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> House of Representatives State Capitol Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, June 4, 2012

The House of Representatives was called to order at 9:00 A.M., by the Honorable Chuck Kleckley, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

#### **Morning Hour**

#### ROLL CALL

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

#### **PRESENT**

Mr. Speaker Abramson Adams Anders Armes Armes Arnold Badon Barras Barrow Berthelot Billiot Bishop, S. Bishop, W. Broadwater Brossett Brown Burford Burns, H. Burns, T. Burrell Carmody Carter Champagne Chaney Connick Cox Cromer Danahay	Garofalo Geymann Gisclair Greene Guillory Guinn Harris Harrison Havard Hazel Henry Hensgens Hill Hodges Hoffmann Hollis Honore Howard Hunter Huval Jackson, G. Jackson, K. James Jefferson Johnson Jones Lambert Landry, N.	Mack Miller Moreno Morris, Jay Morris, Jim Norton Ortego Pearson Pierre Ponti Pope Price Pugh Pylant Reynolds Richard Ritchie Robideaux Schexnayder Schroder Seabaugh Shadoin Simon Smith St. Germain Talbot Thibaut Thierry
Cromer	Lambert	Thibaut

Franklin Lopinto Gaines Lorusso Total - 103

The Speaker announced that there were 103 members present and a quorum.

#### **Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Speaker Kleckley.

Cory Stewart sang "The Lord's Prayer".

#### Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Ortego 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. Henry Burns, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Robideaux, and under a suspension of the rules, the Journal of June 3, 2012, was corrected to reflect him as voting yea on adoption of the Conference Committee Report to House Bill No. 754.

On motion of Rep. Henry Burns, the Journal of June 3, 2012, was adopted.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

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

#### 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. 176—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIXON, ANDERS, BROWN, BURRELL, CARMODY, FANNIN, GUILLORY, HARRIS, HAZEL, HILL, HOWARD, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, THIERRY, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the hospitals and behavioral health treatment facilities in behavioral health services regions 6, 7, and 8 report to the speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives and the chairman of the House Committee on Health and Welfare information regarding the quantity of behavioral health treatment, including both mental illness and substance abuse, sought in the three behavioral health services regions during specific time frames.

Read by title.

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

### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Price, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration at this time.

#### **Senate Concurrent Resolutions on** Third Reading for Final Consideration

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

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#### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 100-

BY SENATORS BROWN, AMEDEE, GARY SMITH AND WARD AND REPRESENTATIVES BERTHELOT, GAINES, HARRISON, LAMBERT, MILLER, PRICE, SCHEXNAYDER, ST. GERMAIN, THIBAUT AND WILLMOTT

#### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the River Region Caucus of the Louisiana Senate and the Louisiana House of Representatives and to provide relative to the caucus.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Tim Burns to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 100 by Senator Brown

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, after line 24, insert the following:

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the River Region Caucus of Louisiana shall not be provided any funding, office space, equipment, or staff by the legislature or either house or any agency thereof."

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

On motion of Rep. Price, the resolution, as amended, was concurred in.

#### **Conference Committee Reports for Consideration**

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 141**—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1495.7(A) and R.S. 42:1124.4(A)(2), relative to financial disclosure; to change the deadline for certain disclosures by candidates for certain offices; to change the time for certain notices relative to financial disclosure statements; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 141 By Representative St. Germain

June 1, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 141 by Representative St. Germain, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 10, 2012, be rejected.
- 2. That the set of amendments proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on May 14, 2012, be rejected.

- That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Amedee and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2012, be rejected.
- 4. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "R.S. 42:1124.4(A)(2)," and insert "R.S. 42:1124(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.2(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.2.1(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.3(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), and 1124.4(A)(2),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "statements;" insert "to allow a person to file a financial statement covering the time served when service ends early in January in lieu of filing a statement for the calendar year in the year following termination of service;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, delete "R.S. 42:1124.4(A)(2) is" and insert "R.S. 42:1124(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.2(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.2(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.3(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), and 1124.4(A)(2) are"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lines 1 and 2, insert the following:

"\$1124. Financial disclosure; statewide elected officials; certain public servants

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- B.(1) The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed by May fifteenth of each year during which the person holds an office or position included in Subsection A of this Section and except as provided in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, by May fifteenth of the year following the termination of the holding of such office or position. The financial statement shall include the information required by Subsection C of this Section for the preceding calendar year.
- (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, if the holding of the office or position terminates in the month of January, the person shall not be required to file a financial statement pursuant to this Section in the year following the termination of the holding of the office or position if the person files a financial statement by May fifteenth of the year in which the holding of the office or position terminated containing the information required by Subsection C of this Section for the period in which the person held the office or position during that year.
- C. The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed on a form prescribed by the Board of Ethics and shall include the following information for the preceding calendar year:

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§1124.2. Financial disclosure; certain elected officials; members of certain boards and commissions; ethics administrator

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B.(1) The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed by May fifteenth of each year during which the person holds an office or position included in Subsection A of this Section and,

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except as provided in Paragraph (3) of this Subsection, by May fifteenth of the year following the termination of the holding of such office or position. The financial statement shall include the information required by Subsection C of this Section for the preceding calendar year.

- (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the financial statement required by this Section may be filed within thirty days after the individual files his federal tax return for the year on which he is reporting, taking into consideration any extensions filed by the individual, provided that he notifies the Board of Ethics prior to the deadline provided in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection of his intention to do so.
- (3) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, if the holding of the office or position terminates in the month of January, the person shall not be required to file a financial statement pursuant to this Section in the year following the termination of the holding of the office or position if the person files a financial statement by May fifteenth of the year in which the holding of the office or position terminated containing the information required by Subsection C of this Section for the period in which the person held the office or position during that year.
- C. The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed on a form prescribed by the Board of Ethics and shall include the following information for the preceding calendar year:

§1124.2.1. Financial disclosure; members of boards and commissions

- B.(1) The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed by May fifteenth of each year during which the person holds an office included in Subsection A of this Section and, except as provided in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, by May fifteenth of the year following the termination of the holding of such office. The financial statement shall include the information required by Subsection C of this Section for the preceding calendar year.
- (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, if the holding of the office or position terminates in the month of January, the person shall not be required to file a financial statement pursuant to this Section in the year following the termination of the holding of the office or position if the person files a financial statement by May fifteenth of the year in which the holding of the office or position terminated containing the information required by Subsection C of this Section for the period in which the person held the office or position during that year.
- C. The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed on a form prescribed by the Board of Ethics and shall include the following information for the preceding calendar year:

§1124.3. Financial disclosure; certain elected officials, voting districts of under five thousand

B.(1) The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed by May fifteenth of each year during which the person holds an office included in Subsection A of this Section and, except as provided in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, by May fifteenth of the year following the termination of the holding of such office. The financial statement shall include the information required by Subsection C of this Section for the preceding calendar year.

- Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, if the holding of the office or position terminates in the month of January, the person shall not be required to file a financial statement pursuant to this Section in the year following the termination of the holding of the office or position if the person files a financial statement by May fifteenth of the year in which the holding of the office or position terminated containing the information required by Subsection C of this Section for the period in which the person held the office or position during that year.
- C. The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed on a form prescribed by the Board of Ethics and shall include the following information for the preceding calendar year:

Respectfully submitted,

Representtive Karen Gaudet St. Germain Representaive Timothy G. Burns Representaive Franklin J. Foil Senator "Jody" Amedee Senator Edwin R. Murray

Rep. St. Germain moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Gaines	Mack
Garofalo	Miller
Gisclair	Moreno
Greene	Morris, Jay
Guillory	Norton
Guinn	Ortego
Harris	Pearson
Havard	Pierre
Henry	Ponti
	Pope
Hill	Price
Hodges	Pugh
Hoffmann	Pylant
Hollis	Reynolds
Honore	Richard
Howard	Ritchie
Hunter	Robideaux
Huval	Schexnayder
Jackson, G.	Schroder
James	Seabaugh
Jefferson	Shadoin
Johnson	Simon
Jones	Smith
Lambert	St. Germain
Landry, N.	Talbot
Landry, T.	Thibaut
LeBas	Thierry
Leger	Thompson
Leopold	Whitney
Ligi	Williams, A.
Lopinto	Williams, P.
Lorusso	Willmott
	Garofalo Gisclair Greene Guillory Guinn Harris Havard Henry Hensgens Hill Hodges Hoffmann Hollis Honore Howard Hunter Huval Jackson, G. James Jefferson Johnson Jones Lambert Landry, N. Landry, T. LeBas Leger Leopold Ligi Lopinto

NAYS

Total - 0

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#### ABSENT

Abramson Harrison Montoucet Bishop, W. Hazel Morris, Jim Richardson Geymann Jackson, K. Total - 9

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### **Speaker Pro Tempore Leger in the Chair**

HOUSE BILL NO. 293— BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 17:491 and 492, relative to tenure of school bus operators; to provide relative to a school bus operator becoming a regular and permanent employee of the employing school board; to provide definitions; to provide applicability; to provide relative to the removal of certain operators; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 293 By Representative Harrison

June 3, 2012

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 293 by Representative Harrison, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Morrell and adopted by the Senate on May 23, 2012, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Joe Harrison Representative Stephen F. Carter Senator Conrad Appel Senator Jack Donahue Senator R.L. Bret Allain, II

Rep. Harrison moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Adams Anders Armes Armold Barras Berthelot Billiot Bishop, S. Broadwater Brown Burford Burns, T. Carmody	Gisclair Greene Guillory Guinn Harris Harrison Havard Henry Hensgens Hodges Hoffmann Hollis Honore	Morris, Jay Morris, Jim Pearson Pierre Ponti Pope Pugh Pylant Richard Robideaux Schexnayder Schroder Seabaugh
Carmody	nonore	Seabaugn

Carter	Howard	Shadoin
Champagne	Huval	Simon
Chaney	Landry, N.	St. Germain
Cromer	Landry, T.	Talbot
Danahay	Leopold	Thibaut
Dove	Ligi	Thompson
Fannin	Lopinto	Whitney
Foil	Lorusso	Willmott
Garofalo	Mack	
Geymann	Miller	

Total - 67

**NAYS** 

Badon	Hill	Moreno
Barrow	Hunter	Norton
Brossett	Jackson, G.	Ortego
Burrell	Jackson, K.	Price
Connick	James	Reynolds
Cox	Jefferson	Ritchie
Dixon	Johnson	Smith
Edwards	Jones	Thierry
Franklin	LeBas	Williams, A.
Gaines	Leger	Williams, P.
Total - 30	<u> </u>	

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker Burns, H. Montoucet Abramson Hazel Richardson Bishop, W. Lambert

Total - 8

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 464**–

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 123(A) and Civil Code Article 38 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 593.1 and 593.2, relative to civil procedure; to provide relative to venue; to provide relative to domicile; to provide for the domicile of juridical persons; to provide for certain procedures for class actions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### Motion

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

# HOUSE BILL NO. 544— BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 32:424(A), relative to driver's licenses; to require a suspected unqualified licensee to retake the skills and knowledge test; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 544 By Representative Montoucet

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 544 by Representative Montoucet, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Richard "Rick" Gallot and adopted by the Senate on May 16, 2012, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representaive Karen Gaudet St. Germain Representtive James K. Armes Senator Robert Adley Senator Richard "Rick" Gallot, Jr. Senator Neil Riser

Rep. St. Germain moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Adams	Geymann	Miller
Anders	Gisclair	Moreno
Arnold	Greene	Morris, Jay
Badon	Guillory	Morris, Jim
Barras	Guinn	Norton
Barrow	Harris	Ortego
Berthelot	Harrison	Pierre
Billiot	Havard	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Henry	Pope
Broadwater	Hensgens	Price
Brossett	Hill	Pugh
Brown	Hodges	Pylant
Burford	Hollis	Reynolds
Burns, H.	Honore	Richard
Burns, T.	Howard	Ritchie
Burrell	Hunter	Robideaux
Carmody	Huval	Schexnayder
Carter	Jackson, G.	Schroder
Champagne	Jackson, K.	Seabaugh
Chaney	James	Shadoin
Connick	Jefferson	Smith
Cox	Johnson	St. Germain
Cromer	Jones	Talbot
Danahay	Lambert	Thibaut
Dixon	Landry, N.	Thierry
Dove	Landry, T.	Thompson
Edwards	Leger	Whitney
Fannin	Leopold	Williams, A.
Foil	Ligi	Williams, P.
Franklin	Lopinto	Willmott
Gaines	Lorusso	
Garofalo	Mack	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

**ABSENT** 

Mr. Speaker Hazel Pearson Abramson Hoffmann Richardson LeBas Armes Bishop, W. Montoucet

Total - 11

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 955— BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(2)(c)(i), 1505.4(A)(1) and (4), (C), and (D)(1), 1511.4(D), and 1511.5(A)(1) and (2), (B), and (D) and to enact R.S. 18:1511.4.1, relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to clarify the enforcement of certain violations of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to the provide for the powers, functions, and duties of the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance Disclosure and the Ethics Adjudicatory Board relative to such enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### Motion

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1010— BY REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD, EDWARDS, AND MACK AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:392 and to enact R.S. 13:352(D), (E), and (F), and 588, relative to furniture and equipment purchased or owned by the courts of appeal and each judicial district court; to require the title of all furniture and equipment purchased and in possession of the courts of appeal to vest in the purchasing court; to require an itemized statement of furniture and equipment requested for purchase; to authorize certain persons to complete the sale of furniture or equipment; to authorize any judge to purchase furniture and equipment with nonpublic funds upon termination of office; to provide for the disposition of the sale proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 1010 By Representative Arnold

June 1, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1010 by Representative Arnold, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

That the Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by Senator Claitor and adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2012, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Represenative Jeffery "Jeff" J. Arnold Represenative Franklin J. Foil Represenative John F. "Andy" Anders Senator Ben Nevers Senator Edwin R. Murray

Rep. Arnold moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

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#### YEAS

Abramson	Guillory	Moreno
Adams	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Anders	Harris	Morris, Jim
Arnold	Harrison	Norton
Badon	Havard	Ortego
Barras	Hazel	Pierre
Barrow	Henry	Ponti
Berthelot	Hensgens	Pope
Broadwater	Hill	Price
Brossett	Hodges	Pugh
Burford	Hollis	Pylant
Burns, H.	Honore	Reynolds
Burrell	Howard	Ritchie
Carmody	Hunter	Robideaux
Carter	Huval	Schexnayder
Champagne	Jackson, G.	Schroder
Chaney	James	Seabaugh
Connick	Jefferson	Shadoin
Cox	Johnson	Simon
Cromer	Jones	Smith
Danahay	Lambert	St. Germain
Dixon	Landry, N.	Talbot
Dove	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Edwards	LeBas	Thierry
Fannin	Leger	Thompson
Foil	Leopold	Whitney
Franklin	Ligi	Williams, A.
Gaines	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Garofalo	Lorusso	Willmott
Gisclair	Mack	
Greene	Miller	

Total - 91

NAYS

Total - 0

#### ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Brown	Montoucet
Armes	Burns, T.	Pearson
Billiot	Geymann	Richard
Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Richardson
Bishop, W.	Jackson, K.	

Total - 14

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# SENATE BILL NO. 268-BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:376, 379.4 and 1245, and to enact R.S. 25:380.3(C), 380.24(C), 380.34(C), 380.44(C), 380.54(C), 380.64(C), 380.74(C), 380.84(C), 380.94(C), 380.104(C), 380.114(C), 380.124(C), 380.134(C), 380.154(C) and 380.165(C), relative to operations of the Old State Capitol and certain museums; to authorize the Department of State to temporarily close the Old State Capitol and certain museums under its jurisdiction when no funds are appropriated for the operation of such facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### Motion

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

SENATE BILL NO. 290—
BY SENATORS MURRAY, ALLAIN, BROOME, BROWN, CHABERT, DORSEY-COLOMB, LAFLEUR, LONG, MORRELL, PETERSON, GARY SMITH AND TARVER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3451, 3453(B), (D) and (E), and 3456, to enact R.S. 17:3453.1, and to repeal R.S. 17:3453(F), relative

to the Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium for Research and Education; to provide relative to the purpose of the consortium and the membership of the executive board; to establish and provide for the membership and duties of an advisory council; to provide relative to development of a master plan; to provide for annual reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 290 By Senator Murray

June 1, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 290 by Senator Murray, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That the House Floor Amendment proposed by Representative Harrison and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 29, 2012 be rejected.
- That the House Committee Amendments proposed by the House Committee on Education and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 17, 2012 be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Francis Thompson Senator Mike Walsworth Representative Jarred Brossett Representative Stephen F. Carter Representative Charles R. Chaney

Rep. Brossett moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Abramson	Greene	Morris, Jay
Adams	Guillory	Morris, Jim
Anders	Guinn	Norton
Armes	Harris	Ortego
Arnold	Harrison	Pierre
Badon	Havard	Ponti
Barras	Hazel	Pope
Berthelot	Henry	Price
Billiot	Hill	Pugh
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Pylant
Brossett	Hollis	Reynolds
Burford	Honore	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Howard	Robideaux
Burrell	Hunter	Schexnayder
Carmody	Huval	Schroder
Carter	Jackson, G.	Seabaugh
Champagne	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Chaney	James	Simon
Connick	Jefferson	Smith
Cox	Johnson	St. Germain
Cromer	Jones	Talbot
Danahay	Landry, N.	Thibaut

Dixon	Landry, T.	Thierry
Dove	LeBas	Thompson
Edwards	Leopold	Whitney
Fannin	Ligi	Williams, A.
Foil	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Franklin	Lorusso	Willmott
Gaines	Miller	

Garofalo Moreno

Total - 88 NAYS

Richard Gisclair

Total - 2

Mr. Speaker Burns, T. Leger Barrow Geymann Mack Bishop, S Hensgens Montoucet Bishop, W. Hodges Pearson Lambert Brown Richardson

ABSENT

Total - 15

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# SENATE BILL NO. 391— BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:833(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 22:833(E), relative to the authorization of local taxes; to provide with respect to the exemption of Louisiana Medicaid programs from taxes imposed by a municipal or parochial corporation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 391 By Senator Riser

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 391 by Senator Riser, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Ritchie and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2012 be adopted.
- That the following amendment to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 16, change "June 30," to "August 15,"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Neil Riser Senator Dan "Blade" Morrish Senator Mike Walsworth Representtive Harold L. Ritchie Representtive Gregory Cromer Representative Major Thibaut

Rep. Ritchie moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Foil	Miller
Abramson	Franklin	Moreno
Adams	Garofalo	Morris, Jay
Anders	Gisclair	Morris, Jim
Arnold	Greene	Norton
Badon	Guinn	Ortego
Barras	Harris	Pearson
Barrow	Harrison	Pierre
Berthelot	Havard	Pope
Billiot	Hazel	Pugh
Bishop, W.	Hill	Pylant
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Reynolds
Brossett	Hollis	Richard
Brown	Honore	Ritchie
Burford	Howard	Robideaux
Burrell	Hunter	Schexnayder
Carmody	Huval	Schroder
Carter	James	Seabaugh
Champagne	Jefferson	Shadoin
Chaney	Johnson	Simon
Connick	Jones	Smith
Cox	Lambert	St. Germain
Cromer	Landry, N.	Talbot
Danahay	Leger	Thibaut
Dixon	Leopold	Thompson
Dove	Ligi	Whitney
Edwards	Lopinto	Williams, A.
Fannin	Lorusso	Willmott
Total - 84		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Armes	Henry	Mack
Bishop, S.	Hensgens	Montoucet
Burns, H.	Hodges	Ponti
Burns, T.	Jackson, G.	Price
Gaines	Jackson, K.	Richardson
Geymann	Landry, T.	Thierry
Guillory	LeBas	Williams, P.
Total - 21		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Carmody, 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**

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

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I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 751.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Conference Committee Reports for Consideration**

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### SENATE BILL NO. 417— BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:461(A)(1), and to enact R.S. 18:461(A)(2)(d) and 463(A)(1)(d), relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide for the manner of qualifying for elections for candidates serving outside of the United States in the armed forces; to provide relative to fees; to provide for filing by facsimile or electronic mail; to provide for qualifying with the secretary of state or a person in his office designated to receive qualifying papers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 417 By Senator Riser

May 30, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 417 by Senator Riser, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

 That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Tim Burns and adopted by the House on May 23, 2012, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Neil Riser Senator "Jody" Amedee Senator Edwin R. Murray Represenative Timothy G. Burns Represenative Christopher Broadwater Represenative Jeff Thompson

Rep. Broadwater moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gaines	Moreno
Abramson	Garofalo	Morris, Jay
Adams	Geymann	Morris, Jim
Anders	Gisclair	Norton
Armes	Guinn	Ortego
Arnold	Harris	Pearson
Badon	Harrison	Pierre

Barras	Havard	Pope
Barrow	Hazel	Price
Berthelot	Hill	Pugh
Billiot	Hoffmann	Pylant
Broadwater	Hollis	Reynolds
Brossett	Honore	Richard
Brown	Howard	Ritchie
Burford	Hunter	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Huval	Schexnayder
Burrell	Jackson, G.	Schroder
Carmody	Jackson, K.	Seabaugh
Carter	James	Shadoin
Champagne	Johnson	Simon
Chaney	Jones	Smith
Connick	Lambert	St. Germain
Cox	Landry, N.	Talbot
Cromer	LeBas	Thibaut
Danahay	Leger	Thompson
Dixon	Leopold	Whitney
Dove	Ligi	Williams, A.
Edwards	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Fannin	Lorusso	Willmott
Foil	Mack	
Franklin	Miller	
Total - 91		
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NAYS

Total - 0

**ABSENT** 

Bishop, S. Henry Montoucet
Bishop, W. Hensgens Ponti
Burns, T. Hodges Richardson
Greene Jefferson Thierry
Guillory Landry, T.

Total - 14

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### Speaker Kleckley in the Chair

#### SENATE BILL NO. 472—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1472(12)(E) and 1761(9) and to enact R.S. 23:1472(12)(H)(XXII) and 1711(G), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide for employers' classification of workers; to provide for independent contractors; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### **CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT** Senate Bill No. 472 By Senator Murray

June 1, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 472 by Senator Murray, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the Legislative Bureau Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 2, 2012 be adopted.

