITH, LAFLEUR, MORRELL, GARY SMITH, AND JANE SMITH AND SENATORS CAMPBELL, DUPRE, HOLLIS, AND MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8-H of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:844.11 through 844.15, relative to telephone solicitation; to provide for a "do not call" listing of residential telephone subscribers; to provide for listing procedures; to prohibit certain acts; to provide for notification; to provide for penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Iles sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Iles to Engrossed House Bill No. 175 by Representative Iles, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"(g) To any person utilizing residential telephone service to conduct commercial activities or any person residing with such person."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 11, after "in" and before "the" insert "or messages on"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 25, after "exceed" and before "the" insert "one hundred dollars per quarter to defray"

Rep. Iles asked for and obtained a division of the question.

On motion of Rep. Iles, Amendment No. 1 was withdrawn.

On motion of Rep. Iles, Amendment Nos. 2 and 3 were adopted.

Rep. LaFleur sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative LaFleur to Engrossed House Bill No. 175 by Representative Iles

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 20, before "property" insert "movable"; on line 21, after "for" and before "property" insert "movable"; and at the beginning of line 24, before "property" insert "movable"

Rep. LaFleur moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Iles objected.

By a vote of 36 yeas and 51 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Rep. Pinac sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Pinac to Engrossed House Bill No. 175 by Representative Iles, et al.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

"(g) A person primarily soliciting the sale of a newspaper of general circulation."

Rep. Pinac moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Iles objected.

By a vote of 12 yeas and 81 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Rep. Iles moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guillory	Powell
Alario	Hammett	Pratt
Alexander, E	Heaton	Quezaire
Alexander, R	Hebert	Richmond
Ansardi	Hill	Riddle
Baudoin	Hopkins	Romero
Baylor	Hunter	Salter
Broome	Hutter	Scalise
Bruce	Iles	Schneider
Bruneau	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Jackson, M	Shaw
Carter, R	Johns	Smith, G.—56th
Cazayoux	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Kenney	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	LaFleur	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	Landrieu	Sneed
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Devillier	Lucas	Strain
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Durand	Montgomery	Townsend
Farrar	Morrell	Triche
Faucheux	Morrish	Tucker
Flavin	Murray	Waddell
Frith	Nevers	Walsworth
Frige	Odinet	Winston
Futrell	Pierre	Wooton
Gallot	Pinac	Wright
Green	Pitre	
Total—89		

NAYS

Bowler	Donelon	Lancaster
Clarkson	Erdey	Perkins
Total—6		

ABSENT

Crowe	Holden	McCallum
Curtis	Hudson	McMains
Glover	Kennard	Welch
Total—9		

The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Iles moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on her own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Murray, the rules were suspended to limit the author or proponent handling the legislative instrument to ten minutes for opening remarks and all subsequent speakers on the instrument to five minutes.

HOUSE BILL NO. 195—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2156.1(C) and 2167(B)(3) and to enact R.S. 37:2156.2(A)(II)(17), relative to contractors; to provide relative to certain requirements for licensure; to provide relative to subclassifications; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Faucheux	Odinet
Alario	Flavin	Perkins
Alexander, E	Gallot	Pinac
Alexander, R	Hammett	Scalise
Ansardi	Heaton	Schneider
Bruneau	Jackson, L	Shaw
Cazayoux	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson	Katz	Sneed
Crane	LaFleur	Stelly
Damico	Lancaster	Toomy
Daniel	LeBlanc	Townsend
Devillier	Martiny	Triche
Diez	McVea	Tucker
Donelon	Montgomery	Winston
Erdey	Nevers	Wooton
Total—45		

NAYS

Baudoin	Hill	Richmond
Baylor	Hopkins	Riddle
Bowler	Hunter	Romero
Broome	Iles	Salter
Bruce	Jackson, M	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Kenney	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R	Landrieu	Smith, J.R.—30th
Dartez	Lucas	Strain
Downer	Morrish	Swilling
Farrar	Murray	Thompson
Frige	Pierre	Waddell
Futrell	Pitre	Walsworth
Green	Powell	Wright
Guillory	Pratt	
Hebert	Quezaire	
Total—43		

ABSENT

Crowe	Holden	McMains
Curtis	Hudson	Morrell
Doerge	Hutter	Smith, G.—56th
Durand	Kennard	Welch
Frith	McCallum	
Glover	McDonald	
Total—16		

Failed to pass.

Motion to reconsider pending.

HOUSE BILL NO. 196—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2165(D) and to repeal R.S. 37:2172, relative to contractors; to provide relative to the membership of the Residential Building Contractors Subcommittee; to provide relative to exemptions; to repeal certain provisions relative to penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Futrell	Pitre
Alario	Gallot	Powell
Alexander, E	Glover	Pratt
Alexander, R	Green	Quezairé
Ansardi	Guillory	Richmond
Baylor	Hammett	Riddle
Bowler	Hopkins	Salter
Broome	Hunter	Scalise
Bruce	Hutter	Schneider
Bruneau	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Jackson, M	Shaw
Carter, R	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Clarkson	Kenney	Sneed
Crane	LaFleur	Stelly
Crowe	Lancaster	Strain
Damico	Landrieu	Swilling
Daniel	LeBlanc	Thompson
Devillier	Lucas	Toomy
Diez	Martiny	Townsend
Doerge	McDonald	Triche
Donelon	McVea	Tucker
Downer	Montgomery	Waddell
Durand	Morrell	Walsworth
Erdey	Murray	Welch
Faucheux	Nevers	Winston
Flavin	Odinet	Wooton
Frith	Pierre	
Früge	Pinac	
Total—85		

