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Thirty-fifth Regular Session of the Legislature Under the Adoption of the Constitution of 1974

> House of Representatives State Capitol Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, June 9, 2009

The House of Representatives was called to order at 2:20 P.M., by the Honorable Jim Tucker, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Geymann Gisclair	Montoucet Morris
Olovian	Norton
	Nowlin
	Pearson
	Perry
	Peterson
Hazel	Ponti
11000	Pope
	Pugh
	Richard
Hines	Richardson
Hoffmann	Richmond
Honey	Ritchie
Howard	Robideaux
Hutter	Roy
Jackson G.	Schroder
Jackson M.	Simon
Johnson	Smiley
Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Jones, S.	Smith, J.
Katz	Smith, P.
Kleckley	St. Germain
LaBruzzo	Stiaes
LaFonta	Talbot
Lambert	Templet
Landry	Thibaut
LeBas	Waddell
Ligi	White
Little	Williams
Lopinto	Willmott
	Gisclair Greene Guillory Guinn Hardy Harrison Hazel Henderson Henry Hill Hines Hoffmann Honey Howard Hutter Jackson G. Jackson M. Johnson Jones, R. Jones, S. Katz Kleckley LaBruzzo LaFonta Lambert Landry LeBas Ligi Little

Fannin McVea Wooton Foil Mills

Franklin Monica Total - 100

ABSENT

Aubert Gallot Cromer Leger

Total - 4

The Speaker announced that there were 100 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Dr. Claudette Aubert.

Lt. Tommy Lewis sang The Lord's Prayer.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Franklin 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. Brossett, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Brossett, the Journal of June 8, 2009, was adopted.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

Message from the Senate HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 2009

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

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 197 Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 198 Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 2009

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. 35, 81, and 111

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

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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. 73— JSE RESOLUTION TO A RESOLUTION A RESOLUTION

To commend the Oak Hill High School baseball team upon its winning the state Class B championship.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 74-

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROY

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Marjorie Allen Westerchil of Alexandria.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 199-

BY REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, CHAMPAGNE, CORTEZ, LANDRY, AND MILLS AND SENATOR MICHOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Luna McDaniel of Ville Platte.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 200—

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development and the Governor's Office of Coastal Activities to jointly develop policy proposals to be submitted to the legislature for reducing or eliminating flooding and for providing funding for these proposals to prevent continuous flooding of Bundicks Lake.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

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. 195—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAMPAGNE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to install a traffic light at the intersection of Louisiana Highway 14 and Louisiana Highway 89 in Vermilion Parish.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 196-

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for the creation of the John J. Hainkel, Jr. Home and Rehabilitation Center Study Commission to study changing the governance structure of the center and to make recommendations, to study the advisability of reorganizing the governance of the facility, and to make recommendations to the legislature for continued operation of the center as a public model, long-term care facility by submitting a report on the findings of the study to the House Committee on Health and Welfare, the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, and the governor no later than March 1, 2010.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83—

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt a policy relative to appropriate and acceptable administrative overhead costs for which fees may be charged to a charter school by the chartering authority.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 100—

BY SENATOR BROOME A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding the awarding of child custody or visitation rights to grandparents.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to prohibit fetal torture and dismemberment.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 102—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request President Barack Obama to use the full extent of his executive authority and take all executive action necessary to prohibit fetal torture and dismemberment.

Read by title.

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

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 103— BY SENATOR CHEEK A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to develop a demonstration program to provide continued Medicaid coverage for women who have delivered a premature baby or who have chronic health issues for a two-year period in an effort to address their health issues, do ongoing preconception counseling, assure access to appropriate family planning services, and receive care management services.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 107—

BY SENATOR HEBERT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To commend Raymond "Coach" Blanco for a long and successful career in education.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 108— BY SENATOR MORRISH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize and commend Southern, Inc., for continuing a fifty-two year tradition of producing and distributing quality barbeque and other sauces, and to designate June 17, 2009, as Southern Bar-B-Que Sauce Day.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109— BY SENATOR NEVERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding the feasibility of instituting the Uniform Transfer on Death Security Registration Act in Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 110—BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request formation of a Complete Streets Work Group in the Department of Transportation and Development.

Read by title.

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

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. 109—
BY SENATORS MARIONNEAUX, CROWE, DUPLESSIS, MICHOT, SMITH AND WALSWORTH AND REPRESENTATIVES HENRY BURNS, CHAMPAGNE, FOIL, LITTLE, MILLS, PERRY, PUGH, ROBIDEAUX, SMILEY, SIMON, JANE SMITH AND THIBAUT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6020.1(A), (B)(2)(a) and (c), and (C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and 6020.2(A)(1) and (2)(a), (b) and (c), and R.S. 47:6020.4(B) as enacted by Act No. 400 of the 2005 Regular Session and to enact R.S. 47:6020.1(D) and 6020.4(3)(g) and (h), relative to state taxes; to provide for the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program for credits against individual and corporation income and corporation income and corporation franchise tax liability; to provide for the amount of the credits; to provide with respect to the limitation on the total credits which may be granted in a year; to authorize the Department of Economic Development to determine the method of awarding tax credits; to extend the duration of the program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 157-

BY SENATOR APPEL AND REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:192(A)(1)(a), relative to primary and general elections; to provide relative to the annual canvassing of registrants; 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 231— BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:214.1, relative to horse racing; to provide for a minimum number of live quarter horse racing dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 320— BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.42.1(B), the introductory paragraph of (E)(1) and (E)(3), and 998(B), the introductory paragraph of (E)(1) and (E)(3), 1414(B) and the introductory paragraph of (E)(1) and (E)(3), R.S. 30:2455 and the introductory paragraph of 2456(A), R.S. 36:401(C)(1)(b)(i), 405 (A)(1)(b), and 642(D)(2), R.S. 39:15.3(A), the introductory paragraph of (B), and (B)(12) through (18), R.S. 46:2122, 2123 and 2124(A) and (B), and R.S. 49:1053(B), 1054(1) and (2) and 1054.1(A) and (B)(3), to enact R.S. 36:4.1(D)(18), 408(I), 409(C)(10), 477(C)(3), and 651(BB) and R.S. 39:15.3(B)(19), and to repeal R.S. 36:4(M) and 4.1(B)(1), Subpart D of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle 1 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 39:16.1 through 16.5, and R.S. 46:2522(11), relative to the organization of the executive branch of state government; to transfer certain agencies in the executive branch of state government; to provide relative to the transfer and exercise of the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of certain agencies in the executive branch; to abolish the office of electronic services within the office of information technology in the division of administration; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 350 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 153 by Senator Morrell)

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R. S. 38:330.14, relative to the non-flood protection assets of the Orleans Levee District; to create and provide relative to a non-flood protection management commission; to provide for the composition of the commission; to provide for the meetings of the commission; to provide for submittal of the plan from the commission; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 351 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 258 by Senator McPherson)— BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 48:250.3(B), (C), (D), (E), (F), (G), and
(H) and to repeal R.S. 48:250.4, relative to design-build contracts; to provide for requirements for design-build contracts of the Department of Transportation and Development; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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. 108—BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to reduce the speed limit of vehicles traveling on Louisiana Highway 3235 in Lafourche Parish.

Read by title.

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

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 170— BY REPRESENTATIVES CONNICK, MILLS, AND TIM BURNS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and report on the feasibility and possible consequences of raising the homestead exemption from seizure provided by R.S. 20:1 and the feasibility and possible consequences of prohibiting creditors from enforcing certain judgments, specifically those based on unsecured credit card debt, through the seizure of a homestead.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74— BY SENATOR SHAV

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works and the House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to meet and function as a joint committee to study the need for additional spans on the Jimmie Davis Bridge and possible funding sources, including tolls.

Read by title.

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

Under the rules, the above resolution was ordered recommitted to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—

BY SENATOR MURRAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and recommend guidelines on the professional responsibilities, rights and duties of attorneys who represent fiduciaries, such as succession representatives and trustees.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the resolution was ordered 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. 317— BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 2.2(B)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to sales and use tax exemption; to delete certain restrictions for the sales and use tax exemption for food for home consumption; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 409-

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6006(E), relative to tax credits; to provide relative to the tax credit for local inventory taxes paid; to authorize taxpayers to elect the treatment of certain ad valorem property taxes for purposes of the inventory tax credit; 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. 409 by Representative Henry Burns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before the comma "," delete "amend and reenact R.S. 47:6006(B)" and insert "enact R.S. 47:6006(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "paid" and after the semi-colon ";" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 4 and 5 in their entirety and insert the following:

"to authorize taxpayers to elect the treatment of certain ad valorem property taxes for purposes of the inventory tax credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for'

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"R.S. 47:6006(E) is hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete line 11 through 20 in their entirety, and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 4 in their entirety, and insert the following:

"E. For ad valorem taxes on inventory that become due after January 1, 2009, a taxpayer may elect to treat payments of ad valorem taxes on inventory as paid in the year in which they are due, as long as such payment is made on or before April fifteenth in the year following the year in which the taxes were due. In the event the taxpayer makes this election, the taxpayer shall not take credit for the same payment in the year in which the tax was paid.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 714

BY REPRESENTATIVES NORTON, BURRELL, AND LOPINTO AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:44(15), 205(17), and 353(8) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(14) and to enact R.S. 27:21.2, 44(20.1), 205(30.1), 244(D), and 353(9.1), relative to the definitions of net gaming proceeds, net slot machine proceeds, and gross revenue at licensed gaming venues; to provide for a promotional expense deduction from the calculation of net gaming proceeds, net slot machine proceeds, and gross revenue; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to require certain gaming licensees

and the casino gaming operator report the total amount of promotional expenses; to provide for the confidentiality of the report of promotional expenses; to provide for an amendment to the casino operating contract; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Rep. Fannin, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 733— BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER AND BROSSETT AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6035, relative to tax credits; to authorize a tax credit for certain "green job industries"; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for the application for, certification of, and the administration of the tax credit; to provide for the maximum amount of the credit that may be issued; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for the recapture and recovery of the credit under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed House Bill No. 733 by Representative Leger

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 12, between "materials" and the period "." insert "approved by a nationally recognized high performance environmental building rating system, or that have the ENERGY STAR designation from the United States Environmental Protection Agency. However, any such rating system that uses a material or product-based credit system which is disadvantageous to materials or products manufactured or produced in the state of Louisiana shall not be utilized

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

(7) The Department of Economic Development shall provide for the implementation of this Section with existing personnel and resources and shall not hire any additional personnel for this purpose.

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 744-

JSE BILL NO. 744—
BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHMOND, AUSTIN BADON, BALDONE, DANAHAY, HENRY, HOFFMANN, HONEY, LEGER, LIGI, PERRY, RITCHIE, GARY SMITH, TALBOT, TUCKER, AND WILLIAMS AND SENATORS DUPLESSIS AND MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6035, relative to income and corporation franchise tax credits; to authorize a tax credit against any Louisiana income or corporation franchise tax liability for certain taxpayers who import and export breakbulk or containerized

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cargo between Louisiana and a foreign country via a Louisiana public port facility; to provide for a certification process; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Economic Development to certify taxpayers for eligibility for the credit; to provide for the amount of the credit; to provide for the use of the credit; to provide that any excess credit may be carried over to a certain number of subsequent tax years; to provide for definitions; to authorize rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments Committee Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed House Bill No. 744 by Representative Richmond

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 6, after "rules" and before "which" insert "in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 7, after " $\underline{regulations}$ " and before " $\underline{as\ may}$ " insert " \underline{in} accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act"

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 798—
BY REPRESENTATIVES CARTER, BALDONE, HONEY, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, AND GARY SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6034, relative to tax credits; to provide relative to the musical and theatrical production income tax credit; to provide for certain definitions; to provide relative to the application for tax credits for state-certified productions; to provide relative to the application for tax credits for state-certified musical or theatrical facility infrastructure projects; to authorize the collection of application fees; to provide for the amount of the fee and the disposition of the monies collected from the fee; to create the Entertainment Promotion and Marketing Fund; to provide relative to the use of the monies in the fund; to provide relative to the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide relative to display of the state's logo 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 Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed House Bill No. 798 by Representative Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, after "regulations;" and before "display" delete "to require" and insert "to provide relative to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 16, line 1, after "fund" and before "hereby" insert "which is"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 17, line 18, after "fund" and before "known" delete "hereby created in the state treasury to be

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 19, line 22, after "projects" and before "display" delete "shall" and insert "may be required to

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 835—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JOHNSON, HENRY BURNS, GISCLAIR, GUINN, LITTLE, AND ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:563 and 564 and to repeal R.S. 45:561 and 562, relative to railroad safety; to provide for the Public Service Commission; to implement the Federal Railroad State Safety Participation Program; to provide for funding; to authorize inspection of railroad facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Rep. Fannin, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 875-

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.9(D)(25) and to enact R.S. 47:305.50(F), relative to state and local sales and use tax; to provide for the taxation of certain railroad ties; to provide an exemption for certain railroad ties; to provide for limitations; 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. 875 by Representative Abramson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 3, after "ties" delete "and" and insert a semi-colon ";

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 4 delete "fabrications relating to railroad ties;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 5 delete "and fabrications relating to railroad ties"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 18 in their entirety, and on page 2 delete lines line 1 through 8 in their entirety, and insert the following:

"F. The sales and use tax imposed by the state, its statewide taxing authorities, or any of its political subdivisions shall not apply to the "sales price" or "cost price" of railroad ties that a railroad purchases prior to long-term preservative treatment and installs into the railroad's track system outside the taxing jurisdiction of the respective taxing authority, whether it be the state, a statewide taxing authority, or a political subdivision."

