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**TWELFTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Fifty-second Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Tuesday, March 31, 2026

The House of Representatives was called to order at 1:06 P.M., by the Honorable Rep. Jack G. McFarland, Acting Speaker of the House of Representatives.

**Morning Hour**

**ROLL CALL**

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

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	McFarland
Adams	Egan	McMahan
Amedee	Farnum	McMakin
Bacala	Firment	Melerine
Bagley	Fisher	Mena
Bamburg	Fontenot	Miller
Bayham	Freeman	Moore
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Murray
Berault	Gadberry	Muscarello
Billings	Galle	Newell
Boudreaux	Geymann	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Owen
Boyd	Green	Phelps
Boyer	Hebert	Riser
Brass	Henry, C.	Sawyer
Braud	Henry, D.	Schamerhorn
Broussard	Hilferty	Schlegel
Bryant	Horton	St. Blanc
Butler	Illg	Stagni
Carlson	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carpenter	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carrier	Jordan	Thomas
Carter, R.	Kerner	Thompson
Carter, W.	Knox	Turner
Carver	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chassion	LaFleur	Villio
Chenevert	Landry, J.	Walters
Coates	Landry, M.	Wilder
Cox	Landry, T.	Wiley
Crews	Larvadain	Wright
Deshotel	Lyons	Wyble
Dewitt	Mack	Young
Dickerson	Marcelle	Zeringue

Domangue  
Echols  
Total - 103

Martinez  
McCormick

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

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Dr. D. Edward Chaney Pastor of Mount Pilgrim Baptist Church in Baton Rouge.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

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

De'Terrius Johnson sang the "*National Anthem*."

**Reading of the Journal**

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

On motion of Rep. Bacala, the Journal of March 30, 2026, was adopted.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Moore, the rules were suspended in order to allow the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment to meet while the House was in session.

**Petitions, Memorials, and  
Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**SENATE BILLS**

March 31, 2026

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 87, 92, 93, 99, 115, 123, 133, 162, 236, 280, 289, 305, 310, 325, 330, 339, 350, 382 and 410

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 87—**

BY SENATORS MIZELL, ABRAHAM, BARROW, CLOUD, HODGES, KLEINPETER AND MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:46.2(C)(1) and 46.3(B), relative to human trafficking and trafficking of children for sexual purposes; to provide a consistent definition of "commercial sexual activity"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 92—**  
BY SENATOR MIZELL AND REPRESENTATIVE MANDIE LANDRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:624.1(D), relative to submission of sexual assault collection kits; to provide that a district attorney's office must provide certain information to state police under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 93—**  
BY SENATORS MIZELL, ABRAHAM, BARROW, HODGES AND MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 319(A) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 315(D), relative to bail; to provide relative to schedules of bail; to provide minimum bail amounts for certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 99—**  
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2022(A)(1), 2050.1(B)(2)(a), 2050.3(B)(3), 2075.2(B), 2116, 2162(A)(2), 2181, 2195.9(A)(6), 2250, and 2286.1(A)(2), relative to electronic communication and notification at the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for electronic applications; to provide for electronic mail; to provide for force and effect of notification; to provide for certified mail; to provide for written comments and notices; to provide for written requests; to provide for mailing lists; to provide for distribution; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 115—**  
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:212(E), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development and the federal government; to provide for giving authority to the department to take over duties of the federal government; to provide for allowing limited lawsuits against the department; to provide for the department to accept funds from any federal agency; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 123—**  
BY SENATOR MORRIS  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article IV, Section 5(I) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to gubernatorial powers and duties; to require gubernatorial certification of the removal by legislative address of certain judges or a Louisiana Supreme Court justice; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 133—**  
BY SENATOR CLOUD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 32:296(A), 400.2(B), 400.3(C) and 400.7(B), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development and the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police; to provide for vehicles on state highway shoulders; to provide for proper agency oversight; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 162—**  
BY SENATOR SEABAUGH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1203.1(K), relative to the workers' compensation medical treatment schedule; to provide for appeals; to provide for the admissibility of evidence; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 236—**  
BY SENATOR OWEN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:450.5.1, relative to kidney disease; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for requirements for the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for annual reviews; to provide for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 280—**  
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150.1(8) through (25) and to enact R.S. 37:2150.1(26) and (27) and 2156.5, relative to the state Licensing Board for Contractors; to provide relative to water well drilling; to provide relative to environmental wells or holes; to provide for licensure and registration requirements; to provide for contractor classifications; to provide for terms and definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 289—**  
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:4(65) through (67), relative to public records; to provide for exemptions to the public records law for certain university records; to provide for confidentiality of applicants for certain executive-level university positions; to provide for the privacy of university donors; to provide for the confidentiality of research and proprietary information at universities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 305—**BY SENATOR EDMONDS AND REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3138.2 and 3138.13(C), relative to the Board of Regents; to provide for Louisiana Works to collaborate with the Board of Regents to create a statewide dashboard for career alignment; to provide for information on educational and career opportunities; to provide for duties of the Board of Regents; to provide relative to the collection and analysis of data on work-based learning; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 310—**