NAYS

Baudoin	Hebert	Morrish
Dartez	Hill	Smith, J.R.—30th
Farrar	Iles	Wright
Total—9		

ABSENT

Curtis	Kennard	Romero
Heaton	McCallum	Smith, G.—56th
Holden	McMains	
Hudson	Perkins	
Total—10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pinac moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 246—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:424, relative to issuance of drivers' licenses; to provide relative to examinations of suspected incompetents; to prohibit the disclosure of certain information; to provide for certain exceptions; to provide liability for damages for certain violations; to authorize the release of the identity of the individual making the report under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Bowler moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Pinac
Alario	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, E	Hammett	Powell
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pratt
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezairé
Baudoin	Hill	Richmond
Baylor	Holden	Riddle
Bowler	Hopkins	Romero
Broome	Hunter	Salter
Bruce	Hutter	Scalise
Bruneau	Iles	Schneider
Carter, K	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Shaw
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico	Kenney	Sneed
Daniel	LaFleur	Stelly
Dartez	Lancaster	Strain
Devillier	Landrieu	Swilling
Diez	LeBlanc	Thompson
Doerge	Lucas	Toomy
Donelon	Martiny	Townsend
Downer	McDonald	Triche
Durand	McVea	Tucker
Erdey	Montgomery	Waddell
Farrar	Morrell	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Früge	Nevers	Wooton
Futrell	Odinet	Wright
Gallot	Perkins	
Glover	Pierre	
Total—97		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Carter, R	Hudson	Smith, G.—56th
Curtis	McCallum	
Faucheux	McMains	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Bowler moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on her own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 256—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DOWNER, BRUNEAU, CLARKSON, DONELON, FUTRELL, ILES, MONTGOMERY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, AND JOHN SMITH AND SENATORS HAINKEL, W. FIELDS, AND THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:404(C), (D), and (E), relative to drivers' licenses; to provide relative to the authority of certain resident military personnel to drive in Louisiana without possession of a Louisiana driver's license; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Downer moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, E	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, R	Hammett	Powell
Ansardi	Heaton	Pratt
Baudoin	Hebert	Quezaire
Baylor	Hill	Richmond
Bowler	Holden	Riddle
Broome	Hopkins	Romero
Bruce	Hunter	Salter
Bruneau	Hutter	Scalise
Carter, K	Iles	Schneider
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Shaw
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Kennard	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	LaFleur	Sneed
Dartez	Lancaster	Stelly
Devillier	Landrieu	Strain
Diez	LeBlanc	Swilling
Doerge	Lucas	Thompson
Donelon	Martiny	Toomy
Downer	McDonald	Townsend
Durand	McMains	Triche
Erdey	McVea	Tucker
Farrar	Montgomery	Waddell
Faucheux	Morrell	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Nevers	Wooton
Futrell	Odinet	Wright
Gallot	Perkins	
Total—101		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis	Hudson	McCallum
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Downer moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 276—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:184(D), relative to racing; to require racing associations to make purses for special accredited Louisiana bred thoroughbred races at least equal to purses for races of comparable quality; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Pierre
Alario	Guillory	Pinac
Alexander, R	Hammett	Pitre
Ansardi	Heaton	Powell
Baudoin	Hebert	Pratt
Baylor	Hill	Quezaire
Bowler	Holden	Richmond
Bruce	Hopkins	Riddle
Bruneau	Hunter	Romero
Carter, K	Hutter	Salter
Cazayoux	Iles	Scalise
Clarkson	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Crane	Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th
Damico	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Daniel	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Dartez	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Devillier	LaFleur	Sneed
Diez	Lancaster	Stelly
Doerge	Landrieu	Strain
Donelon	LeBlanc	Swilling
Downer	Martiny	Thompson
Durand	McDonald	Toomy
Farrar	McMains	Townsend
Faucheux	McVea	Triche
Flavin	Montgomery	Waddell
Frith	Morrell	Walsworth
Fruge	Morrish	Welch
Gallot	Murray	Winston
Glover	Odinet	Wooton
Total—87		

NAYS

Alexander, E	Kennard	Schneider
Broome	Lucas	Tucker
Crowe	Nevers	Wright
Erdey	Perkins	
Total—11		

ABSENT

Carter, R	Futrell	McCallum
Curtis	Hudson	Shaw
Total—6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Montgomery moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 278—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2160(A)(1), 2163(A)(1), (2), (4), and (5) and (B), 2167(A), and 2171 and to enact R.S. 37:2167.1 and 2171.1, relative to contractors; to provide relative to prohibited activities; to provide relative to bid procedures; to provide for inactive licenses; to provide for inspection of certain building permits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Montgomery sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Montgomery to Engrossed House Bill No. 278 by Representative Montgomery

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 16, after "a" and before "issued" delete "building construction license" and insert in lieu thereof "license to engage in residential building construction"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 17, after "fifteen" and before "years" insert "consecutive"