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

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

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 889-

BILL 10. 809-BY REPRESENTATIVES PETERSON, BARROW, BURRELL, CARMODY, CONNICK, ELLINGTON, HARRISON, HONEY, GIROD JACKSON, LEGER, RITCHIE, STIAES, AND WILLIAMS AND SENATORS BROOME, CHAISSON, DORSEY, GRAY EVANS, JACKSON, LAFLEUR, AND MORRELI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:841(A), (C), and (E) and to enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6) and 841.2, relative to the tobacco tax; to enact the Louisiana Healthier Families Act; to increase the tax on cigars, cigarettes, smoking tobacco, and smokeless tobacco; to establish the Louisiana Healthier Families Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of the monies in the fund; to require certain entities and agencies to submit reports to the legislature; 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. 889 by Representative Peterson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, after "fund;" and before "to" insert "to require certain entities and agencies to submit reports to the legislature;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the end of line 8, after "Hospitals" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert "for expenditure only on activities related to smoking cessation and prevention"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, at the end of line 10, after "<u>Hospitals</u>" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert "<u>for expenditure only on activities related to smoking cessation and prevention"</u>

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, at the end of line 13, after "centers" and before the period "." insert a comma "." and insert "for expenditure only on activities related to smoking cessation and prevention"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, at the end of line 16, after "<u>partnerships</u>" and before the period "_" insert a comma "_" and insert "<u>for expenditure only on activities related to smoking cessation and prevention</u>"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the end of line 19, after "<u>centers</u>" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert "<u>for expenditure only on activities related to smoking cessation and prevention</u>"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, at the end of line 22, after "Center" and before the period "." insert a comma "." and insert "for expenditure only on cancer research activities"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, at the end of line 25, after "Shreveport" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert "for expenditure only on activities related to cancer research or smoking cessation and prevention"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, at the end of line 28, after "Orleans" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert "for expenditure only on activities related to cancer research or smoking cessation and prevention"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, at the end of line 6, after "<u>District</u>" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert "<u>for expenditure only on activities related to cancer research or smoking cessation and prevention</u>"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, line 9, after " $\underline{\text{for}}$ " and before " $\underline{\text{tobacco}}$ " insert " $\underline{\text{smoking}}$ cessation and"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 4, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"D. All entities or agencies receiving appropriations from the fund as provided for in this Section shall report to the Legislature, no less than thirty days prior to the commencement of each regular session, describing the expenditure of such monies."

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 4, at the beginning of line 10, change "D." to "E."

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 3, after "of" and before "per" delete "one dollar" and insert "fifty cents" $\,$

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

On motion of Rep. Greene, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed.

Motion

Rep. Greene moved to pass the bill to its third reading.

As a substitute motion, Rep. Lopinto moved the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Rep. Peterson objected.

Burns, H.

Burns, T.

The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Henry

Katz

YEAS

Pope

Pugh

Carter Chandler Dove Fannin Foil Geymann Greene Guinn Hazel Total - 33	Kleckley LaBruzzo Landry Ligi Little Lopinto Monica Morris Pearson	Schroder Simon Smiley Smith, J. Talbot Templet Waddell Willmott Wooton
7000 00	NAYS	
Mr. Speaker Abramson Anders Arnold Badon, A. Badon, B. Baldone Barras Barrow Billiot Brossett Burford Burrell Carmody Champagne Chaney Connick Cortez Danahay Dixon Doerge Total - 62	Downs Edwards Ellington Ernst Franklin Gisclair Hardy Henderson Hill Hines Hoffmann Honey Howard Hutter Jackson M. Johnson Jones, R. Jones, S. LaFonta Lambert LeBas	McVea Mills Montoucet Norton Nowlin Perry Peterson Ponti Richard Richardson Richmond Ritchie Roy Smith, G. Smith, P. St. Germain Stiaes Thibaut White Williams
	ABSENT	
Armes Aubert Cromer Total - 9	Gallot Guillory Harrison	Jackson G. Leger Robideaux

The House refused to recommit the bill to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Point of Order

Rep. Greene asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the House Rules require the bill to be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that the House Rule 6.8(E) requires the bill to be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Under the rules, the above bill was ordered to be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Suspension of the Rules

Rep. Peterson moved for a suspension of the rules in order to pass the bill to its third reading.

Rep. Fannin objected.

Mr. Speaker

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Ernst

YEAS

Montoucet

Abramson Anders Arnold Badon, A. Baldone Barrow Billiot Brossett	Franklin Gisclair Hardy Henderson Hill Hines Honey Hutter	Norton Perry Peterson Richard Richmond Ritchie Roy Smith, G.
Burrell Carmody Dixon Doerge Downs Edwards Total - 44	Jackson M. Johnson Jones, S. LaFonta Lambert LeBas NAYS	Smith, P. St. Germain Stiaes White Williams
Armes Badon, B. Barras Burford Burns, H. Burns, T. Carter Champagne Chandler Chaney Connick Cortez Danahay Dove Ellington Fannin Foil Geymann Total - 52	Greene Hazel Henry Hoffmann Howard Jones, R. Katz Kleckley LaBruzzo Landry Ligi Little Lopinto McVea Mills Monica Morris Nowlin	Pearson Ponti Pope Pugh Richardson Robideaux Schroder Simon Smiley Smith, J. Talbot Templet Thibaut Waddell Willmott Wooton
Aubert Cromer	ABSENT Guillory Guinn Harrison	Jackson G. Leger
Gallot Total - 8	riaifisoii	

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The motion not having received two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, the House refused to suspend the rules.

Under the rules, the above bill was ordered recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 903 (Substitute for House Bill No. 375 by Representative Arnold)— BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 23(C) and to add Article VII, Section 18(H) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the levy of ad valorem property tax by taxing authorities; to further limit certain taxing authorities' power to increase millage without voter approval; to require the election for approving ad valorem property tax levies or renewals of certain taxing authorities to occur only at certain elections; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

Reported without amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

Motion

Rep. Peterson moved that the Committee on Appropriations be discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 889.

Rep. Fannin objected.

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Ellington	Montoucet
Anders	Ernst	Norton
Armes	Franklin	Nowlin
Arnold	Gisclair	Perry
Badon, A.	Guinn	Peterson
Badon, B.	Hardy	Pugh
Baldone	Harrison	Richmond
Barrow	Henderson	Ritchie
Billiot	Henry	Roy
Brossett	Hill	Smith, G.
Burns, T.	Hines	Smith, P.
Burrell	Honey	St. Germain
Carmody	Jackson M.	Stiaes
Connick	Johnson	Thibaut
Danahay	Jones, R.	Waddell
Dixon	Jones, S.	White
Doerge	LaFonta	Williams
Dove	Lambert	Wooton
Downs	Mills	
Edwards	Monica	
Total - 58		
	NAYS	

Mr. Speaker Hazel Pearson Barras Hoffmann Ponti

Burford	Howard	Pope
Burns, H.	Hutter	Richard
Carter	Katz	Richardson
Champagne	Kleckley	Robideaux
Chandler	LaBruzzo	Schroder
Chaney	Landry	Simon
Cortez	LeBas	Smiley
Fannin	Ligi	Smith, J.
Foil	Little	Talbot
Geymann	Lopinto	Templet
Greene	McVea	Willmott
Guillory	Morris	
Chaney Cortez Fannin Foil Geymann Greene	Landry LeBas Ligi Little Lopinto McVea	Simon Smiley Smith, J. Talbot

Total - 41

ABSENT

Aubert Gallot Leger Cromer Jackson G.

Total - 5

The House agreed to discharge the Committee on Appropriations from further consideration of the bill.

HOUSE BILL NO. 889-

USE BILL IVU. 309—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PETERSON, BARROW, BURRELL, CARMODY, CONNICK, ELLINGTON, HARRISON, HONEY, GIROD JACKSON, LEGER, RITCHIE, STIAES, AND WILLIAMS AND SENATORS BROOME, CHAISSON, DORSEY, GRAY EVANS, JACKSON, LAFLEUR, AND MORDELI. MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:841(A), (C), and (E) and to enact R.S. 47:841(B)(6) and 841.2, relative to the tobacco tax; to enact the Louisiana Healthier Families Act; to increase the tax on cigars, cigarettes, smoking tobacco, and smokeless tobacco; to establish the Louisiana Healthier Families Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of the monies in the fund; to require certain entities and agencies to submit reports to the legislature; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

Rep. Peterson moved to pass the bill to its third reading.

As a substitute motion, Rep. Lopinto moved to table the entire

The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Billiot	Jones, S.	Pope
Burford	Katz	Pugh
Burns, H.	Kleckley	Richardson
Carter	LaBruzzo	Robideaux
Chandler	Landry	Schroder
Chaney	Ligi	Simon
Cortez	Little	Smiley
Dove	Lopinto	Talbot
Fannin	McVea	Templet
Foil	Mills	Thibaut
Geymann	Monica	Willmott
Hazel	Morris	
Howard	Pearson	
Total - 37		

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Mr. Speaker Abramson Anders Armes Arnold Badon, A. Badon, B. Baldone Barras Barrow Brossett Burns, T.	Ellington Ernst Franklin Gisclair Greene Guillory Guinn Hardy Harrison Henderson Henry Hill	LeBas Montoucet Norton Nowlin Perry Peterson Ponti Richard Richmond Ritchie Roy Smith, G.
Burrell Carmody	Hines Hoffmann	Smith, P. St. Germain
Champagne	Honey	Stiaes
Connick	Hutter	Waddell
Danahay	Jackson M.	White
Dixon	Johnson	Williams
Doerge	Jones, R.	Wooton
Downs	LaFonta	
Edwards	Lambert	
Total - 61		

ABSENT

Gallot Aubert Leger Jackson G. Smith, J. Cromer Total - 6

The House refused to table the entire subject matter.

On motion of Rep. Peterson, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

Senate Bills on Second Reading Reported by Committee

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

SENATE BILL NO. 172-

BY SENATOR OUINN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 41:1702(B)(4), (5), (6), (7), and (8), relative to reclamation of lands lost through erosion, compaction, subsidence, and sea level rise; to provide for certain boundary agreements; to provide terms, conditions, and procedures; to provide for retroactivity; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Civil Law and

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 172 by Senator Quinn

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "B." delete "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 15, after "(4)" insert "of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 17, after "(4)(a)" and before the period "." insert "of this Subsection'

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 20, after "(4)" and before the comma "," insert "of this Subsection'

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 28, after "(4)" insert "of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the end of line 3, after "(4)" and before the period "." insert "of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, delete lines 4 through 7 in their entirety

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the amendments were adopted.

Under the rules, the bill, as amended, was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Reconsideration

The following legislative instruments on reconsideration were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 783— BY REPRESENTATIVES NOWLIN AND TUCKER AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:16.3, relative to state property; to authorize and empower the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals and the commissioner of administration to lease the John J. Hainkel, Jr., Home and Rehabilitation Center; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Nowlin moved to reconsider the vote by which the above House Bill failed to pass on the previous legislative day.

As a substitute motion, Rep. Abramson moved to table the motion to reconsider.

Rep. Nowlin objected to tabling the motion to reconsider.