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3384 and R.S. 40:31.4, relative to student health centers; to provide with respect to student health centers in public schools; to provide with respect to student health centers on public postsecondary education institution campuses; to provide for the posting of certain information; to provide for pregnancy information and resources; to provide with respect to the design and content of the poster; to provide for requirements of the staff of student health centers; to provide for donations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 325—**

BY SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:27.2, relative to the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide for exclusion of certain persons from participating in sports wagering; to provide for rules to exclude certain persons that threaten violence or harm against any person who is involved in a sporting event; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 330—**

BY SENATOR OWEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:47(A)(4) and to repeal 32:47(A)(5), relative to speed enforcement measures; to provide for pavement markings in school zones; to provide for school legends; to provide for compliance language with federal requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 339—**

BY SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(C), R.S. 27:15(B)(1), and R.S. 47:9065(B) and to enact R.S. 4:147.3 and 705.1, R.S. 27:20.1, and R.S. 47:9065(C) and (D), relative to background checks for entities associated with gaming; to provide for the authority to obtain criminal history record information; to provide for the duty to provide information; to provide for the authority and responsibilities of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board; to provide for criminal background investigations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 350—**

BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3552(A), relative to the Louisiana Soybean and Grain Research and Promotion Board; to change a reference to the Louisiana Soybean Association; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 382—**

BY SENATOR SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 23:1294 and R.S. 36:309(B)(2), relative to the Workers' Compensation Advisory Council; to repeal provisions relative to membership, appointment by the governor and confirmation by the Senate, reporting and policy recommendation requirements, and immunity from liability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 410** (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 86 by Senator Morris)—  
BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:25, relative to parties to crimes; to provide for sentencing of accessories after the fact to sex offenses; to provide for mandatory minimum sentences; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

March 31, 2026

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. 70—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHASSION

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Northside High School boys basketball team on their run to the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2026 Division II Select state championship game.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 71—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR

A RESOLUTION

To commend Bridget A. Dinvaut for her outstanding career in criminal justice.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHANIE HILFERTY  
Chairwoman

The above House Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the

House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**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. 84—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the city of Shreveport to create an interest-free loan program for active Transportation Security Administration agents at the Shreveport Regional Airport.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 85—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ILLG

A RESOLUTION

To designate Wednesday, April 1, 2026, as Physical Therapy Day at the state capitol and to commend the physical therapists, physical therapist assistants, and students across Louisiana for their dedication to improving the health and well-being of the citizens of this state.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 86—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

A RESOLUTION

To designate the month of April as Landscape Architecture Month and April first as Professional Landscape Architecture Day.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 87—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of Roger D. Boudreaux.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Speaker DeVillier in the Chair**

**Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 483—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.23(G), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Faubourg Marigny Security and Improvement District; to provide relative to district funding; to provide for the levy of a sales tax and a hotel occupancy tax within the boundaries of the district; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 484—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4702(B)(2)(a), (d), and (f), (3)(b) and (c), and (6)(b) and (c), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the New Orleans Regional Business Park; to provide relative to the board of commissioners; to provide relative to the composition of the board; to provide relative to the appointment and removal of board members; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 893—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE KNOX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4084(A)(1)(a) and (b) and (C) and to repeal R.S. 33:4084(A)(1)(c), relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans; to provide relative to purchases of material and supplies by the board; to provide relative to the requirements of such purchases; to provide relative to the advertising and letting of contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1087—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 8:415.1, relative to authorizing the city of Zachary to use certain inmates to cut grass in public cemeteries; to provide for the maintenance of certain cemeteries; to allow for the use of inmate labor; to provide relative to the use of funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1088—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:303.1(B)(5) and to enact R.S. 47:305.82, relative to sales and use tax rebates; to authorize a state and local sales and use tax rebate on purchases of certain equipment, machinery, materials, and other items used in aerospace facilities and aerospace activities; to provide for requirements, limitations, and conditions with respect to the rebate; to provide for duties and functions of Louisiana Economic Development and the Department of Revenue with respect to the rebate; to provide for administration of the rebate; to provide for issuance of direct payment numbers to certain taxpayers; to provide for definitions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1089—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAMBURG, BERAULT, BOYER, CARLSON, CARVER, CHENEVERT, DICKERSON, DOMANGUE, HEBERT, CHANCE HENRY, AND WYBLE

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 25 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 6:1431 through 1433, relative to CARE Accounts; to provide for the establishment of CARE Accounts; to define certain terms; to provide for qualifying medical expenses; to provide for the deposit of certain funds; to provide for the disbursement of certain funds; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1090—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:52.1(B) and to enact R.S. 14:52.1(C), relative to simple arson of a religious building; to increase penalties for violations; to provide penalties in cases involving injury or death; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1091—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1567(A)(1)(a) and (B), relative to local fire departments; to require a fire department to obtain an identification number from the National Emergency Response Information System; to require reporting of all incidents; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1092—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:106(C)(2)(c), 564(D)(1)(a)(iii) and (2)(a)(iii), 1303(I)(1)(b), and 1309.3(D)(1)(a)(iii), R.S. 28:451.1(D) and (F)(1), 451.2(3) and (19), 451.3(B), 451.4(section heading), 454.1(A), 470(D)(2), 621(A), 771(B)(5)(b), 826(B)(1) and (2)(b), (C)(1)(a) and (c), and 917(A), R.S. 36:251(C)(1) and 258(D), R.S. 37:1021, 1023(A), and 1025(A)(2), R.S. 40:1159.9(A)(2), 1249.3(A)(3), 2018.7(C)(3)(g), 2018.8(B)(introductory paragraph) and (14), 2020(A)(1) through (3) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and (3), 2116(C)(1)(c), and 2180.3, and R.S. 46:1301(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1), 2352(F)(3), and 2605(B)(13), relative to the office for citizens with developmental disabilities within the Louisiana Department of Health; to rename the office for citizens with developmental disabilities as the office of intellectual and developmental disability supports; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1093—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARLSON, COATES, VENTRELLA, AND BRYANT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:259(A)(25) and Chapter 62 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:3731 through 3744, relative to the practice of naturopathic medicine; to create the Louisiana Naturopathic Medicine Examining Board; to provide for the duties and functions of the board; to provide for licensing naturopathic doctors; to provide for educational requirements; to provide for scope of practice; to prohibit certain acts; to provide for