On motion of Rep. Montgomery, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Montgomery moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Pinac
Alario	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, E	Hammett	Powell
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pratt
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezairé
Baudoin	Hill	Richmond
Baylor	Holden	Riddle
Bowler	Hopkins	Romero
Broome	Hunter	Salter
Bruce	Hutter	Scalise
Bruneau	Iles	Schneider
Carter, K	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Jackson, M	Shaw
Cazayoux	Johns	Smith, G.—56th

Clarkson	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Kennard	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico	LaFleur	Sneed
Daniel	Lancaster	Stelly
Dartez	Landrieu	Strain
Devillier	LeBlanc	Swilling
Diez	Lucas	Thompson
Donelon	Martiny	Toomy
Downer	McDonald	Townsend
Durand	McMains	Triche
Erdey	McVea	Tucker
Farrar	Montgomery	Waddell
Faucheux	Morrell	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Nevers	Wooton
Futrell	Odinot	Wright
Gallot	Perkins	
Glover	Pierre	
Total—100		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis	Hudson
Doerge	McCallum
Total—4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Montgomery moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 348—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAINS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1356(E), relative to the reporting of impaired applicants for driver's licenses; to provide for the limitation of civil and criminal liability of persons reporting impaired applicants; to provide procedures for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, the bill was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 358—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:666(A)(introductory paragraph) and 667(B)(4), relative to traffic accidents; to require chemical tests to be given in certain traffic accidents; to require suspension of a driver's license in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Triche sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Triche to Engrossed House Bill No. 358 by Representative Triche

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 13 after "officer has" delete "reasonable" and insert "probable"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 14, delete "suspicion" and insert "cause to believe"

On motion of Rep. Triche, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Townsend sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Townsend to Engrossed House Bill No. 358 by Representative Triche

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, after "injury." insert the following:

"Serious bodily injury means bodily injury which involves unconsciousness, protracted and obvious disfigurement, or protracted loss or impairment of the function of a bodily member, organ, or mental faculty, or a substantial risk of death."

On motion of Rep. Townsend, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Triche moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pinac
Alario	Green	Pitre
Alexander, E	Guillory	Powell
Alexander, R	Hammett	Pratt
Ansardi	Heaton	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hebert	Richmond
Baylor	Hill	Riddle
Bowler	Holden	Romero
Broome	Hopkins	Salter
Bruce	Hunter	Scalise
Bruneau	Hutter	Schneider
Carter, K	Iles	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, L	Shaw
Clarkson	Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	Kenney	Sneed
Dartez	LaFleur	Stelly
Devillier	Lancaster	Strain
Diez	Landrieu	Swilling
Doerge	LeBlanc	Thompson
Donelon	Lucas	Toomy
Downer	Martiny	Townsend
Durand	McDonald	Triche
Erdey	McMains	Tucker
Farrar	McVea	Waddell

Faucheux	Montgomery	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Nevers	Winston
Fruge	Odinot	Wooton
Futrell	Perkins	Wright
Gallot	Pierre	
Total—98		

NAYS

Morrell	Murray
Total—2	

ABSENT

Carter, R	Hudson
Curtis	McCallum
Total—4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Triche moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Speaker DeWitt in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 610—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:125, relative to motor vehicles; to provide for the operation of vehicles when approaching a parked emergency vehicle; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Downer sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Downer to Engrossed House Bill No. 610 by Representative Downer

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, after "vehicle" insert a semicolon ";" and insert "passing a parked emergency vehicle"

On motion of Rep. Downer, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Downer moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gallot	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, E	Green	Pitre
Alexander, R	Guillory	Powell
Ansardi	Hammett	Pratt
Baudoin	Heaton	Quezaire
Baylor	Hebert	Richmond
Bowler	Hill	Riddle
Broome	Holden	Romero
Bruce	Hopkins	Salter

Bruneau	Hunter	Scalise
Carter, K	Hutter	Schneider
Carter, R	Iles	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, L	Shaw
Clarkson	Jackson, M	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	Kenney	Sneed
Dartez	LaFleur	Stelly
Devillier	Lancaster	Strain
Diez	Landrieu	Swilling
Doerge	LeBlanc	Thompson
Donelon	Lucas	Toomy
Downer	Martiny	Townsend
Durand	McDonald	Triche
Erdey	McMains	Tucker
Farrar	McVea	Waddell
Faucheux	Montgomery	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Nevers	Wooton
Futrell	Odinet	Wright

Total—99

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis	McCallum	Perkins
Hudson	Morrell	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Downer moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 628—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:216(C), relative to pedestrians on highways; to authorize a court to order three eight-hour days of community service in lieu of other penalties for violations of pedestrians on highways statute; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Richmond sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Richmond to Engrossed House Bill No. 628 by Representative Hudson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"To enact R.S. 32:216(C) and (D), relative to pedestrians on highways; to prohibit pedestrians from crossing interstate highways; to provide relative to penalties for certain violations; and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 7 in its entirety and insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 32:216(C) and (D) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "highways" insert "or interstate highways"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 14 in their entirety and insert the following:

"C. It shall be unlawful for any pedestrian to cross an interstate highway.

D.(1) Upon conviction of a violation of this Section, a court may order, in lieu of the penalty provisions provided in R.S. 32:57, that the offender perform three 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.