The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Abramson	Henry	Norton
Arnold	Hill	Perry
Badon, A.	Hines	Peterson
Baldone	Honey	Richard
Brossett	Jackson M.	Richmond
Burrell	Johnson	Roy
Dixon	Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Doerge	Jones, S.	Smith, P.

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Edwards	LaFonta	St. Germain
Ernst	Lambert	Stiaes
Franklin	LeBas	Thibaut
Gisclair	Ligi	White
Hardy	Lopinto	Willmott
Henderson	Montoucet	

Total - 41 NAYS

Mr. Speaker Fannin Monica Anders Morris Foil Badon, B. Nowlin Geymann Barras Greene Pearson Barrow Guillory Pope Billiot Guinn Pugh Harrison Burford Richardson Burns, H. Hazel Ritchie Burns, T. Hoffmann Robideaux Carmody Howard Simon Smiley Carter Hutter Smith, J. Champagne Katz Chandler Kleckley Talbot Chaney LaBruzzo Templet Danahay Waddell Landry Williams Downs Little Ellington Mills Wooton

ABSENT

Armes Cromer Leger McVea Aubert Dove Connick Gallot Ponti Cortez Jackson G. Schroder

Total - 12

Total - 51

The House refused to table the motion to reconsider.

Returned to the calendar under the rules.

Explanation of Vote

Rep. Connick disclosed a possible conflict of interest and recused himself from casting his vote on the above bill.

HOUSE BILL NO. 872— BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351.13, 3351.14, and 3351.15, relative to increases in tuition and fee amounts; to authorize the boards of supervisors of the Louisiana State University System, the Southern University System, and the University of Louisiana System to impose specified tuition and attendance fee increases for certain students attending the institutions under the management and supervision of each board; to provide for waivers; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Downs, the vote by which the above House Bill failed to pass on the previous legislative day was reconsidered.

Returned to the calendar under the rules.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions returned from the Senate with amendments to be concurred in by the House were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 148—
BY REPRESENTATIVES STIAES, ABRAMSON, EDWARDS, ERNST, HARDY, LEGER, RICHMOND, AND WHITE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Sections 23(C) and (D) and to enact Section 23(E) of Act No. 621 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Act No. 873 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the consolidation of the offices of the civil and criminal sheriffs in Orleans Parish; to provide for consolidation of the offices in 2010; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 148 by Representative Stiaes

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, following "(D)" and before "of" delete "and to enact Section 23(É)

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, following "reenacted" and before "to read" insert "and Section 23(E) of Act No. 621 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Act. No. 873 of the 2008 Regular Session of the Legislature is hereby enacted"

Rep. Stiaes moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Montoucet
Abramson	Guillory	Morris
Armes	Guinn	Norton
Arnold	Hardy	Pearson
Badon, A.	Harrison	Perry
Badon, B.	Hazel	Peterson
Baldone	Henderson	Ponti
Barras	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hines	Pugh
Brossett	Hoffmann	Richard
Burford	Honey	Richardson
Burns, H.	Howard	Richmond
Burns, T.	Hutter	Robideaux
Burrell	Jackson M.	Roy
Carmody	Johnson	Simon
Carter	Jones, S.	Smiley
Champagne	Katz	Smith, G.
Chandler	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Chaney	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Connick	LaFonta	St. Germain
Danahay	Lambert	Stiaes
Dixon	Landry	Talbot
Downs	LeBas	Templet
Ellington	Ligi	Thibaut
Ernst	Little	Waddell
Fannin	Lopinto	White
Foil	McVea	Williams
Franklin	Mills	Willmott
Geymann	Monica	

Total - 86

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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Anders	Dove	Jones, R.
Aubert	Edwards	Leger
Barrow	Gallot	Nowlin
Cortez	Greene	Ritchie
Cromer	Henry	Schroder
Doerge	Jackson G.	Wooton
Total 18		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE BILL NO. 160-

USE BILL NO. 100— BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:441.15, relative to the mayor's court for the city of DeQuincy; to provide that the mayor may appoint one or more attorneys to preside as magistrate; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Engrossed House Bill No. 160 by Representative Danahay

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 33:441.15" delete the remainder of the line and insert "and to enact R.S. 33:441.32, relative to mayors' courts; to provide for the appointment of magistrates for the mayor's court for the city of DeQuincy;'

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "mayor" and before "may" insert "of the city of DeQuincy"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "magistrate;" and before "to", insert the following:

"to establish a mayor's court in the village of Ida; to provide for territorial jurisdiction of the court; to provide for powers and authority of the magistrate of the court and court officers; to provide relative to subject matter jurisdiction of the court;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 6, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 33:441.32 is hereby enacted'

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

§441.32. Village of Ida; Mayor's court

A. There is hereby created the Mayor's Court of the Village of Ida, the territorial jurisdiction of which shall extend throughout the village of Ida in Caddo Parish.

B. The general provisions of R.S. 33:441 and 442 shall be applicable to and shall govern and regulate the Mayor's Court of the Village of Ida, the jurisdiction of the court, and the power and authority of the mayor and other officers of the court.

Rep. Danahay moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Franklin	Monica
Abramson	Geymann	Montoucet
Anders	Gisclair	Morris
Armes	Greene	Norton
Arnold	Guillory	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Guinn	Pearson
Badon, B.	Hardy	Perry
Barras	Harrison	Peterson
Barrow	Hazel	Ponti
Billiot	Henderson	Pope
Brossett	Henry	Pugh
Burford	Hill	Richard
Burns, H.	Hines	Richardson
Burns, T.	Hoffmann	Richmond
Burrell	Honey	Ritchie
Carmody	Howard	Robideaux
Carter	Hutter	Roy
Champagne	Jackson M.	Schroder
Chandler	Johnson	Simon
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smiley
Connick	Katz	Smith, G.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, J.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Smith, P.
Dixon	LaFonta	St. Germain
Doerge	Lambert	Talbot
Dove	Landry	Templet
Downs	LeBas	Thibaut
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell
Ellington	Little	White
Ernst	Lopinto	Williams
Fannin	McVea	Willmott
Foil	Mills	Wooton
Total - 96		
	NIANC	

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gallot Aubert Leger Baldone Jackson G. Stiaes Cromer Jones, R.

Total - 8

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE BILL NO. 359—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LOPINTO AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:516(A), relative to district attorneys; to provide for the payment of group health insurance premiums from the district attorney's general fund in the Twenty-Fifth and the Twenty-Third Judicial Districts; to establish criteria for eligibility; to provide for application; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 359 by Representative Lopinto

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, following "(A)" and before "," insert "and (D) and to enact R.S. 16:516(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, following "(A)" and before "hereby" change "is" to "and (D) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, following "reenacted" and before "to" insert "and R.S. 16:516(E) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 1, following "Paragraph" and before "are" change "(D)(1) of this Section" to "(1) of this Subsection"

Rep. Lopinto moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Foil	Monica
Abramson	Franklin	Montoucet
Anders	Geymann	Morris
Armes	Gisclair	Norton
Arnold	Guillory	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Guinn	Pearson
Badon, B.	Hardy	Perry
Baldone	Harrison	Peterson
Barras	Hazel	Ponti
Barrow	Henderson	Pope
Billiot	Henry	Richard
Brossett	Hill	Richardson
Burford	Hines	Richmond
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Honey	Robideaux
Burrell	Howard	Roy
Carmody	Hutter	Schroder
Carter	Jackson M.	Simon
Champagne	Johnson	Smiley
Chandler	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Chaney	Katz	Smith, J.
Connick	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Cortez	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Danahay	LaFonta	Talbot
Dixon	Lambert	Templet
Doerge	Landry	Thibaut
Dove	LeBas	Waddell

Downs	Ligi	White
Edwards	Little	Williams
Ellington	Lopinto	Willmott
Ernst	McVea	Wooton
Fannin	Mills	

Total - 95

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Aubert	Greene	Leger
Cromer	Jackson G.	Pugh
Gallot	Jones, R.	Stiaes
Total - 9		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by

HOUSE BILL NO. 366—
BY REPRESENTATIVES WOOTON, HENRY BURNS, CHAMPAGNE, FOIL, LITTLE, MILLS, PERRY, PUGH, ROBIDEAUX, SIMON, SMILEY, JANE SMITH, AND THIBAUT AND SENATORS CROWE, DUPLESSIS, MICHOT, SMITH, AND WALSWORTH AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:560.1, 560.2(B)(introductory paragraph) and (1), (E), and (F), 560.3, 560.4(A), 560.5, 560.6(A), 561.2, and 561.4(A)(1) and (B)(1) and (3) and to enact R.S. 15:560.2(H) and (I) and 560.4(E), relative to sex offenders and child predators; to provide relative to the monitoring of sex offenders and predators; to provide with respect to the determination of which sex offenders are sexually violent predators and child sexual predators; to amend the provisions governing the sex offender assessment panels; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to the membership of the sex offender assessment panels; to provide for a judicial determination following an assessment by the sex offender assessment panel; to provide for a hearing and notice thereof; to provide with respect to the effects of a determination of status as a sexually violent predator or child sexual predator; to provide with respect to supervision of such persons; to provide for criminal penalties for violations of the conditions of supervision; to provide with respect to supervised release of certain sex offenders; to require that notice be given to the sex offender of supervised release; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Engrossed House Bill No. 366 by Representative Wooton

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "enact R.S." delete "15:560.2(H) and (I)" and insert in lieu thereof "15:560.2(H), (I), and (J)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, after "reenacted and R.S." delete "15:560.2(H) and (I)" and insert in lieu thereof "15:560.2(H), (I), and (J)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, after line 28, insert the following:

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The Department of Public Safety and Corrections shall forward all recommendations of offenders who have been determined to be a sexually violent predator or a child sexual predator prior to August 15, 2009, to the sentencing court for a judicial determination that the offender is a sexually violent predator or child sexual predator in accordance with the provisions of this Section.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 9, after line 12, insert the following:

Section 3. The provisions of this Act relative to the amendment of R.S. 15:561.2(A) and (B) and 561.4(A)(1), (B)(1) and (3) are declared to be curative and remedial and therefore shall be applied retroactively as well as prospectively."

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 366 by Representative Wooton

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 18, following "experience are" and before "with the" change "not incompatible" to "compatible"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 18, following "child" and before "predator" insert <u>'sexual'</u>

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Guillory to Engrossed House Bill No. 366 by Representative Wooton

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, between "560.4(E)," and "relative to" insert the following:

"and to repeal R.S. 15:542.1.6 and 543.1(14),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, between "release;" and "and to provide" insert the following:

"to repeal certain requirements for mailing a verification of address by the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information;

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 9, below line 12, add the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 15:542.1.6 and 543.1(14) are hereby repealed."

Rep. Wooton moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Franklin	Monica
Abramson	Geymann	Montoucet
Anders	Gisclair	Morris
Armes	Guillory	Norton
Arnold	Guinn	Nowlin

Badon, A.	Hardy	Pearson
Badon, B.	Harrison	Perry
Baldone	Hazel	Peterson
Barrow	Henry	Ponti
Brossett	Hill	Pope
Burford	Hines	Richard
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Richardson
Burns, T.	Honey	Richmond
Burrell	Howard	Ritchie
Carmody	Hutter	Robideaux
Carter	Jackson G.	Roy
Champagne	Jackson M.	Schroder
Chandler	Johnson	Smiley
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Connick	Katz	Smith, J.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Danahay	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Dixon	LaFonta	Stiaes
Doerge	Lambert	Talbot
Dove	Landry	Templet
Downs	LeBas	Thibaut
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell
Ellington	Little	White
Ernst	Lopinto	Willmott
Fannin	McVea	Wooton
Foil	Mills	

Total - 92

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Aubert	Gallot	Leger
Barras	Greene	Pugh
Billiot	Henderson	Simon
Cromer	Jones, R.	Williams
Total 12	, ,	

Total - 12

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE BILL NO. 408— BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4274.1 and R.S. 32:402(C)(1), relative to the duties and powers of forestry officers; to provide for driver's license requirements for certain operators of firefighting equipment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Thompson to Engrossed House Bill No. 408 by Representative Anders

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 19, after "woodlands" change "and" to "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 20, after "duties." insert "All forestry officers shall be Peace Officers Standard Training (P.O.S.T.) certified."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the beginning of line 5, change "<u>During the course of normal duties or upon</u>" to "<u>Upon</u>"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 16, after "employed by" delete the remainder of the line and insert "the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry, or'

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the end of line 20, insert the following:

"The emergency vehicle or firefighting equipment shall be equipped with audible and visual signals as required by Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration rules.