prescriptive authority; to establish independent practice; to provide for advertising; to provide for displaying credentials; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1094—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 19:2, relative to expropriation; to provide for restrictions on expropriation; to provide relative to any foreign power, any alien, or any corporation; to prohibit certain activities; to provide relative to military bases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1095—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2009.24(C)(1)(introductory paragraph), relative to alternative power sources at nursing facilities; to require nursing facilities to have fuel or an alternative power generation source to power nursing facilities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1096—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACOB LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:407(B), relative to the adopting, amending, or repealing of bylaws of an electric cooperative; to provide for bylaws by the board of directors; to provide for bylaws by the members; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1097—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:477(19) and 621.19, relative to the Nineteenth Judicial District Court; to provide for the election sections from which judges are elected; to provide for three election sections; to provide for the assignment of judges to election sections; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1098—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2800.31, relative to limitation of liability for aerospace flight entities and aerospace activities; to provide for exceptions; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1099—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2800.31, relative to aerospace flight activities; to prohibit certain actions; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1100—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:782 through 792, relative to bread and flour; to remove prohibitions on flour and bread that are not enriched.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1101—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1021(introductory paragraph), 1123, 1208(A), 1221(introductory paragraph), (1)(d), and (3)(d)(introductory paragraph) and (ii), and 1226(A) and (B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (3)(a) and to enact R.S. 23:1021(14) and 1221(5), relative to workers' compensation; to define maximum medical improvement; to provide for the misrepresentation of workers' compensation benefits or payments; to provide for the compensation of certain income benefits due under workers' compensation; to provide for the rehabilitation of injured employees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1102—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:791(K), relative to the location of a used motor vehicle dealer; to provide relative to the location of a licensed facility; to provide relative to a dealer's registered place of business; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1103—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.29(A)(20) and 1730.40(D), relative to the regulation of construction or improvement of industrial facilities; to provide for exemptions for certain industrial facilities; to provide for the regulation of certain industrial facilities; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1104—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANA HENRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:406, relative to the manufacture, possession, transfer, or sale of motor vehicle key programming or emulating devices or relay attack devices; to prohibit the manufacture, possession, transfer, or sale of such devices; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1105—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 2997(introductory paragraph) and (7), relative to interdicted persons; to provide relative to duties and restrictions of curators, undercurators, and mandataries; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1106—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 230 and R.S. 15:451 and to enact Children's Code Article 810(D)(4) and 881.2, relative to the custodial interrogation of children; to provide for admissibility; to provide relative to waiver of the right to counsel with respect to children; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1107—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 905.5.1(C) and 924(introductory paragraph) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 905.5.1(I), 924(7) through (9), and 926.5, relative to intellectual disabilities in capital cases; to provide for definitions; to provide for a prohibition; to provide relative to the effectiveness of certain provisions of law; to provide for legislative overrule of certain jurisprudence; to provide for a burden of proof; to provide for criteria; to provide for duties of the court; to provide for duties of the defendant or petitioner; to provide relative to evidentiary hearings; to provide for retroactivity; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1108—