(2) If the offender is a minor, the parent, guardian, or person with legal responsibility for the safety and welfare of the minor shall be subject to the penalties for such violation. Additionally, the parent, guardian, or person with legal responsibility for the safety and welfare of the minor shall be subject to an investigation conducted by the Department of Social Services to determine if the minor is a child in need of care as defined in Ch.C. Art. 606."

Rep. Richmond moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Morrell objected.

By a vote of 48 yeas and 46 nays, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Murray moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pinac
Alario	Green	Pitre
Alexander, E	Guillory	Powell
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pratt
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hill	Richmond
Baylor	Holden	Riddle
Broome	Hunter	Romero
Bruce	Hutter	Salter
Carter, K	Iles	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Smith, G.—56th
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Smith, J.D.—50th
Damico	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Dartez	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Devillier	LaFleur	Stelly
Diez	Landrieu	Strain
Doerge	LeBlanc	Swilling
Downer	Lucas	Thompson
Durand	Martiny	Toomy
Farrar	McDonald	Townsend
Faucheux	Montgomery	Triche
Flavin	Murray	Welch
Frith	Nevers	Winston
Fruge	Odinet	Wooton

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Gallot	Pierre	
Total—74		
	NAYS	
Bowler	Hopkins	Schneider
Bruneau	Katz	Shaw
Crane	Kennard	Sneed
Crowe	Lancaster	Tucker
Daniel	McMains	Waddell
Donelon	McVea	Walsworth
Erdey	Morrish	Wright
Futrell	Perkins	
Hammett	Scalise	
Total—25		
	ABSENT	
Clarkson	Hudson	Morrell
Curtis	McCallum	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Murray moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 937—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:1321(I)(3) and (4), relative to special identification cards; to remove the late fee for renewal of an expired special identification card by mail or by electronic commerce; and to remove provisions for the disposition of that fee.

Read by title.

Rep. Diez moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pierre
Alario	Green	Pinac
Alexander, E	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, R	Hammett	Powell
Ansardi	Heaton	Pratt
Baudoin	Hebert	Quezaire
Baylor	Hill	Richmond
Bowler	Holden	Riddle
Broome	Hopkins	Romero
Bruce	Hunter	Salter
Bruneau	Hutter	Scalise
Carter, K	Iles	Schneider
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Shaw
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Kennard	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	LaFleur	Sneed
Dartez	Lancaster	Stelly
Devillier	Landrieu	Strain
Diez	LeBlanc	Swilling
Doerge	Lucas	Thompson

Donelon	Martiny	Toomy
Downer	McDonald	Townsend
Durand	McMains	Triche
Erdey	McVea	Tucker
Farrar	Montgomery	Waddell
Faucheux	Morrell	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Nevers	Wooton
Futrell	Odinet	Wright
Gallot	Perkins	
Total—101		
	NAYS	
Total—0		
	ABSENT	
Curtis	Hudson	McCallum
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Diez moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 938—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:412(D)(3), relative to driver's license renewals; to remove the prohibition of renewal by mail or electronic commerce of Class "D" or "E" operators' licenses for persons with certain traffic violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Diez moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Pinac
Alario	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, E	Hammett	Powell
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pratt
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hill	Richmond
Baylor	Holden	Riddle
Bowler	Hopkins	Romero
Broome	Hutter	Salter
Bruce	Iles	Scalise
Bruneau	Jackson, L	Schneider
Carter, K	Jackson, M	Schwegmann
Carter, R	Katz	Shaw
Cazayoux	Kennard	Smith, G.—56th
Clarkson	Kenney	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	LaFleur	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crowe	Lancaster	Sneed
Damico	Landrieu	Stelly
Daniel	LeBlanc	Strain
Dartez	Lucas	Swilling
Devillier	Martiny	Thompson
Diez	McDonald	Toomy

Doerge	McMains	Townsend
Donelon	McVea	Triche
Downer	Montgomery	Tucker
Erdey	Morrell	Waddell
Farrar	Morrish	Walsworth
Faucheux	Murray	Welch
Frith	Nevers	Winston
Fruge	Odinot	Wooton
Futrell	Perkins	Wright
Gallot	Pierre	
Total—95		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis	Glover	Johns
Durand	Hudson	McCallum
Flavin	Hunter	Smith, J.R.—30th
Total—9		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Diez moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 962—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:507, relative to the placement of motor vehicle license plates; to provide for the placement of permanent registration license plates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Diez moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Green	Pinac
Alario	Guillory	Pitre
Alexander, E	Hammett	Powell
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pratt
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hill	Richmond
Baylor	Holden	Riddle
Bowler	Hopkins	Romero
Broome	Hunter	Salter
Bruneau	Hutter	Scalise
Carter, K	Iles	Schneider
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Shaw
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Kennard	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	LaFleur	Sneed
Dartez	Lancaster	Stelly
Devillier	Landrieu	Strain
Diez	LeBlanc	Swilling
Doerge	Lucas	Thompson
Donelon	Martiny	Toomy