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- That the House Floor Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Broadwater and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2012 be rejected.
- 3. The following amendments to the reengrosed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "1472(12)(E) and"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, delete "1472(12)(E) and" and change "are" to "is"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 12 through 17

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 15

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Daniel "Danny" Martiny Senator A. G. Crowe Represenative Chris Broadwater Represenative Herbert B. Dixon Represenative Walt Leger III

Rep. Broadwater moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gaines	Lorusso
Abramson	Garofalo	Mack
Adams	Geymann	Miller
Anders	Gisclair	Moreno
Armes	Greene	Morris, Jay
Arnold	Guillory	Morris, Jim
Badon	Guinn	Norton
Barras	Harris	Ortego
Barrow	Havard	Pearson
Berthelot	Hazel	Pierre
Billiot	Henry	Pope
Bishop, S.	Hill	Price
Broadwater	Hodges	Pugh
Brossett	Hoffmann	Pylant
Brown	Hollis	Reynolds
Burford	Honore	Richard
Burns, H.	Howard	Robideaux
Burns, T.	Hunter	Schexnayder
Burrell	Huval	Schroder
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Seabaugh
Carter	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Champagne	James	Smith
Chaney	Jefferson	St. Germain
Connick	Johnson	Talbot
Cox	Jones	Thibaut
Cromer	Lambert	Thierry
Danahay	Landry, N.	Thompson
Dixon	Landry, T.	Whitney
Dove	LeBas	Williams, A.
Edwards	Leger	Williams, P.
Fannin	Leopold	Willmott

Foil Ligi Franklin Lopinto Total - 97

NAYS

Total - 0

**ABSENT** 

Bishop, W. Montoucet Ritchie Harrison Ponti Simon Hensgens Richardson

Total - 8

The Conference Committee Report, having received a twothirds vote of the elected members, was adopted.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 520—

BY SENATOR BROOME

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1231(B)(2) and 1253 and to enact R.S. 23:1251(3), relative to workers' compensation benefits; to provide for death benefit awards to dependent children; to provide for payment to adopted or natural children of deceased employee; to restrict payments to certain persons; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 520 By Senator Broome

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 520 by Senator Broome, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That House Committee Amendments Nos.1 and 2 proposed by the House Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 25, 2012 be rejected.
- That Legislative Bureau Amendments Nos.1 and 2 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 25, 2012 be rejected.
- That Legislative Bureau Amendments Nos. 3 and 4 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 25, 2012 be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Sharon Weston Broome Senator A. G. Crowe Senator Edwin R. Murray Represenative Herbert B. Dixon Represenative Patricia Haynes Smith

Rep. Smith moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gaines Lopinto Abramson Garofalo Lorusso

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Anders Armes Arnold Badon Barras Barrow Berthelot Billiot Bishop, S. Bishop, W. Brown Burford Burns, H. Burns, T. Burrell	Geymann Greene Guillory Guinn Harris Harrison Havard Hazel Hill Hodges Hoffmann Hollis Honore Howard Hunter	Mack Miller Moreno Morris, Jay Norton Ortego Pearson Pierre Pope Price Pugh Pylant Reynolds Richard Schexnayder
Carmody	Huval	Schroder
Carter	Jackson, G.	Seabaugh
Champagne	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Chaney	James	Simon
Connick	Jefferson	Smith
Cox	Johnson	St. Germain
Cromer	Jones	Thibaut
Danahay	Lambert	Thierry
Dixon	Landry, N.	Thompson
Dove	Landry, T.	Whitney
Edwards	LeBas	Williams, P.
Fannin	Leger	Willmott
Foil	Leopold	
Franklin	Ligi	
Total - 91		

Total - 0

#### ABSENT

NAYS

Adams	Hensgens	Ritchie
Broadwater	Montoucet	Robideaux
Brossett	Morris, Jim	Talbot
Gisclair	Ponti	Williams, A
Henry	Richardson	
Total - 14		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# SENATE BILL NO. 751 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 335 by Senator Morrish)—

Senator Morrish)— BY SENATORS MORRISH AND PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1256, to enact R.S. 32:1256.1, and to repeal Chapter 15, Subpart 1, Part V of Title 46 of the Louisiana Administrative Code, comprised of Sections 1501 through 1515, relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide relative to recreational product shows; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### **CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT** Senate Bill No. 751 By Senators Morrish and Peacock

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 751 by Senators Morrish and Peacock, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1 through 24 proposed by the House Committee on Commerce and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012, be adopted.
- That Legislative Bureau Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012, be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1, 2, and 3 proposed by Representative Carmody and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012, be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Pierre and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Dan "Blade" Morrish Senator Robert Adley Senator Barrow Peacock Represenative Thomas Carmody Represenative Erich E. Ponti Represenative Chuck Kleckley

Rep. Carmody moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

#### NAYS

Armes	Henry	Mack
Arnold	Hodges	Miller
Badon	Hollis	Norton
Barrow	Honore	Ortego
Bishop, S.	Howard	Pearson
Broadwater	Hunter	Pierre
Brown	Huval	Price
Burns, T.	Jackson, K.	Robideaux
Burrell	James	Schroder
Gaines	Jefferson	Shadoin
Garofalo	Jones	Smith
Harris	Landry, N.	Talbot
Harrison	Landry, T.	Williams, A.
Hazel	LeBas	Willmott
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Total - 42

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#### ABSENT

Richardson Abramson Hensgens Dixon Jackson, G. Williams, P. Lopinto Fannin Foil Montoucet

Total - 10

Not having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, the House refused to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

Rep. Carmody moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

Lies over under the rules.

### SENATE BILL NO. 756 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 373 by Senator Mills)— BY SENATOR MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1856.1, relative to the audit of pharmacy records by certain entities including pharmacy benefit managers; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to an appeals process; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 756 By Senator Mills

June 1, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 756 by Senator Mills, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That the committee amendments Nos.1 through 10, adopted by the House Committee on Health and Welfare on May, 16, 2012, be adopted.
- That the House Floor amendments Nos.1 through 7 proposed by Representative LeBas and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 30, 2012, be adopted.
- That the House Floor amendments Nos. 8 through 10 proposed by Representative LeBas and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 30, 2012, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Fred Mills Senator Patrick Page Cortez Senator Dan "Blade" Morrish Representaive Scott M. Simon Representtive H. Bernard LeBas Representaive James K. Armes, III

Rep. LeBas moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Gaines Lorusso Abramson Garofalo Miller

Adams	Gisclair	Moreno
Anders	Greene	Morris, Jay
Arnold	Guillory	Morris, Jim
Badon	Harris	Norton
Barras	Harrison	Ortego
Berthelot	Havard	Pearson
Billiot	Hazel	Pierre
Bishop, S.	Henry	Ponti
Bishop, W.	Hensgens	Price
Broadwater	Hill	Pugh
Brossett	Hoffmann	Pylant
Brown	Hollis	Reynolds
Burns, H.	Honore	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Howard	Robideaux
Burrell	Hunter	Schexnayder
Carmody	Huval	Schroder
Carter	Jackson, G.	Shadoin
Champagne	James	Simon
Chaney	Jefferson	Smith
Connick	Johnson	Talbot
Cromer	Jones	Thierry
Danahay	Lambert	Thompson
Dixon	Landry, N.	Whitney
Dove	Landry, T.	Williams, A.
Edwards	LeBas	Williams, P.
Fannin	Leopold	Willmott
Foil	Ligi	
Franklin	Lopinto	
Total - 88	-	

NAYS

Pope Total - 1

**ABSENT** 

Armes Hodges Richardson Barrow Jackson, K. Seabaugh Burford Leger St. Germain Cox Mack Thibaut Geymann Montoucet Richard

Guinn Total - 16

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 955— BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(2)(c)(i), 1505.4(A)(1) and (4), (C), and (D)(1), 1511.4(D), and 1511.5(A)(1) and (2), (B), and (D) and to enact R.S. 18:1511.4.1, relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to clarify the enforcement of certain violations of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to the provide for the powers, functions, and duties of the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance Disclosure and the Ethics Adjudicatory Board relative to such enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 955 By Representative Tim Burns

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

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We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 955 by Representative Tim Burns, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

 That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Gallot and adopted by the Senate on May 30, 2012, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Timothy G. Burns Representative Gregory Miller Representative Michael E. Danahay Senator "Jody" Amedee Senator Richard "Rick" Gallot, Jr. Senator Edwin R. Murray

Rep. Tim Burns moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Dove	Lopinto
Abramson	Edwards	Lorusso
Adams	Fannin	Mack
Anders	Foil	Miller
Armes	Gaines	Moreno
Arnold	Garofalo	Morris, Jay
Badon	Gisclair	Norton
Barras	Greene	Ortego
Barrow	Guillory	Pearson
Berthelot	Harris	Pierre
Billiot	Harrison	Pope
Bishop, W.	Havard	Price
Broadwater	Hensgens	Pugh
Brossett	Hill	Pylant
Brown	Hollis	Reynolds
Burford	Honore	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Howard	Robideaux
Burns, T.	Hunter	Schexnayder
Burrell	Jackson, K.	Schroder
Carmody	Jefferson	Shadoin
Carter	Johnson	Simon
Champagne	Jones	St. Germain
Chaney	Lambert	Thibaut
Connick	Landry, N.	Thompson
Cox	Landry, T.	Whitney
Cromer	LeBas	Williams, A.
Danahay	Leopold	Williams, P.
Dixon	Ligi	Willmott
Total - 84	-	

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Ponti
Franklin	Huval	Richard
Geymann	Jackson, G.	Richardson
Guinn	James	Seabaugh
Hazel	Leger	Smith
Henry	Montoucet	Talbot
Hodges	Morris, Jim	Thierry
Total - 21		-

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 268— BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:376, 379.4 and 1245, and to enact R.S. 25:380.3(C), 380.24(C), 380.34(C), 380.44(C), 380.54(C), 380.64(C), 380.74(C), 380.84(C), 380.94(C), 380.104(C), 380.114(C), 380.124(C), 380.134(C), 380.154(C) and 380.165(C), relative to operations of the Old State Capitol and certain museums; to authorize the Department of State to temporarily close the Old State Capitol and certain museums under its jurisdiction when no funds are appropriated for the operation of such facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 268 By Senator LaFleur

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 268 by Senator LaFleur, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That the House Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 37 proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House on May 17, 2012 be adopted.
- 2. That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Jim Morris and adopted by the House on May 29, 2012 be adopted.
- 3. That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 proposed by Representative Arnold and adopted by the House on May 29, 2012 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Eric LaFleur Senator Conrad Appel Senator Jack Donahue Representative Walter J. Leger, III Represenative Anthony V. Ligi

Rep. Ligi moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Abramson Adams Anders Armes Arnold Barras Barrow Berthelot Billiot Bishop, S.	Gaines Garofalo Geymann Gisclair Greene Guillory Harris Harrison Havard Hazel Henry	Lorusso Mack Morris, Jim Norton Ortego Pearson Pierre Ponti Pope Price Pugh
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Broadwater	Hensgens	Pylant
Brossett	Hill	Reynolds
Brown	Hoffmann	Richard
Burford	Hollis	Ritchie
Carmody	Howard	Schexnayder
Carter	Huval	Schroder
Champagne	Jackson, G.	Simon
Chaney	Jackson, K.	Smith
Connick	Jefferson	St. Germain
Cox	Johnson	Talbot
Cromer	Jones	Thibaut
Danahay	Lambert	Thierry
Dixon	Landry, N.	Whitney
Dove	LeBas	Williams, P.
Edwards	Leopold	Willmott
Foil	Ligi	
Franklin	Lopinto	
Total - 82	•	
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NAYS

Shadoin

Burns, T. Hunter Miller Burrell Total - 5

ABSENT

Badon Honore Morris, Jay Bishop, W. James Richardson Burns, H. Landry, T. Robideaux Seabaugh Fannin Leger Guinn Montoucet Thompson Williams, A. Hodges Moreno Total - 18

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99— BY SENATOR AP

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for legislative approval of the formula to determine the cost of a minimum foundation program of education in all public elementary and secondary schools as well as to equitably allocate the funds to city, parish, and other local public school systems as developed by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and adopted by the board on February 27, 2012.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 99 By Senator Appel

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 99 by Senator Appel, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

That the House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Edwards and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 1, 2012, be rejected.

That the House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Lopinto and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 1, 2012, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Conrad Appel Senator John A. Alario, Jr. Senator Elbert Guillory Representative Charles E. Kleckley Representative Stephen F. Carter

Rep. Carter moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fannin	Morris, Jay
Abramson	Foil	Morris, Jim
Adams	Garofalo	Pearson
Arnold	Harris	Pylant
Badon	Henry	Robideaux
Barras	Hensgens	Schexnayder
Berthelot	Hoffmann	Schroder
Billiot	Hollis	Seabaugh
Bishop, S.	Jackson, G.	Shadoin
Broadwater	Jefferson	Simon
Burford	Lambert	St. Germain
Burns, H.	Landry, N.	Talbot
Burns, T.	Leger	Thibaut
Carter	Ligi	Thierry
Champagne	Lopinto	Thompson
Connick	Lorusso	Whitney
Dove	Moreno	Williams, P.
Total - 51		

#### NAYS

Gisclair	Landry, T.
Greene	LeBas
Guillory	Leopold
Guinn	Mack
Harrison	Norton
Havard	Ortego
Hazel	Pierre
Hill	Pope
Hodges	Price
Honore	Pugh
Howard	Reynolds
Hunter	Richard
Huval	Ritchie
Jackson, K.	Smith
James	Willmott
Johnson	
Jones	
	Greene Guillory Guinn Harrison Havard Hazel Hill Hodges Honore Howard Hunter Huval Jackson, K. James Johnson

ABSENT

Miller Ponti Williams, A. Montoucet Richardson Total - 5

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 464— BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 123(A) and Civil Code Article 38 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure

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Articles 593.1 and 593.2, relative to civil procedure; to provide relative to venue; to provide relative to domicile; to provide for the domicile of juridical persons; to provide for certain procedures for class actions; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

# CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 464 By Representative Abramson

June 1, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 464 by Representative Abramson, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 6 proposed by the Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on May 16, 2012, be rejected.
- 2. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 7 proposed by the Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on May 16, 2012, be adopted.
- That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator Martiny and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2012, be rejected.
- 4. That the following amendments to the Reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 2 through 9 and insert the following:

"A. When two or more actions requesting the certification of a class pursuant to Article 591 are filed in two or more Louisiana courts regarding the same transaction or occurrence at the same location, and such classes, if certified, would encompass one or more of the same plaintiffs suing in the same capacities against one or more of the same defendants in the same capacities, the defendant may, by excepting as provided in Article 925, have all such actions transferred to the district court where the transaction or occurrence occurred.

B. When two or more actions requesting the certification of a class pursuant to Article 591 are filed in two or more Louisiana courts regarding multiple related transactions or occurrences in different locations and such classes, if certified, would encompass one or more of the same plaintiffs suing in the same capacities against one or more of the same defendants in the same capacities, the defendant may, by excepting as provided in Article 925, have all such actions transferred to the district court where the first suit was brought."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 11 through 14 and insert the following:

"Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 123, within thirty days of the certification of a class under Article 591 by a different Louisiana court regarding the same transaction or occurrence and

encompassing one or more of the same plaintiffs suing in the same capacities against one or more of the same defendants in the same capacities, any court where a related putative class action is pending may, upon contradictory motion, in the interests of justice and for good cause shown, transfer the putative class action to the district where the related action has been certified."

Respectfully submitted,

Represenative Neil C. Abramson Represenative Alan T. Seabaugh Represenative John Bel Edwards Senator Ben Nevers Senator Daniel "Danny" Martiny Senator Edwin R. Murray

Rep. Abramson moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Abramson Adams Anders Armes Armes Arnold Badon Barras Barrow Berthelot Billiot Billiot Bishop, S. Bishop, W. Broadwater Brossett Brown Burford Burns, H. Burns, T. Burrell Carmody Carter Chappageage	Fannin Foil Franklin Gaines Garofalo Gisclair Greene Guillory Guinn Harris Harrison Hazel Hensgens Hill Hoffmann Hollis Honore Howard Hunter Huval Jackson, G. Jackson, K.	Ligi Lopinto Lorusso Miller Moreno Morris, Jay Morris, Jim Norton Ortego Ponti Pope Price Pugh Pylant Reynolds Richard Ritchie Schexnayder Schexnayder Schroder Seabaugh Shadoin Simon
	Hollis	
Burford	Honore	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Howard	Schexnayder
Burns, T.	Hunter	Schroder
Burrell	Huval	
Champagne	James	Smith
Chaney	Jefferson	St. Germain
Connick	Johnson	Talbot
Cox	Jones	Thierry
Cromer	Landry, N.	Thompson
Danahay	Landry, T.	Whitney
Dixon	LeBas	Williams, P.
Dove	Leger	Willmott
Edwards	Leopold	

Total - 92

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Geymann Mack Robideaux
Havard Montoucet Thibaut
Henry Pearson Williams, A.
Hodges Pierre
Lambert Richardson

Total - 13

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### **Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Nancy Landry requested the House consent to correct her vote on adoption of the conference committee report to House Bill No. 464 from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Champagne, 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**

#### RELATIVE TO CONSIDERATION AFTER THE 82<sup>nd</sup> CALENDAR DAY

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate, by a record vote of two-thirds of its elected members, has adopted a motion to consider House Bill No. 838 on third reading and final passage after the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day and ask the House of Representatives to concur in the same.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Motion**

Rep. Champagne moved that the House grant permission to the Senate to consider House Bill No. 838 on third reading and final passage after the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day of session.

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

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Abramson Adams Anders Armes Armes Arnold Badon Barras Barrow Berthelot Billiot Bishop, S. Broadwater Brossett Brown Burford Burns, H. Burns, T.	Edwards Foil Franklin Gaines Gisclair Greene Guillory Harris Harrison Havard Henry Hensgens Hill Hodges Hoffmann Hollis Howard Hunter	Lorusso Mack Miller Moreno Morris, Jay Morris, Jim Norton Pierre Ponti Pope Pugh Pylant Reynolds Ritchie Robideaux Schexnayder Seabaugh Simon
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Burrell Carmody Carter Champagne Chaney Connick Cox Cromer Danahay Dixon Dove Total - 85	Huval Jackson, G. Jackson, K. Jefferson Johnson Jones Landry, T. LeBas Leopold Ligi Lopinto  NAYS	Smith St. Germain Talbot Thibaut Thierry Thompson Whitney Williams, P. Willmott
10tai - 0	ABSENT	
Bishop, W.	James	Price

Bishop, W.	James	Price
Fannin	Lambert	Richard
Garofalo	Landry, N.	Richardson
Geymann	Leger	Schroder
Guinn	Montoucet	Shadoin
Hazel	Ortego	Williams, A.
Honore	Pearson	
Total - 20		

The motion to consider, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was adopted.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, 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:

# SENATE BILL NO. 747 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 108 by Senator Morrell)—

BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:19(D), relative to video poker; to prohibit persons and entities advising the state from representing any business or legal entity seeking to be engaged in or who is engaged in any activity regulated by the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### Motion

Rep. Lopinto moved that the House request the Senate grant permission to the House to consider Senate Bill No. 747 on third reading and final passage after the  $82^{nd}$  calendar day of session.

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

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Anders	Guillory	Miller
Armes	Guinn	Moreno
Arnold	Harris	Norton
Badon	Harrison	Pierre
Berthelot	Hensgens	Price

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Billiot	Hoffmann	Reynolds
Bishop, S.	Hollis	Richard
Bishop, W.	Honore	Ritchie
Brossett	Howard	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Huval	Schexnayder
Burrell	Jackson, G.	Shadoin
Carter	James	Simon
Chaney	Jefferson	Smith
Cox	Lambert	St. Germain
Dixon	Landry, T.	Talbot
Dove	LeBas	Thierry
Edwards	Leger	Whitney
Foil	Leopold	Williams, P.
Franklin	Ligi	Willmott
Gaines	Lopinto	
Gisclair	Lorusso	

Total - 61

NAYS

Barrow	Hunter	Ponti
Burford	Jones	Pylant
Carmody	Landry, N.	Schroder
Connick	Mack	Seabaugh
Cromer	Morris, Jim	Thibaut
Danahay	Ortego	
Hazel	Pearson	
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Total - 19

#### ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Garofalo	Montoucet
Abramson	Geymann	Morris, Jay
Adams	Greene	Pope
Barras	Havard	Pugh
Broadwater	Henry	Richardson
Brown	Hill	Thompson
Burns, T.	Hodges	Williams, A.
Champagne	Jackson, K.	
Fannin	Johnson	

Total - 25

The motion, not having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was rejected.

#### **Conference Committee Reports for Consideration**

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Nancy Landry, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the

SENATE BILL NO. 320—

BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVES BARROW, BERTHELOT, BROWN, CHANEY, COX, HOFFMANN, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, TERRY LANDRY, LEOPOLD, PIERRE AND SCHEXNAYDER

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1743.1, relative to certain healthcare providers; to restrict the use of the title "Doctor" or "Dr." by certain healthcare providers; to provide for procedures and terms; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 320 By Senator Martiny

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 320 by Senator Martiny, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That the House Committee Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 21, 2012, be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Nancy Landry and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 30, 2012, be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the Engrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 2 and insert "To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3241(8), 3244(C), 3245(D)(1), and 3248 and to enact R.S. 37:1743.1, 3241(15) and (16), 3244(D), 3255(D), 3258, and 3259, relative to healthcare providers; to restrict the use of the"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "terms;" insert the following:

"to authorize the issuance of a midwifery license to applicants who are members of certain midwifery certifying organizations; to provide for certain exemptions; to authorize the board to accept an examination administered by the North American Registry of Midwives or other approved certifying examination; to establish professional liability and immunity for physicians performing risk assessments in certain settings; to provide for limitation on the Louisiana State Board of Nursing; to provide for definitions;'

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete line 6 and insert the following:

'Section 1. R.S. 37:3241(8), 3244(C), 3245(D)(1), and 3248 are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 37:1743.1, 3241(15) and (16), 3244(D), 3255(D), 3258, and 3259 are hereby enacted to read as follows:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, after line 9, insert the following:

#### §3241. Definitions

As used in this Chapter, the following terms shall apply unless the context clearly states otherwise:

(8) "Licensed midwife" means a person who has completed all requirements of R.S. 37:3247, 3253, and 3255, has successfully completed the examination process, and is certified as a midwife by the North American Registry of Midwives along with being in good standing on the registry of licensed midwives maintained by the board.

(15) "Certified professional midwife" means a person certified by the North American Registry of Midwives.

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(16) "Low risk patient" means an individual who is at low or normal risk of developing complications during pregnancy and childbirth as evidenced by the absence of any preexisting maternal disease or disease arising during pregnancy or such other conditions as the board may identify in rules.