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.243, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to establish the "Homeschool Proud" special prestige license plate; to provide for the issuance, design, implementation, fees, distribution, and rule promulgation applicable to such license plates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1109—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1199.22(B), 1199.23(2), 1199.24(A)(2) through (10), (B), (C), (D)(1), and (E) through (G), 1199.25, and 1199.26(A)(2), and to enact R.S. 15:1199.23(3) and (4), 1199.24(D)(6) and (H), 1199.26(A)(3), and 1199.27, and to repeal R.S. 15:1199.24(A)(11) and (12), relative to the Post-Conviction Veterans Mentor Program; to provide for the authorization of the Post-Conviction Veterans Mentor Program, to provide for eligibility criteria; to provide for a Veterans Oversight Committee; to provide for a pilot program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1110—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4036.1(A), relative to elementary and secondary education; to provide relative to learning pods; to provide relative to the duties and authority of public school governing authorities relative to learning pods; to provide limitations on the establishment of learning pods; to provide for exceptions; to provide relative to the assignment of students to learning pods; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1111—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2490(E) and (F) and 2550(E) and (F), relative to the fire and police civil service; to provide relative to employees who are separated from the classified service due to an injury or medical condition; to provide relative to the position and class to which employees may be reemployed; to provide relative to the qualifications, compensation, and seniority of any such employees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1112—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CHENEVERT, BAMBURG, BERAULT, BOYER,  
CARLSON, HEBERT, MELERINE, AND SPELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:11(B), 24.8(A) and (B), 407.33(1) and (5), 407.35(A), and 407.41(A), (B)(2) and (3), and (C), relative to prekindergarten programs; to remove the requirement that nonpublic prekindergarten programs be licensed as early learning centers; to apply requirements pertaining to child safety and welfare standards to all school prekindergarten programs; to revise the standards with respect to child-to-staff ratios; to revise the definition of camp as it pertains to exemption from early learning center licensing requirements; to provide for the approval of nonpublic prekindergarten programs by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to authorize the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt emergency rules; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1113—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:13.1, relative to legislative instruments; to require a copy of each legislative instrument prefiled or introduced to be made available through the website of the Legislature of Louisiana; to require an unofficial engrossed version of a legislative instrument for each set of proposed amendments; to require the unofficial engrossed version of the instrument to immediately be made available on the website of the Legislature of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1114—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:921, relative to the Louisiana State Board of Nursing; to provide for disciplinary proceedings; to provide for the reinstatement of suspended licenses in certain circumstances; to provide for the medical evaluation of licensees with substance abuse disorders; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1115—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 10:3-321, relative to negotiable instruments; to provide protections against duplicate presentation of checks; to provide for definitions; to provide an indemnity for a holder in due course of a paper check previously deposited by remote deposit capture; to provide for jurisdiction; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1116—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHENEVERT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:254.4(H) and R.S. 44:4(65), relative to the office of the surgeon general; to provide for public health reviews conducted by the surgeon general; to provide for the issuance of public health guidance by the surgeon general; to allow the surgeon general to access certain health records and information under certain circumstances; to require certain duties of the office of public health; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for a public records exception; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1117—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:868(B), relative to certain insurer contractual payments; to provide for prescriptive periods; to provide for payment under terms of contracts; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1118—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FISHER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2104.1, relative to certain agreement disclosures between hospitals and real estate investment trusts; to provide for definitions; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for entering into a lease agreement with a real estate investment trust; to provide for the publication of records; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1119—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PHELPS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1124, 1201.1(K)(8)(a) and (c), and 1226(B)(3)(c), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for the refusal to submit to a medical examination; to provide for the suspension of benefits for such refusal; to provide for the refusal to cooperate with vocational rehabilitation; to provide for expedited summary proceedings for certain disputes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1120—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:854, relative to tobacco taxes; to provide relative to the intent and purpose of laws imposing excise taxes on tobacco products; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1121—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE VENTRELLA  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1300.81, relative to the provision of health care; to authorize healthcare institutions, healthcare payors, and licensed healthcare professionals to refuse to provide healthcare services in certain circumstances; to provide for moral objection to certain healthcare services; to prohibit adverse actions; to provide for liability; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1122—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:32.1, relative to individual income tax; to provide for the reduction of the individual income tax rate under certain circumstances; to provide for requirements and limitations; to require the publication of certain information; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the secretary of the Department of Revenue; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1123—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRAUD  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:79, relative to special treasury funds; to establish the Transportation Backlog Fund; to provide for the transfer, deposit, and use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1124—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1703.2(C)(3) and 1703.3(A)(3), relative to ad valorem taxes; to provide for ad valorem property tax exemptions; to provide relative to an optional exemption for business inventory; to provide for administration of the exemption; to provide for payments to parishes that elect to exempt business inventory from ad valorem taxation; to provide for partial exemptions for business inventory through reductions in percentages of fair market value applied to that property; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1125—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HILFERTY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:808(B) and to enact R.S. 42:808(A)(12) and 851(W), relative to participation in insurance programs offered by the state's Office of Group Benefits; to authorize participation by employees and retirees of fire departments in certain circumstances; to provide for participation credit for those employees; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1126—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND  
AN ACT