Downer	McDonald	Townsend
Durand	McMains	Triche
Erdey	McVea	Tucker
Farrar	Montgomery	Waddell
Faucheux	Morrell	Walsworth
Flavin	Morrish	Welch
Frith	Murray	Winston
Fruge	Nevers	Wooton
Futrell	Odinot	Wright
Gallot	Perkins	
Glover	Pierre	
Total—100		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Bruce	Hudson
Curtis	McCallum
Total—4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Diez moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1129—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC, E. ALEXANDER, BRUCE, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, DAMICO, DANIEL, DIEZ, ERDEY, FLAVIN, FRITH, FUTRELL, HEATON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, LANCASTER, LEBLANC, MCDONALD, McMAINS, MORRELL, NEVERS, PERKINS, PIERRE, POWELL, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, JANE SMITH, SNEED, STRAIN, WALSWORTH, WELCH, WOOTON, AND WINSTON AND SENATORS FONTENOT, HOYT, SCHEDLER, SMITH, AND THOMAS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2771, 2772(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 3144(A)(3), and 3146, relative to contractors; to provide relative to the liability of contractors for certain actions; to provide relative to peremptive periods for recovery of damages; to provide relative to a builder's warranty of a home and actions to enforce such warranties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Futrell	Pinac
Alario	Gallot	Pitre
Alexander, E	Hammett	Powell
Alexander, R	Heaton	Pratt
Ansardi	Hebert	Quezaire
Baudoin	Hill	Riddle
Bowler	Hopkins	Romero
Broome	Hutter	Scalise
Bruce	Iles	Schneider
Bruneau	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Carter, K	Jackson, M	Shaw
Carter, R	Johns	Smith, G.—56th
Cazayoux	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Clarkson	Kennard	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe	LaFleur	Sneed

Damico	Lancaster	Stelly
Daniel	Landrieu	Strain
Dartez	LeBlanc	Thompson
Diez	Lucas	Toomy
Doerge	Martiny	Townsend
Donelon	McDonald	Triche
Downer	McMains	Tucker
Durand	McVea	Waddell
Erdey	Montgomery	Walsworth
Farrar	Morrish	Welch
Faucheux	Nevers	Winston
Flavin	Odinet	Wooton
Frith	Perkins	Wright
Frige	Pierre	
Total—89		

NAYS

Baylor	Guillory	Richmond
Devillier	Hunter	Salter
Green	Murray	
Total—8		

ABSENT

Curtis	Hudson	Swilling
Glover	McCallum	
Holden	Morrell	
Total—7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pinac moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1170—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FUTRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3576.6(A) and R.S. 32:393(C)(2) and (3), relative to traffic and parking violations; to authorize the collection of certain additional debts owed to public entities by private collection agencies; to remove prohibition of certain agencies reporting unpaid fines for traffic and parking violations to credit information agencies; to remove prohibition of certain agencies from entering into contracts to provide records of unpaid traffic and parking fines to credit information agencies; to authorize certain agencies to contract with consumer reporting agencies for certain services; to remove penalties relative to disclosure of certain information; to limit the information contained in consumer reports for unpaid traffic and parking fines; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Futrell, the bill was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1438—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC AND SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:651, 652(A), 653(A), 654, 655(A), and 656(C)(1)(f) and to enact R.S. 51:652(C), relative to fireworks; to provide conformity with federal classifications of fireworks; to impose penalties for the illegal sale of impermissible fireworks within the state; to prohibit igniting fireworks within one thousand feet of a fireworks retail location; to impose a penalty for the unlawful discharge of a fireworks from a motor vehicle; to require

a work permit for anyone under the age of eighteen to work at a firework retail location; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Salter, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Salter on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 1438 by Representative Pinac

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, line 6, following the colon ":" and before "wrapped" change "Audible ground devices" to "An audible ground device"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6, between lines 12 and 13, insert "* * *"

On motion of Rep. Salter, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gallot	Pierre
Alario	Glover	Pinac
Alexander, E	Green	Pitre
Alexander, R	Guillory	Powell
Ansardi	Hammett	Pratt
Baudoin	Heaton	Quezaire
Baylor	Hebert	Richmond
Bowler	Hill	Riddle
Broome	Hopkins	Romero
Bruce	Hunter	Salter
Bruneau	Hutter	Scalise
Carter, K	Iles	Schneider
Carter, R	Jackson, L	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Jackson, M	Shaw
Clarkson	Johns	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Katz	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Kennard	Smith, J.H.—8th
Damico	Kenney	Smith, J.R.—30th
Daniel	LaFleur	Sneed
Dartez	Lancaster	Stelly
Devillier	Landrieu	Strain
Diez	LeBlanc	Swilling
Doerge	Lucas	Thompson
Donelon	Martiny	Toomy
Downer	McDonald	Townsend
Durand	McMains	Triche
Erdey	McVea	Tucker
Farrar	Montgomery	Waddell
Faucheux	Morrish	Walsworth
Flavin	Murray	Welch
Frith	Nevers	Winston
Frige	Odinet	Wright
Futrell	Perkins	
Total—98		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Curtis	Hudson	Morrell
Holden	McCallum	Wooton
Total—6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pinac moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1536—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:422(B) and to enact R.S. 32:422(C), relative to learner's permits; to provide for school instruction permits and learner's instruction permits; to provide for the age at which such permits may be issued; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Ansardi	Jackson, L	Richmond
Bowler	Jackson, M	Salter
Broome	Kennard	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	LaFleur	Smith, G.—56th
Crane	Murray	Smith, J.R.—30th
Früge	Pinac	Townsend
Hammett	Pratt	Welch
Total—21		