Rep. Anders moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr Speeker	Gaymann	Montoucet
Mr. Speaker Abramson	Geymann Gisclair	Morris
Anders	Guillory	Norton
Armes	Guinn	Nowlin
Arnold		
	Hardy	Perry
Badon, A.	Harrison	Peterson
Badon, B.	Hazel	Pope
Baldone	Henderson	Pugh
Barrow	Henry	Richard
Billiot	Hines	Richardson
Brossett	Hoffmann	Richmond
Burford	Honey	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Howard	Robideaux
Burns, T.	Hutter	Roy
Burrell	Jackson G.	Schroder
Carmody	Jackson M.	Simon
Carter	Johnson	Smiley
Chandler	Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smith, J.
Connick	Katz	Smith, P.
Cortez	Kleckley	St. Germain
Dixon	LaBruzzo	Stiaes
Doerge	LaFonta	Talbot
Downs	Lambert	Templet
Edwards	LeBas	Waddell
Ellington	Ligi	White
Ernst	Little	Willmott
Fannin	Lopinto	Wooton
Foil	McVea	
Franklin	Monica	
Total 00		

Total - 88

NAYS

Hill

Total - 1

ABSENT

Aubert Barras Champagne	Dove Gallot Greene	Mills Pearson Ponti
Cromer	Landry	Thibaut
Danahay	Leger	Williams
Total - 15		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE BILL NO. 439— BY REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To enact Subpart H of Part II of Chapter 30 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:4711 through 4718, relative to country of origin labeling for catfish products; to require retail and food service establishments to notify consumers of the country of origin of catfish; to provide for notification requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to advertising of catfish products; to authorize the commissioner to regulate and inspect retail and food service establishments; to provide for penalties; to provide for testing procedures; to require a cooperative endeavor agreement; to authorize the commissioner to adopt rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Dupre to Reengrossed House Bill No. 439 by Representative Ellington

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 12, after "Ictaluridae" and before the period insert ", Ariidae or Loricariidae

Rep. Ellington moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be rejected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Montoucet
Abramson	Gisclair	Morris
Anders	Guillory	Norton
Armes	Guinn	Nowlin
Arnold	Hardy	Pearson
Badon, A.	Hazel	Perry
Badon, B.	Henderson	Peterson
Baldone	Henry	Pope
Barrow	Hill	Pugh
Billiot	Hines	Richard
Brossett	Hoffmann	Richardson
Burford	Honey	Richmond
Burns, H.	Howard	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Hutter	Robideaux
Burrell	Jackson G.	Roy
Carmody	Jackson M.	Schroder
Carter	Johnson	Smiley
Chandler	Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smith, J.
Connick	Katz	Smith, P.
Cortez	Kleckley	St. Germain
Dixon	LaBruzzo	Stiaes
Doerge	LaFonta	Talbot
Dove	Lambert	Templet
Downs	LeBas	Thibaut
Edwards	Ligi	Waddell
Ellington	Little	White
Ernst	Lopinto	Williams
Fannin	McVea	Willmott
Foil	Mills	Wooton
Franklin	Monica	
T (1 00		

Total - 92

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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Aubert	Danahay	Landry
Barras	Gallot	Leger
Champagne	Greene	Ponti
Cromer	Harrison	Simon
Total - 12		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were rejected.

Conference committee appointment pending.

HOUSE BILL NO. 442— BY REPRESENTATIVE SMILEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:308.3(D), to enact R.S. 32:402.3, and to repeal R.S. 17:282, relative to the Motorcycle Safety, Awareness, and Operator Training Program; to transfer administration of the Motorcycle Safety, Awareness, and Operator Training Program to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Reengrossed House Bill No. 442 by Representative Smiley

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 15, after "R.S. 32:401(18)" insert "and the word "deputy secretary" shall mean the deputy secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, lines 14, 18, and 20, change "commissioner" to "deputy secretary"

Rep. Smiley moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Abramson Anders Armes Arnold Badon, A. Badon, B. Baldone Barrow Billiot Brossett Burford	Geymann Gisclair Guillory Guinn Hardy Harrison Hazel Henderson Henry Hill Hines	Monica Montoucet Morris Norton Nowlin Pearson Perry Pope Pugh Richard Richardson Richmond
Burford	Hoffmann	Richmond
Burns, H.	Honey	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Howard	Robideaux
Burrell	Hutter	Roy
Carmody	Jackson G.	Schroder

Carter Champagne Chandler Chaney Connick Cortez Dixon Doerge Dove Downs Edwards Ernst Fannin	Jackson M. Johnson Jones, R. Jones, S. Katz Kleckley LaBruzzo LaFonta Landry LeBas Ligi Little Lopinto	Simon Smiley Smith, G. Smith, J. Smith, P. St. Germain Stiaes Talbot Templet Thibaut Waddell Williams Willmott
Foil	McVea	Wooton
Franklin	Mills	

Total - 92

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Aubert	Ellington	Leger
Barras	Gallot	Peterson
Cromer	Greene	Ponti
Danahay	Lambert	White
Total - 12		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE BILL NO. 490-

BY REPRESENTATIVE PETERSON AND SENATOR GRAY EVANS

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.103, relative to motor vehicle prestige license plates; to provide for the Louisiana Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., prestige license plate; to provide for the issuance; to provide for the color and design; to provide relative to the fees; to provide for the use of such fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Gray Evans to Engrossed House Bill No. 490 by Representative Peterson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 13, delete "Fund"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 21, delete "Fund"

Rep. Peterson moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Morris
Abramson	Guillory	Norton
Anders	Guinn	Nowlin

Armes	Hardy	Pearson
Arnold	Harrison	Perry
Badon, A.	Hazel	Peterson
Baldone	Henderson	Pope
Barrow	Hill	Pugh
Billiot	Hines	Richard
Burford	Hoffmann	Richardson
Burns, H.	Honey	Richmond
Burns, T.	Howard	Ritchie
Burrell	Hutter	Robideaux
Carmody	Jackson G.	Roy
Carter	Jackson M.	Schroder
Chandler	Johnson	Simon
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Connick	Katz	Smith, J.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Dixon	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Doerge	LaFonta	Stiaes
Dove	Lambert	Templet
Downs	Ligi	Thibaut
Edwards	Little	Waddell
Ernst	Lopinto	White
Fannin	McVea	Williams
Foil	Mills	Willmott
Franklin	Monica	Wooton
Geymann	Montoucet	
Ťotal - 86		

ABSENT

NAYS

Total - 0

Aubert	Danahay	Landry
Badon, B.	Ellington	LeBas
Barras	Gallot	Leger
Brossett	Greene	Ponti
Champagne	Henry	Smiley
Cromer	Jones, R.	Talbot
Total - 18		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE BILL NO. 521-

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA AN ACT

To enact Chapter 19 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:1221 through 1223, and R.S. 36:4(AA) and 917, to create an advisory council in the governor's office to identify obstacles to the effective delivery of governmental services to Latin Americans and to make recommendations for removal of such obstacles; to provide for membership on the council; to provide for its powers and duties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

The above bill was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 521 by Representative LaFonta

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

- "(h) The Loyola School of Law Workplace Justice Project.
- (i) The Hispanic Apostolate of Shreveport.
- (j) The Hispanic Lawyers Association.
- (k) WFNO La Fabulosa 830-AM Radio.
- (1) The Latin American Civic Association of Louisiana.
- (m) The Hispanic Lawyers Association of Louisiana, Inc.
- (n) The Spanish American Business Association.
- (o) Asociacion Nicaraguense de Luisiana.
- (p) Unidad Hispanoamericana.
- (q) The Louisiana Housing Finance Agency.
- C. Members of the council shall be residents of this state who resided in this state prior to landfall of Hurricane Katrina. Each member shall be a member of a registered business organization in this state and actively engaging in business in this state as of the date of appointment."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 14, change "C." to "D."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 15, change "D." to "E."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 17, change "E." to "F."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 19, change "F." to "G."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 20, change "G." to "H."

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Murray to Reengrossed House Bill No. 521 by Representative LaFonta

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 521 and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2009, on page 1, between lines 12 and 13, insert

"(r) The Louisiana AFL-CIO"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed House Bill No. 521 and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2009, on page 1, line 13, after "state" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period, and on line 14, delete "state prior to landfall of Hurricane Katrina."

Rep. LaFonta moved that the amendments proposed by the Senate be concurred in.

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Morris
Abramson	Guillory	Norton
Anders	Guinn	Nowlin
Armes	Hardy	Pearson
Arnold	Harrison	Perry
Badon, A.	Hazel	Peterson
Badon, B.	Henderson	Pope
Baldone	Henry	Pugh
Barrow	Hill	Richard
Billiot	Hines	Richardson
Brossett	Hoffmann	Richmond
Burns, H.	Honey	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Howard	Robideaux
Burrell	Hutter	Roy
Carmody	Jackson M.	Schroder
Carter	Jones, R.	Simon
Chandler	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Chaney	Katz	Smith, J.
Connick	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Cortez	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Dixon	LaFonta	Stiaes
Dove	Lambert	Templet
Downs	Ligi	Thibaut
Ellington	Little	Waddell
Ernst	Lopinto	White
Fannin	McVea	Williams
Foil	Mills	Willmott
Franklin	Monica	Wooton
Geymann	Montoucet	
Total - 86		

Total - 86

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Aubert	Doerge	Landry
Barras	Edwards	LeBas
Burford	Gallot	Leger
Champagne	Greene	Ponti
Cromer	Jackson G.	Smiley
Danahay	Johnson	Talbot
Total - 18		

The amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in by the House.

HOUSE BILL NO. 617— BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 29:723, 724(B), and 732, relative to price gouging during a declared state of emergency; to provide for definitions; to provide for powers of the governor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Norton, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills on Second Reading to be Referred at this time.

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

Rep. Norton moved that the Committee on Education report House Bill No. 571 in accordance with the provisions of House Rule No. 6.13 on Thursday, June 11, 2009.

Rep. Austin Badon objected.

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Anders Armes	Guinn Hardy	Norton Peterson
Badon, B.	Henderson	Richard
Barras	Hill	Robideaux
Barrow	Hines	Smith, G.
Brossett	Honey	Smith, J.
Burford	Howard	Smith, P.
Burrell	Johnson	St. Germain
Champagne	Jones, S.	Stiaes
Dixon	LaBruzzo	Thibaut
Doerge	LaFonta	Waddell
Franklin	Mills	Williams
Guillory	Montoucet	Wooton
Total - 39		
Dixon Doerge Franklin Guillory	LaBruzzo LaFonta Mills	Thibaut Waddell Williams

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Ernst	McVea
Badon, A.	Fannin	Monica
Baldone	Foil	Nowlin
Billiot	Gisclair	Perry
Burns, H.	Greene	Ponti
Burns, T.	Henry	Pope
Carmody	Hoffmann	Pugh
Carter	Hutter	Richardson
Chandler	Jones, R.	Simon
Chaney	Katz	Smiley
Connick	Lambert	Talbot
Dove	Ligi	Templet
Downs	Little	Willmott
Edwards	Lopinto	
Total - 41	-	

ABSENT

Abramson	Geymann	Leger
Arnold	Harrison	Morris
Aubert	Hazel	Pearson
Cortez	Jackson G.	Richmond
Cromer	Jackson M.	Ritchie
Danahay	Kleckley	Roy
Ellington	Landry	Schroder
Gallot	LeBas	White
Total - 24		

The House refused to order the committee to report the bill on Thursday, June 11, 2009.

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Conference Committee Appointment

The Speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate on the disagreement to House Bill No. 439: Reps. Ellington, Anders, and McVea.

Acting Speaker Abramson in the Chair

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Fannin, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 18—

BY SENATOR ALARIO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(5) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(2)(e), relative to the Department of the Treasury, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of the Treasury 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.