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§3244. Scope of practice

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- C. A person may be issued a license as a licensed midwife, or permit as an apprentice midwife, or a senior apprentice midwife. such that:
- (1) A licensed midwife may provide any care or services provided for in R.S. 37:3244(B) Subsection B of this Section.
- (2) A senior apprentice midwife may only provide care or services only under the supervision of a licensed physician, certified nurse midwife, or licensed midwife.
- (3) An apprentice midwife may provide care or services only under the supervision of a licensed physician, certified nurse midwife, or licensed midwife.
- D. Prior to providing any services, a licensed midwife shall obtain informed consent, in writing, of the patient in a manner and form prescribed by the board which shall include but not be limited to the following:
  - (1) The name and license number of the licensed midwife.
- (2) The patient's name, address, telephone number, and the name of the patient's primary care provider if the patient has one.
- (3) A statement that the licensed midwife is not an advanced practice registered nurse midwife or physician.
- (4) A description of the education, training, continuing education, and experience of the licensed midwife.
- (5) A description of the licensed midwife's philosophy of practice.
- (6) A statement recognizing the obligation of the licensed midwife to provide the client, upon request, separate documents describing the law and regulations governing the practice of midwifery, including the requirement for an evaluation and examination by a physician, the protocol for transfer or mandatory transfer, and the licensed midwife's personal written practice guidelines
  - (7) A description of the protocol for transfer to a hospital.
- (8) A complete and accurate description of the services to be provided to the patient.
- (9) Whether the licensed midwife maintains a professional liability policy and if insurance is maintained, a description of the liability conditions and limits of such insurance.
- (10) Any additional information or requirement which the board deems necessary to protect the health, safety, or welfare of the patient.
- §3245. Permits and licenses

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- D. Upon meeting the educational and clinical experience requirements provided by the board, a person may apply for a midwifery license by submitting the following information:-
- (1) An application for the license and to take the next qualifying examination; provided, however, the board may issue a midwifery license to an applicant who holds current certification by the North American Registry of Midwives or such other certifying organization as the board may subsequently approve.

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- §3248. Persons not affected
- <u>A.</u> Any person authorized by the Louisiana State Board of Nursing to practice as a certified nurse midwife in the state shall not be affected by the provisions of this Chapter.
- B. Any student pursuing a course of study in an accredited midwifery education program that is approved by the board who provides midwifery services, provided that such services are an integral part of the student's course of study and are performed under the direct supervision of a physician, certified nurse midwife, or a licensed midwife, and the student is designated by a title which clearly indicates his status as a student or trainee, shall not be affected by the provisions of this Chapter.

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§3255. Examination

\* \* \*

D. The examination administered by the North American Registry of Midwives, or such other certifying examination as the board may subsequently approve, shall be accepted by the board as a qualifying examination for purposes of midwifery licensure.

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#### §3258. Professional liability

- A. Physician evaluation and examination as provided in R.S. 37:3244 shall be deemed to constitute a risk assessment. A physician performing a risk assessment is responsible only for determining that at the time of the risk assessment the individual is at low or normal risk of developing complications during pregnancy and childbirth. For any physician performing a physician risk assessment, the physician-patient relationship shall only exist for the purposes of the risk assessment and shall not continue after the conclusion of the physician risk assessment.
- B. Physician risk assessment as defined in this Section shall not create either of the following:
- (1) Any legal duty, responsibility, or obligation by the physician to provide continuing care after the conclusion of the physician risk assessment.
- (2) A legal relationship between the physician and the licensed midwife or any duty, responsibility, or obligation by the physician to supervise, collaborate, back-up, or oversee the licensed midwife's care of the patient.
- C. No physician or other health care provider as defined in R.S. 40:1299.41, no hospital as defined in R.S. 40:2102, or no institution, facility, or clinic licensed by the department shall be:
- (1) Deemed to have established a legal relationship with a licensed midwife solely by providing a risk assessment as defined in

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this Section or accepting a transfer of a patient from a licensed midwife.

(2) Liable for civil damages arising out of the negligent, grossly negligent, or wanton or willful acts or omissions of the licensed midwife solely for providing a risk assessment as defined in this Section or accepting a transfer of a patient from a licensed midwife.

#### §3259. Reporting

- A. Every licensed midwife shall report to the board annually in a manner and form prescribed by the board. The report shall be submitted by January thirty-first of each year and shall include all of the following:
  - (1) The licensed midwife's name and license number.
  - (2) The calendar year being reported.
  - (3) The total number of clients served.
- (4) The total number and parish of live births attended as a primary caregiver.
- (5) The total number and parish of stillbirths attended as a primary caregiver.
- (6) The number of patients whose primary care was transferred to another health care provider during the antepartum period and the reason for each transfer.
- (7) The number, reason, and outcome for each elective hospital transfer.
- (8) The number, reason, and outcome for each emergency transport of an expectant mother prior to labor.
- (9) A brief description of any complications resulting in the mortality of a mother or an infant.
- (10) Any other information prescribed by the board through rule or regulation.
- B. A licensed midwife shall report within forty-eight hours to the board any maternal, fetal, or neonatal mortality or morbidity in patients for whom care has been given. The report shall include the sex, weight, date and place of delivery, method of delivery, congenital anomalies of the fetus, and cause of death.
- C. In addition to the penalties set forth in R.S. 37:3256, any licensed midwife failing to satisfy the provisions of this Section shall be subject to a civil fine not to exceed one hundred dollars each day the report is filed late. In no case shall the fine exceed five hundred dollars."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Daniel "Danny" Martiny Senator David Heitmeier Represenative Scott M. Simon Represenative Ray Garofalo Represenative Nancy Landry

Rep. Nancy Landry moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.  $% \label{eq:conference}$ 

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Abramson Adams Anders Arnold Badon Barras Barrow Berthelot Billiot Bishop, W. Broadwater Brossett Brown Burns, T. Carmody Carter Champagne Chaney Cox Cromer Danahay Dove Edwards Fannin	Franklin Gaines Garofalo Geymann Gisclair Harris Harris Hensgens Hoffmann Hollis Honore Howard Hunter Huval Jackson, G. James Jefferson Johnson Jones Lambert Landry, N. Landry, T. Leger Leopold Ligi	Miller Moreno Ortego Pearson Pierre Ponti Pope Price Pylant Reynolds Richard Ritchie Robideaux Schexnayder Schroder Shadoin Simon Smith St. Germain Thibaut Thierry Whitney Williams, A. Williams, P. Willmott
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Total - 77	Lorusso	
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Total - 0

#### ABSENT

**NAYS** 

Armes	Harrison	Morris, Jay
Bishop, S.	Havard	Morris, Jim
Burford	Henry	Norton
Burns, H.	Hill	Pugh
Burrell	Hodges	Richardson
Connick	Jackson, K.	Seabaugh
Dixon	LeBas	Talbot
Greene	Lopinto	Thompson
Guillory	Mack	•
Guinn	Montoucet	
Total - 28		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Brossett, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 351—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:551.1, relative to local taxes; to authorize the parishes of Jefferson and Orleans to establish an automobile rental tax district which shall be authorized to levy a local tax on the gross proceeds derived from the lease or rental of an automobile pursuant to an automobile rental contract; to require approval of the electorate of the district; to provide for the boundaries, governance, and powers of such districts; to provide for the use of the avails of the tax; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 351 By Senator Murray

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 351 by Senator Murray, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by the House Committee on Ways and Means and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That the following amendment to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete line 10, and insert:

, beautification projects, and to the Orleans Parish Council on Aging to be used for Senior Centers.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Gregory Tarver Senator David Heitmeier Represenative Girod Jackson III Representiive Walt Leger III Representtive Jared Brossett

Rep. Brossett moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edwards	LeBas
Abramson	Fannin	Leger
Adams	Foil	Leopold
Anders	Gaines	Ligi
Arnold	Garofalo	Lorusso
Badon	Gisclair	Moreno
Barras	Guinn	Ortego
Barrow	Harris	Pierre
Berthelot	Hensgens	Price
Billiot	Hill	Reynolds
Bishop, W.	Hoffmann	Ritchie
Brossett	Hollis	Robideaux
Brown	Honore	Schexnayder
Burns, H.	Hunter	Shadoin
Carter	Huval	Smith
Champagne	Jackson, G.	St. Germain
Chaney	James	Thierry
Barrow Berthelot Billiot Bishop, W. Brossett Brown Burns, H. Carter Champagne	Harris Hensgens Hill Hoffmann Hollis Honore Hunter Huval Jackson, G.	Pierre Price Reynolds Ritchie Robideaux Schexnayder Shadoin Smith St. Germain

Cox Cromer Danahay Dixon Dove Total - 64	Jefferson Johnson Jones Lambert Landry, T.	Thompson Williams, P. Willmott
Broadwater Burns, T. Carmody Hazel Total - 12	Landry, N. Miller Ponti Pope	Pugh Schroder Simon Whitney
	ABSENT	
Armes Bishop, S. Burford Burrell Connick Franklin Geymann Greene Guillory Harrison	Havard Henry Hodges Howard Jackson, K. Lopinto Mack Montoucet Morris, Jay Morris, Jim	Norton Pearson Pylant Richard Richardson Seabaugh Talbot Thibaut Williams, A.

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# **Speaker Pro Tempore Leger in the Chair Suspension of the Rules**

Rep. Brossett moved to suspend the rules in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

Rep. Greene objected.

Total - 29

By a vote of 65 yeas and 16 nays, the House agreed to suspend the rules.

# SENATE BILL NO. 350— BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:551(A) and (D)(3)(b), relative to local taxes; to authorize the levy and collection of a local tax on the gross proceeds derived from the lease or rental of an automobile pursuant to an automobile rental contract if approved by the registered voters of the parish; to provide for certain distribution of proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 350 By Senator Murray

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 350 by Senator Murray, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by the House Committee on Ways and Means and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be rejected.

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- 2. That House Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the House Committee on Ways and Means and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Wilmott and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 3 and 4 proposed by Representative Wilmott and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- 5. That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representatives Pierre and Robideaux and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.
- That House Floor Amendment No. 3 by Representatives Pierre and Robideaux and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(D)(3)" delete "(b)" and insert "and (4) and to enact R.S. 47:551(D)(5) through (8)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "(D)(3)" delete "(b)" and insert "and (4)" and after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 47:551(D)(5) through (8) are hereby enacted"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 24 and 25, insert:

- "(7) The avails of the local tax as provided for in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in East Baton Rouge Parish shall be distributed as follows:
- (a) Sixty percent to the Arts Council of Greater Baton Rouge for its operations and programs.
  - (b) Twenty-three percent to the Shaw Center for the Arts.
- (c) Seventeen percent to the general fund of the parish of East Baton Rouge.
- (8) The avails of the local tax as provided for in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in Caddo Parish shall be distributed each fiscal year as follows:
- (a) To the governing authority of the city of Shreveport, two hundred thousand dollars.
- (b) The money remaining after the distribution provided for in this Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall be distributed to the Caddo Parish Commission."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 24, and insert:

"(4) The local tax as provided in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in Orleans Parish shall be distributed for road repairs, and beautification projects, and to the Orleans Parish Council on Aging to be used for Senior Centers."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Gregory Tarver Senator David Heitmeier Represenative Joel C. Robideaux Represenative Jared Brossett Represenative Walt Leger III

Rep. Brossett moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

As a substitute motion, Rep. Greene moved to reject the Conference Committee Report.

The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Adams Broadwater Brown Burford Burns, H. Burns, T. Carmody Chaney Connick Cromer Dove Edwards Total - 39	Garofalo Greene Harris Havard Hazel Hoffmann Hollis Howard Johnson Lambert Landry, N. LeBas Leopold	Lopinto Mack Miller Morris, Jay Pearson Ponti Pugh Pylant Ritchie Seabaugh Simon Thompson Willmott
Anders Armes Armold Badon Barras Barrow Berthelot Billiot Bishop, W. Brossett Burrell Carter Champagne Cox Danahay Total - 44	Dixon Franklin Guillory Guinn Hill Honore Hunter Jackson, G. Jackson, K. James Jefferson Jones Landry, T. Leger Ligi ABSENT	Moreno Norton Ortego Pierre Price Reynolds Robideaux Schexnayder Smith St. Germain Thibaut Thierry Williams, A. Williams, P.
Abramson Bishop, S. Fannin Foil Gaines Geymann Gisclair Harrison	Henry Hensgens Hodges Huval Lorusso Montoucet Morris, Jim Pope	Richard Richardson Schroder Shadoin Talbot Whitney

Total - 22

The House refused to reject the Conference Committee Report.

#### Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Brown requested the House consent to correct his vote on the substitute motion to recommit Senate Bill No. 350 to conference committee from nay to yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

Rep. Brossett insisted on his motion to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Abramson	Dixon	Ligi
Anders	Gaines	Moreno
Arnold	Garofalo	Norton
Badon	Guillory	Pierre
Barrow	Hunter	Price
Billiot	Jackson, K.	Robideaux
Bishop, W.	James	Schexnayder
Brossett	Jefferson	Smith
Burrell	Jones	St. Germain
Champagne	Landry, T.	Thierry
Cox	Leger	Williams, P.
Danahay	Leopold	Willmott
Total - 36	•	

#### NAYS

Mr. Speaker Broadwater Brown Burford Burns, T. Carmody Carter Chaney Connick	Greene Guinn Harris Havard Hazel Hoffmann Hollis Howard Johnson	Lopinto Mack Miller Morris, Jay Pearson Ponti Pylant Ritchie Seabaugh
Carmody	Hoffmann	Ponti
Carter	Hollis	Pylant
Chaney	Howard	Ritchie
Connick	Johnson	Seabaugh
Cromer	Lambert	Simon
Dove	Landry, N.	Thibaut
Edwards	LeBas	Whitney
Total - 36		•

#### ABSENT

Adams	Harrison	Ortego
Armes	Henry	Pope
Barras	Hensgens	Pugh
Berthelot	Hill	Reynolds
Bishop, S.	Hodges	Richard
Burns, H.	Honore	Richardson
Fannin	Huval	Schroder
Foil	Jackson, G.	Shadoin
Franklin	Lorusso	Talbot
Geymann	Montoucet	Thompson
Gisclair	Morris, Jim	Williams, A.
Total - 33	•	,

The House refused to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Arnold, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 262— BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:80(A), the introductory paragraph of (F)(2), and (H) and 280(A), the introductory paragraph of (F)(2), and (H), and to enact R.S. 26:80(I), (J), and (K), and 280(I), (J) and (K), relative to the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide relative to the qualifications of applicants for alcoholic beverage permits; to provide relative to the consideration of arrests, summons, charges, or indictments of applicants; to provide relative to the duty of licensees and permitees to provide certain information to the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### **CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 262 By Senator Morrell**

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 262 by Senator Morrell, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That House Committee Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, and 9 through 25 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 10, 2012 be adopted.
- 2. That House Committee Amendments No. 4, 7, and 8 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 10, 2012 be rejected.
- 3. That Legislative Bureau Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, and 9 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 10, 2012 be adopted.
- 4. That Legislative Bureau Amendments No. 4 and 8 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 10, 2012 be rejected.
- That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 proposed by Representative Arnold and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 26, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendments No. 5 and 7 proposed by Representative Arnold and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 26, 2012 be rejected.
- 7. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "80(A)" insert "(introductory paragraph),"

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, after "280(A)" insert "(introductory paragraph),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 3, change "and (H)" to "(H)(1), and 286(A)(9)"

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#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 4, delete "and (K), and 280(I), (J), and (K)," and insert "90(K), and 280(A)(11), (I), and (J)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 8, after "commissioner;" insert "to provide relative to the sale of certain beverages in automatic mechanical vending machines; to require the commissioner to promulgate rules to accomplish such sales, including provisions to prevent access by certain individuals;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 10, after "80(A)" insert "(introductory paragraph)," and after "280(A)" insert "(introductory paragraph),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, line 11, change "and (H)" to "(H)(1), and 286(A)(9)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 1, delete line 12 and insert "26:80(A)(11), (I), and (J), and 90(K), and 280(A)(11), (I), and (J) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 11, delete the asterisks "\* \* \*" and insert:

"(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsections A and B, a permit may be granted by the commissioner if the applicant has been pardoned, has had any misdemeanor conviction discharged or dismissed, or the applicant's civil rights have been restored, or, if the applicant is a firm, association, partnership, trust, domestic or foreign corporation, or other legal entity, the applicant has terminated its relationship with the person or persons whose action directly contributed to the applicant's conviction.

(b) The provisions of Subparagraph(a) of this Paragraph shall not apply to any applicant who is also applying for a video gaming license under the provisions of Chapter 6 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, between lines 20 and 21, insert:

"§90. Acts prohibited on licensed premises; suspension or revocation of permits

\* \* \*

K. Allow the sale, dispensing, or distribution of beverages of high alcoholic content in any type of automatic mechanical vending machine activated by the use of a coin, token, or similar instrument except in Class A establishments pursuant to rules promulgated by the commissioner in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act. Such rules shall include procedures for the prevention of access to the machines by underage or intoxicated persons. The provisions of this Subsection shall not apply to establishments exempt from holding permits under this Chapter.

\* \* \*

#### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 7, line 10, delete the asterisks "\* \* \*" and insert the following:

"(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsections A and B, a permit may be granted by the commissioner if the applicant has been pardoned, has had any misdemeanor conviction discharged or dismissed, or the applicant's civil rights have been restored, or, if the applicant is a firm, association, partnership, trust, domestic or foreign corporation, or other legal entity, the applicant has terminated its relationship with the person or persons whose action directly contributed to the applicant's conviction.

(b) The provisions of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall not apply to any applicant who is also applying for a video gaming license under the provisions of Chapter 6 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 9, after line 19, insert:

"\* \* \*

§286. Acts prohibited on licensed premises; suspension or revocation of permits

A. No person holding a retail dealer's permit and no servant, agent, or employee of the permittee shall do any of the following acts upon the licensed premises:

\* \* \*

(9) Allow the sale, dispensing, or distribution of beverages of low alcoholic content in any type of automatic mechanical vending machine activated by the use of a coin, token, or similar instrument, except in Class A establishments in accordance with rules promulgated pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act. Such rules shall include procedures for the prevention of access to the machines by underage or intoxicated persons. The provisions of this Paragraph shall not apply to establishments exempt from holding permits under this Chapter.

\* \* \*"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Jean-Paul J. Morrell Senator Karen Carter Peterson Senator Gary L. Smith, Jr. Represenative Jared Brossett Represenative Jeffery "Jeff" J. Arnold Representative Chuck Kleckley

Rep. Arnold moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Abramson	Edwards Gaines	Moreno Norton
Anders	Gisclair Harris	Pierre
Arnold Badon	Honore	Ponti Price
Barras	Howard	Pylant
Berthelot	Hunter	Reynolds
Billiot	Jackson, G.	Ritchie
Broadwater	James	Robideaux
Brown	Jefferson	Schexnayder
Burns, H.	Landry, N.	Simon
Burrell	Landry, T.	St. Germain
Champagne	LeBas	Thibaut
Cox	Leger	Thierry

Cromer	Leopold	Williams, P.
Danahay	Lopinto	Willmott
Dixon	Lorusso	
Dove	Miller	

Total - 52

NAYS

Carmody	Hoffmann	Richard
Chaney	Lambert	Seabaugh
Connick	Mack	Shadoin
Fannin	Morris, Jay	
Harrison	Pope	
TD ( 1 10	*	

Total - 13

#### ABSENT

Adams Armes Barrow Bishop, S. Bishop, W. Brossett Burford Burns, T. Carter Foil Franklin Garofalo Geymann	Guillory Guinn Havard Hazel Henry Hensgens Hill Hodges Hollis Huval Jackson, K. Johnson	Montoucet Morris, Jim Ortego Pearson Pugh Richardson Schroder Smith Talbot Thompson Whitney Williams, A.
		Williams, A.
Geymann	Jones	
Greene	Ligi	
Total - 40		

The House refused to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

Motion to reconsider pending.

#### Recess

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared the House at recess until 1:00 P.M.

#### **After Recess**

Speaker Pro Tempore Leger called the House to order at 1:05 P.M.

#### House Business Resumed

### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Carmody, 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

# RECONSIDERATION AND RECOMMITTAL OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has reconsidered and recommitted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 751.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Conference Committee Reports for Consideration**

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### **Motion**

Rep. Carmody moved to reconsider the vote by which the conference committee report to Senate Bill No. 751 was rejected, which motion was agreed to.

#### Suspension of the Rules

Rep. Carmody moved to recommit Senate Bill No. 751 to the conference committee.

By a vote of 55 yeas and 11 nays, the bill was recommitted to the conference committee.

# Acting Speaker Girod Jackson in the Chair Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Leger, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

# SENATE BILL NO. 677 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 491 by Senator Morrell)— BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4702(B)(1), (2), (3), (4), (6), and (7) and 4702 (D), (E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 33:4701(D) and 4702(C)(3), (H), and (I), relative to Orleans Parish; to change references to legislative districts in Orleans Parish which has appointing authority for members serving on the board of the New Orleans Regional Business Park; to provide for the board's membership, term of office, its powers and duties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### **CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 677 By Senator Morrell**

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 677 by Senator Morrell, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

 That the House Committee Amendments No. 3 and 8 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial, and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2012 be adopted.

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- 2. That the House Committee Amendments No. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6,7, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 proposed by the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial, and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, 2012 be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "33:" insert "4701(A) and (B)," and after "(7)" delete the remainder of the line and insert ", (D),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, after "(F)" insert ", and (G), 4703(C)(16), 4706(A), and 4707(Q)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 3, after "(I)," insert "and to repeal R.S. 33:4702(E), 4703(C)(17), and 4708(D),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 7, before "and to provide" insert "to remove the authority to levy taxes and special assessments;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 10, after "33:" insert "4701(A) and (B),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 10, after "(7)" delete the remainder of the line and insert ", (D), (F), and (G), 4703(C)(16), 4706(A), and 4707(Q)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, between lines 13 and 14 insert:

"A. The New Orleans Regional Business Park, hereinafter referred to as the "district", is hereby constituted and is declared to be a body politic and political subdivision of the state of Louisiana, as defined in Article VI, Section 44 of the Constitution of Louisiana and shall exist in perpetuity. Pursuant to Article VI, Sections 19, 20, and 21 of the Constitution of Louisiana, the district, acting through its board of commissioners, the governing authority of said district, is hereby granted all of the rights, powers, privileges, and immunities accorded by law and the Constitution of Louisiana to political subdivisions of the state, including but not limited to, the power of taxation, the power to incur debt and issue revenue and general obligation bonds, certificates of indebtedness, bond and certificate anticipation notes, and refunding bonds, subject to the limitations hereinafter provided.

#### B. The district is described as follows:

Begin on center line of Industrial Canal and intersection with the Northerly Line of L & N Railroad right of way. Thence Easterly to a point of intersection with the lot line of Section A, Parcel 5, said point of intersection lying plus or minus 200' Easterly of East line of Industrial Parkway and plus or minus 400' South of center line of Chef Menteur Highway; thence Easterly along said line of Section A, Parcel 5 to the intersection with the East line of the Maxent Canal; thence Southerly along East line of Maxent Canal; extended to center line of Intracoastal Waterway; thence Westerly along center line of the Intracoastal Waterway to the intersection with the center line of the Mississippi River Gulf Outlet to the intersection with the center line of the Industrial Canal; thence Northerly along the center line of the Industrial Canal to the point of beginning, less and except that

portion thereof bounded by the northern boundary of the district; thence along a line plus or minus 400' southerly of Gentilly Road from its western intersection with the northern boundary of the district to a point plus or minus 400' south of the intersection of Kernard Avenue as projected with Gentilly Road; thence Northerly along Kernard Avenue as projected to its intersection with Gentilly Road; thence Westerly along Gentilly Road to its intersection of the center line of Wright Road right of way as extended; thence Northerly along Wright Road right of way as extended to its intersection with the Northern boundary of the said taxing district All of the territory bordered by I-10 on the north, Lake Forest Boulevard on the south, Wright Road on the west, and I-510 on the east."