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Gallot	Odinot
Alario	Glover	Perkins
Alexander, E	Green	Pierre
Alexander, R	Guillory	Pitre
Baudoin	Heaton	Powell
Baylor	Hebert	Quezaire
Bruce	Hill	Riddle
Bruneau	Hopkins	Romero
Carter, R	Hunter	Scalise
Clarkson	Hutter	Schneider
Crowe	Iles	Shaw
Damico	Johns	Smith, J.D.—50th
Daniel	Katz	Sneed
Dartez	Kenney	Stelly
Diez	Lancaster	Strain
Donelon	Landrieu	Thompson
Downer	LeBlanc	Toomy
Durand	Lucas	Triche
Erdey	Martiny	Tucker
Farrar	McDonald	Waddell
Faucheux	McMains	Walsworth
Flavin	McVea	Winston
Frith	Morrish	Wooton
Futrell	Nevers	Wright
Total—72		

ABSENT

Carter, K	Holden	Morrell
Curtis	Hudson	Smith, J.H.—8th
Devillier	McCallum	Swilling
Doerge	Montgomery	
Total—11		

The Chair declared the above bill failed to pass.

Rep. Downer moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill failed to pass, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1573—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PINAC, E. ALEXANDER, BRUCE, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, DAMICO, DANIEL, DIEZ, FLAVIN, FRITH, FUTRELL, HEATON, JOHNS, KENNARD, LANCASTER, LEBLANC, MORRELL, NEVERS, PERKINS, PIERRE, SCHWEGMANN, JANE SMITH, SNEED, STRAIN, WALSWORTH, WOOTON AND SENATORS HOYT, SCHEDLER, SMITH, AND THOMAS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2170(A)(1), relative to contractors; to provide relative to exemptions to the residential building contractors licensing law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the bill was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1781—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:540, relative to the inspection of hot water heaters; to exempt from inspection hot water heaters located in privately owned or rented homes or apartments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Townsend moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gallot	Odinot
Alario	Glover	Perkins
Alexander, E	Green	Pierre
Alexander, R	Hammett	Pinac
Ansardi	Heaton	Pitre
Baylor	Hebert	Powell
Bowler	Hill	Pratt
Broome	Holden	Quezaire
Bruce	Hopkins	Richmond
Bruneau	Hunter	Romero
Carter, K	Hutter	Salter
Carter, R	Iles	Scalise
Cazayoux	Jackson, L	Schneider
Clarkson	Jackson, M	Schwegmann
Crane	Johns	Shaw
Crowe	Katz	Smith, G.—56th
Damico	Kennard	Smith, J.D.—50th
Daniel	Kenney	Smith, J.H.—8th
Dartez	LaFleur	Smith, J.R.—30th
Devillier	Lancaster	Sneed
Diez	Landrieu	Stelly

Doerge	Lucas	Strain
Donelon	Martiny	Swilling
Downer	McDonald	Thompson
Erdey	McMains	Townsend
Farrar	McVea	Triche
Faucheux	Montgomery	Tucker
Flavin	Morrell	Waddell
Frith	Morrish	Walsworth
Fruge	Murray	Welch
Futrell	Nevers	Wooton
Total—93		

NAYS

Baudoin	LeBlanc	Winston
Durand	Riddle	Wright
Guillory	Toomy	
Total—8		

ABSENT

Curtis	Hudson	McCallum
Total—3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Townsend moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 63—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(5)(b) and to repeal R.S. 27:306(A)(5)(d), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to authorize the leasing or subleasing of fuel facilities at qualified truck stop facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Martiny moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Glover	Pinac
Alario	Green	Pitre
Ansardi	Guillory	Pratt
Baylor	Hammett	Quezaire
Bowler	Heaton	Richmond
Bruce	Hebert	Romero
Bruneau	Holden	Salter
Carter, K	Hopkins	Schwegmann
Cazayoux	Hunter	Smith, G.—56th
Clarkson	Hutter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crane	Jackson, L	Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico	Jackson, M	Sneed
Daniel	Johns	Stelly
Dartez	LaFleur	Swilling
Devillier	Lancaster	Toomy
Diez	Landrieu	Townsend
Doerge	LeBlanc	Triche
Durand	Martiny	Waddell
Flavin	Montgomery	Welch

Frith	Murray	Wooton
Fruge	Odinet	
Gallot	Pierre	
Total—64		

NAYS

Alexander, E	Hill	Riddle
Alexander, R	Iles	Schneider
Baudoin	Katz	Shaw
Broome	Kennard	Strain
Crowe	Kenney	Thompson
Donelon	Lucas	Tucker
Downer	McDonald	Walsworth
Erdey	McMains	Winston
Farrar	Nevers	Wright
Faucheux	Perkins	
Futrell	Powell	
Total—31		

ABSENT

Carter, R	McCallum	Morrish
Curtis	McVea	Scalise
Hudson	Morrell	Smith, J.H.—8th
Total—9		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Martiny moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 4, 2001