Rep. Fannin moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Foil	Little
Abramson	Franklin	Lopinto
Anders	Geymann	McVea
Armes	Gisclair	Mills
Arnold	Greene	Monica
Badon, A.	Guillory	Morris
Baldone	Guinn	Nowlin
Barras	Hardy	Perry
Barrow	Hazel	Peterson
Billiot	Henderson	Pope
Brossett	Henry	Pugh
Burns, H.	Hill	Richardson
Burns, T.	Hines	Richmond
Carmody	Hoffmann	Ritchie
Carter	Honey	Robideaux
Champagne	Howard	Simon
Chandler	Hutter	Smiley
Chaney	Jackson G.	Smith, G.
Connick	Johnson	Smith, J.
Cortez	Jones, R.	St. Germain
Danahay	Jones, S.	Stiaes
Doerge	Katz	Talbot
Dove	Kleckley	Templet
Downs	LaBruzzo	White
Edwards	LaFonta	Williams

Ellington	Landry	Willmott
Ernst	LeBas	Wooton
Fannin	Ligi	
Total - 83	-	

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Aubert	Harrison	Ponti
Badon, B.	Jackson M.	Richard
Burford	Lambert	Roy
Burrell	Leger	Schroder
Cromer	Montoucet	Smith, P.
Dixon	Norton	Thibaut
Gallot	Pearson	Waddell
Total 21		

Total - 21

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Fannin 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 Tucker in the Chair

SENATE BILL NO. 44—

BY SENATORS MORRISH, ERDEY, MCPHERSON, MOUNT AND SHAW AND REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

AN ACT

To designate the Gibbstown bridge on Louisiana Highway 27 in Cameron Parish as the "Conway LeBleu Memorial Bridge," and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. McVea moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Mr. Speaker Abramson Anders Armes Armold Badon, A. Baldone Barras Barrow Billiot Brossett Burford Burns, H. Burns, T. Burrell Carmody Carter Champagne Chandler Chandler Chanley Connick Cortez Danahay Dixon Doerge	Fannin Foil Franklin Gisclair Greene Guillory Guinn Hardy Hazel Henderson Henry Hill Hines Hoffmann Honey Howard Hutter Jackson G. Jackson M. Johnson Jones, R. Jones, S. Katz Kleckley LaBruzzo	Lopinto McVea Mills Monica Montoucet Norton Nowlin Pearson Perry Peterson Pope Pugh Richard Richardson Richmond Ritchie Robideaux Roy Schroder Simon Smiley Smith, G. Smith, J. Smith, P. St. Germain
Doerge	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Dove	LaFonta	Stiaes

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Talbot Downs Landry Edwards LeBas Templet Ellington Ligi Thibaut Ernst Little Williams

Total - 90

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Aubert Waddell Harrison Badon, B. Lambert White Cromer Leger Willmott Gallot Morris Wooton Geymann Ponti

Total - 14

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. McVea 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 127— BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of Quebec Road in Madison Parish; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for

Read by title.

Rep. Anders moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Abramson Anders Armes Armold Badon, A. Baldone Barras Barrow Billiot Brossett Burford Burns, H. Burns, T. Burrell Carmody Carter Champagne Chandler Chaney Connick Cortez Danahay Doerge Dove Downs Edwards Ellington Ernst	Foil Franklin Gisclair Guillory Guinn Hardy Hazel Henderson Henry Hill Hines Hoffmann Honey Howard Hutter Jackson G. Johnson Jones, R. Jones, S. Katz Kleckley LaBruzzo LaFonta Lambert LeBas Ligi Little Lopinto McVea	Monica Montoucet Norton Nowlin Pearson Perry Peterson Ponti Pope Pugh Richards Richardson Richmond Ritchie Robideaux Roy Schroder Simon Smiley Smith, G. Smith, J. Smith, P. St. Germain Stiaes Talbot Templet White Williams Willmott
Ernst	McVea Mills	Willmott
Fannin Total - 90	Mills	Wooton

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Geymann Aubert Leger Morris Greene Badon, B. Cromer Harrison Thibaut Dixon Jackson M. Waddell Gallot Landry

Total - 14

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Anders 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 211-BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:801(introductory paragraph), and to enact R.S. 36:109(U) and Chapter 40 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2401, relative to economic development; to create the Louisiana Innovation Council within the Department of Economic Development; to provide for the membership; to provide for the duties and responsibilities; to provide for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Foil moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Mr. Speaker	Foil	Norton
Abramson	Franklin	Nowlin
Anders	Gisclair	Pearson
Armes	Guillory	Perry
Arnold	Guinn	Peterson
Badon, A.	Hardy	Ponti
Badon, B.	Hazel	Pope
Baldone	Henderson	Pugh
Barras	Henry	Richard
Barrow	Hill	Richardson
Billiot	Hines	Richmond
Brossett	Hoffmann	Ritchie
Burford	Honey	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Howard	Roy
Burns, T.	Hutter	Schroder
Burrell	Jackson G.	Simon
Carmody	Johnson	Smiley
Carter	Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Champagne	Jones, S.	Smith, J.
Chandler	Katz	Smith, P.
Chaney	Kleckley	St. Germain
Connick	LaBruzzo	Stiaes
Cortez	LaFonta	Talbot
Danahay	Lambert	Templet
Dixon	LeBas	Thibaut
Doerge	Ligi	Waddell
Dove	Little	White
Downs	Lopinto	Williams
Edwards	McVea	Willmott
Ellington	Mills	Wooton

Monica Ernst Fannin Montoucet Total - 94

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Aubert Greene Leger Morris Cromer Harrison Gallot Jackson M. Landry

Geymann

Total - 10

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Foil 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 333—

BY SENATORS BROOME, DORSEY AND ERDEY AND REPRESENTATIVES BARROW, CARTER, FOIL, HONEY, MICHAEL JACKSON, PONTI, POPE, PATRICIA SMITH AND WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.63, relative to cooperative development in East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Bluebonnet Convention Hotel Taxing District as a special taxing and tax increment financing district in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the authority, powers, duties, and function of the governing body; to levy and collect a tax upon hotel occupancy and food and beverage not intended for home consumption within the district and to engage in tax increment financing; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hardy, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

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:

HOUSE BILL NO. 11— BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:412(J), relative to controlled dangerous substances violations and driving privileges; to provide for a restriction code which declares that a driver's license holder has been convicted of certain violations of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Hardy to Engrossed House Bill No. 11 by Representative Hardy

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after "Law;" and before "and to" insert "to provide for fines;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 3, after "applies" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 4 in its

entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

'shall obtain a driver's license or identification card as provided for in this Subsection, immediately following his conviction, if he is not incarcerated, or immediately following the period of incarceration, if he is incarcerated. Once the driver's license or identification card as authorized by the provisions of this Subsection has been issued, the person shall carry it upon his person at all times.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, after line 10, add the following:

'(5)(a) The provisions of this Subsection shall only apply to a person who has been convicted of a second or subsequent felony violation for producing, manufacturing, distributing, or dispensing or possession with intent to produce, manufacture, distribute, or dispense, a controlled dangerous substance.

(b) In addition to any other fine or penalty imposed by the court on an offender as described in Subparagraph (a), the court shall impose a fine of ten dollars. After collection by the clerk of court of the additional fine, the clerk shall remit such monies, on a monthly basis, to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, to be used to implement the provisions of this Subsection.

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Mr. Speaker	Downs	Ligi
Abramson	Ellington	Little
Anders	Fannin	Mills
Armes	Franklin	Monica
Arnold	Gisclair	Montoucet
Badon, A.	Guillory	Morris
Badon, B.	Hardy	Pearson
Barrow	Henderson	Perry
Brossett	Henry	Peterson
Burford	Hill	Pope
Burns, H.	Hines	Richard
Burns, T.	Hoffmann	Richmond
Burrell	Honey	Ritchie
Carmody	Howard	Robideaux
Carter	Hutter	Simon
Champagne	Jackson M.	Smith, J.
Chandler	Jones, S.	Smith, P.
Chaney	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Connick	LaFonta	Talbot

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Cortez	Lambert	Templet
Dixon	Landry	Thibaut
Doerge	LeBas	White
Total - 66		

NAYS

Baldone	Johnson	Richardson
Barras	Kleckley	Schroder
Billiot	Lopinto	Smiley
Danahay	McVea	Smith, G.
Dove	Norton	Willmott
Edwards	Nowlin	Wooton
Hazel	Pugh	

Total - 20

ABSENT

Aubert	Greene	Leger
Cromer	Guinn	Ponti
Ernst	Harrison	Roy
Foil	Jackson G.	Stiaes
Gallot	Jones, R.	Waddell
Geymann	Katz	Williams
Total - 18		

The bill, not having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, failed to pass.

Motion to reconsider pending.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Carter, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

Acting Speaker Lopinto in the Chair

SENATE BILL NO. 333-

BY SENATORS BROOME, DORSEY AND ERDEY AND REPRESENTATIVES BARROW, CARTER, FOIL, HONEY, MICHAEL JACKSON, PONTI, POPE, PATRICIA SMITH AND WHITE AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.63, relative to cooperative development in East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Bluebonnet Convention Hotel Taxing District as a special taxing and tax increment financing district in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the authority, powers, duties, and function of the governing body; to levy and collect a tax upon hotel occupancy and food and beverage not intended for home consumption within the district and to engage in tax increment financing; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Michael Jackson to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 333 by Senator Broome

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 33:9038.63" delete the comma "," and insert "and 9038.64," $\,$

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "Taxing District" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 4, delete "tax increment financing district" and insert "and the Bluebonnet/Perkins Convention Hotel Taxing District as special taxing and increment financing districts;

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "boundaries of the" change "district;" to 'districts;'

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 5, after "governance of the" change "district;" to

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 6, change "the governing body;" to "each governing

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 8, change "the district" to "each district"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, line 12, after "R.S. 33:9038.63" delete "is" and insert "and 9038.64 are'

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 9, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"§9038.64. Bluebonnet/Perkins Convention Hotel Taxing District

A. Creation. The Bluebonnet/Perkins Convention Hotel Taxing District, a special taxing district and political subdivision of the state, referred to in this Section as the "district", is hereby created in the city of Baton Rouge, parish of East Baton Rouge, referred to in this Section as the "city-parish".

B. Boundaries. The district shall be comprised of the following described parcels or tracts of land located in the city-parish, referred to in this Section as the "property".

A certain tract of land together with all improvements containing 0.91 Acres located in Section 58, Township 8 South, Range 1 East, Greensburg Land District, East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana, shown on an Exhibit by Benchmark Group, L.L.C. as Proposed Tract A-4-A and more fully described as follows

Commencing at the intersection of the east right-of-way line of Bluebonnet Boulevard and the centerline Park Rowe private all purpose access and utility servitude; Thence along the centerline of the Park Rowe private servitude South 61 degrees 13 minutes 56 seconds East, 286.36 feet; Thence leaving the centerline of the servitude North 28 degrees 46 minutes 04 seconds East, 20.63 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING; Thence along a curve concaving to the northeast having a Radius of 20.00 feet, a Length of 31.42 feet, a Chord Bearing of North 16 degrees 13 minutes 56 seconds West and a Chord of 28.28 feet; Thence North 28 degrees 46 minutes 04 seconds East, 79.20 feet; Thence along a curve concaving to the southeast having a Radius of 10.00 feet, a Length of 15.71 feet, a

- Chord Bearing of North 73 degrees 46 minutes 04 seconds East and a Chord of 14.14 feet; Thence South 61 degrees 13 minutes 56 seconds East, 332.31 feet; Thence along a curve concaving to the southwest having a Radius of 18.00 feet, a Length of 12.75 feet, a Chord Bearing of South 40 degrees 56 minutes 31 seconds East and a Chord of 12.48 feet; Thence along a curve concaving to the northeast having a Radius of 151.00 feet, a Length of 22.56 feet, a Chord Bearing of South 24 degrees 55 minutes 57 seconds and a Chord of 22.54 feet; Thence along a curve concaving to the southwest having a Radius of 18.00 feet, a Length of 18.22 feet, a Chord Bearing of South 00 degrees 13 minutes 23 seconds East and a Chord of 17.45 feet; Thence South 28 degrees 46 minutes 03 seconds West, 64.08 feet; Thence along a curve concaving to the northwest having a Radius of 27.00 feet, a Length of 13.60 feet, a Chord Bearing of South 53 degrees 51 minutes 53 seconds West and a Chord of 13.46 feet; Thence North 61 degrees 13 minutes 56 seconds West, 354.94 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.
- C. Purpose. The state hereby acknowledges that the property of the district currently contains a vacant parcel which is in need of an economic development project. The district is created to provide for cooperative economic development among the city-parish, the owner of a hotel in the district, the district, and the state in order to provide for the development of and improvement to the area within the district located in the city-parish, specifically to include a hotel with conference/meeting and related facilities.
- D. Governance. (1) In order to provide for the orderly development of the district and effectuation of the purposes of the district, the district shall be administered and governed by a board of commissioners, referred to in this Section as the "board", comprised of three persons as follows:
 - (a) The mayor-president of the city-parish or his designee.
- (b) The mayor-president pro-tempore of the city-parish or his designee.
- (c) The council member for metropolitan council district 3 of the city-parish or his designee.
- (2) A majority of the members of the board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The board shall keep minutes of all meetings and shall make them available for inspection through the board's secretary-treasurer. The minute books and archives of the district shall be maintained by the board's secretary-treasurer. The monies, funds, and accounts of the district shall be in the official custody of the board.
- (3) The board shall adopt bylaws and prescribe rules to govern its meetings. The members of the board shall serve without salary or per diem and shall be entitled to reimbursement for reasonable, actual, and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.
- (4) The domicile of the board shall be established by the board at a location within the district.
- (5) The board shall elect from its own members a president, vice president, and secretary-treasurer, whose duties shall be common to such offices or as may be provided by bylaws adopted by the district. The board shall hold regular meetings and may hold special meetings as provided in the bylaws. All such meetings shall be public meetings subject to the provisions of R.S. 42:4.1 et seq.
- E. Rights and powers. The district, acting by and through its board, shall have and exercise all powers of a political subdivision and special taxing district necessary or convenient for carrying out its objects and purposes, including but not limited to the following:

- (1) To sue and to be sued.
- (2) To adopt bylaws and rules and regulations.
- (3) To receive by gift, grant, donation, or otherwise any sum of money, property, aid, or assistance from the United States, the state of Louisiana, or any political subdivision thereof or from any person, firm, or corporation.
- (4) To enter into contracts, agreements, or cooperative endeavors with the state and its political subdivisions or political corporations and with any public or private association, corporation, business entity, or person.
- (5) To appoint officers, agents, and employees and to prescribe their duties and fix their compensation.
- (6) To acquire by gift, grant, purchase, lease, or otherwise property and to mortgage and sell such property.
- (7) In its own name and on its own behalf to incur debt or to issue bonds, notes, certificates, and other evidences of indebtedness. For this purpose the district shall be deemed and considered to be an issuer for purposes of R.S. 33:9037 and shall, to the extent not in conflict with this Section, be subject to the provisions of R.S. 33:9037.
- (8) To establish such funds or accounts as are necessary for the conduct of the affairs of the district.
- F. Tax. (1) In order to provide funds for the purposes of the district, the district, acting by and through its board, may levy and collect within the district a tax upon the occupancy of hotel rooms, motel rooms, and overnight camping facilities and a tax upon the sale of food and beverage. The aggregate tax rate upon the occupancy of hotel rooms, motel rooms, and overnight camping facilities within the district shall be at least equal to the aggregate rate of all taxes upon the occupancy of hotel rooms, motel rooms, and overnight camping facilities levied and collected within the parish of East Baton Rouge. The aggregate food and beverage tax rate within the district shall be at least equal to the aggregate rate of all food and beverage taxes levied and collected within the parish of East Baton Rouge.
- (2)(a) The word "hotel" as used in this Section shall mean and include any establishment, both public and private, engaged in the business of furnishing or providing rooms and overnight camping facilities intended or designed for dwelling, lodging, or sleeping purposes to transient guests where such establishment consists of two or more guest rooms and does not encompass any hospital, convalescent or nursing home, or sanitarium or any hotel-like facility operated by or in connection with a hospital or medical clinic providing rooms exclusively for patients and their families.
- (b) The occupancy tax shall be paid by the person who exercises or is entitled to occupancy of the hotel room and shall be paid at the time the rent or fee of occupancy is paid.
- (c) The food and beverage tax shall be paid by the person who pays for the food and beverages at the point of sale.
- (d) The word "person" as used in this Section shall have the same meaning as contained in R.S. 47:301(8).
- (3) The taxes authorized in this Section shall be imposed by ordinance adopted by the district, acting by and through its board, without the need of an election.
- (4) It is hereby recognized that without the accomplishment of the purposes of the district, there would be no collection of a hotel

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occupancy tax or food and beverage tax by any taxing authority within the district. Accordingly if the district elects to levy and collect any tax authorized in this Section, such levy shall be deemed to supersede and be in lieu of only such other taxes on hotel occupancy and sales within the district that do not secure bonds that have been authorized, that have not been dedicated by other law or by proposition approved by electors voting in an election for such purpose, and that are not based on a per head or per person basis. Additionally, if during the term of the district such other taxes on hotel occupancy or sales within the district that currently secure bonds that have been authorized cease to be authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds that have been authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds or cease to be authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds or cease to be authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds or cease to be authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds or cease to be authorized to secure bonds or cease to secure bonds or ceas

- (5) The authority granted to the district pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be subject to the limitations provided in R.S. 33:9038.42.
- G. Financing. (1)(a) The district may issue revenue bonds, in one or more series, payable from an irrevocable pledge and dedication of up to the full amount of hotel occupancy and food and beverage sales tax increments, in an amount to be determined by the district, to finance or refinance any project or projects, or parts thereof, which are consistent with the purposes of the district. For purposes of this Section, for each of the food and beverage taxes and the hotel occupancy taxes collected within the district, a tax increment shall consist of that portion of the aggregate of such tax revenues collected by the district as determined by the board.
- (b) Dedication of tax increments to pay the revenue bonds shall not impair existing obligations of the district and shall not include tax revenues previously dedicated by the district for a special purpose.
- (2) The district may pledge the taxes collected under the authority of this Section to any financing or multiple refinancings of a hotel and related facilities within the district in furtherance of the purposes of the district. Such financing may include, but shall not be limited to loans, mortgages, the issuance of bonds, or the issuance of certificates of indebtedness.
- H. Term. The district shall dissolve and cease to exist one year after the date on which all loans, bonds, notes, and other evidences of indebtedness of the district, including refunding bonds, are paid in full as to both principal and interest; however, the district shall not exist for more than forty years.
- I. Liberal Construction. This Section, being necessary for the welfare of the city-parish and its residents, shall be liberally construed to effect the purposes hereof."

Point of Order

Rep. Carmody asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

Rep. Michael Jackson moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Carter objected.

By a vote of 37 yeas and 53 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Rep. Carter moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Franklin	Lopinto
Abramson	Geymann	McVea
Anders	Gisclair	Mills
Armes	Greene	Monica
Arnold	Guillory	Montoucet
Badon, A.	Guinn	Norton
Badon, B.	Hardy	Nowlin
Baldone	Harrison	Perry
Barras	Hazel	Peterson
Barrow	Henderson	Ponti
Billiot	Henry	Pope
Brossett	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Howard	Robideaux
Burrell	Hutter	Simon
Carter	Jackson M.	Smiley
Chandler	Johnson	Smith, G.
Chaney	Jones, R.	Smith, J.
Connick	Jones, S.	Smith, P.
Cortez	Katz	St. Germain
Danahay	Kleckley	Talbot
Dixon	LaBruzzo	Waddell
Dove	LaFonta	White
Downs	Lambert	Williams
Ernst	LeBas	Willmott
Fannin	Ligi	Wooton
Foil	Little	Wooton
Total - 83	Little	
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NAYS

Carmody Hill Stiaes
Doerge Richardson Thibaut
Edwards Richmond
Ellington Schroder

Total - 10

ABSENT

Aubert Jackson G. Pearson Champagne Landry Roy Cromer Leger Templet Gallot Morris

Total - 11

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

Rep. Carter 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.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Richard, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

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:

Speaker Tucker in the Chair

HOUSE BILL NO. 828-

BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:820.5.5 and to repeal R.S. 47:820.5.3, relative to the Crescent City Connection; to create the Crescent City Connection Commission; to provide for membership, powers, and duties of the commission; to abolish the Crescent City Connection Oversight Authority; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Connick to Engrossed House Bill No. 828 by Representative Connick

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, and 3 in the set of floor amendments proposed by Representative Waddell on behalf of the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 2, 2009

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 18 through 29 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 7 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(2)(a) Each of the state senators from Senate districts 1, 3, 7, and 8, and each of the state representatives from House districts 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 93, 102, 104, and 105 shall submit the names of three persons to the governor. The governor shall appoint one person from each of the enumerated Senate and House of Representatives districts. Each nominee submitted to the governor for consideration on the commission shall be a resident of Louisiana. To the extent possible the list of names submitted by the legislators shall include persons who have special competence in business, management, finance, law, and human resources.

(b) The governor shall appoint one member at large and the secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development or his designee shall serve as chairman of the commission."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 8, change "(d)" to "(c)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, at the beginning of line 15, after "(3)" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 16 through 18

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 23, after "once" and before "and" delete "a month" and insert in lieu thereof "every other month"

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

Acting Speaker Arnold in the Chair

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Tucker to Engrossed House Bill No. 828 by Representative Connick

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 19 and 20 in their entirety

Rep. Tucker moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Connick objected.

By a vote of 36 yeas and 47 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Speaker Tucker in the Chair

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gisclair	Monica
Abramson	Greene	Montoucet
Anders	Guillory	Morris
Armes	Guinn	Norton
Badon, A.	Hardy	Nowlin
Badon, B.	Harrison	Pearson
Baldone	Hazel	Perry
Barras	Henderson	Peterson
Barrow	Henry	Ponti
Billiot	Hill	Pope
Brossett	Hines	Pugh
Burford	Hoffmann	Richard
Burns, H.	Honey	Richardson
Burns, T.	Howard	Richmond
Burrell	Hutter	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson G.	Robideaux
Carter	Jackson M.	Schroder
Champagne	Johnson	Simon
Chandler	Jones, R.	Smiley
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smith, G.
Connick	Katz	Smith, J.
Cortez	Kleckley	Smith, P.
Dixon	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Doerge	LaFonta	Stiaes
Dove	Lambert	Talbot
Downs	Landry	Templet
Edwards	LeBas	Thibaut
Ellington	Ligi	Waddell
Ernst	Little	White
Fannin	Lopinto	Williams
Foil	McVea	Willmott
Franklin	Mills	Wooton
Total - 96		
	NAYS	

Total - 0

ABSENT

Arnold	Danahay	Leger
Aubert	Gallot	Roy
Cromer	Geymann	Ĭ
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Total - 8

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The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Connick 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.

Withdrawal of Notice of Intention to Call

Rep. Little withdrew his notice of intention to call House Bill No. 29 from the calendar for future action.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Nowlin gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 783 from the calendar on Thursday, June 11, 2009.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Downs gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 872 from the calendar on Thursday, June 11, 2009.

HOUSE BILL NO. 352-

BY REPRESENTATIVE MICKEY GUILLORY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:387.12(C), relative to annual noncritical off-road equipment permit; to provide for a permit to be issued to authorize noncritical off-road equipment to tow a vehicle; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Guillory moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Franklin	Monica
Abramson	Geymann	Montoucet
Anders	Gisclair	Morris
Armes	Greene	Norton
Arnold	Guillory	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Guinn	Pearson
Badon, B.	Harrison	Perry
Baldone	Hazel	Peterson
Barrow	Henderson	Ponti
Billiot	Henry	Pope
Brossett	Hill	Pugh
Burford	Hines	Richard
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Richardson
Burrell	Howard	Richmond
Carmody	Hutter	Ritchie
Carter	Jackson G.	Schroder
Champagne	Johnson	Simon
Chandler	Jones, R.	Smith, G.
Chaney	Jones, S.	Smith, J.
Connick	Katz	St. Germain
Cortez	Kleckley	Stiaes
Danahay	LaBruzzo	Talbot
Dixon	LaFonta	Templet
Doerge	Lambert	Thibaut
Dove	Landry	Waddell

Downs	LeBas	White
Edwards	Ligi	Williams
Ellington	Little	Willmott
Ernst	Lopinto	Wooton
Fannin	McVea	
Foil	Mills	
Total - 91		

Total - 0

ABSENT

NAYS

Aubert	Hardy	Roy
Barras	Honey	Smiley
Burns, T.	Jackson M.	Smith, P.
Cromer	Leger	· ·
Gallot	Robideaux	
Total - 13		

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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 367—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOVE, BALDONE, AND HARRISON AND SENATORS DUPRE AND B. GAUTREAUX AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2481.3, relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the positions of fire chief and police chief in the city of Houma; to provide that each such position is in the unclassified service; to provide relative to the appointment, supervision, and discharge of any person in any such position; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Baldone to Engrossed House Bill No. 367 by Representative Dove

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "municipal", delete "fire and"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "to the" change "positions" to "position" and delete "fire chief and" $\,$

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "that" delete "each"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 12, after "§2481.3." delete "Fire chief and" and change "police" to "Police'

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 13, change "positions" to "position" and delete "fire"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 14, at the beginning of the line, delete "chief and"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Ellington	Little
Abramson	Ernst	Lopinto
Anders	Fannin	McVea
Arnold	Foil	Mills
Badon, A.	Franklin	Monica
Baldone	Gisclair	Montoucet
Barras	Guillory	Morris
Billiot	Hardy	Norton
Burford	Harrison	Perry
Burns, H.	Henderson	Pope
Burrell	Henry	Pugh
Carter	Hill	Richard
Champagne	Hoffmann	Richardson
Chandler	Howard	Ritchie
Chaney	Hutter	Simon
Cortez	Katz	Smiley
Danahay	Kleckley	Smith, G.
Dixon	LaFonta	Smith, J.
Doerge	Lambert	St. Germain
Dove	Landry	Stiaes
Downs	LeBas	Talbot
Edwards	Ligi	Wooton
Total - 66	_	

NAYS

Badon, B.	Hines	Smith, P.
Barrow	Honey	Thibaut
Brossett	Jackson M.	Waddell
Greene	Peterson	Willmott
Hazel	Richmond	
Total - 14		

ABSENT

The chair declared the above bill, not having received a twothirds vote of the elected members, failed to pass.