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 2, at the end of line 2, delete "<u>levy</u>" and on line 3 delete "<u>of</u> ad valorem taxes and"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 13, change "eleven" to "thirteen"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, at the end of line 24, delete "one" and delete line 25 in its entirety and insert "three four members, one of whom shall be appointed from a list of three names submitted by the Vietnamese Initiatives in Economic Training, one of whom shall be appointed from a list of three names submitted by the East New Orleans Neighborhood Advisory Commission, one of whom shall be appointed from a list of three names submitted by the board of commissioners for the Port of New Orleans, and one of whom shall be appointed from the city of New Orleans at large."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, delete lines 4 through 8 and insert:

"(i) The board of commissioners of the Port of New Orleans shall appoint one member chairman of the New Orleans Chamber of Commerce, or his designee.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, delete lines 25 through 26 and insert "proceeds of bonds.

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 13**

On page 6, at the end of line 5, before the period "\_" insert ", except for the authority to levy special assessments authorized in R.S. 33:9039.19(8) and (12)."

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 14**

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

"(5)(a) The board shall have all authority provided for in R.S. 33:9038.34 to implement sales tax increment financing, except that the provisions of R.S. 33:9038.34(A)(6) shall not be applicable, and instead Paragraph (6) of this Subsection shall control the process for the dedication of any state of Louisiana sales tax increments. However, any tax or portion of a tax which has been previously dedicated to another purpose according to a proposition approved by voters shall be used as such a tax increment only if approved by a majority of the voters of the taxing authority levying the tax voting on the proposition in an election held for such purpose.

(b) The proceeds of such tax increment financing shall be distributed to the hospital contained within Parish Hospital Service District for the parish of Orleans as provided for in R.S. 46:1094(C)(2)(a), commonly referred to as Hospital Service District "A" and shall be used for the renovation, maintenance, and any other

improvement thereto, including the funding of any revenues or other indebtedness for such project.

(6) Subject to dedication by law, state of Louisiana sales tax increments may be dedicated to pay the revenue bonds of the project provided for in Subparagraph (5)(b) of this Subsection, but shall not exceed the aggregate portion of the local sales tax increment dedicated for such purposes. Prior to the dedication of state sales tax increments to pay revenue bonds for such project, the commissioner of administration shall submit the proposed project to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for approval. The submittal shall include a written evaluation and determination by the division of administration and certification by the Department of Revenue of the anticipated increase in state sales tax revenues to be collected within the state over state sales tax revenues that were collected within the state in the year immediately prior to the year in which the project is submitted to the committee that would be a direct result of the project. In determining whether to approve the dedication of state sales tax increments, the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget shall take into account whether the city of New Orleans has agreed to the dedication of a portion of the city's sales tax for such project or projects in the district, including the length of time for any such dedication and the amount of any such dedication. In addition, subject to the provisions of R.S. 33:9029.2, any cooperative endeavor agreement or other agreement providing for the expenditure of funds collected by the state as state sales tax increments and dedicated to a project or for the payment of revenue bonds therefor shall be subject to approval by the State Bond Commission prior to execution by the state, except the provisions of R.S. 33:9029.2(A)(2) and (B) as to the submission of applications or filing of suits by the Department of Economic Development shall not apply. Any application to the State Bond Commission for such approval shall be submitted by the district. Any suit to determine the validity of any cooperative endeavor agreement prior to the execution thereof pursuant to the provisions of Part XVI of Chapter 32 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as though the agreement constituted the issuance of bonds of a governmental unit may be filed by the district.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 6, delete lines 6 though 29 and on page 7, delete lines 1 through 6 and insert:

"\* \* \*'

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 16**

On page 7, line 12, after "district" delete the remainder of the line

#### AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 7, delete lines 13 and 14 and on line 15, delete "cost" and insert "for the purpose"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 8, delete lines 22 and 23 and insert "and (b) the creation"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 9, line 4, delete "\* \* and insert:

"G. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section to the contrary, no tax authorized herein shall be levied and no bonds shall be issued unless and until the amount of the tax authorized to be levied and the amount of the bonds authorized to be issued has been approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon in the city of New Orleans in an election called for that purpose. No bonds issued pursuant to this Section shall be general obligations of the state of Louisiana, the parish of Orleans or the city of New Orleans."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 9, between lines 9 and 10 insert:

"§4703. Domicile; purpose and powers

\* \*

C. Except as inconsistent with the provisions of this Part, the district created hereby is granted and shall have and may exercise all powers necessary or convenient for the carrying out of such objects and purposes including, by way of illustration, but not limitation, and subject to the provisions of R.S. 33:4702, the following rights and powers:

\* \* \*

(16) To issue, or secure the issuance of, refunding bonds to refund any outstanding bonds issued pursuant to this Section. Such refunding bonds may be exchanged for the outstanding bonds or may be sold and the proceeds applied to the purchase, redemption, or payment of the outstanding bonds or deposited in escrow for the retirement of such bonds. The refunding bonds shall be authorized in all respects as original bonds are herein required to be authorized, and the district, in authorizing the refunding bonds, shall provide for the security of the bonds, the sources from which the bonds are to be paid and for the rights of the holders thereof in all respects as herein provided for other bonds issued under the authority of this Part. The district may also provide that the refunding bonds shall have the same priority of lien on the taxes, income, and revenues pledged for their payment as was enjoyed by the bonds refunded.

(17) To borrow the amount of the anticipated ad valorem tax the district is authorized to levy hereunder, not to exceed ten mills, for a period not to exceed twenty years and may issue certificates of indebtedness therefor and may dedicate the avails of the tax for the payment thereof for the period of time said certificates are outstanding.

\* \* \*

§4706. Use of district funds; change in level of services

A. Funds received by the board of commissioners of the district from taxes levied, bonds issued, or any other source or combination of sources, shall be used only for the benefit of the district or for projects or services within the district.

\* \*

§4707. Authorization for issuance of bonds for the development of industrial parks; terms

\* \* \*

Q. The revenue bonds shall be limited obligations of the district. The principal of and interest on the revenue bonds shall not be payable from the general funds of the district, nor shall they constitute a pledge, charge, lien, or encumbrance upon any of its property or upon any of its income, receipts, or revenues except the revenues, agreements, and funds or property pledged or mortgaged under the bond resolution or the trust agreement authorizing such bonds. Neither the The credit nor the taxing power of the district or the city shall not be pledged for the payment of such principal or interest, and no holder of revenue bonds shall have the right to compel the exercise of the taxing power by the district, the city or the state or the forfeiture of its property in connection with any default thereon. Every revenue bond shall recite in substance that the principal of and interest on such bond is payable solely from the revenues pledged to its payment and that the district is not obligated to pay such principal or interest except from such revenues. The revenue bonds issued under the provisions of this Section shall not

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constitute a debt of the city or of the district, within the meaning of the constitution and statutes of the state.

\* \*

Section 2. R.S. 33:4702(E), 4703(C)(17), and 4708(D) are hereby repealed.

Section 3. On the effective date of this Act, the terms of all members of the board of commissioners of the New Orleans Regional Business Park serving on such date shall terminate, and the board shall be appointed in accordance with the provisions of this Act."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 9, at the beginning of line 10, change "Section 2." to "Section 4."  $\,$ 

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Jean-Paul J. Morrell Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Yvonne Dorsey-Colomb Represenative Walt Leger III Represenative Girod Jackson III Represenative Wesley T. Bishop

Rep. Leger moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Abramson	Gisclair	Lorusso
Adams	Greene	Mack
Anders	Guinn	Moreno
Armes	Harris	Norton
Arnold	Harrison	Ortego
Badon	Hensgens	Pierre
Barras	Hill	Ponti
Barrow	Hollis	Pope
Berthelot	Honore	Price
Billiot	Howard	Pugh
Bishop, W.	Hunter	Reynolds
Broadwater	Huval	Ritchie
Brossett	Jackson, K.	Robideaux
Brown	James	Schexnayder
Burrell	Jefferson	Smith
Champagne	Johnson	Talbot
Chaney	Jones	Thibaut
Cox	Lambert	Thierry
Cromer	Landry, T.	Thompson
Danahay	Leger	Whitney
Dixon	Leopold	Williams, P.
Franklin	Ligi	Willmott
Gaines	Lopinto	
Total - 68	_	

NAYS

Bishop, S. Edwards Miller Burford Havard Pylant Connick Landry, N. Seabaugh Total - 9

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker Guillory Pearson
Burns, H. Hazel Richard
Burns, T. Henry Richardson
Carmody Hodges Schroder

Carter	Hoffmann	Shadoin
Dove	Jackson, G.	Simon
Fannin	LeBas	St. Germain
Foil	Montoucet	Williams, A.
Garofalo	Morris, Jay	,
Geymann	Morris, Jim	
Total - 28	,	

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# Speaker Pro Tempore Leger in the Chair Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 105— BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:402(G), relative to contraband in correctional facilities; to require imposition of a monetary penalty for the introduction of contraband into a correctional facility; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 105 By Senator Morrell

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 105 by Senator Morrell, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the House Floor Amendment No. 1 adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line, 2, after "402(G)," delete the remainder of the line and insert:

"R.S. 15:1302(4), (11) and (15), 1303(A)(1), (2), (3), and (4), (C)(2), (3) and (4), 1304(A), the introductory paragraph of 1308(A) and 1308(B), 1309, the introductory paragraph of 1310(A) and 1310(A)(6), the introductory paragraph of 1310(C) and 1310(C)(5), the introductory paragraph of 1310(D)(1), 1310(E), (F)(1) and (2), 1310(F)(4)(c) and (G), the introductory paragraph of 1310(H)(1) and 1310(H)(2), 1311(C) and the introductory paragraph of 1312(A), relative to certain prohibited activities and sanctions for violations thereof: to"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "facility;" insert:

"to provide relative to the interception of electronic communications; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to authorizations and disclosures; to provide relative to procedures for interception and reporting requirements;"

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#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, change "may" to "shall"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 16, insert:

"Section 2. R.S. 15:1302(4), (11) and (15), 1303(A)(1), (2), (3), and (4), (C)(2), (3) and (4), 1304(A), the introductory paragraph of 1308(A) and 1308(B), 1309, the introductory paragraph of 1310(A) and 1310(A)(6), the introductory paragraph of 1310(D)(1), 1310(E), (F)(1) and (2), 1310(F)(4)(c) and (G), the introductory paragraph of 1310(H)(1) and 1310(H)(2), 1311(C) and the introductory paragraph of 1310(H)(1) and 1310(H)(2), 1311(C) and the introductory paragraph of 1312(A) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

#### §1302. Definitions

As used in this Chapter:

\* \* \*

(4) "Communications common carrier" means any person engaged as a common carrier for hire in communication by wire or radio, or electronic communications; however, a person engaged in commercial radio broadcasting which is supervised by the Federal Communications Commission shall not, insofar as such person is so engaged, be deemed a common carrier.

\* \* \*

(11) "Intercept" means the aural <u>or other</u> acquisition of the contents of any wire, <u>or oral, or electronic</u> communication through the use of any electronic, mechanical, or other device.

\* \* \*

- (15) "Pen register" means a device which records and decodes electronic or other impulses which identify the numbers dialed or otherwise transmitted on the telephone line to which such device is attached, but this term does not include any device used by a provider or customer of a wire or electronic communication service for billing, or recording as an incident to billing, for communications services provided by such provider or any device used by a provider or customer of a wire communication service for cost accounting or other like purposes in the ordinary course of its business. dialing, routing, addressing, or signaling information transmitted by an instrument or facility from which a wire or electronic communication is transmitted, if the information does not include the contents of the communication. The term does not include a device used by a provider or customer of a wire or electronic communication service in the ordinary course of the provider's or customer's business for either of the following purposes:
- (a) Billing or recording as an incident to billing for communications services.
- (b) Cost accounting, security control, or other ordinary business purposes.

\* \* \*

- §1303. Interception and disclosure of wire, electronic, or oral
- A. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Chapter, it shall be unlawful for any person to:
- (1) Willfully intercept, endeavor to intercept, or procure any other person to intercept or endeavor to intercept, any wire, electronic or oral communication;

- (2) Willfully use, endeavor to use, or procure any other person to use or endeavor to use, any electronic, mechanical, or other device to intercept any oral communication when:
- (a) Such device is affixed to, or otherwise transmits a signal through, a wire, cable, or other like connection used in wire or electronic communication; or
- (b) Such device transmits communications by radio or interferes with the transmission of such communication;
- (3) Willfully disclose, or endeavor to disclose, to any other person the contents of any wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communication, knowing or having reason to know that the information was obtained through the interception of a wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communication in violation of this Subsection; or
- (4) Willfully use, or endeavor to use, the contents of any wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communication, knowing or having reason to know that the information was obtained through the interception of a wire, electronic, or oral communication in violation of this Subsection.

\* \* \* \* C.

- (2) It shall not be unlawful under this Chapter for an officer, employee, or agent of the Federal Communications Commission, in the normal course of his employment and in discharge of the monitoring responsibilities exercised by the commission in the enforcement of Chapter 5 of Title 47 of the United States Code, to intercept a wire or electronic communication, or oral communication transmitted by radio, or to disclose or use the information thereby obtained.
- (3) It shall not be unlawful under this Chapter for a person acting under color of law to intercept a wire, electronic, or oral communication, where such person is a party to the communication or one of the parties to the communication has given prior consent to such interception. Such a person acting under color of law is authorized to possess equipment used under such circumstances.
- (4) It shall not be unlawful under this Chapter for a person not acting under color of law to intercept a wire, electronic, or oral communication where such person is a party to the communication or where one of the parties to the communication has given prior consent to such interception, unless such communication is intercepted for the purpose of committing any criminal or tortious act in violation of the constitution or laws of the United States or of the state or for the purpose of committing any other injurious act.

\* \* \*

- §1304. Manufacture, distribution, or possession of wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communication intercepting devices prohibited
- A. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Chapter, it shall be unlawful for any person willfully to manufacture, assemble, possess, or sell any electronic, mechanical, or other device, knowing or having reason to know that the design of such device renders it primarily useful for the purpose of surreptitious interception of wire, electronic, or oral communications.

\* \* \*

- §1308. Authorization for interception of wire, electronic, or oral communications
- A. The attorney general, or the deputy or any assistant attorney general acting pursuant to the authorization of the attorney general,

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with the approval of the district attorney or any assistant district attorney acting pursuant to the written authorization of the district attorney in whose district the interception of wire, electronic, or oral communications shall take place, and the district attorney or authorized assistant district attorney, with the approval of the attorney general or authorized deputy or assistant attorney general may authorize an application to a judge in whose district the interception of wire, electronic, or oral communications shall take place, and such judge may grant in conformity with R.S. 15:1310 an order authorizing or approving the interception of wire, electronic, or oral communications by an investigative or law enforcement officer having responsibility for the investigation of the offense as to which the application is made, when such interception may provide or has provided evidence of:

\* \* \*

- B. Failure of the district attorney to obtain approval for the interception of wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communications as set forth in this Section shall constitute cause for the attorney general to institute, prosecute, or intervene in a criminal action or proceeding as authorized by law.
- §1309. Authorization for disclosure and use of intercepted wire, electronic, or oral communications
- A. Any investigative or law enforcement officer who, by any means authorized by this Chapter, has obtained knowledge of the contents of any wire, electronic, or oral communication, or evidence derived therefrom, may disclose such contents to another investigative or law enforcement officer to the extent that such disclosure is appropriate to the proper performance of the official duties of the officer making or receiving the disclosure, and provided that such disclosure of the contents of any wire, electronic, or oral communication, or evidence derived therefrom, relates directly to the offense for which the order was granted.
- B. Any investigative or law enforcement officer who, by any means authorized by this Chapter, has obtained knowledge of the contents of any wire, electronic, or oral communication or evidence derived therefrom may use such contents to the extent such use is appropriate to the proper performance of his official duties.
- C. Any person who has received, by any means authorized by this Chapter, any information concerning a wire, electronic, or oral communication, or evidence derived therefrom, intercepted in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter may disclose the contents of that communication or such derivative evidence while giving testimony under oath or affirmation in any criminal proceeding in any court of the United States or of the state or in any federal or state grand jury proceeding.
- D. No otherwise privileged wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communication intercepted in accordance with, or in violation of, the provisions of this Chapter shall lose its privileged character.
- E. When an investigative or law enforcement officer, while engaged in intercepting wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communications, obtains knowledge of communications relating to offenses other than those specified in the order of authorization or approval, the contents thereof, and evidence derived therefrom, may be disclosed or used as provided in Subsections A, B and C of this Section.
- §1310. Procedure for interception of wire, electronic, or oral communications
- A. Each application for an order authorizing or approving the interception of a wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communication shall be made in writing upon oath or affirmation to a judge in whose district such interception of wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communication shall take place and shall state the applicant's authority to make such application. Each application shall include the following information:

\* \* \*

(6) A full and complete statement of the facts concerning previous applications for the past five years, known to the individuals authorizing and making the application, made to any judge for authorization to intercept, or for approval of interception of, wire, electronic, or oral communications involving any of the same persons, facilities, or places specified in the application, and the action taken by the judge on each such application.

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C. Upon such application the judge may enter an ex parte order, as requested or as modified, authorizing or approving interception of wire, electronic, or oral communications within the territorial jurisdiction of the district in which the judge is sitting, if the judge determines on the basis of the facts submitted by the applicant that:

\* \* \*

- (5) The interception of wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communications, as planned, is not reasonably expected to intercept privileged communications.
- D.(1) Each order authorizing or approving the interception of any wire, <u>electronic</u>, or oral communication shall specify:

\* \* \*

- E. No order entered under this Section may authorize or approve the interception of any wire, electronic, or oral communication for any period longer than is necessary to achieve the objective of the investigation, and in no event longer than thirty days. Extensions of an order may be granted, but only upon application for an extension made in accordance with Subsection A of this Section and the court's making the findings required by Subsection C of this Section. The period of extension shall be no longer than the authorizing judge deems necessary to achieve the purposes for which it was granted and in no event for longer than thirty successive days or until the described type of communication has been obtained. Every order and extension thereof shall contain a provision that the authorization to intercept shall be executed as soon as practicable, shall be conducted in such a way as to minimize the interception of communications not otherwise subject to interception under this Chapter, and must terminate upon completion of the investigation or expiration of the order.
- F.(1) The contents of any wire, electronic, or oral communication intercepted by any means authorized by this Chapter shall be recorded on tape or wire or other comparable device. The recording of the contents of any wire, electronic, or oral communication under this Subsection shall be done in such way as will protect the recording from editing or other alterations. Immediately upon the expiration of the period of the order, or extensions thereof, such recordings shall be made available to the judge issuing such order and sealed under his directions. Custody of the recording shall be wherever the judge orders. They shall not be destroyed except upon an order of the issuing or denying judge and in any event shall be kept for ten years. Duplicate recordings may be made for use or disclosure pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 15:1309(A) and (B) for investigations. The presence of the seal provided for by this Subsection, or a satisfactory explanation for the absence thereof, shall be a prerequisite for the use or disclosure of the contents of any wire, electronic, or oral communication or evidence derived therefrom under R.S. 15:1309(C).
- (2) Applications made and orders granted under this Chapter shall be sealed by the judge. Custody of the applications and orders shall be wherever the judge directs. Such applications and orders shall be disclosed only upon a showing of good cause before a judge in whose district the interception of wire, electronic, or oral communication took place and shall not be destroyed, except on

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order of the issuing or denying judge, and in any event shall be kept for ten years.

(4) Within a reasonable time, but not later than ninety days after the filing of an application for an order of approval, the issuing judge shall cause to be served, on the persons named in the order of the application, and such other parties to intercepted communications as the judge may determine in his discretion to be in the interest of justice, an inventory which shall include notice of:

(c) The fact that during the period wire, electronic, or oral communications were or were not intercepted. The judge, upon the filing of a motion, may in his discretion make available to such person or his counsel for inspection such portions of the intercepted communications, applications, and orders as the judge determines to be in the interest of justice. On an ex parte showing of good cause to a judge in whose district the interception of wire, electronic, or oral communications took place, the serving of the inventory required by this Subsection may be postponed until such time as may be appropriate in the circumstances.

- G. The contents of any intercepted wire, electronic, or oral communication or evidence derived therefrom shall not be received in evidence or otherwise disclosed in any trial, hearing, or other proceeding in any court unless each party, not less than thirty days before the trial, hearing, or proceeding, has been furnished with a copy of the court order, and accompanying application, under which the interception was authorized or approved. This thirty-day period may be waived by the judge if he finds that it was not possible to furnish the party with the above information thirty days before the trial, hearing, or proceeding and that the party will not be prejudiced by the delay in receiving such information.
- H.(1) Any aggrieved person in any trial, hearing, or proceeding in or before any court, department, officer, agency, regulatory body, or other authority of the state, or a political subdivision thereof, may move to suppress the contents of any intercepted wire, electronic, or oral communication, or evidence derived therefrom, on the grounds that:

(2) Such motion shall be made before the trial, hearing, or proceeding, unless there was not opportunity to make such motion or the person was not aware of the grounds of the motion. If the motion is granted, the contents of the intercepted wire, electronic, or oral communication, or evidence derived therefrom, shall be treated as having been obtained in violation of this Chapter. The judge, upon the filing of such motion by the aggrieved person, may in his discretion make available to the aggrieved person or his counsel for inspection such portion of the intercepted communication or evidence derived therefrom as the judge determines to be in the interests of justice.

§1311. Reports concerning intercepted wire, electronic, or oral communications

C. In April of each year the judicial administrator of the supreme court shall transmit to the legislature a full and complete report concerning the number of applications for orders authorizing approving the interception of wire , electronic, or oral

communications and the number of orders and extensions granted or denied during the preceding calendar year. Such report shall include a summary and analysis of the data required to be filed with the judicial administrator. The judicial administrator may issue binding regulations dealing with the content and form of the reports required to be filed by Subsections A and B of this Section.