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

The following House Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CLARKSON, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GALLOT, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, SWILLING, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WELCH, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS BAJOE, BARHAM, BEAN, BOISSIERE, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CHAISSON, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, C. FIELDS, W. FIELDS, FONTENOT, GAUTREAUX, HAINKEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, HOYT, IRONS, JOHNSON, B. JONES, C. JONES, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, THOMAS, AND ULLO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Representative Pinkie Carolyn Wilkerson.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVES R. ALEXANDER AND STRAIN AND SENATOR SCHEDLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To declare the week of April 19, 2001, as Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy (RSD) Syndrome Awareness Week.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FAUCHEUX, QUEZAIRE, AND GARY SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Francis Christopher Donaldson upon his retirement as superintendent of the St. John the Baptist Parish school system, to recognize and record his myriad accomplishments and his remarkable contributions to his parish, and to extend to him the best wishes of the Legislature of Louisiana as he embarks upon new challenges and endeavors.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL AND SENATOR SCHEDLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Regional Electrologists Association of Louisiana, as well as electrologists throughout the state of Louisiana, for the services that they provide to Louisiana's citizens and to recognize March of 2002 as Electrology Awareness Month.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate B.E.M. "Ben" Skerrett III for receiving the National Rivers Hall of Fame's National Achievement Award and for receiving from the Army Corps of Engineers, New Orleans District, the Commander's Award for Civilian Service.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KENNARD, ALARIO, E. ALEXANDER, R. ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CLARKSON, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DIEZ, DOERGE, DONELON, DOWNER, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FRUGE, FUTRELL, GALLOT, GLOVER, GREEN, GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOLDEN, HOPKINS, HUDSON, HUNTER, HUTTER, ILES, L. JACKSON, M. JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, LANDRIEU, LEBLANC, LUCAS, MARTINY, MCCALLUM, MCDONALD, MCMAINS, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, ODINET, PERKINS, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, POWELL, PRATT, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RIDDLE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SCHWEGMANN, SHAW, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, SNEED, STELLY, STRAIN, SWILLING, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WELCH, WINSTON, WOOTON, AND WRIGHT AND SENATORS BAJOIE, BARHAM, BEAN, BOISSIERE, CAIN, CAMPBELL, CHAISSON, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DEAN, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, C. FIELDS, W. FIELDS, FONTENOT, GAUTREAU, HAINKEL, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, HOYT, IRONS, JOHNSON, B. JONES, C. JONES, LAMBERT, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SMITH, TARVER, THEUNISSEN, THOMAS, AND ULLO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend Reverend James L. Stovall for his public service and his outstanding contributions to his congregations and communities and to many civic and public endeavors.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AND SENATOR LENTINI

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Miles Bennett Porter IV of Metairie upon achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—

BY REPRESENTATIVE R. ALEXANDER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Honorable Henry F. Nolte, Jr. upon his retirement as mayor of Mount Lebanon.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 44—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ERDEY, KENNARD, MCMAINS, MCVEA, PERKINS, AND POWELL AND SENATORS FONTENOT AND LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend J. Rogers Pope, to recognize and record his myriad accomplishments and his remarkable contributions to education in Louisiana, and to extend to him the best wishes of the Legislature of Louisiana as he embarks upon new challenges and endeavors.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—

BY REPRESENTATIVE E. ALEXANDER AND SENATOR MICHOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Tuesday, April 3, 2001, as Tech Sector Day in the state of Louisiana in an effort to identify, promote, and develop the technology sector, which is vital to the economy of the state and to the future of its citizens.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LUCAS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the last week in April of every year as Minister Appreciation Week, to commend and honor the ministers of Louisiana, and to urge and request the governor to proclaim the last week in April of every year as Minister Appreciation Week.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Concurrent Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk of the House and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

Message from the Senate**SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 4, 2001

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 44

and ask the Speaker of the House of Representatives to affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. BAER, III
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were signed by the Speaker of the House.

**Introduction of Resolutions,
House and House Concurrent**

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND, BAUDOIN, CAZAYOUX, DEVILLIER, FAUCHEUX, GUILLORY, JOHNS, MORRISH, PINAC, JACK SMITH, AND STELLY AND SENATORS GAUTREAU, MICHOT, AND MOUNT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Public Service Commission to seek answers and explanations as to why energy costs have risen to such astronomical levels.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals, through its secretary, to seek waivers to implement the Medicaid-funded adult residential assisted living pilot project.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEBLANC AND DEWITT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to activate boards and committees involved in setting Medicaid drug policies and solicit their input on cost-saving measures.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEBLANC AND DEWITT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to consider additional provider and Medicaid client incentives to encourage more generic drug use.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to provide Medicaid reimbursement for previously owned durable medical equipment.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT AND SENATOR HAINKEL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite Chief Justice Pascal Calogero of the Louisiana Supreme Court to address a joint session of the legislature.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND AND SENATOR MOUNT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and provide with respect to the Louisiana Commission on Child Abuse Multidisciplinary Teams created during the 2000 Regular Session pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Introduction of House Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1802—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1121, 1127(B)(4), 1208, 1210, 1221(3)(d) and (4)(a) through (i) and (s)(i), 1226(G), 1231(B)(2), 1232(1) through (6), and 1310.8(A)(2), to enact R.S. 14:70.6 and R.S. 23:1127(E) through (G), 1208.3, and 1221(3)(c)(iii) and (iv), and to repeal R.S. 23:1122, 1123, 1124, and 1125, relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to fraud and to establish criminal penalties for such; to provide with respect to methods for choosing treating physicians and medical specialists; to provide with respect to indemnification of medical examiners; to provide with respect to the confidentiality of medical information and related matters; to provide with respect to protection of impeachment evidence; to provide with respect to supplemental earnings benefits; to provide with respect to vocational rehabilitation services; to provide with respect to permanent partial disability benefits; to provide with respect to catastrophic injury benefits; to provide with respect to benefits owed and expenses paid upon death of an employee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1803—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:824(B)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 15:824(B)(1)(d), relative to persons committed to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to increase the amount of the daily payments to sheriffs and local governing authorities for the housing of individuals committed to the department and confined in parish jails; to provide that future increases are to be based on increases in the Consumer Price Index; to require approval by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1804—
BY REPRESENTATIVE POWELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:497(A)(1) and to repeal R.S. 17:497(F), relative to school bus drivers' operational schedules; to provide for rates of operational compensation for school bus drivers based on miles traveled; to remove provisions relative to payments based on graduated mileage categories; to remove provisions making an operational schedule with no mileage categories contingent upon funds being available for this purpose; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1805—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 412(H)(1)(a), relative to notice to schools when students are involved in the juvenile correction system; to clarify that transmission to schools of pertinent portions of predisposition reports affecting students who are involved in the juvenile correction system is mandatory; to specify the age of the students to which these provisions apply; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1806—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(B)(1), relative to the Board of Parole; to change the number of votes necessary to grant parole; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1807—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:98.6, relative to tobacco settlement proceeds; to provide for the amount of security to be furnished for appeal of certain matters relating to the tobacco settlement proceeds to be received by the state pursuant to the Master Settlement Agreement; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**Report of the Committee on
House and Governmental Affairs**