To appropriate funds for Fiscal Year 2026-2027 to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; to provide for the salary, expenses, and allowances of members, officers, staff, and agencies of the Legislature; to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1127—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:933(B) and to enact R.S. 51:933(C), relative to cooperative endeavor agreements with Louisiana Economic Development; to establish requirements for entities that enter into cooperative endeavor agreements with Louisiana Economic Development; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1128—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LARVADAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5002(D)(1) and to enact R.S. 17:5029(G) and 5068(F), relative to TOPS-Tech; to provide for awards and amounts; to provide for qualifying programs; to require reports to the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1129—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHAMERHORN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:330.1(A)(1), relative to the sale of surplus state-owned property; to provide for preference of in-state auctioneers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1130—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SAWYER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:263 and 3996(B)(24), relative to required courses of study in public schools; to require a hunting course to be offered to certain public school students; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1131—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:193(A), 195(A), and 196(A)(1), to enact R.S. 18:32, 33, 34, 202, and 203 and R.S. 24:513(D)(9), and to repeal R.S. 18:192(B), relative to voter registration; to provide relative to the transmission of voter registration data to federal agencies; to provide for the cancellation of voter registration; to provide for the grounds for the cancellation of voter registration; to repeal provisions related to the annual canvass of registrants who fail to take certain actions in a ten year period; to provide for the timing for placement of a registrant's name on the inactive list of voters; to require certain notifications related to inactive voter status and the cancellation of registration; to provide for voter list maintenance reporting; to establish the Louisiana Voter Data Transparency Task Force; to require the legislative auditor to conduct compliance audits; to provide for the duties of the secretary of state; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1132—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARVER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:350.21(A)(1), relative to the funding of laboratory schools; to provide for the funding of a school operated by any institution under the supervision and management of the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System through the minimum foundation program; to provide for the allocation of funds to the board for the operation of the school; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1133—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANA HENRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:100.257 and R.S. 40:600.121, relative to the Dream Starter Program; to establish the program to provide assistance to eligible applicants with costs associated with buying a home; to provide for definitions; to provide for eligibility requirements; to provide for assistance terms; to provide for annual reporting; to create the First-Generation Homebuyer Assistance Fund within the state treasury; to provide for funding; to provide for the duties and authority of the Louisiana Housing Corporation; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1134—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRAUD  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:557.1, relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for the creation of a Back-Deferred Retirement Option Program for certain judges; to provide for qualification; to provide for duration of participation; to provide relative to employer and employee contributions; to provide for calculation of benefit; to provide relative to service credit; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1135—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3808(A)(2)(b) and (P)(2)(b), relative to license renewal requirements for arborists and utility arborists; to require arborists and utility arborists to show proof of current and sufficient general liability and workers' compensation insurance for license renewals or provide documentation demonstrating that they are exempt; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1136—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:1116, relative to carbon dioxide sequestration pipelines; to prohibit the transport of carbon dioxide for sequestration in the same right-of-way as petroleum pipelines; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1137—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:333, relative to employment discrimination; to prohibit termination or other retaliatory actions against an employee for the misuse of pronouns; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1138—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOMANGUE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1165.4, relative to healthcare providers; to require patient consent prior to the electronic posting of certain medical test results; to provide for definitions; to provide for a form; to provide for consent; to provide for formatting requirements; to provide for revocation of consent; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1139—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FISHER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:53.1, relative to behavioral healthcare services; to require certain procedures upon admission and discharge; to provide for patients admitted to treatment pursuant to an emergency certificate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1140—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1741.6, relative to regulating telecommunications; to provide for definitions; to provide for the regulation of certain calls; to provide for the requirements of telecommunication providers; to provide for the duties of the attorney general; to provide for penalties; to provide for liability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1141—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 1-C of Code Title IV of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 9:2718 through 2720.15, and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(27) and to enact R.S. 9:2720.16 through 2720.23, R.S. 40:97 and Chapter 2-B of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:101 through 127, relative to gestational carriers; to provide for the licensing and regulation of gestational carrier agencies and programs; to provide for definitions; to establish eligibility requirements for parties to gestational carrier agreements; to provide for the content, execution, and enforceability of gestational carrier agreements; to establish procedures for administrative parentage certification and judicial parentage determinations; to require licensure of gestational carrier agencies; to create the Louisiana Gestational Carrier Agency Regulatory Program within the Louisiana Department of Health; to mandate escrow, financial controls, and disclosure requirements; to establish screening, counseling, independent-counsel, insurance-verification, recordkeeping, and enforcement standards; to authorize civil, administrative, and criminal penalties; to provide a private right of action; to license gestational carrier matching and coordinating entities; to provide for documentation of gestational carrier agreements; to establish a gestational carrier registry; to provide for fees; to establish a civil penalty; to create a public records exception; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1142—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINEZ  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1984.1, relative to the Department of Insurance; to require an annual market accountability report; to provide for its requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1143—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1270.1(A), (B)(2), (3)(introductory paragraph), (b), and (d), and (C), 1360.21, 1360.22(1) and (5) through (9), 1360.23(A), (B), (D), (G), and (I), 1360.24(A)(introductory paragraph), (3) through (5), (B), and (C), 1360.26, 1360.27(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 1360.28 through 1360.30, 1360.31(A), (B), (C)(1),(2)(a)(i) and (b), (3), and (4), 1360.32, 1360.33(introductory paragraph), (5), and (6), 1360.34(introductory paragraph), (4), and (5), 1360.35, 1360.36, and 1360.38(A)(introductory paragraph), (2), (3), and (4), relative to physician assistants and changing the name of their position; to change references from physician assistant to physician associate; to make technical changes; to provide for the physician assistant advisory committee; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for definitions; to provide for the powers and duties of the board; to provide for licensure requirements, inactive licenses, and license renewal; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1144—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE OWEN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:708, relative to hazardous liquid pipeline signage and line markers; to require that operators of hazardous liquid pipelines provide contact information on required signage and line markers; to require annual certification that contact information on signage and line markers is correct and manned at all times; to prohibit waivers of certain requirements; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1145—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE VENTRELLA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2352(10), relative to psychologists; to clarify who may be identified as a psychologist; to omit certain persons from identifying as psychologists; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1146—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WYBLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:407.101(C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (2) through (5), (E), (F), and (G), to enact R.S. 17:407.101(C)(1)(qq) through (bbb) and (6) and (I) through (L), and to repeal R.S. 17:407.51, relative to early childhood care