#### §1312. Recovery of civil damages authorized

A. Any person whose wire, electronic, or oral communication is intercepted, disclosed, or used in violation of this Chapter shall have a civil cause of action against any person who intercepts, discloses, or uses, or procures any other person to intercept, disclose, or use such communications, and be entitled to recover from any such person:

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Jean-Paul J. Morrell Senator Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka Senator Mike Walsworth Represenative Jared Brossett Representiive Joseph P. Lopinto Representtive Helena N. Moreno

Rep. Lopinto moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Abramson Gaines Lorusso	
Adams Garofalo Mack	
Anders Geymann Miller	
Armes Gisclair Moreno	
Arnold Greene Morris, Ja	w
Badon Guillory Morris, Ji	
Barras Guinn Norton	•••
Barrow Harris Ortego	
Berthelot Harrison Pierre	
Billiot Havard Ponti	
Bishop, S. Hensgens Pope	
Bishop, W. Hill Price	
Broadwater Hodges Pugh	
Brossett Hollis Pylant	
Brown Honore Reynolds	
Burford Howard Richard	
Burns, H. Hunter Ritchie	
Burns, T. Huval Robideau	x
Burrell Jackson, G. Schexnay	
Carmody Jackson, K. Seabaugh	
Champagne James Shadoin	
Chaney Jefferson Simon	
Connick Johnson Smith	
Cox Jones St. Germa	nin
Cromer Lambert Talbot	
Danahay Landry, T. Thibaut	
Dixon LeBas Whitney	
Dove Leger Williams,	P.
Edwards Leopold Willmott	
Fannin Ligi	
Franklin Lopinto	

NAYS

Total - 0

Total - 91

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#### ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Hoffmann	Schroder
Carter	Landry, N.	Thierry
Foil	Montoucet	Thompson
Hazel	Pearson	Williams, A.
Henry	Richardson	

Total - 14

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

#### **SENATE BILL NO. 319-**BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 344(C), relative to the right to notice of certain required appearances; to provide with respect to the right to notice of time and place of a defendant's required appearance to the personal surety or the commercial surety; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 319 By Senator Martiny

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 319 by Senator Martiny, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by Representative Lopinto and adopted by the House on May 30, 2012 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Danny Martiny Senator Bob Kostelka Senator Edwin R. Murray Representative Joseph Lopinto Representative Neil Abramson Representative Chris Hazel

Rep. Lopinto moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Abramson Adams	Greene Guinn	Mack Miller
Anders	Harris	Moreno
Arnold	Harrison	Morris, Jay
Badon	Havard	Morris, Jim
Barras	Hazel	Norton
Barrow	Henry	Ortego

Berthelot	Hensgens	Pierre
Bishop, S.	Hill	Ponti
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Pope
Broadwater	Hollis	Price
Brossett	Honore	Pugh
Brown	Howard	Pylant
Burford	Hunter	Reynolds
Burns, H.	Huval	Richard
Burrell	Jackson, G.	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson, K.	Robideaux
Champagne	James	Schexnayder
Connick	Jefferson	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson	Shadoin
Cromer	Jones	Simon
Dixon	Lambert	Smith
Dove	Landry, N.	St. Germain
Edwards	Landry, T.	Talbot
Fannin	LeBas	Thibaut
Franklin	Leger	Thierry
Gaines	Leopold	Thompson
Garofalo	Ligi	Whitney
Geymann	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Gisclair	Lorusso	Willmott
Total - 90		

NAYS

Total - 0

#### ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Chaney	Montoucet
Armes	Danahay	Pearson
Billiot	Foil	Richardson
Burns, T.	Guillory	Schroder
Carter	Hoffmann	Williams, A.
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Total - 15

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 580— BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:19(A)(2)(a), relative to notice of public meetings; to provide relative to methods of providing notice for public meetings, including electronic means; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 580 By Representative Abramson

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 580 by Representative Abramson, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Perry and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2012, be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 17, after "meeting." insert "The failure to timely post notice via the Internet pursuant to this Subparagraph or the inability of the public to access the public body's website due

to any type of technological failure shall not be a violation of the provisions of this Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

Representtive Neil C. Abramson Representaive Timothy G. Burns Representaive Jeffery "Jeff" J. Arnold Senator "Jody" Amedee Senator Jonathan Perry Senator Edwin R. Murray

Rep. Abramson moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Abramson	Gaymann	Lorusso
Adams	Geymann Gisclair	Mack
Anders	Greene	Miller
Armes	Guinn	Moreno
Arnold	Harris	Morris, Jay
Badon	Harrison	Morris, Jim
Barras	Havard	Norton
Barrow	Hazel	Ortego
Berthelot	Henry	Pierre
Billiot	Hensgens	Ponti
Bishop, W.	Hill	Pope
Broadwater	Hodges	Price
Brossett	Hollis	Pugh
Brown	Honore	Pylant
Burford	Howard	Reynolds
Burns, H.	Hunter	Richard
Burns, T.	Huval	Ritchie
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Robideaux
Champagne	Jackson, K.	Schexnayder
Chaney	James	Schroder
Connick	Jefferson	Seabaugh
Cox	Johnson	Shadoin
Cromer	Jones	Smith
Danahay	Lambert	St. Germain
Dixon	Landry, N.	Talbot
Dove	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Edwards	LeBas	Thierry
Fannin	Leger	Thompson
Franklin	Leopold	Whitney
Gaines	Ligi	Williams, P.
Garofalo	Lopinto	Willmott
Total - 93		
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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker Foil Pearson Bishop, S. Guillory Richardson Burrell Hoffmann Simon Carter Montoucet Williams, A. Total - 12

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Ligi, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

SENATE BILL NO. 420— BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2780.1(D), to enact R.S. 9:2780.1(G), and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 492 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to contract provisions; to provide relative to motor carrier transportation contracts; to provide for application of certain laws; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 420 By Senator Martiny

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 420 by Senator Martiny, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Arnold and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 24, 2012, be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 2, and insert:

"To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2780.1(A)(2)(a) and (D), to enact R.S. 9:2780.1(G) and (H), and to repeal Section 2

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 7 and 8 and insert the following:

'Section 1. R.S. 9:2780.1(A)(2)(a) and (D) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 9:2780.1(G) and (H) are hereby enacted to read as follows:'

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 10 and 11 insert the following:

"A. For purposes of this Section, the following terms have the meanings ascribed to them by this Subsection, except where the context clearly indicates otherwise:

(2)(a) "Construction contract" shall mean any agreement for the design, construction, alteration, renovation, repair, or maintenance of a building, structure, highway, road, bridge, water line, sewer line, oil line, gas line, appurtenance, or other improvement to real property, or repair or maintenance of a highway, road, or bridge, including any moving, demolition, or excavation, except that no deed, lease, easement, license, or other instrument granting an interest in or the right to possess property will be deemed to be a construction contract even if the instrument includes the right to design, construct, alter, renovate, repair, or maintain improvements on such real property.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

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

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"H. Nothing in this Section shall prohibit any employee from recovering damages, compensation, or benefits under workers' compensation laws or any other claim or cause of action.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, after line 5, insert the following:

Section 3. The provisions of this Act and the provisions of the Act which originated as Senate Bill No. 693 of the 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature shall have prospective application only.

Section 4. The provisions of this Act shall supersede and control to the extent of conflict with the provisions of any other Act of the 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature, regardless of the date of enactment.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Daniel "Danny" Martiny Senator Conrad Appel Senator Robert Adley Represenative Anthony V. Ligi Representtive Joseph P. Lopinto

#### **Acting Speaker Arnold in the Chair**

Rep. Ligi moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Adams	Dove	Ligi
Anders	Edwards	Lopinto
Armes	Fannin	Lorusso
Arnold	Foil	Moreno
Badon	Franklin	Pearson
Barras	Garofalo	Ponti
Barrow	Gisclair	Pugh
Billiot	Guinn	Pylant
Bishop, S.	Harrison	Reynolds
Bishop, W.	Havard	Richard
Broadwater	Hazel	Ritchie
Brossett	Henry	Robideaux
Brown	Hill	Schroder
Burford	Hollis	Seabaugh
Burns, H.	Howard	Shadoin
Burrell	Jackson, G.	St. Germain
Carmody	Jefferson	Talbot
Carter	Johnson	Thibaut
Champagne	Jones	Thompson
Chaney	Landry, N.	Whitney
Danahay	Leger	Williams, P.
Dixon	Leopold	Willmott
Total - 66	•	
	NAYS	
Berthelot	Jackson, K.	Pope
Burns, T.	James	Price
Cox	Landry, T.	Schexnayder
Gaines	Mack	Smith

Miller

Norton

Pierre

Harris

Honore Hunter

Total - 19

#### ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Hensgens	Morris, Jay
Abramson	Hodges	Morris, Jim
Connick	Hoffmann	Ortego
Cromer	Huval	Richardson
Geymann	Lambert	Simon
Greene	LeBas	Thierry
Guillory	Montoucet	·

Total - 20

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 577—
BY SENATOR PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROSSETT, BURRELL, DIXON, FRANKLIN, GISCLAIR, HARRIS, HILL, HOWARD, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, LEBAS, LEGER, MORENO, NORTON, ORTEGO, PIERRE, REYNOLDS, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, ALFRED WILLIAMS AND WILLMOTT AN ACT

To enact Part XIV of Chapter 9 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:1019 through 1019.2, relative to employment; to create the Louisiana Equal Pay Task Force; to provide for purpose; to provide for composition of the task force; to provide for duties and powers of the task force; to provide for reporting deadlines; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 577 By Senator Peterson

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 577 by Senator Peterson, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That House Floor amendments Nos. 1 and 2, proposed by Representative Williams and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor amendments No. 1, 2, 3, and 4, proposed by Representative Broadwater and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Karen Carter Peterson Senator A. G. Crowe Senator Edwin R. Murray Representaive Walt Leger III Representaive Herbert B. Dixon

#### Speaker Kleckley in the Chair

Rep. Leger moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Dixon	Landry, T.
Abramson	Edwards	LeBas

Williams, A.

Anders F. Armes G. Armold G. Badon G. Barras G. Barrow H. Billiot H. Bishop, W. H. Brossett H. Brown J. Burrell J. Champagne J. Champagne J. Cox J. C	annin oil iaines isisclair duillory iuinn lazel iill lonore funter ackson, G. ackson, K. ames efferson ohnson	Leger Leopold Moreno Norton Ortego Pierre Price Reynolds Smith St. Germain Thibaut Whitney Williams, P. Willmott
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#### NAYS

Berthelot	Havard	Morris, Jay
Bishop, S.	Henry	Morris, Jim
Broadwater	Hensgens	Pearson
Burford	Hoffmann	Ponti
Burns, H.	Hollis	Pope
Burns, T.	Howard	Pugh
Carmody	Huval	Pylant
Carter	Lambert	Robideaux
Connick	Landry, N.	Schexnayder
Cromer	Ligi	Seabaugh
Dove	Lopinto	Simon
Garofalo	Lorusso	Talbot
Geymann	Mack	Thompson
Harris	Miller	•
Total - 41		

#### **ABSENT**

Franklin	Montoucet	Schroder
Greene	Richard	Shadoin
Harrison	Richardson	Thierry
Hodges	Ritchie	Williams, A.
Total - 12		,

The House refused to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

Motion to reconsider pending.

#### Motion

Rep. Arnold moved to reconsider the vote by which the conference committee report to Senate Bill No. 262 was rejected, which motion was agreed to.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 262— BY SENATOR MORRELL

#### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:80(A), the introductory paragraph of (F)(2), and (H) and 280(A), the introductory paragraph of (F)(2), and (H), and to enact R.S. 26:80(I), (J), and (K), and 280(I), (J) and (K), relative to the office of alcohol and tobacco control; to provide relative to the qualifications of applicants for alcoholic beverage permits; to provide relative to the consideration of arrests, summons, charges, or indictments of applicants; to provide relative to the duty of licensees and permitees to provide certain information to the commissioner; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 262 By Senator Morrell

#### June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 262 by Senator Morrell, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That House Committee Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, and 9 through 25 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 10, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Committee Amendments No. 4, 7, and 8 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 10, 2012 be rejected.
- 3. That Legislative Bureau Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, and 9 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 10, 2012 be adopted.
- That Legislative Bureau Amendments No. 4 and 8 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 10, 2012 be rejected.
- 5. That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 proposed by Representative Arnold and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 26, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendments No. 5 and 7 proposed by Representative Arnold and adopted by the House of Representatives on April 26, 2012 be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "80(A)" insert "(introductory paragraph),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, after "280(A)" insert "(introductory paragraph),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 3, change "and (H)" to "(H)(1), and 286(A)(9)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 4, delete "and (K), and 280(I), (J), and (K)," and insert "90(K), and 280(A)(11), (I), and (J)"  $\,$ 

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 8, after "commissioner;" insert "to provide relative to the sale of certain beverages in automatic mechanical vending machines; to require the commissioner to promulgate rules to accomplish such sales, including provisions to prevent access by certain individuals;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 10, after "80(A)" insert "(introductory paragraph)," and after "280(A)" insert "(introductory paragraph)," <u>AMENDMENT NO. 7</u>

On page 1, line 11, change "and (H)" to "(H)(1), and 286(A)(9)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 1, delete line 12 and insert "90(K), and 280(A)(11), (I), and (J) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

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#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 11, delete the asterisks "\* \* \*" and insert:

"(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsections A and B, a permit may be granted by the commissioner if the applicant has been pardoned, has had any misdemeanor conviction discharged or dismissed, or the applicant's civil rights have been restored, or, if the applicant is a firm, association, partnership, trust, domestic or foreign corporation, or other legal entity, the applicant has terminated its relationship with the person or persons whose action directly contributed to the applicant's conviction.

(b) The provisions of Subparagraph(a) of this Paragraph shall not apply to any applicant who is also applying for a video gaming license under the provisions of Chapter 6 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 5, between lines 20 and 21, insert:

"§90. Acts prohibited on licensed premises; suspension or revocation of permits

\* \*

K. Allow the sale, dispensing, or distribution of beverages of high alcoholic content in any type of automatic mechanical vending machine activated by the use of a coin, token, or similar instrument except in Class A establishments pursuant to rules promulgated by the commissioner in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act. Such rules shall include procedures for the prevention of access to the machines by underage or intoxicated persons. The provisions of this Subsection shall not apply to establishments exempt from holding permits under this Chapter.

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#### **AMENDMENT NO. 11**

On page 7, line 10, delete the asterisks "\* \* \*" and insert the following:

"(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsections A and B, a permit may be granted by the commissioner if the applicant has been pardoned, has had any misdemeanor conviction discharged or dismissed, or the applicant's civil rights have been restored, or, if the applicant is a firm, association, partnership, trust, domestic or foreign corporation, or other legal entity, the applicant has terminated its relationship with the person or persons whose action directly contributed to the applicant's conviction.

(b) The provisions of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall not apply to any applicant who is also applying for a video gaming license under the provisions of Chapter 6 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 9, after line 19, insert:

"\* \*

§286. Acts prohibited on licensed premises; suspension or revocation of permits

A. No person holding a retail dealer's permit and no servant, agent, or employee of the permittee shall do any of the following acts upon the licensed premises:

\* \* \*

(9) Allow the sale, dispensing, or distribution of beverages of low alcoholic content in any type of automatic mechanical vending machine activated by the use of a coin, token, or similar instrument, except in Class A establishments in accordance with rules promulgated pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act. Such rules shall include procedures for the prevention of access to the machines by underage or intoxicated persons. The provisions of this Paragraph shall not apply to establishments exempt from holding permits under this Chapter.

\* \* \*

Respectfully submitted,

Mr. Speaker

Senator Jean-Paul J. Morrell Senator Karen Carter Peterson Senator Gary L. Smith, Jr. Represenative Jeffery "Jeff" J. Arnold Represenative Jared Brossett Representative Chuck Kleckley

Rep. Arnold moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

Dixon

#### YEAS

Leger

Adams	Dove	Leopold
Anders	Edwards	Ligi
Armes	Foil	Lopinto
Arnold	Franklin	Lorusso
Badon	Gaines	Moreno
Barras	Gisclair	Norton
Barrow	Guillory	Ortego
Berthelot	Harris	Ponti
Billiot	Harrison	Price
Bishop, W.	Hollis	Pylant
Broadwater	Honore	Reynolds
Brossett	Howard	Ritchie
Brown	Hunter	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Huval	Schexnayder
Burrell	Jackson, G.	St. Germain
Carmody	Jackson, K.	Talbot
Carter	Jefferson	Thibaut
Champagne	Johnson	Thierry
Chaney	Jones	Willmott
Cox	Landry, T.	· · iiiiiott
Cromer	LeBas	
Total - 64	Lebus	
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	11112	
Burford	Hoffmann	Pearson
Connick	Lambert	Pope
Geymann	Landry, N.	Pugh
Guinn	Mack	Seabaugh
Hazel	Miller	Whitney
Hensgens	Morris, Jim	Williams, P.
Total - 18	,	,
	ABSENT	
Abramson	Henry	Richardson
Bishop, S.	Hill	Schroder
Burns, T.	Hodges	Shadoin
Danahay	James	Simon
Fannin	Montoucet	Smith
Garofalo	Morris, Jay	Thompson
Greene	Pierre	Williams, A.
Havard	Richard	

Total - 23

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# SENATE BILL NO. 247— BY SENATOR LONG

#### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3217.1(A) and to enact R.S. 17:3232, relative to postsecondary education; to provide for the creation of the Central Louisiana Technical Community College; to provide with respect to the management, supervision, and operation of the institution; to provide with respect to program offerings; to provide for the awarding of certificates, diplomas, and degrees; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the Board of Regents and the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to provide relative to accreditation; to provide with respect to performance agreements with the Board of Regents; to provide reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 247 By Senator Long

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 247 by Senator Long, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Education and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 17, 2012, be adopted.
- That House Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the House Committee on Education and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 17, 2012, be rejected.
- That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 22, insert the following:

"Appropriations for the Central Louisiana Technical Community College for Fiscal Year 2012-2013 and for each subsequent fiscal year until the college earns regional accreditation shall not be less than the appropriation for the Alexandria, Avoyelles, Huey P. Long, Lamar Salter, Oakdale, and Shelby M. Jackson campuses of the Louisiana Technical College available on July 1, 2011."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Gerald Long Senator Robert Adley Senator Conrad Appel
Represenative Stephen F. Carter
Represenative Jeff Thompson Representaive Lowell C. Hazel

Rep. Carter moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Abramson Guillory Moreno Guinn Morris, Jay Adams

Anders	Harris	Morris, Jim
Arnold	Harrison	Norton
Badon	Havard	Ortego
Barras	Hazel	Pierre
Barrow	Henry	Ponti
Berthelot	Hensgens	Pope
Broadwater	Hill	Price
Brossett	Hodges	Pugh
Burford	Hollis	Pylant
Burns, H.	Honore	Reynolds
Burrell	Howard	Ritchie
Carmody	Hunter	Robideaux
Carter	Huval	Schexnayder
Champagne	Jackson, G.	Schroder
Chaney	James	Seabaugh
Connick	Jefferson	Shadoin
Cox	Johnson	Simon
Cromer	Jones	Smith
Danahay	Lambert	St. Germain
Dixon	Landry, N.	Talbot
Dove	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Edwards	LeBas	Thierry
Fannin	Leger	Thompson
Foil	Leopold	Whitney
Franklin	Ligi	Williams, A.
Gaines	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Garofalo	Lorusso	Willmott
Gisclair	Mack	
Greene	Miller	
Total - 91		

Total - 0

### ABSENT

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Brown	Montoucet
Armes	Burns, T.	Pearson
Billiot	Geymann	Richard
Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Richardson
Bishop, W.	Jackson, K.	
Total - 14	,	

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 2— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX

AN ACT

To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 2 By Representative Robideaux

June 4, 2012

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

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 2 by Representative Robideaux, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

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- 1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, be adopted.
- That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2012, be adopted.
- 3. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 of the set of two Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Brown and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2012, be adopted.
- 4. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 of the set of two Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Brown and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2012, be rejected.
- 5. That the set of eight Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Riser and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2012, be adopted.
- That Senate Floor Amendment Nos. 1 through 8, 11 through 49, 51 through 56, 58 through 61, and 64 through 67 proposed by Senator Riser and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2012, be adopted.
- That Senate Floor Amendment Nos. 9, 10, 50, 57, 62, and 63 proposed by Senator Riser and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2012, be rejected.
- 8. That the following amendments be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Committee Amendment No. 62 proposed by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, on page 10, delete lines 7 through 9 in their entirety and insert the following:

"( ) Winnsboro Campus of Delta Community
College, Acquisition, Planning, and Construction
(Franklin)
Payable from General Obligation Bonds
Priority 5 \$ 900,000"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Committee Amendment No. 62 proposed by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, on page 10, delete line 14, and insert the following:

 "and Construction (Ouachita)
 \$ 100,000

 Total
 \$ 1,000,000

Provided, however, that a buy-build-lease analysis be completed before any funds are expended for acquisition, renovation, or construction and that funds from this appropriation can be used to complete the required analysis."

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Committee Amendment No. 64, proposed by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, on page 10, line 23 after "delete lines" and before "32," delete "31 and" and insert "30 through"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Committee Amendment No. 70 proposed by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, on page 11, delete lines 20 through 22 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 2	\$ 700,000
Priority 5	\$ 50,000
Total	\$ 750,000

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

In Committee Amendment No. 70 proposed by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, on page 11, delete lines 29 through 31 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 2	\$ 850,000
Priority 5	\$ 50,000
Γotal	\$ 900,000"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

In Committee Amendment No. 145 proposed by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, on page 23, delete line 4 in its entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 2 \$\\\ 780,000

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

In Committee Amendment No. 250 proposed by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, on page 40, delete lines 2 through 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 2	\$ 450,000
Priority 5	\$ 3,700,000
Total	\$ 5,450,000"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

In Committee Amendment No. 11, proposed by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2012, on page 2, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

"Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues \$ 2,251,006"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

In Committee Amendment No. 11, proposed by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2012, on page 2, line at the beginning of line 34, change "June 30, 2012" to "July 31, 2012"

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 10**

In Committee Amendment No. 11, proposed by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2012, on page 2, line 35, change " $\overline{2,150,000}$ " to " $\underline{9,401,006}$ "

#### AMENDMENT NO. 11

In Committee Amendment No. 15, proposed by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2012, on page 8, line 12, after "Control to" and before "reclassify" insert a comma "," and insert "no later than July 15, 2012,"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 12

In Committee Amendment No. 15, proposed by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2012, on page 8, line 15, after "Expansion project" delete the comma "," delete "and any" and insert the following:

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"so that, where feasible, all means of finance other than selfgenerated revenues shall be expended before the expenditure of selfgenerated revenues for these projects. Any"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 13

In Senate Floor Amendment No. 34 of the set of 67 amendments proposed by Senator Riser and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2012, on page 8, line 2, change "144,202,933" to "144,202,333"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 14

In Senate Floor Amendment No. 67 of the set of 67 amendments proposed by Senator Riser and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2012, on page 13, line 8, after "Improvements to" and before "Street," change "Girard" to "Girod"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 41, delete line 46 and insert the following:

"Priority 1	\$ 2,860,000
Priority 2	\$ 2,140,000
Total	\$ 5,000,000"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 77, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

#### "50/M19 BASTROP

(1320) Bastrop Central Fire Station, Replace
Driveway City Hall, Roof Construction, Planning and Construction
(Morehouse)
Payable from General Obligation Bonds
Priority 2
Priority 5
Total
\$
200,000
\$
250,000
\$
450,000"

### AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 79, delete lines 19 through 22 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Priority 1	\$ 350,000
Priority 2	\$ 275,000
Priority 5	\$ 2,180,000
Total	\$ 2,805,000"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 110, delete lines 11 through 13 in their entirety and insert:

"Priority 1 \$	35,000"
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#### AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 127, between lines 27 and 28 insert the following:

# "50/N DOWNMAN ROAD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

( ) Downman Road Economic Development District Enhancement, Beautification, Planning, and Construction (Orleans)
Payable from General Obligation Bonds
Priority 2 \$ 200,000

Pending submittal and approval of capital outlay budget request pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 39:112"

Respectfully submitted,

Represenative Joel C. Robideaux Represenative Chuck Kleckley Represenative Patrick C. Williams Senator Neil Riser Senator John A. Alario, Jr. Senator Robert Adley

Rep. Robideaux moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fannin	Lopinto
Abramson	Foil	Lorusso
Adams	Franklin	Miller
Anders	Gaines	Moreno
Armes	Gisclair	Morris, Jay
Arnold	Guillory	Norton
Badon	Guinn	Ortego
Barras	Harrison	Pearson
Barrow	Havard	Pierre
Berthelot	Hazel	Ponti
Billiot	Hensgens	Price
Bishop, S.	Hill	Pugh
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Pylant
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Reynolds
Brossett	Honore	Ritchie
Brown	Howard	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Hunter	Schexnayder
Burns, T.	Huval	Shadoin
Burrell	Jackson, G.	Simon
Carter	Jackson, K.	Smith
Chaney	James	St. Germain
Connick	Jefferson	Thibaut
Cox	Johnson	Thierry
Cromer	Jones	Whitney
Danahay	Lambert	Williams, P.
Dixon	Landry, T.	Willmott
Dove	Landry, 1. Leger	W IIIIIOtt
Edwards	Leopold	
Total - 82	Leopold	
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Burford	Harris	Pope
Carmody	Landry, N.	Schroder
Champagne	LeBas	Seabaugh

Burford	Harris	Pope
Carmody	Landry, N.	Schroder
Champagne	LeBas	Seabaugh
Garofalo	Ligi	Talbot
Geymann	Mack	Thompson
Greene	Morris, Jim	•
Total - 17		

ABSENT

Henry Montoucet Richardson Hollis Richard Williams, A. Total - 6

The Conference Committee Report, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was adopted.