April 4, 2001

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 16, by Bruneau
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 23, by Bruneau
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 24, by Strain
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 239, by Waddell
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 291, by Durand (Joint Resolution)
Reported favorably. (6-4) (Regular)

House Bill No. 460, by Crowe
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 656, by Lancaster
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1558, by Bruneau
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

CHARLES D. LANCASTER, JR.
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Natural Resources

April 4, 2001

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 315, by Jack Smith
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 427, by Hopkins
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 572, by McCallum
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 619, by Faucheux
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 961, by Diez
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 964, by Diez
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1136, by Thompson
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1139, by Jack Smith
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1297, by Durand
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1333, by Thompson
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1366, by Landrieu
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1580, by Wright
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

WILFRED PIERRE
Chairman

**Report of the Committee on
Administration of Criminal Justice**

April 4, 2001

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 11, by Landrieu
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 114, by Kennard
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 422, by Farrar
Reported favorably. (8-0-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 604, by Devillier
Reported favorably. (7-1-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 669, by Lafleur
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 716, by Futrell
Reported with amendments. (7-3-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 752, by Devillier
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 970, by Martiny
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1038, by Martiny
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1039, by Leblanc
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1242, by Bruneau
Reported with amendments. (7-0) (Regular)

DANIEL MARTINY
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Insurance

April 4, 2001

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 84, by Powell
Reported with amendments. (12-3) (Regular)

House Bill No. 248, by Bruneau
Reported favorably. (11-3) (Regular)

House Bill No. 803, by Donelon
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 829, by Johns
Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1324, by Erdey
Reported favorably. (13-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1328, by Erdey
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1630, by Erdey
Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1697, by Erdey
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1754, by Erdey
Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

JAMES DONELON
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Education

April 4, 2001

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 489, by Crane
Reported favorably. (13-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 566, by Hopkins
Reported favorably. (13-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 796, by Wooton
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1091, by Bowler
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1284, by Crane
Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

CARL CRANE
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Health and Welfare

April 4, 2001

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Health and Welfare to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 946, by Rodney Alexander
Reported favorably. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 947, by Broome
Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 948, by Rodney Alexander
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 980, by Triche
Reported with amendments. (11-1) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1001, by Rodney Alexander
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1004, by Triche
Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1005, by Rodney Alexander
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1008, by Rodney Alexander
Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1513, by Rodney Alexander
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1719, by Rodney Alexander
Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1767, by Hopkins
Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

RODNEY ALEXANDER
Chairman

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

Motion

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 242.

HOUSE BILL NO. 242— BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBLANC AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:322.28(B), relative to the disposition of collections of monies in the Lafayette Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund; to provide for priority of funding of purposes established by the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Motion

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 766.

HOUSE BILL NO. 766— BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:332.4(B) and to enact R.S. 47:332.4(D), relative to the disposition of certain collections in St. John the Baptist Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Motion

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 1015.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1015— BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:322.35(B), relative to the disposition of certain sales tax collections in LaSalle Parish; to provide for use of monies in the LaSalle Economic Development District Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Motion

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 1643.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1643— BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.2(C)(1)(e), relative to the Shreveport Riverfront and Convention Center and Independence Stadium Fund; to create a special account in such fund for monies allocated to the Louisiana State Exhibit Museum in Shreveport; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. LeBlanc, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Guillory, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to meet on Thursday, April 5, 2001, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 105, 313, and 334

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Thompson, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Agriculture to meet on Thursday, April 5, 2001.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Broome, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to meet on Thursday, April 5, 2001.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Toomy, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Judiciary to meet on Thursday, April 5, 2001.

Leave of Absence

Rep. Curtis - 1 day

Rep. Hudson - 1 day

Rep. McCallum - 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Kenney, at 5:40 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Thursday, April 5, 2001, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Thursday, April 5, 2001.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House