HOUSE BILL NO. 519-

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3995(A)(4)(a), relative to the fee that a school chartering authority may charge a charter school during the school's second year of operation and each year thereafter for certain administrative overhead costs; to provide relative to fee amounts; to provide limitations; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Rosalind Jones moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Foil	Monica
Abramson	Franklin	Montoucet
Anders	Gisclair	Norton
Arnold	Greene	Perry
Badon, A.	Guillory	Peterson
Badon, B.	Harrison	Ponti
Baldone	Hazel	Pope
Barrow	Henderson	Pugh
Billiot	Hill	Richard
Brossett	Hines	Richardson
Burford	Hoffmann	Richmond
Burns, H.	Honey	Ritchie
Burrell	Howard	Robideaux
Carmody	Jackson G.	Schroder
Carter	Johnson	Smith, G.
Champagne	Jones, R.	Smith, J.
Chandler	Katz	St. Germain
Chaney	Kleckley	Stiaes
Connick	LaBruzzo	Talbot
Cortez	LaFonta	Templet
Dixon	Lambert	Thibaut
Doerge	Landry	Waddell
Dove	LeBas	White
Downs	Ligi	Williams
Edwards	Little	Willmott
Ellington	Lopinto	Wooton
Ernst	McVea	Wooton
Fannin	Mills	
Total - 82	IVIIIIS	
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Total - 0

ABSENT

Armes	Guinn	Nowlin
Aubert	Hardy	Pearson
Barras	Henry	Roy
Burns, T.	Hutter	Simon
Cromer	Jackson M.	Smiley
Danahay	Jones, S.	Smith, P.
Gallot	Leger	
Geymann	Morris	
Total - 22		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Rosalind Jones 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. 866—
BY REPRESENTATIVES CONNICK, ABRAMSON, RICHMOND, LEGER, HINES, AND ERNST AND SENATORS APPEL, ALARIO, MARTINY, MORRELL, AND MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 43:201(D), relative to Jefferson Parish; to provide for judicial advertisements and legal notices in certain publications; to provide for criteria; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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Rep. Connick moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Foil	Ligi
Abramson	Gisclair	Lopinto
Armes	Greene	Montoucet
Arnold	Harrison	Pearson
Badon, A.	Hazel	Peterson
Baldone	Henderson	Richard
Billiot	Henry	Richmond
Brossett	Hines	Roy
Burford	Honey	Schroder
Burns, T.	Jackson G.	Simon
Burrell	Jackson M.	Smith, G.
Carter	Johnson	St. Germain
Connick	Jones, R.	Stiaes
Cortez	Jones, S.	Talbot
Dove	Kleckley	Templet
Downs	LaBruzzo	Willmott
Edwards	LaFonta	Wooton
Ernst	Landry	

NAYS

Badon, B.	Guinn	Norton
Barras	Hardy	Perry
Barrow	Hill	Ponti
Burns, H.	Hoffmann	Pope
Carmody	Howard	Pugh
Champagne	Hutter	Richardson
Chandler	Katz	Ritchie
Chaney	Lambert	Smiley
Danahay	LeBas	Smith, J.
Doerge	Little	Thibaut
Ellington	McVea	Waddell
Fannin	Mills	White
Franklin	Monica	
Guillory	Morris	
Total - 40		

ABSENT

Anders	Gallot	Robideaux
Aubert	Geymann	Smith, P.
Cromer	Leger	Williams
Dixon	Nowlin	
TC 4 1 11		

Total - 11

Total - 53

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 660-

BY REPRESENTATIVES SMILEY AND SCHRODER AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:36.1, relative to budgetary controls; to require a reduction in the number of authorized positions and certain personnel expenditures in the executive budget; to provide for reports; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Smiley gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 660 from the calendar on Thursday, June 11, 2009.

Suspension of the Rules

Rep. Michael Jackson moved to suspend the rules to reconsider a second time the vote by which House Bill No. 367 failed to pass.

Rep. Sam Jones objected.

By a vote of 77 yeas and 7 nays, the rules were suspended.

Reconsideration

The following legislative instruments on reconsideration were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 367—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOVE, BALDONE, AND HARRISON AND SENATORS DUPRE AND B. GAUTREAUX
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2481.3, relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the positions of fire chief and police chief in the city of Houma; to provide that each such position is in the unclassified service; to provide relative to the appointment, supervision, and discharge of any person in any such position; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

Rep. Michael Jackson moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill failed to pass.

Rep. Sam Jones objected.

By a vote of 85 yeas and 1 nay, the vote was reconsidered.

Returned to the calendar under the rules.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Dove, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bill No. 367 at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 367—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DOVE, BALDONE, AND HARRISON AND SENATORS DUPRE AND B. GAUTREAUX AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2481.3, relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the positions of fire chief and police chief in the city of Houma; to provide that each such position is in the unclassified service; to provide relative to the appointment, supervision, and discharge of any person in any such position; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Baldone to Engrossed House Bill No. 367 by Representative Dove

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In the set of three House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Stiaes and adopted by the House on June 2, 2009, on line 9, delete "fire chief or" and on lines 11 and 12, delete "fire chief or"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

Mr. Speaker

Anders

In the set of two House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Dove and adopted by the House on June 2, 2009, on line 5, delete "fire chief and" and on line 7, delete "fire chief or'

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

Foil

Franklin

YEAS

Morris

Anders	Franklin	Norton
Arnold	Gisclair	Nowlin
Badon, A.	Greene	Pearson
Baldone	Guinn	Perry
Barras	Hardy	Peterson
Barrow	Harrison	Ponti
Billiot	Henderson	Pugh
Brossett	Henry	Richard
Burford	Hoffmann	Richardson
Burns, H.	Honey	Richmond
Burns, T.	Howard	Schroder
Burrell	Hutter	Simon
Carmody	Jackson G.	Smiley
Carter	Jackson M.	Smith, G.
Champagne	Johnson	Smith, J.
Chandler	Jones, R.	Smith, P.
Chaney	Katz	St. Germain
Connick	LaBruzzo	Stiaes
Cortez	LaFonta	Talbot
Danahay	Lambert	Templet
Dixon	Landry	Thibaut
Dove	Ligi	Waddell
Downs	Little	White
Edwards	Lopinto	Willmott
Ellington	Mills	Wooton
Ernst	Monica	
Fannin	Montoucet	
Total - 82		
	NAYS	
Badon, B.	Hazel	Pope
Doerge	Hill	Ritchie
Guillory	Jones, S.	Williams
Total - 9		
	ABSENT	
Abramson	Geymann	McVea
Armes	Hines	Robideaux
Aubert	Kleckley	Roy
Cromer	LeBas	Roy
Gallot		
Ganot	Leger	

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.

Total - 13

HOUSE BILL NO. 877—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MICHAEL JACKSON, BARROW, CARTER, HONEY, PATRICIA SMITH, AND WHITE AND SENATORS BROOME, DORSEY, AND N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.63, relative to cooperative economic development; to create the Bluebonnet/Perkins Conference Hotel Taxing District in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide relative to the governance, purpose, and powers and duties of the district; to provide relative to district funding, including the power to provide for tax increment financing and to incur debt and issue evidences of indebtedness; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Arnold to Engrossed House Bill No. 877 by Representative Richardson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

The district shall not receive any state sales tax increments until such time as the governing authority of the city of Baton Rouge, Parish of East Baton Rouge, provides matching local sales tax increments to the district.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, at the beginning of line 8, change "I." to "J."

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

Rep. Michael Jackson moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Abramson	Downs	Lambert
Anders	Franklin	Mills
Armes	Gisclair	Monica
Arnold	Guillory	Montoucet
Badon, A.	Hardy	Morris
Badon, B.	Harrison	Norton
Baldone	Hazel	Perry
Barrow	Henderson	Peterson
Billiot	Henry	Pope
Brossett	Honey	Richmond
Burns, H.	Howard	Smiley
Burns, T.	Jackson G.	Smith, G.
Burrell	Jackson M.	Smith, P.
Chandler	Johnson	St. Germain
Chaney	Jones, R.	Waddell
Cortez	Katz	White
Dixon	LaBruzzo	Williams
Dove	LaFonta	
Total 52		

Total - 53

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NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Hill	Pugh
Barras	Hoffmann	Richardson
Burford	Hutter	Schroder
Carmody	Jones, S.	Simon
Edwards	LeBas	Talbot
Ellington	Ligi	Thibaut
Ernst	Little	Willmott
Fannin	Lopinto	Wooton
Foil	Pearson	
Guinn	Ponti	

Total - 28

ABSENT

Aubert	Geymann	Richard
Carter	Greene	Ritchie
Champagne	Hines	Robideaux
Connick	Kleckley	Roy
Cromer	Landry	Smith, J.
Danahay	Leger	Stiaes
Doerge	McVea	Templet
Gallot	Nowlin	-

Total - 23

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Michael Jackson 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.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Richmond, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Senate Bills on Second Reading to be Referred at this time.

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:

Motion

Rep. Richmond moved that the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice be discharged from further consideration of Senate Bill No. 253.

Rep. Wooton objected.

By a vote of 21 yeas and 62 nays, the House refused to discharge the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice from further consideration of the bill.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Richmond, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials and **Communications**

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

Message from the Senate HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 2009

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

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 199 Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 200 Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate **HOUSE BILLS**

June 9, 2009

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 Bills:

House Bill No. 207 Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 333 Returned without amendments

House Bill No. 551 Returned with amendments

House Bill No. 629 Returned with amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 9, 2009

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. 17, 112, 114, and 115

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

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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. 75— BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND A RESOLUTION

To commend and salute Ron Washington, manager of the Texas Rangers and native of New Orleans, Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 76–

BY REPRESENTATIVE KATZ
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals and the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to ensure that patient safety and choice of treatment remain central concerns for treating physicians and that quality of care remains at the highest level possible by preventing physician self-referrals for radiation therapy within non-radiation oncology group practices.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 201— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSALIND JONES A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and request the Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections to study the feasibility and effectiveness of utilizing home incarceration and electronic monitoring in lieu of incarceration for nonviolent first time offenders, and to report its findings to the Louisiana Legislature prior to the convening of the 2010 Regular Session.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 202—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the division of administration to study the feasibility of consolidating state office space in Shreveport into a central downtown location.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice

June 9, 2009

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:

Senate Bill No. 94, by Donahue

Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 254, by Murray

Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 273, by Martiny

Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 347, by Mount

Reported with amendments. (13-0) (Regular)

ERNEST D. WOOTON Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Education

June 9, 2009

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 53, by Hutter Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 54, by Hutter Reported favorably. (13-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 101, by Simon Reported favorably. (9-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 165, by Dixon Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Bill No. 223, by Armes

Reported favorably. (10-0) (Local & Consent)

House Bill No. 495, by Dixon

Reported with amendments. (9-5) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 223, by Claitor

Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 259, by Kostelka

Reported with amendments. (11-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 285, by Nevers

Reported favorably. (10-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 309, by Evans

Reported favorably. (13-0) (Regular)

AUSTIN J. BADON, JR. Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Health and Welfare

June 9, 2009

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 838, by Landry Reported by substitute. (12-0) (Regular)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 42, by LaFleur Reported favorably. (13-0)

Senate Bill No. 107, by Cheek Reported favorably. (13-2) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 137, by Jackson, L. Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 171, by Broome

Reported favorably. (14-0) (Local & Consent)

Senate Bill No. 251, by Erdey Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 348, by McPherson Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

> KAY KELLOGG KATZ Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

June 9, 2009

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 Concurrent Resolution No. 153, by Downs Reported with amendments. (13-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 154, by Tucker Reported favorably. (12-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 164, by Smith, Patricia Reported with amendments. (13-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 168, by Leger Reported with amendments. (11-0)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 189, by Lopinto Reported favorably. (12-0)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 43, by McPherson Reported with amendments. (13-0)

Senate Bill No. 67, by McPherson (Joint Resolution) Reported with amendments. (14-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 156, by LaFleur Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 191, by Alario Reported favorably. (12-0) (Regular)

RICHARD "RICK" GALLOT, JR. Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments, except Senate Bill No. 67, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Insurance

June 9, 2009

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

Senate Bill No. 130, by Hebert Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 214, by Morrish Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 282, by Hebert Reported with amendments. (10-0) (Regular)

> CHARLES E. "CHUCK" KLECKLEY Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

June 9, 2009

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the following report:

Senate Bill No. 9

Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 10 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 28 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 33 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 51 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 55 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 66 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 84 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 114 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 134 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 147 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 158 Reported without amendments.