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#### Motion

Rep. Moreno moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to adopt the conference committee report to Senate Bill No. 577, which motion was agreed to.

SENATE BILL NO. 577—

BY SENATOR PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROSSETT, BURRELL, DIXON, FRANKLIN, GISCLAIR, HARRIS, HILL, HOWARD, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, LEBAS, LEGER, MORENO, NORTON, ORTEGO, PIERRE, REYNOLDS, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, ALFRED WILLIAMS AND WILLMOTT AN ACT

To enact Part XIV of Chapter 9 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:1019 through 1019.2, relative to employment; to create the Louisiana Equal Pay Task Force; to provide for purpose; to provide for composition of the task force; to provide for duties and powers of the task force; to provide for reporting deadlines; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 577 By Senator Peterson

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 577 by Senator Peterson, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That House Floor amendments Nos. 1 and 2, proposed by Representative Williams and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor amendments No. 1, 2, 3, and 4, proposed by Representative Broadwater and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Karen Carter Peterson Senator A. G. Crowe Senator Edwin R. Murray Represenative Walt Leger III Representaive Herbert B. Dixon

Rep. Moreno moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Foil	Lorusso
Abramson	Franklin	Miller
Adams	Gisclair	Moreno
Anders	Greene	Norton
Armes	Guillory	Ortego
Arnold	Guinn	Pearson
Badon	Hazel	Pierre
Barras	Hill	Ponti
Barrow	Hodges	Price
Dallow	nouges	FIICE

Berthelot Billiot Bishop, S. Bishop, W. Broadwater Brossett Brown Burns, H. Burrell Carter Champagne Connick Cox Danahay Edwards Fannin Total - 73	Hoffmann Honore Howard Hunter Jackson, G. Jackson, K. James Jefferson Johnson Jones Landry, N. Landry, T. LeBas Leger Leopold Ligi NAYS	Pugh Pylant Ritchie Robideaux Schexnayder Schroder Shadoin Smith St. Germain Thierry Thompson Whitney Williams, P. Willmott
Dove Garofalo Geymann Harris Total - 12	Henry Hensgens Mack Morris, Jim ABSENT	Pope Seabaugh Simon Talbot
Burford Burns, T. Carmody Chaney Cromer Dixon Gaines Total - 20	Harrison Havard Hollis Huval Lambert Lopinto Montoucet	Morris, Jay Reynolds Richard Richardson Thibaut Williams, A.

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Carter, 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**

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has reconsidered the vote by which the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 350 was adopted and recommitted the bill to the conference committee.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### **Conference Committee Reports for Consideration**

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### Motion

Rep. Carter moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to adopt the conference committee report to Senate Bill No.

Rep. Greene objected.

By a vote of 74 yeas and 18 nays, the House agreed to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to adopt the conference committee report.

#### Motion

Rep. Greene moved to return the bill to the calendar.

By a vote of 41 yeas and 48 nays, the House refused to return the bill to the calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 350—
BY SENATORS MURRAY AND MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD AND WESLEY BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:551(A) and (D)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 47:551(D)(5) through (8), relative to local taxes; to authorize the levy and collection of a local tax on the gross proceeds derived from the lease or rental of an automobile pursuant to an automobile rental contract if approved by the registered voters of the parish; to provide for certain distribution of proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 350 By Senator Murray

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 350 by Senator Murray, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by the House Committee on Ways and Means and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be rejected.
- That House Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the House Committee on Ways and Means and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Wilmott and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 3 and 4 proposed by Representative Wilmott and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representatives Pierre and Robideaux and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.

- That House Floor Amendment No. 3 by Representatives Pierre and Robideaux and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(D)(3)" delete "(b)" and insert "and (4) and to enact R.S. 47:551(D)(5) through (8)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "(D)(3)" delete "(b)" and insert "and (4)" and after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 47:551(D)(5) through (8) are hereby enacted'

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 24 and 25, insert:

- (7) The avails of the local tax as provided for in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in East Baton Rouge Parish shall be distributed as follows:
- (a) Sixty percent to the Arts Council of Greater Baton Rouge for its operations and programs.
  - (b) Twenty-three percent to the Shaw Center for the Arts.
- (c) Seventeen percent to the general fund of the parish of East Baton Rouge.
- (8) The avails of the local tax as provided for in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in Caddo Parish shall be distributed each fiscal year as follows:
- (a) To the governing authority of the city of Shreveport, two hundred thousand dollars.
- (b) The money remaining after the distribution provided for in this Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall be distributed to the Caddo Parish Commission.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 24, and insert:

(4) The local tax as provided in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in Orleans Parish shall be distributed for road repairs, and beautification projects, and to the Orleans Parish Council on Aging to be used for Senior Centers.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Gregory Tarver Senator David Heitmeier Represenative Jared Brossett Representtive Joel C. Robideaux Representaive Walt Leger III

Rep. Brossett moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

As a substitute motion, Rep. Greene moved to recommit the report to the Conference Committee.

The vote recurred on the substitute motion.

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#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Anders Arnold Barras Berthelot Bishop, S. Burford Carmody Carter Chaney Connick Cromer Dove Fannin Foil Garofalo Greene Total - 49	Guillory Harris Harrison Havard Henry Hill Hodges Hoffmann Hollis Howard Huval Lambert Landry, N. Lopinto Lorusso Mack Miller	Morris, Jay Pearson Ponti Pope Pugh Pylant Reynolds Schexnayder Schroder Seabaugh Shadoin Simon Talbot Thibaut Whitney
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#### NAYS

Abramson	Franklin	Ligi
Badon	Guinn	Moreno
Barrow	Hensgens	Norton
Billiot	Honore	Ortego
Bishop, W.	Hunter	Pierre
Brossett	Jackson, G.	Price
Brown	James	Ritchie
Burrell	Jefferson	Robideaux
Champagne	Johnson	Smith
Cox	Jones	Thierry
Danahay	Landry, T.	Williams, P.
Dixon	Leger	Willmott
Edwards	Leopold	
Total - 38	•	

#### ABSENT

Adams	Geymann	Morris, Jim
Armes	Gisclair	Richard
Broadwater	Hazel	Richardson
Burns, H.	Jackson, K.	St. Germain
Burns, T.	LeBas	Thompson
Gaines	Montoucet	Williams, A.
Total 19		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

The House agreed to recommit the report to the Conference Committee.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 94— BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:696(A) and (C), and to enact R.S. 49:191(6)(a), and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(b), relative to the Department of Insurance, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Dept. of Insurance 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; to provide relative to the deputy commissioner of the office of consumer advocacy; to provide relative to the commissioner's appointment; to provide for the commissioner's salary; to provide for staff; to provide for the offices; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 94 By Representative Cromer

June 4, 2012

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 94 by Representative Cromer, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That the set of Senate Legislative Bureau Amendments proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on May 7, 2012, be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the Reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 36:696(A) and (C), to

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "entities;" insert "to provide relative to the deputy commissioner of the office of consumer advocacy; to provide relative to the commissioner's appointment; to provide for the commissioner's salary; to provide for staff; to provide for the offices;"

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 36:696(A) and (C) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Deputy commissioner for consumer advocacy; functions; office of consumer advocacy

A. There is hereby created an office of consumer advocacy in the Department of Insurance. This office shall be under the direction of the deputy commissioner for consumer advocacy, who shall be appointed by the commissioner of insurance with consent of advice and concurrence of the Senate and House committees on insurance and who shall serve at the pleasure of the commissioner at a salary fixed by the commissioner, which salary and benefits shall be the same as the majority of the deputy commissioners of the Department of Insurance shall not exceed the amount approved for such position by the legislature while in session. The commissioner of insurance shall appoint the deputy commissioner of consumer advocacy by October 1, 2007. The office of consumer advocacy shall be staffed with no fewer than three full-time professional level civil service employees to manage complaints, inquiries, and outreach. The office of consumer advocacy shall be staffed with no fewer than two full-time journeyman level civil service employees to assist the professional level employees. The office of consumer advocacy shall employ an administrative assistant designated by the deputy commissioner who shall be responsible for coordinating and directing travel, scheduling, office management, and any other duties assigned by the deputy commissioner. The office of consumer advocacy may

shall be housed within the Louisiana Department of Insurance or in and, as funding is available, satellite offices may be opened as outlined in the rules and regulations to be implemented by the commissioner of insurance pursuant to this Section. The deputy commissioner for consumer advocacy shall be directly responsible to and shall perform his functions under the supervision and control of the commissioner of insurance.

\* \*

C. The deputy commissioner for consumer advocacy can only may be terminated for without cause shown. A written report of termination shall be compiled by the commissioner of insurance and delivered to the clerk of the House of Representatives and the secretary of Senate at least ten days before the termination and shall be disclosed to the members of the respective houses of the legislature upon request.

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#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 8, after "Section" delete "1" and insert "2"

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 1, line 12, after "Section" delete "2" and insert "3"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 17, after "Section" delete "3" and insert "4"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, line 19, after "Section" delete "4" and insert "5"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 8, after "Section" delete "5" and insert "6"

### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 9, after "Section" delete "6" and insert "7"

Respectfully submitted,

Represenative George Gregory Cromer Represenative Ledricka Thierry Represenative Major Thibaut, Jr. Senator Dan "Blade" Morrish Senator Ronnie Johns Senator Eric LaFleur

Rep. Cromer moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edwards	Lopinto
Abramson	Foil	Lorusso
Anders	Gaines	Mack
Arnold	Garofalo	Miller
Badon	Guillory	Moreno
Barras	Harris	Morris, Jay
Barrow	Harrison	Norton
Berthelot	Havard	Ortego
Billiot	Hazel	Pearson
Bishop, S.	Hensgens	Pierre
Bishop, W.	Hill	Ponti

Hodges	Pope
Hoffmann	Price
Hollis	Pugh
Honore	Reynolds
Howard	Schexnayder
Hunter	Schroder
Huval	Simon
James	Smith
Jefferson	St. Germain
Johnson	Talbot
Jones	Thibaut
Lambert	Thierry
Landry, T.	Thompson
LeBas	Whitney
Leger	Williams, A.
Ligi	Willmott
	Hoffmann Hollis Honore Howard Hunter Huval James Jefferson Johnson Jones Lambert Landry, T. LeBas Leger

NAYS

Landry, N.

Total - 1

	C.	N	
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Adams	Guinn	Richard
Armes	Henry	Richardson
Burns, H.	Jackson, G.	Ritchie
Fannin	Jackson, K.	Robideaux
Franklin	Leopold	Seabaugh
Geymann	Montoucet	Shadoin
Gisclair	Morris, Jim	Williams, P.
Greene	Pylant	
Total 22	•	

Total - 23

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 204-

BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4581 and R.S. 22:2203(D)(1), relative to exemptions applicable to the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to provide an exemption for the corporation from posting bond; to provide an exemption relative to rates charged by the corporation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### **CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT** Senate Bill No. 204 By Senator Morrish

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 204 by Senator Morrish, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

 That the House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Gregory Cromer and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.

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- That the House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by Representative Sam Jones and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, between "R.S. 13:4581" and the comma "," insert "and R.S. 22:2203(D)(1)" and delete "bonds;" and insert "exemptions applicable to the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation" and insert "the corporation" and after "bond;" insert "to provide an exemption relative to rates charged by the corporation;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, after line 17, insert the following:

"Section 2. R.S. 22:2303(D)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§2303. Rates, rating plans, and rate rules applicable

\* \* \*

D.(1) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (A)(1) of this Section, until August 15, 2010, the corporation shall charge the higher of (a) actuarially justified rates or (b) the highest rates charged among assessable insurers that have a minimum of two percent of the total direct written premium in each respective parish for that line of business in the preceding year, or, with respect to personal lines property insurance, excluding wind and hail policies, only, (c) the highest rates charged among assessable insurers in each respective parish which in the preceding year increased by at least twenty-five additional personal lines property insurance policies, excluding wind and hail policies, in such parish, the total number of such policies in effect for the parish over the year before, in any noncompetitive market unless competition resumes. If the corporation is writing more than fifty percent of the residential property insurance business in a market, including wind- and hail-only coverages, the board of directors shall report that fact to the commissioner of insurance. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, until August 15, 2011 2015, regardless of whether a competitive market may exist, the ten percent rate in excess of the higher of (a) the actuarially justified rate or (b) the highest rates charged among assessable insurers that have a minimum of two percent of the total direct written premium in each respective parish for that line of business in the preceding year, or, with respect to personal lines property insurance, excluding wind and hail policies, only, (c) the highest rates charged among assessable insurers in each respective parish which in the preceding year increased by at least twenty-five additional personal lines property insurance policies, excluding wind and hail policies, in such parish, the total number of such policies in effect for the parish over the year before, as authorized in Subsection A of this Section, shall not apply in St. Mary Parish and parishes listed in R.S. 40:1730.27(A).

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and in lieu thereof insert the following:

"Section 3. The provisions of Section 1 of this Act shall be given prospective application only and shall not affect any action

pending or claim arising prior to the effective date of Section 1 of this Act.

Section 4. Section 3 of this Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Dan "Blade" Morrish Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Karen Carter Peterson Representative Jeffery "Jeff" J. Arnold Representative Gregory Cromer Representative Sam Jones

Rep. Cromer moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edwards	Lorusso
Abramson	Foil	Mack
Adams	Franklin	Miller
Anders	Garofalo	Moreno
Arnold	Guillory	Morris, Jay
Badon	Guinn	Norton
Barras	Harris	Ortego
Barrow	Harrison	Pearson
Berthelot	Havard	Pierre
Billiot	Hazel	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hill	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Price
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Pugh
Brossett	Hollis	Pylant
Brown	Honore	Reynolds
Burford	Howard	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Hunter	Schexnayder
Burns, T.	Huval	Schroder
Burrell	Jackson, G.	Seabaugh
Carmody	James	Simon
Carter	Jefferson	Smith
Champagne	Jones	St. Germain
Chaney	Lambert	Thibaut
Connick	Landry, N.	Thierry
Cox	Landry, T.	Thompson
Cromer	LeBas	Whitney
Danahay	Leger	Williams, A.
Dixon	Ligi	Williams, P.
Dove	Lopinto	Willmott
Total - 87	-	
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NAYS

Total - 0

#### ABSENT

Armes	Henry	Morris, Jim
Fannin	Hensgens	Richard
Gaines	Jackson, K.	Richardson
Geymann	Johnson	Ritchie
Gisclair	Leopold	Shadoin
Greene	Montoucet	Talbot
Total - 18		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 756— BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4(16)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 44:4(16)(e) and (f), relative to public records; to provide relative to records of boards or institutions of higher learning; to exempt certain records from the Public Records Law; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 756 By Representative Abramson

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 756 by Representative Abramson, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Murray and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2012 be rejected.
- That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Perry and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2012 be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Represenative Neil C. Abramson Representaive Timothy G. Burns Representtive Jared Brossett Senator "Jody" Amedee Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Robert Adley

Rep. Abramson moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Abramson	Gaines	Lorusso
Adams	Garofalo	Mack
Anders	Gisclair	Miller
Armes	Greene	Moreno
Arnold	Guillory	Morris, Jay
Badon	Guinn	Norton
Barras	Harris	Ortego
Barrow	Harrison	Pearson
Berthelot	Havard	Pierre
Billiot	Hazel	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hensgens	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hill	Price
Broadwater	Hodges	Pugh
Brossett	Hoffmann	Pylant
Brown	Hollis	Reynolds
Burford	Honore	Richard
Burns, H.	Howard	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Hunter	Schexnayder
Burrell	Huval	Schroder
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Seabaugh

Carter	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Champagne	James	Simon
Chaney	Jefferson	Smith
Connick	Johnson	St. Germain
Cox	Jones	Talbot
Cromer	Lambert	Thibaut
Danahay	Landry, N.	Thierry
Dixon	Landry, T.	Thompson
Dove	LeBas	Whitney
Edwards	Leger	Williams, A.
Fannin	Leopold	Williams, P.
Foil	Ligi	Willmott
Franklin	Lopinto	
Total - 98	1	

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Montoucet	Robideaux
Geymann	Morris, Jim	
Henry	Richardson	
Total - 7		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 239

BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:802(introductory paragraph), and Part XXII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1299.39.5 through 1299.39.7, 1299.58(C), 1299.131(A)(3), and 1300.11, to enact R.S. 36:259(MM), and to repeal R.S. 40:1299.40, relative to informed consent; to provide for methods in which informed consent may be obtained; to create the Louisiana Medical Disclosure Panel within the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for definitions; to provide for membership and terms; to provide for powers and duties; to provide for medical disclosure lists; to provide for exceptions to obtaining informed consent; to provide for attendance of meetings via telecommunications; to provide for limitations of liability; to provide for the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 239 By Senator Murray

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 239 by Senator Murray, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11 and 12, adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be adopted.
- That the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure amendment No.8, adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be rejected.
- That the House Legislative Bureau Amendment Nos. 1 and 2, adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be adopted.

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 That House Floor amendment No. 1, proposed by Representative Abramson and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Fred Mills Senator David Heitmeier Represenative Neil C. Abramson Representative Alan T. Seabaugh Represenative Jeffery "Jeff" J. Arnold

Rep. Abramson moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Franklin	Mack
Abramson	Gaines	Miller
Adams	Gisclair	Moreno
Anders	Guillory	Norton
Arnold	Guinn	Ortego
Badon	Harris	Pearson
Barras	Harrison	Pierre
Barrow	Hazel	Ponti
Berthelot	Hensgens	Pope
Billiot	Hill	Price
Bishop, S.	Hodges	Pugh
Bishop, W.	Hoffmann	Pylant
Broadwater	Hollis	Reynolds
Brossett	Honore	Ritchie
Brown	Howard	Robideaux
Burford	Hunter	Schexnayder
Burns, H.	Huval	Schroder
Burns, T.	Jackson, G.	Seabaugh
Burrell	James	Shadoin
Carmody	Jefferson	Smith
Carter	Johnson	St. Germain
Champagne	Jones	Talbot
Chaney	Lambert	Thierry
Cox	Landry, N.	Thompson
Cromer	Landry, T.	Whitney
Dixon	Leger	Williams, P.
Dove	Ligi	Willmott
Edwards	Lopinto	
Foil	Lorusso	

Total - 85

NAYS

Total - 0

#### ABSENT

Armes	Havard	Morris, Jim
Connick	Henry	Richard
Danahay	Jackson, K.	Richardson
Fannin	LeBas	Simon
Garofalo	Leopold	Thibaut
Geymann	Montoucet	Williams, A.
Greene	Morris, Jay	,
Total - 20		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Robideaux, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 16— BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:185(D)(2), (3), and (5) and 502(B)(1), relative to public retirement systems; to provide relative to membership in such systems; to provide for governance of systems; to provide relative to boards of trustees; to provide for educational requirements for members of such boards; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 16 By Senator Cortez

June 3, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 16 by Senator Cortez, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the set of House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Robideaux and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 30, 2012, be adopted.
- 2. That the following amendments be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(5)" delete the comma "," and insert "and 502(B)(1),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, between "relative to" and "boards" insert the following:

"membership in such systems; to provide for governance of systems; to provide relative to"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "(5)" insert "and 502(B)(1)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

"§502. Creation of optional retirement plan

\* \* \*

B.(1) Notwithstanding Subsection A of this Section, anyone who elected to participate in the optional retirement plan in lieu of the defined benefit plan before July 31, 2002 December 31, 2007, may regain membership in the defined benefit plan by complying with the provisions of this Subsection.

\* \* \*"

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Patrick Page Cortez Senator Elbert Guillory Senator Jonathan Perry Represenative Joel C. Robideaux Represenative J. Kevin Pearson Represenative Paul Hollis

Rep. Robideaux moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

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Mr. Speaker	Gaines	Lorusso
Adams	Garofalo	Miller
Anders	Gisclair	Moreno
Arnold	Guillory	Morris, Jay
Badon	Guinn	Norton
Barras	Harris	Ortego
Barrow	Harrison	Pearson
Berthelot	Havard	Pierre
Billiot	Hensgens	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hill	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Price
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Pugh
Brossett	Hollis	Pylant
Brown	Honore	Reynolds
Burford	Howard	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Hunter	Robideaux
Burrell	Huval	Schexnayder
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Seabaugh
Carter	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Champagne	James	Simon
Chaney	Jefferson	Smith
Cox	Jones	St. Germain
Cromer	Lambert	Talbot
Danahay	Landry, N.	Thibaut
Dixon	Landry, T.	Thierry
Dove	LeBas	Thompson
Edwards	Leger	Whitney
Foil	Ligi	Williams, P.
Franklin	Lopinto	Willmott
Total - 87	r	
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NAYS

Total - 0

### ABSENT

Greene	Montoucet
Hazel	Morris, Jim
Henry	Richard
Johnson	Richardson
Leopold	Schroder
Mack	Williams, A.
	,
	Hazel Henry Johnson Leopold

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 701— BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authorities; to authorize the employment of a superintendent by the Southeast Flood Protection Authority - East; to provide for such superintendent's powers and authority; to authorize the use of police security personnel from one levee district within another under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 701 By Representative Garofalo

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 701 by Representative Garofalo, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That the set of three amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and adopted by the Senate on 21 May 2012 be adopted.
- That the set of two Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Morrell and adopted by the Senate on 1 June 2012 be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Represenative Ray Garofalo Representtive Karen Gaudet St. Germain Senator Robert Adley Senator Jean-Paul J. Morrell Senator Gary L. Smith, Jr.

#### Motion

Rep. Lorusso moved to table the entire subject matter.

Rep. Garofalo objected.

By a vote of 20 yeas and 67 nays, the House refused to table the entire subject matter.

#### Motion

Rep. Carmody moved to recommit the bill to the conference committee.

Rep. Leger objected.

By a vote of 24 yeas and 61 nays, the House refused to recommit the bill to the conference committee.

Rep. Garofalo moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Harris	Norton
Abramson	Harrison	Ortego
Adams	Havard	Pierre
Anders	Hill	Ponti
Barras	Hodges	Pope
Barrow	Hoffmann	Price
Berthelot	Hollis	Pugh
Billiot	Honore	Pylant
Bishop, W.	Howard	Reynolds
Broadwater	Hunter	Ritchie
Brossett	Huval	Robideaux
Brown	Jackson, G.	Schexnayder
Burrell	James	Shadoin
Champagne	Jefferson	Simon
Chaney	Johnson	Smith
Cox	Jones	St. Germain
Danahay	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Dixon	LeBas	Thierry
Dove	Leger	Thompson
Edwards	Leopold	Whitney
Franklin	Ligi	Williams, A.

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Gaines Lopinto Williams, P.
Garofalo Mack Willmott
Guillory Moreno

Guinn Morris, Jay

Total - 73

NAYS

BadonConnickLandry, N.Bishop, S.CromerLorussoBurfordGreeneMillerBurns, T.HenryPearsonCarmodyLambertTalbot

Total - 15 ABSENT

Armes Geymann Morris, Jim Richard Arnold Gisclair Burns, H. Hazel Richardson Carter Hensgens Schroder Fannin Jackson, K. Seabaugh Foil Montoucet

Total - 17

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Champagne, 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 BILLS

June 4, 2012

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. 838 Returned with amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### House Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

Rep. Champagne asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions just returned from the Senate, with amendments to be concurred in by the House, with a view of acting on the same:

HOUSE BILL NO. 838-

USE BILL NO. 338—
BY REPRESENTATIVES CHAMPAGNE AND LEGER AND SENATORS ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, CHABERT, CORTEZ, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERRY, PETERSON, GARY SMITH, AND WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:214.5.4(I), relative to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund; to dedicate certain monies into the fund; to provide for effectiveness; 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 Chabert to Reengrossed House Bill No. 838 by Representative Champagne

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 4, and insert:

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

Rep. Champagne 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	Moreno
Adams	Guillory	Morris, Jay
Anders	Guinn	Norton
Badon	Harris	Ortego
Barras	Harrison	Pearson
Barrow	Hazel	Pierre
Berthelot	Henry	Ponti
Billiot	Hill	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Price
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Pugh
Brossett	Hollis	Pylant
Burford	Howard	Reynolds
Burns, H.	Hunter	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Huval	Robideaux
Burrell	Jackson, G.	Schexnayder
Carmody	James	Schroder
Carter	Jefferson	Shadoin
Champagne	Johnson	Simon
Chaney	Jones	Smith
Connick	Lambert	St. Germain
Cox	Landry, N.	Talbot
Cromer	LeBas	Thibaut
Danahay	Leger	Thierry
Dixon	Leopold	Thompson
Dove	Ligi	Whitney
Edwards	Lopinto	Williams, A.
Franklin	Lorusso	Williams, P.
Gaines	Mack	Willmott
Garofalo	Miller	

NAYS

Total - 0

Total - 86

#### ABSENT

Abramson Armes Arnold Bishop, S. Brown Fannin Foil	Geymann Greene Havard Hensgens Honore Jackson, K. Landry, T.	Montoucet Morris, Jim Richard Richardson Seabaugh
Total - 19	•	

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

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

Rep. Katrina Jackson moved to suspend the rules to call House Bill No. 362 from the calendar without giving the notice required by the House, which motion was agreed to.

HOUSE BILL NO. 362—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KATRINA JACKSON, BARROW, BROSSETT, HODGES, LOPINTO, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, AND ST. GERMAIN AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, PETERSON, AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1236.13(E), relative to automated external defibrillators; to allow high schools that participate in interscholastic athletics to have an automated external defibrillator on their premises; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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 Health and Welfare to Engrossed House Bill No. 362 by Representative Katrina Jackson

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, change "may" to "shall"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, delete "at the athletic director's option" and insert , if funding is available'

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

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Foil	Lorusso
Franklin	Mack
Gaines	Miller
Garofalo	Moreno
Guillory	Morris, Jay
Guinn	Ortego
Harris	Pearson
Havard	Pierre
Hazel	Ponti
Hodges	Pope
Hoffmann	Price
Hollis	Reynolds
Honore	Robideaux
Howard	Schexnayder
Hunter	Schroder
Huval	Shadoin
Jackson, G.	Smith
Jackson, K.	St. Germain
James	Talbot
Jefferson	Thibaut
Johnson	Thierry
	Franklin Gaines Garofalo Guillory Guinn Harris Havard Hazel Hodges Hoffmann Hollis Honore Howard Hunter Huval Jackson, G. Jackson, K. James Jefferson

Cox	Jones	Thompson
Cromer	Lambert	Whitney
Danahay	Landry, T.	Williams, A
Dixon	LeBas	Williams, P.
Dove	Ligi	Willmott
Edwards	Lopinto	

Total - 80

NAYS

Landry, N.

Total - 1

#### ABSENT

Abramson	Harrison	Norton
Armes	Henry	Pugh
Bishop, W.	Hensgens	Pylant
Brossett	Hill	Richard
Fannin	Leger	Richardson
Geymann	Leopold	Ritchie
Gisclair	Montoucet	Seabaugh
Greene	Morris, Jim	Simon
Total - 24	ŕ	

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

### **Conference Committee Reports for Consideration**

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### **Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Carmody, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

# SENATE BILL NO. 751 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 335 by Senator Morrish)— BY SENATORS MORRISH AND PEACOCK AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1253(A)(2) and 1256, to enact R.S. 32:1256.1 and 1256.2, and to repeal Chapter 15, Subpart 1, Part V of Title 46 of the Louisiana Administrative Code, comprised of Sections 1501 through 1515, relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide relative to recreational product shows; to provide relative to membership of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 751 By Senators Morrish and Peacock

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 751 by Senators Morrish and Peacock, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1 through 23 proposed by the House Committee on Commerce and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012, be adopted.

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- That House Committee Amendment No. 24 proposed by the House Committee on Commerce and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012, be rejected.
- That Legislative Bureau Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012, be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1, 2, and 3 proposed by Representative Carmody and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012, be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Pierre and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012, be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" change "R.S. 32:1256," to "R.S. 32:1253(A)(2) and 1256,"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "shows;" insert "to provide relative to membership of the commission;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, change "R.S. 32:1256 is" to "R.S. 32:1253(A)(2) and 1256 are "  $\,$ 

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

" §1253. Motor Vehicle Commission; appointment and qualifications of members; terms of office; organization; oath; official bond; compensation; powers and duties

A. The Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission is hereby created within the office of the governor and shall be composed of eighteen members appointed by the governor, as follows:

\* \* \*

(2) Each of the commissioners appointed under the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection shall have been an actively engaged licensee of the commission or its previous Louisiana licensing commission for not less than five consecutive years prior to such appointment, and be a holder of such a license at all times while a member of the commission. Being engaged in more than one such pursuit shall not disqualify a person otherwise qualified from serving on the commission. Of these members, one member shall be primarily engaged in the business of lease or rental, one member shall be primarily engaged in the business of heavy truck sales, three members shall be primarily engaged in the business of marine products, one member shall be primarily engaged in the business of motorcycle sales, one member shall be primarily engaged in the business of recreational vehicle sales, and one member shall be primarily engaged in the business of recreational vehicle sales, and one member shall be primarily engaged in the business of sales finance.

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#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 25, change "one hundred" to "two hundred fifty"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, between lines 4 and 5 insert the following:

- "§1256.2. National recreational product shows
- A. National recreational product shows are hereby authorized as provided for in this Section.
- B. When used in this Section, the following words and phrases have the meaning ascribed to them in this Paragraph:
- (1) "National recreational product show" or "show" means a controlled event promoted by an organizer who seeks sponsorships from distributors or manufacturers of recreational products where their products are shown. A national recreational product show requires all of the following:
  - (a) The participation of at least three or more sponsors.
  - (b) A duration of no longer than ten days.
- (c) A non-selling show with no execution of sales contracts, credit applications, taking of security deposits, or delivery of any recreational product.
- (2) "Non-Louisiana" means a distributor or manufacturer who holds a current license as a distributor or manufacturer in another state.
- (3) "Organizer" means any person, alone or with others, whose principal business activity is the promotion of shows. An organizer shall be licensed as a promoter pursuant to R.S. 32:1254.
- (4) "Product specialist" means any person selected by the sponsor to assist in the sponsor's participation in a show.
- (5) "Sponsor" means a distributor or manufacturer who pays cash or an in-kind fee to an organizer in return for access to the commercial potential associated with a show.
- C. The presence of product specialists, business cards, brochures, pricing sheets and other points of sales devices to answer consumer questions are not prohibited at a national recreational product show.
- D.(1) An organizer shall obtain a license from the commission on an application prescribed by and with the information required by the commission.
- (2) The application shall be submitted to the commission not less than sixty days prior to the opening of the show.
- (3) A license fee of five hundred dollars shall be included with the application.
- E. Participation in a national recreational product show is limited to distributors or manufacturers who are licensed in Louisiana pursuant to this Chapter, except as provided in Subsection F of this Section.
- F. In order to participate in a national recreational product show in Louisiana, non-Louisiana recreational products distributors and manufacturers shall register their participation with the commission not later than ten business days prior to the date of the show. To register, each non-Louisiana recreational product distributor or manufacturer shall submit its name, address, a copy of its current equivalent license from the state of its domicile, and a fee of two hundred fifty dollars to the commission.

G. The commission may adopt rules and regulations consistent with the provisions of this Section in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Dan "Blade" Morrish Senator Robert Adley Senator Barrow Peacock Representiive Thomas Carmody Representtive Erich E. Ponti Representaive Chuck Kleckley

Rep. Carmody moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker Abramson Adams Anders Arnold Badon Barras Barrow Berthelot Billiot Bishop, S. Bishop, W. Broadwater Brossett Brown Burford Burns, H. Burns, T. Burrell	Franklin Gaines Garofalo Gisclair Greene Guillory Guinn Harris Harrison Hazel Henry Hill Hodges Hoffmann Hollis Honore Howard Hunter Huval	Lorusso Mack Miller Moreno Morris, Jay Norton Ortego Pearson Pierre Ponti Pope Price Pugh Pylant Reynolds Robideaux Schexnayder Schroder Shadoin
Carmody	Jackson, G.	Simon
Champagna	Jackson, K.	Smith St. Germain
Champagne Chaney	James Jefferson	Thibaut
Connick	Johnson	Thierry
Cox	Jones	Thompson
Cromer	Lambert	Whitney
Danahay	Landry, N.	Williams, A.
Dixon	LeBas	Williams, P.
Dove	Leger	Willmott
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NAYS

Total - 0

#### ABSENT

Armes Landry, T. Richardson Fannin Lopinto Ritchie Seabaugh Geymann Montoucet Havard Morris, Jim Talbot Hensgens Richard

Total - 14

The Conference Committee Report, having received a twothirds vote of the elected members, was adopted.

### **Suspension of the Rules**

Rep. Brossett moved to suspend the rules in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

Rep. Carmody objected.

By a vote of 74 yeas and 7 nays, the House agreed to suspend the rules.

SENATE BILL NO. 350—
BY SENATORS MURRAY AND MORRELL AND REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD AND WESLEY BISHOP

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:551(A) and (D)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 47:551(D)(5) through (8), relative to local taxes; to authorize the levy and collection of a local tax on the gross proceeds derived from the lease or rental of an automobile pursuant to an automobile rental contract if approved by the registered voters of the parish; to provide for certain distribution of proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 350 By Senator Murray

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 350 by Senator Murray, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- That House Committee Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by the House Committee on Ways and Means and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be rejected.
- That House Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the House Committee on Ways and Means and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Wilmott and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 3 and 4 proposed by Representative Wilmott and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That House Floor Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representatives Pierre and Robideaux and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be rejected.
- That House Floor Amendment No. 3 by Representatives Pierre and Robideaux and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 31, 2012 be adopted.
- That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(D)(3)" delete "(b)" and insert "and (4) and to enact R.S. 47:551(D)(5) through (8)"

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#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "(D)(3)" delete "(b)" and insert "and (4)" and after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 47:551(D)(5) through (8) are hereby enacted"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 24 and 25, insert:

- "(7) The avails of the local tax as provided for in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in East Baton Rouge Parish shall be distributed as follows:
- (a) Forty percent to the Arts Council of Greater Baton Rouge for its operations and programs.
  - (b) Fifteen percent to the Shaw Center for the Arts.
- (c) Fifteen percent to the general fund of the parish of East Baton Rouge.
- (d) Fifteen percent to the general fund of the East Baton Rouge Parish Sheriff's Office.
- (e) Fifteen percent to the general fund of the East Baton Rouge Parish District Attorney's Office.
- (8) The avails of the local tax as provided for in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in Caddo Parish shall be distributed each fiscal year as follows:
- (a) To the governing authority of the city of Shreveport, two hundred thousand dollars.
- (b) The money remaining after the distribution provided for in this Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall be distributed to the Caddo Parish Commission."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 24, and insert:

"(4) The local tax as provided in Subsection A of this Section which is collected in Orleans Parish shall be distributed for road repairs, and beautification projects, and to the Orleans Parish Council on Aging to be used for Senior Centers."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Edwin R. Murray Senator Gregory Tarver Senator David Heitmeier Represenative Jared Brossett Represenative Joel C. Robideaux Represenative Walt Leger III

Rep. Brossett moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Gaines	Leopold
Adams	Garofalo	Ligi
Anders	Gisclair	Lorusso
Arnold	Greene	Miller
Badon	Harris	Moreno
Barras	Havard	Norton
Barrow	Hazel	Pierre

Berthelot Hill Price Billiot Hoffmann Pylant Bishop, W. Hollis Reynolds Brossett Honore Ritchie Brown Howard Robideaux Burns, H. Hunter Schexnayder Burrell Huval Shadoin Carter Jackson, G. Smith Champagne Jackson, K. St. Germain Chaney James Talbot Cox Jefferson Thibaut
Bishop, W. Hollis Reynolds Brossett Honore Ritchie Brown Howard Robideaux Burns, H. Hunter Schexnayder Burrell Huval Shadoin Carter Jackson, G. Smith Champagne Jackson, K. St. Germain Chaney James Talbot Cox Jefferson Thibaut
Bishop, W. Hollis Reynolds Brossett Honore Ritchie Brown Howard Robideaux Burns, H. Hunter Schexnayder Burrell Huval Shadoin Carter Jackson, G. Smith Champagne Jackson, K. St. Germain Chaney James Talbot Cox Jefferson Thibaut
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Burrell Huval Shadoin Carter Jackson, G. Smith Champagne Jackson, K. St. Germain Chaney James Talbot Cox Jefferson Thibaut
Carter Jackson, G. Smith Champagne Jackson, K. St. Germain Chaney James Talbot Cox Jefferson Thibaut
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Cromer Johnson Thierry
Danahay Jones Thompson
Dixon Lambert Whitney
Edwards Landry, T. Williams, A.
Foil LeBas Williams, P.
Franklin Leger Willmott
Total - 72
NAYS
11115
Burford Landry, N. Pearson
Carmody Mack Ponti
Harrison Morris, Jay Pope
Total - 9
ABSENT
TIBBETTI
Abramson Geymann Morris, Jim
Armes Guillory Ortego
Bishop, S. Guinn Pugh
Broadwater Henry Richard
Burns, T. Hensgens Richardson
Connick Hodges Schroder
Dove Lopinto Seabaugh

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

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#### **Suspension of the Rules**

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On motion of Rep. Barrow, 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

# APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has appointed the following committee to serve with a like committee from the House to confer on the disagreement to House Bill No. 971: Senators Broome, White, and Dorsey-Colomb.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP

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Total - 24

Secretary of the Senate

#### **Conference Committee Reports for Consideration**

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Barrow, the rules were suspended in order to consider the following conference committee report which contains subject matter not confined to the disagreement between the two houses.

HOUSE BILL NO. 971— BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:551.1, relative to special districts; to authorize the establishment of an automobile rental tax district in the parishes of East Baton Rouge, Ouachita, and Rapides; to provide for the boundaries, governance, and powers of the district; to authorize the levy of a tax on the lease or rental of certain automobiles under certain circumstances; to provide for the use of the avails of the tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 971 By Representative Barrow

June 4, 2012

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 971 by Representative Barrow, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 28, 2012, be rejected.
- That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senators White and Claitor and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2012, be rejected.
- That the following amendments to the Engrossed bill be adopted:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "district in" and before "to provide " change "East Baton Rouge Parish;" to "the parishes of East Baton Rouge, Ouachita, and Rapides;'

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, after "district;" delete the remainder of the line and insert "parishes of East Baton Rouge, Ouachita, and Rapides'

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 14, after "of the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "parishes of East Baton Rouge, Ouachita, and Rapides may each create,

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 19, after "parish" delete the period "." and insert 'creating the district.'

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 12, after "in the" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 13 and insert "parish creating the district."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 26, after "C." insert "(1)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 28, change "(1) Thirty" to "(a) Forty"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 29, after "operations" delete the period "." and insert and programs.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, delete line 1 in its entirety

#### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, at the beginning of line 2, change "(3) Twenty-three percent" to "(b) Fifteen percent'

#### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, at the beginning of line 3, change " $\underline{(4)}$  Seventeen percent" to " $\underline{(c)}$  Fifteen percent"

### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, between lines 4 and 5 insert the following:

- (d) Fifteen percent to the general fund of the East Baton Rouge Parish Sheriff's Office.
- (e) Fifteen percent to the general fund of the East Baton Rouge District Attorney's Office.
- (2) The avails of the tax in Ouachita Parish shall be distributed as follows:
  - (a) Fifty percent to the general fund of the parish.
  - (b) Twenty percent to Score.
  - (c) Twenty percent to the parish council on aging.
  - (d) Ten percent to the food bank of Ouachita.
- (3) The avails of the tax in Rapides Parish shall be distributed as follows:
  - (a) Fifty percent to the parish council on aging.
  - (b) Fifty percent to the Food Bank of Central Louisiana."

### Respectfully submitted,

Representative Regina Barrow Representative Girod Jackson, III Representative Erich E. Ponti Senator Sharon Weston Broome Senator Yvonne Dorsey-Colomb

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Rep. Barrow moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Gaines	Lorusso
Garofalo	Miller
Gisclair	Moreno
Greene	Norton
Guillory	Ortego
Harris	Pierre
Havard	Pope
Hazel	Price
Hill	Pugh
Hoffmann	Pylant
Honore	Reynolds
Howard	Ritchie
Hunter	Robideaux
Huval	Shadoin
Jackson, G.	Smith
Jackson, K.	St. Germain
James	Thibaut
Jefferson	Thierry
Johnson	Thompson
Jones	Whitney
Landry, T.	Williams, A.
	Williams, P.
	Willmott
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	Garofalo Gisclair Greene Guillory Harris Havard Hazel Hill Hoffmann Honore Howard Hunter Huval Jackson, G. Jackson, K. James Jefferson Johnson

NAYS

Landry, N. Morris, Jay Mack Simon

Total - 4

ABSENT

Abramson Adams Anders Armes Bishop, S. Brossett Burns, T. Connick Dove	Geymann Guinn Harrison Henry Hensgens Hodges Hollis Lambert LeBas	Montoucet Morris, Jim Pearson Ponti Richard Richardson Schexnayder Schroder Seabaugh
Total - 30	Lopinto	Taibot

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

#### 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. 177— BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAMPAGNE

A RESOLUTION

To commend Ryan Poche upon his many accomplishments as a student at Erath High School and as a citizen.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 178—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HENRY BURNS, BURFORD, BURRELL, CARMODY, NORTON, REYNOLDS, SEABAUGH, THOMPSON, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

### A RESOLUTION

To commend and extend appreciation to Angelo Roppolo of Shreveport for his extraordinary accomplishments and singular contributions to his community and state.

Read by title.

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

# HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 179— BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER

A RESOLUTION

To commend the organizers of the Louisiana Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership seminars and to recognize June 15, 2012, as "Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Day" in the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 180-

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the commissioner of administration to transfer \$2,598,484 in State General Fund (Direct) and 22 positions from the Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of Aging and Adult Services to the Office of Elderly Affairs for elderly protective services.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 181— BY REPRESENTATIVES SIMON, BROADWATER, AND HOFFMANN A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Children and Family Services, the division of administration, and the office of the governor to work with the Louisiana Food Bank Association to ensure the acquisition and distribution of sufficient food to hungry Louisiana citizens, particularly children and the elderly.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 182— BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER AND BROSSETT A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the owners of The Times-Picayune to continue to publish a daily print edition of the newspaper, to commend the staff of the newspaper for steadfast dedication to excellence in journalism, and to recognize the singular place the newspaper holds in the history of New Orleans and in the lives of the citizens who rely on its daily print edition for news and information.

Read by title.

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

# Petitions, Memorials, and Communications

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

#### Message from the Senate

## ASKING CONCURRENCE IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 4, 2012

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 No. 152

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Senate Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over

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

#### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 152—

BY SENATORS GALLOT AND BUFFINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVE COX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Orlando Woolridge, former Mansfield High School, University of Notre Dame, and National Basketball Association basketball player and 2010 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame inductee.

Read by title.