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Senate Bill No. 160 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 168 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 179 Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 183 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 187 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 193 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 208 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 215 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 222 Reported with amendments.

Senate Bill No. 229 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 239 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 241 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 272 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 308 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 323 Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 339 Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

WAYNE WADDELL Chairman

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

June 9, 2009

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 Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 69—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARD

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana High School Athletic Association to vote favorably to raise the minimum grade point average requirement for student athletes.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 70-

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSALIND JONES
A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Louisiana House of Representatives upon the death of Vera Williams of Fairbanks.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 72– BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Ned James Bordelon of Marksville.

Respectfully submitted,

WAYNE WADDELL Chairman

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

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

June 9, 2009

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. 38— BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRISON, BOBBY BADON, BILLIOT, HENRY BURNS, GISCLAIR, HENDERSON, AND ST. GERMAIN A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to preserve and maintain the exemption from the Safe Drinking Water Act for hydraulic fracturing.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52

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BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, ARMES, ARNOLD, AUBERT, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BARRAS, BARROW, BILLIOT, HENRY BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CHAMPAGNE, DIXON, DOVE, GISCLAIR, MICKEY GUILLORY, HARRISON, JOHNSON, LABRUZZO, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LEGER, MILLS, RICHARDSON, ROBIDEAUX, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, STIAES, AND WILLIAMS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the Atchafalaya Basin Annual Plan, as adopted by the Atchafalaya Basin Research and Promotion Board.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93— BY REPRESENTATIVES PETERSON AND LEGER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Louisiana Climate Change Policy Commission; to provide for its membership; to provide for its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities; and to provide for related matters.

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105— BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Natural Resources, with assistance and input from the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, to study the issues involved with the use of articulated concrete mats to protect underwater exposed or shallow pipelines.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109—BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANDLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request support and assistance in providing funding for the Wood to Electricity Program being developed by the Wood Products Development Foundation.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 133— BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to provide members of the legislature the opportunity to have increased input in the implementation of the annual Highway Priority Program.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 136— BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to repair and make improvements to the drawbridge in the city of Breaux Bridge located on Louisiana Highway 336-1 in the parish of St. Martin.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 149-

BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE AND SENATORS APPEL AND DORSEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the governing authority of each public elementary and secondary school which has not yet done so to develop and implement a comprehensive anti-harassment, intimidation, and bullying program, which includes training of all school employees on addressing aggressive student behavior and the formation of a task force that includes parents, students, counselors, and school personnel to address related issues.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 187—BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to create a pilot screening program for the detection of Severe Combined Immunodeficiency Disorder (SCID) in newborns, to develop the pilot program in consultation with the Centers for Disease Control, the American College of Medical Genetics, and other relevant experts to be chosen at the discretion of the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals, and to urge that the program utilize a testing procedure paid for by the parents of the newborn that screens for the presence of the genetic mutation causing SCID, and, if there is a positive screening result, develop a test to confirm the result and follow up with the affected parents of the newborn, and to report on the results of the pilot program to the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare no later than April 1, 2011.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 193-

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, in consultation with the Louisiana School Boards Association and the Louisiana Association of Public Charter Schools, to conduct a comprehensive study and review of the Charter School Demonstration Programs Law and to submit a written report of its findings, conclusions, and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education prior to the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 194—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study issues related to the Louisiana Educational Assessment Program with respect to special education students, students with disabilities, and Limited English Proficient students and to submit a written report of study findings, including any recommendations for legislation, to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Respectfully submitted,

WAYNE WADDELL 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.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

June 9, 2009

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 Bills have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE BILL NO. 64— BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:873(A) and (C), relative to the rate of inmate compensation; to provide for increased wages for inmates who are assigned to Prison Enterprises or who are certified as academic tutors; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 65— BY REPRESENTATIVE GIROD JACKSON

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 9:156(7), relative to the Uniform Unclaimed Property Act; to provide relative to the custody of certain unclaimed bank issued checks; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 97— BY REPRESENTATIVES GISCLAIR AND BALDONE

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:851.2(3) and 851.19, relative to vessels; to provide for definitions; to provide for operation of certain vessels; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 115— BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1498(G), relative to Jefferson Davis Parish Fire District #2; to provide relative to the per diem for members of the governing board; and to provide for related matters.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 116— BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:3819(G), relative to certain waterworks districts in Jefferson Davis Parish; to provide relative to the per diem paid to the commissioners of the districts; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 136-

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1000.7, relative to court costs in the Thirty-First Judicial District Court; to provide for additional court costs in criminal matters; to provide for use of the fund; to provide for a contingent effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 175— BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:999(A)(2), relative to health insurance; to provide with respect to coverage of off-label cancer drugs; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 197— BY REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:1899(L), relative to fees charged in specified city courts; to provide for an additional fee in juvenile delinquency matters in the City Court of Minden and in the City Court of Springhill which funds shall be used to fund the office of the marshal; to provide for a contingency effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 199— BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1601, relative to novelty lighters; to prohibit the sale and distribution of certain novelty lighters; to provide for definitions; to provide for exemptions; to provide authority for the seizure, forfeiture, and destruction of certain novelty lighters; to provide for penalties; to provide for the deposit of proceeds from penalties collected into a certain state trust fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 231—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LITTLE AND DOVE AND SENATORS DUPRE, MORRISH, AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:116.1(A)(6) and 116.4(A)(1), relative to hunting with a crossbow; to authorize the use of crossbows to take turkey; to authorize the use of crossbows to take wild birds and wild quadrupeds; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 266-

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL AND SENATORS DORSEY AND GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:35.3(K), relative to domestic abuse battery; to provide with respect to the criminal penalties for domestic abuse battery committed upon certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 297—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE AND SENATORS DORSEY AND GUILLORY

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1354(A), relative to racketeering; to provide for a minimum mandatory sentence for the crime of racketeering in certain cases involving securities violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 310—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL AND SENATORS DORSEY AND GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:81.3(A), relative to computer-aided solicitation of a minor; to amend the elements of the crime of computer-aided solicitation of a minor; and to provide for related matters.

To enact R.S. 27:310(H) and to repeal R.S. 27:311.1(B)(3), relative to suitability for designated representatives; to repeal provision of law requiring designated representatives to obtain a video draw poker employee permit; to require licensees employing designated representatives to request a record of convictions; to require licensees to maintain the criminal conviction information of designated representatives; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 384— BY REPRESENTATIVE LIGI

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1474(B) and R.S. 40:600.4(A)(3)(b), relative to boards and commissions; to provide for the membership of the Louisiana Mortgage Lenders Association on the Louisiana State Board of Home Inspectors; to provide for the membership of the Louisiana Mortgage Lenders Association on the board of commissioners of the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 385-

BY REPRESENTATIVE CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1091(B)(13), relative to health insurance; to define a small employer for the purposes of the rate limitation provisions for health benefit plans providing coverage for small employers; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 386— BY REPRESENTATIVE MONICA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:821(B)(3)(e), relative to fees collected by the commissioner of insurance; to provide relative to fees collected for renewal of surplus lines broker licenses; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 394— BY REPRESENTATIVE MONICA

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:821(B)(6), relative to fees collected by the commissioner of insurance; to provide relative to fees collected for registration of securities; to provide relative to fees collected for registration of securities dealers and salesmen; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 405-

BY REPRESENTATIVE KATZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2120.2(5) and 2120.3(A), relative to home- and community-based service providers; to provide for clarification of the definition of home- and community-based service provider; to provide for exclusions from the definition; to provide for reimbursement from Medicaid; and to provide for related matters.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 465— BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9097.2(B), relative to the South Burbank Crime Prevention and Development District; to change the boundaries of the district; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 532— BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405(B) and to enact R.S. 40:2402(1)(d), relative to Peace Officer Standards and Training Law; to include the Supreme Court of Louisiana security personnel within the definition of "peace officer"; to prohibit the security personnel from receiving supplemental pay even though they have successfully completed the certified training program; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 539-

BY REPRESENTATIVE GIROD JACKSON

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 30:2014(A)(3), relative to permits, licenses, registrations, variances, or compliance schedules granted by the Department of Environmental Quality; to repeal the prohibition on granting a permit, license, registration, variance, or compliance schedule to construct or modify certain facilities handling sulphur in a solid state.

HOUSE BILL NO. 598— BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:366 and 386, relative to annual reports to the commissioner of insurance; to delete reports on premiums received; to delete reports on loss reserves; to provide for annual filing of an audited financial statement; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 648—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9097.5, relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to create a crime prevention and development district for Hermitage and Cross Creek Subdivisions; to provide the purpose and boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the duties and powers of the district; to provide for the levy of a parcel fee within the district; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 669-

BY REPRESENTATIVE TALBOT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1641(1), 1651(F), (H), and (I), and 1656 and to repeal R.S. 22:1651(G), relative to third-party administrators; to provide for the definition of third-party administrator; to delete certain insurers and adjusters from the list of exclusions from the definition of third-party administrator; to provide for the requirements for licensure and exceptions to licensure of third-party administrators; to provide for the confidentiality of contracts between a third-party administrator and an insurer; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 701—
BY REPRESENTATIVES THIBAUT, BROSSETT, FOIL, HENDERSON, HONEY, AND LEGER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1093.2, relative to juvenile justice districts; to provide for additional power and authority; to provide for the establishment and maintenance of certain evidence-based juvenile services and programs; to authorize the boards of commissioners of any juvenile justice district to enter into certain cooperative endeavor agreements; to provide for the expenditure of funds and payment of costs and expenses; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 704— BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE AND SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:821(B)(28) and Part X of Chapter 5 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1806.1 through 1806.9, relative to home service contracts; to provide for scope and purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for regulation by the commissioner of insurance, including the requirement for registration by home service contract providers; to provide for the application for registration; to provide for expiration and renewal of registration; to provide for required disclosures in contracts; to provide relative to cancellation by the consumer; to provide for required recordkeeping; to provide for fees; to provide for enforcement, including authorizing examination of providers by the commissioner; to provide relative to prohibited acts; to provide for suspension or revocation of registration; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 716— BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 26:805(F)(introductory paragraph) and (1), relative to exceptions for a supplier to terminate, cancel, not renew, or discontinue an agreement to supply specified brands of alcohol or beer to a distributor; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 822-

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.22(G), relative to the Louisiana Risk Review Panel; to provide with respect to those persons who are eligible for a review by the Louisiana Risk Review Panel; to provide with respect to eligibility of persons sentenced for certain violations of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

WAYNE WADDELL Chairman

The above House Bills contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Governor for executive approval.

Leave of Absence

Rep. Cromer - 1/2 day

Rep. Aubert - 1 day

Rep. Leger - 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Billiott, at 7:25 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, June 10, 2009, at 2:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 2:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 10, 2009.

> ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House