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

### Message from the Senate

# RECONSIDERED THE DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has reconsidered the vote by which the House Amendments were rejected and concurred in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 226 by Sen. Morrish.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Message from the Senate**

#### RECONSIDERED THE DISAGREEMENT TO SENATE BILL

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has reconsidered the vote by which the House Amendments were rejected and voted to concur in the proposed House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 754 by Sen. Mills.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Message from the Senate**

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 94.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

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I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 141.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 293.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 544.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 580.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 701.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

## ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 754.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 756.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

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I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 955.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 971.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1010.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 16.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 105.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 204.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### **Message from the Senate**

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 239.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### **Message from the Senate**

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 247.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

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I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 262.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 268.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 290.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### **Message from the Senate**

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 319.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 320.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Message from the Senate**

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 350.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Message from the Senate**

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 351.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

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I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 417.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 420.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Message from the Senate**

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 472.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 520.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### Message from the Senate

# ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 577.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

## **Message from the Senate**

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 677.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

#### **Message from the Senate**

#### ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 4, 2012

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

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 756.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

## Message from the Senate

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 4, 2012

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. 200 Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 201 Returned without amendments

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House Concurrent Resolution No. 202 Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

### Message from the Senate

#### SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 4, 2012

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

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 72, 99, 100, 103, 128, and 152

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

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

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

#### Message from the Senate

#### SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 4, 2012

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 9, 16, 105, 173, 204, 226, 239, 247, 261, 262, 268, 284, 290, 319, 320, 337, 350, 351, 361, 391, 417, 420, 430, 472, 494, 516, 520, 577, 590, 600, 605, 677, 685, 751, 754, 756, 758, 761, and 765

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

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the Speaker of the House.

### **Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

June 4, 2012

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. 164— BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRISON AND BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit a report on the status of implementation of the comprehensive plan addressing the delivery of quality services to persons receiving home- and community-based services as mandated by Act No. 299 of the 2011 Regular Session of the Legislature to the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare.

# HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 166— BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

#### A RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Study Group on Long Term Care Financing to develop the design for a thorough and complete analysis of funding for long-term services and supports (LTSS) that will be proposed in the 2013 legislative session with the goal of increasing options for LTSS in Louisiana.

# HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 169— BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY A RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Office of Group Benefits to study the interpretation that results in retired employees of school systems who are subsequently elected to their local school boards having to pay substantial increases in their group health insurance premiums and to report to the House Committee on Appropriations by November 1, 2012.

# HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 175— BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state superintendent of education or the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, as appropriate, to report electronically to each member of the legislature on the status of implementation of certain education reform measures contained in Act No. 2 of the 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 176—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DIXON, ANDERS, BROWN, BURRELL, CARMODY, FANNIN, GUILLORY, HARRIS, HAZEL, HILL, HOWARD, HUNTER, KATRINA JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, THIERRY, AND DATRICK WILLIAMS PATRICK WILLIAMS

### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the hospitals and behavioral health treatment facilities in behavioral health services regions 6, 7, and 8 report to the speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives and the chairman of the House Committee on Health and Welfare information regarding the quantity of behavioral health treatment, including both mental illness and substance abuse, sought in the three behavioral health services regions during specific time frames.

# HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 177— BY REPRESENTATIVE CHAMPAGNE

### A RESOLUTION

To commend Ryan Poche upon his many accomplishments as a student at Erath High School and as a citizen.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 178—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HENRY BURNS, BURFORD, BURRELL, CARMODY, NORTON, REYNOLDS, SEABAUGH, THOMPSON, AND PATRICK WILLIAMS

#### A RESOLUTION

To commend and extend appreciation to Angelo Roppolo of Shreveport for his extraordinary accomplishments and singular contributions to his community and state.

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### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 179— BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER A RESOLUTION

To commend the organizers of the Louisiana Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership seminars and to recognize June 15, 2012, as "Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Day" in the state of Louisiana.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 180-

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the commissioner of administration to transfer \$2,598,484 in State General Fund (Direct) and 22 positions from the Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of Aging and Adult Services to the Office of Elderly Affairs for elderly protective services.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 181— BY REPRESENTATIVES SIMON, BROADWATER, AND HOFFMANN A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Children and Family Services, the division of administration, and the office of the governor to work with the Louisiana Food Bank Association to ensure the acquisition and distribution of sufficient food to hungry Louisiana citizens, particularly children and the elderly.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 182—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER AND BROSSETT A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the owners of The Times-Picayune to continue to publish a daily print edition of the newspaper, to commend the staff of the newspaper for steadfast dedication to excellence in journalism, and to recognize the singular place the newspaper holds in the history of New Orleans and in the lives of the citizens who rely on its daily print edition for news and information.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD RITCHIE 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

#### **Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

June 4, 2012

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. 192-

BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON AND SENATOR HEITMEIER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Peter J. Calamari III, former deputy assistant secretary of the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals', office of behavioral health, in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 193-BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW AND SENATOR THOMPSON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Child Poverty Prevention Council for Louisiana to study recent increases in the state's child poverty rate and to report its findings to the legislative committees on health and welfare.

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 194— BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals, the Louisiana Hospital Association, the Louisiana State Medical Society, the Louisiana Chapter of the American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, the March of Dimes, and all participating hospitals for successful implementation of a statewide effort to end nonmedically indicated elective deliveries prior to thirty-nine weeks gestation.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 195—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY, COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNS, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Michael Barry Carmody of Shreveport, a special Marine and a great FBI agent.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 196-BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Ray Gene Thompson and Rita Doughty Thompson upon the celebration of their sixtieth anniversary.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 197—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KATRINA JACKSON, BADON, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, BURRELL, CARMODY, DANAHAY, DIXON, EDWARDS, FANNIN, GAROFALO, GUILLORY, HAZEL, HONORE, HUNTER, JAMES, JEFFERSON, KLECKLEY, LEGER, LIGI, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, PIERRE, RITCHIE, SCHEXNAYDER, SIMON, SMITH, TALBOT, ALFRED WILLIAMS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, CHABERT, CLAITOR, CORTEZ, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, GALLOT, GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, JOHNSK KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PEACOCK, PERRY, PETERSON, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TARVER, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH, WARD, AND WHITE WARD, AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Ms. Ruth Johnson for her years of outstanding public service to the citizens of Louisiana as she departs the position of secretary of the Department of Children and Family Services.

#### **HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 198—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Cullen Doody of Arabi upon his outstanding achievements as a student-athlete at Louisiana State University and as a citizen.

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 200—BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Ouachita Parish School Board and the Monroe City School Board to take certain actions to facilitate achieving unitary status for their respective school districts.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 201— BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to review its policies relative to graduation requirements, particularly as they pertain to core curricula and diploma paths, and to submit a written report of its findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 202— BY REPRESENTATIVES MACK, HODGES, POPE, AND SCHEXNAYDER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Sheriff Willie Graves on his retirement after thirty-five years of service in law enforcement, including sixteen years as the sheriff of Livingston Parish.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD RITCHIE 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 4, 2012

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. 1-

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2— BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX

AN ACT

To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 94— BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:696(A) and (C), and to enact R.S. 49:191(6)(a), and to repeal R.S. 49:191(4)(b), relative to the Department of Insurance, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Dept. of Insurance 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; to provide relative to the deputy commissioner of the office of consumer advocacy; to provide relative to the commissioner's appointment; to provide for the commissioner's salary; to provide for staff; to provide for the offices; and to provide for related matters.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 98— BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 17:85, relative to naming certain school streets and athletic facilities; to authorize city, parish, and other local public school boards to name certain streets and athletic facilities after living persons; and to provide for related matters.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 134— BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To provide for the establishment and reestablishment of agency ancillary funds, to be specifically known as internal service funds, auxiliary accounts, or enterprise funds for certain state institutions, officials, and agencies; to provide for appropriation of funds; and to regulate the administration of said funds.

HOUSE BILL NO. 141— BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1495.7(A) and R.S. 42:1124(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.2(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.2.1(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), 1124.3(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), and 1124.4(A)(2), relative to financial disclosure; to change the deadline for certain disclosures by candidates for certain offices; to change the time for certain notices relative to financial disclosure statements; to allow a person to file a financial statement covering the time served when service ends early in January in lieu of filing a statement for the calendar year in the year following termination of service; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 167—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIXON, BARROW, WESLEY BISHOP, BURRELL, COX, FOIL, GUINN, HONORE, JAMES, LEGER, NORTON, REYNOLDS, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THIERRY, AND ALFRED WILLIAMS

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.8(N)(1) and to enact R.S. 15:572.8(R) and (S), relative to compensation for wrongful conviction and imprisonment; to provide for the administration of the Innocence Compensation Fund; to require reporting; and to provide for related matters.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 179-

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:745(A)(2) and 1238.1(B) and to enact R.S. 25:1238.2(B)(1)(f), (g), (h), and (i), relative to historic preservation and commemoration; to provide relative to historic preservation districts and landmark commissions in New Orleans and the commemoration of historic events therein; to provide relative to certain exemptions from the application of laws relative to such districts and commissions; to provide relative to the application of Sections 15 and 16 of Act No. 804 of the 1975 Regular Session of the Legislature; to provide relative to the Battle of New Orleans Bicentennial Commission; and to provide for related matters.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 231— BY REPRESENTATIVE LIGI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:102.27, relative to offenses affecting public sensibility; to create the crime of unlawful sale of a live dog or cat at certain locations; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 274— BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 19:2, 2.1(A)(2), 2.2(A)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (B), 5(B) and (C)(6), 6, 7, 8(A) and (B), 9, 12, 14(B), and 201, to enact R.S. 19:2.2(C), 8(E), and 16, and to repeal R.S. 9:3176 through 3191, relative to expropriation; to provide notice, service, and filing requirements when property is sought to be acquired through expropriation; to provide additional requirements when property is sought to be acquired by expropriating authorities other than the state or its political subdivisions or corporations; to provide procedures for delay

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periods, trial, and burden of proof; to provide for determination of compensation and attorney fees; to repeal outdated or duplicative expropriation statutes; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 293-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:491 and 492, relative to tenure of school bus operators; to provide relative to a school bus operator becoming a regular and permanent employee of the employing school board; to provide definitions; to provide applicability; to provide relative to the removal of certain operators; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 362-**

BY REPRESENTATIVES KATRINA JACKSON, BARROW, BROSSETT, HODGES, LOPINTO, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, AND ST. GERMAIN AND SENATORS BROOME, BUFFINGTON, DORSEY-COLOMB, PETERSON, AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1236.13(E), relative to automated external defibrillators; to allow high schools that participate in interscholastic athletics to have an automated external defibrillator on their premises; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 365— BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:461.1, relative to candidates for certain office; to require certain ethics education and training for certain candidates; to provide relative to certifying such training; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 447-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:44(3), 45(A)(introductory paragraph), 52(introductory paragraph) and (3) and (4), 57(B)(4), 59(B) and (D), 65(B)(2), (5), (13), and (15), 93(A)(1) and to repeal R.S. 27:46, 48, 51, 88, and 97, relative to the Riverboat Gaming Commission; to repeal antiquated references to the Riverboat Gaming Commission; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 464-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 123(A) and Civil Code Article 38 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 593.1 and 593.2, relative to civil procedure; to provide relative to venue; to provide relative to domicile; to provide for the domicile of juridical persons; to provide for certain procedures for class actions; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 474**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 683(B), 966(B), 1313(C), 2166(E), and 5188 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1313(D), relative to continuous revision of the Code of Civil Procedure; to provide for the tutor's enforcement of rights of unemancipated minors; to provide for statements on denials of summary judgments; to provide for service by couriers; to provide for suspension of writ denials by the supreme court; to provide for entry of judgment notwithstanding an indigent's failure to pay costs; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 518-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.1(A)(1) and 574.2(A), (B), (C)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph), and (3), (D)(introductory paragraph), (4), (9), and (11), (E), (F)(1)(introductory paragraph), (G), and (H)(1) and (2), to enact R.S. 42:1124.2(A)(7), and to repeal R.S. 15:572.2, relative to the Board of Pardons; to merge the functions and duties of the Board of Parole into the Board of Pardons; to create a committee on parole; to provide for the membership, duties, and functions of the committee on parole; to provide for transitional provisions; to provide for financial disclosures; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 544-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTOUCET

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:424(A), relative to driver's licenses; to require a suspected unqualified licensee to retake the skills and knowledge test; and to provide for related matters.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 580-

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:19(A)(2)(a), relative to notice of public meetings; to provide relative to methods of providing notice for public meetings, including electronic means; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 581-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 334.4, relative to bail; to provide for the reinstatement of bail in certain cases; to provide for the circumstances in which bail may be reinstated; to provide for the adoption of rules; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 586-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:405.1, relative to age requirements of Class "E" driver's license; to increase the age of which a person must submit a signed statement attesting to supervised driving practice; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 589-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:408.1(2)(introductory paragraph), (3), and (4) and to enact R.S. 32:408.1(5), relative to requiring thirdparty testers that administer tests for commercial drivers to comply with certain federal regulations and to obtain a surety bond; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 596—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN AND GAROFALO AND SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4781(8), 4783(B), 4784(B)(1)(c), (D), and (G), and R.S. 39:2181(A) and to enact Part XVII of Chapter 1 of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:4791 through 4798, relative to towed and stored vessels; to provide for sales of certain boats; to provide for definitions; to provide for a privilege on towed and stored vessels; to provide for notice and advertisement; to provide for the disposition of proceeds; to provide for the authority to promulgate rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 615-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2571(A) and 2572, R.S. 30:2199(A), R.S. 33:7556, R.S. 36: 508(A), R.S. 38:17, 20, 23, 26(C), 31(2), 32(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 33, 34(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 84(B), 90.1(8),

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3306(B), and R.S. 40:1236.2(C)(4)(a)(v), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; to reassign duties of offices within the Department of Transportation and Development; to rename the office of public works, hurricane flood protection and intermodal transportation, within the Department of Transportation and Development; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 701— BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.7, relative to police officers for the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authorities; to authorize the employment of a superintendent by the Southeast Flood Protection Authority - East; to provide for such superintendent's powers and authority; to authorize the use of police security personnel from one levee district within another under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 754—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBIDEAUX, ABRAMSON, ADAMS, ARMES, BADON, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, BILLIOT, STUART BISHOP, WESLEY BISHOP, BROADWATER, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIMB BURNS, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, CONNICK, CROMER, FANNIN, FOIL, GAROFALO, GISCLAIR, GREENE, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HAZEL, HENSGENS, HOFFMANN, HOLLIS, HOWARD, HUVAL, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, KLECKLEY, LAMBERT, LEBAS, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LIGI, LORUSSO, MILLER, MONTOUCET, ORTEGO, PIERRE, PONTI, POPE, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, SCHEXNAYDER, SEABAUGH, SHADOIN, SIMON, ST. GERMAIN, THIBAUT, THOMPSON, WHITNEY, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS DORSEY-COLOMB, RISER, AND WALSWORTH RISER, AND WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To enact Subpart R of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.126, and Chapter 3 of Subtitle VII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:6301, relative to rebates; to authorize contracts for certain state sales and use tax rebates; to provide for definitions, requirements, and limitations; to provide for the amount, approval, and issuance of rebates; to provide for the recapture of rebates under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the payment of certain taxes in error; to provide with respect to administrative expenses; to provide for the disposition of certain state revenues; to establish the Unfunded Accrued Liability and Specialized Educational Institutions Support Fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 756— BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4(16)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 44:4(16)(e) and (f), relative to public records; to provide relative to records of boards or institutions of higher learning; to exempt certain records from the Public Records Law; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 768-

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

AN ACT

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To amend and reenact R.S. 4:144(A), R.S. 9:2341(E)(4), R.S. 17:1453(A) and (D), 1831(A) and (B), 1851(B), 2503(C)(1), and 3121(B), R.S. 24:973.1(B)(1)(a)(i), R.S. 25:845(B)(7), R.S. 27:211(A)(1) and (C), R.S. 30:2503(A)(2)(h), R.S. 37:1432(A) and 2165(A), R.S. 39:99.5(A) and 99.29(A), and R.S. 40:1236.25(A) relative to membership on various boards. 40:1236.25(A), relative to membership on various boards, commissions, and like entities; to provide with respect to the

number and locale of members appointed based on congressional districts as of January 2013; to adjust or create a membership at large to retain the existing number of members on each board or commission; to provide transitional provisions; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 822**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:842, R.S. 24:39(D), and R.S. 47:302.2(B), 332.4(B), 332.6(B), 332.18(B), and 332.19(B) and to enact R.S. 47:302.2(D), relative to special treasury funds; to provide for deposits into the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund; to provide for the allowable use of monies in the Legislative Capitol Technology Enhancement Fund; to provide for the use of monies in the Shreveport Riverfront and Convention Center and Independence Stadium Fund, the St. John the Baptist Convention Facility Fund, the Iberville Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund, and the West Baton Rouge Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund; to provide for the transfer, dedication, use, and appropriations as specified of certain treasury funds; to provide for the deposit of certain funds into the state treasury; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 838—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CHAMPAGNE AND LEGER AND SENATORS ALARIO, ALLAIN, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, CHABERT, CORTEZ, DORSEY-COLOMB, ERDEY, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARTINY, MILLS, MORRELL, MORRISH, MURRAY, NEVERS, PERRY, PETERSON, GARY SMITH, AND WARD

AN ACT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:214.5.4(I), relative to the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund; to dedicate certain monies into the fund; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 934-

BY REPRESENTATIVES LIGI, ADAMS, ARNOLD, BADON, BILLIOT, WESLEY BISHOP, BROSSETT, CONNICK, LEGER, LEOPOLD, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, TALBOT, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS ALARIO, APPEL, MARTINY, AND MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:551.1, relative to special districts; to authorize the establishment of an automobile rental tax district in the parishes of Jefferson and Orleans; to provide for the boundaries, governance, and powers of the district; to authorize the levy of a tax on the lease or rental of certain automobiles under certain circumstances; to provide for the use of the avails of the tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 955— BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:463(A)(2)(c)(i), 1505.4(A)(1) and (4), (C), and (D)(1), 1511.4(D), and 1511.5(A)(1) and (2), (B), and (D) and to enact R.S. 18:1511.4.1, relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to clarify the enforcement of certain violations of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to the provide for the powers, functions, and duties of the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance Disclosure and the Ethics Adjudicatory Board relative to such enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 971**—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:551.1, relative to special districts; to authorize the establishment of an automobile rental tax district in the parishes of East Baton Rouge, Ouachita, and Rapides; to provide for the boundaries, governance, and powers of the district; to authorize the levy of a tax on the lease or rental of certain automobiles under certain circumstances; to provide for the use of the avails of the tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 988— BY REPRESENTATIVE JONES AND SENATORS NEVERS AND WARD AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:546(C) and 2257(C) and to enact R.S. 11:444(A)(2)(d), 546(D), (E), and (F), and 605(D), relative to retirement benefits for persons employed in public safety positions; to provide for benefit calculation and options for payment of such benefits; to provide for funding of such benefits; to provide relative to the deferred retirement option plan participation; to provide for qualifications; to authorize an extension of the period for members currently in the plan; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1010— BY REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD, EDWARDS, AND MACK AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:392 and to enact R.S. 13:352(D), (E), and (F), and 588, relative to furniture and equipment purchased or owned by the courts of appeal and each judicial district court; to require the title of all furniture and equipment purchased and in possession of the courts of appeal to vest in the purchasing court; to require an itemized statement of furniture and equipment requested for purchase; to authorize certain persons to complete the sale of furniture or equipment; to authorize any judge to purchase furniture and equipment with nonpublic funds upon termination of office; to provide for the disposition of the sale proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1059-

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

appropriate funds and to make certain reductions in appropriations from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and reductions for said agencies and purposes for Fiscal Year 2011-2012; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 1105-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE KATRINA JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4562.4, relative to special service districts; to provide relative to certain recreational districts; to provide for membership of the board of commissioners; to authorize certain officers of the board to receive compensation; to provide relative to revenue generated by assets of the district; to provide for an advisory committee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188 (Substitute for House Bill No. 802 by

Representative Anders)—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ANDERS, ADAMS, ARMES, BADON, BILLIOT, BROWN, BURRELL, DIXON, GISCLAIR, HARRIS, HARRISON, HENSGENS, KATRINA JACKSON, LEOPOLD, JAY MORRIS, PONTI, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARDSON, AND ST. GERMAIN AND SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1861(B)(introductory paragraph) and 1864.3 and to enact R.S. 37:1861(B)(6) and Chapter 22 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1961 through 1977, relative to used or secondhand property; to provide for an exemption to the secondhand dealer law; to prohibit cash payments for the purchase of copper and other metals; to establish the Louisiana Scrap Metal Recyclers Law; to provide for definitions; to require an occupational license to operate as a scrap metal recycler; to require changes in location to be noted on a license; to provide for hours of operation; to require records of scrap metal purchased; to require the records to be kept for three years; to require the records to be made available for inspection by law enforcement; to require photographic records of scrap metal purchased and of the sellers; to provide for form of payments; to prohibit the purchase of scrap metal not owned by the seller; to prohibit scrap metal purchases from persons under the age of eighteen; to require a statement of ownership from the seller; to provide that failure to obtain the statement shall be prima facie evidence of fraud; to provide for exoneration from fraudulent, willful, or

criminal knowledge; to require daily reports; to require the use of a national database; to provide for violations; to provide for penalties; to provide for preemption; to provide for a sunset date; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1212 (Substitute for House Bill No. 935 by**

Representative St. Germain)— BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:481 and R.S. 48:196(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 47:820.5.8, Chapter 2 of Subtitle VIII of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 47:7011 through 7018, and R.S. 48:954 and 954.1, relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for an election to determine if tolls are collected on the Crescent City Connection Bridge; to provide relative to collection of tolls; to provide relative to the distribution of toll collections; to create a fund; to provide for an advisory body; to provide for ferry fares; to provide for privatization; to provide for the disposition of certain truck and trailer registration and license fees and taxes; to authorize the State Bond Commission to issue bonds secured by certain funds; to provide for the use of the proceeds of the bonds; to provide for special funds; to provide for certain requirements and limitations on the issuance of bonds; to provide for a procedure to contest the validity of issuance of the bonds; to provide for the rights of bondholders; to authorize the issuance of refunding bonds; to provide certain funds to operate a ferry; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD RITCHIE 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.

#### Motion

On motion of Rep. Smith, the Speaker appointed the following special committee to notify the Governor that the House has completed its labors and is prepared to adjourn sine die: Reps. Leger, St. Germain, Lopinto, Robideaux, and Barrow.

#### Motion

On motion of Rep. Arnold, the Speaker appointed the following special committee to notify the Senate that the House has completed its labors and is prepared to adjourn *sine die*: Reps. Greene, Schroder, Edwards, Jim Morris, and Champagne.

### **Reports of Special Committees**

The special committee appointed to notify the Governor that the House had completed its labors and was prepared to adjourn sine die reported that it had performed that duty.

The special committee appointed to notify the Senate that the House had completed its labors and was prepared to adjourn sine die reported that it had performed that duty.

The Speaker thanked and discharged the committees.

#### Committee from the Senate

A special committee from the Senate notified the House that the Senate has completed its labors and is prepared to adjourn sine die.

The Speaker thanked and dismissed the committee.

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### Leave of Absence

Rep. Richardson - 1 day

### Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Arnold, at 5:21 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn  $sine\ die$ .

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned sine

ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House