and education; to provide relative to the Early Childhood Care and Education Commission; to provide for the membership of the commission; to provide for the duties and authority of the commission; to provide for meetings of the commission; to provide relative to the Advisory Council on Early Childhood Care and Education; to repeal the statutory authority for the advisory council; to transfer certain duties and authority of the advisory council to the commission; to require certain reports by the state Department of Education to be provided to the commission instead of the advisory council; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

### House and House Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 73—

BY REPRESENTATIVE OWEN

##### A RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the procedure of issuing mandatory protective orders upon arrest for domestic abuse and to report its findings to the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana no later than January 4, 2027.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 74—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

##### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Education and local public school governing authorities to develop and submit a report to the House Committee on Health and Welfare on the accommodation of students with seizure disorders.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

##### A RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, March 31, 2026, as Southern University Day at the Capitol and to commend Southern University for one hundred forty-six years of commitment to impact and excellence in industry, research, and public service.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 77—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER

##### A RESOLUTION

To commend Rosa Mae Briley Pitre on the occasion of her one hundredth birthday.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 78—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

##### A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of Olga Bandi Riegel.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 79—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

##### A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of Kathleen "Kay" Gibbons Favrot.

Read by title.

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

### Acting Speaker Deshotel in the Chair

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 80—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARLSON

##### A RESOLUTION

To direct the legislative auditor to conduct a comprehensive fiscal audit of all state and federal funds expended by the Board of Regents, the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System, the Board of Supervisors of the Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, and certain public colleges and universities under their jurisdiction, specifically in furtherance of the executive budget objective requiring numeric increases in "underrepresented minority (all races other than white, Asian, non-residents & unknown/not reported)" completers from Fiscal Year 2021-2022 through Fiscal Year 2025-2026 and to require a written fiscal report to the legislature.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 81—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR

##### A RESOLUTION

To commemorate the legacy of Louis Westerfield.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 83—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN AND VILLIO

##### A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of Allyce Trapp Alexander.

Read by title.

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

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—

BY REPRESENTATIVE YOUNG

##### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Grambling State University on the celebration of the one hundred twenty-fifth anniversary of its founding and to recognize its enduring contributions to higher education, leadership, and public service in the state of Louisiana and beyond.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE YOUNG

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend Grambling State University on the celebration of the centennial of Tiger Athletics and to recognize its enduring legacy of athletic excellence and its contributions to the state of Louisiana, the Southwestern Athletic Conference, and the nation.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE YOUNG

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend Grambling State University on the celebration of the centennial of the World Famed Tiger Marching Band and to recognize its outstanding contributions to music, education, culture, and the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the city of Shreveport to create an interest-free loan program for active Transportation Security Administration agents at the Shreveport Regional Airport.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the women of the Legislature of Louisiana on the occasion of Women's History Month.

Read by title.

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

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To amend and reenact Louisiana Department of Revenue, office of alcohol and tobacco control, rule LAC 55:IX.317(C)(2)(I), to remove the prohibition against instantly redeemable coupons and rebates for beverages of low alcoholic content; and to direct the office of the state register to print the amendment in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

Read by title.

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on  
Second Reading to be Referred**

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

**Speaker DeVillier in the Chair**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 368—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:762.1, relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to historic preservation districts and landmarks commissions; to provide relative to regulations established by such districts and commissions; to provide relative to the violation of such regulations; to provide relative to penalties imposed for certain violations; to increase the maximum penalties authorized to be levied for such violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 433—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.8(D)(1)(b), 2740.19(D)(1)(e), 2740.53(B)(1)(b), 2740.67.1(C)(1)(f), 4720.151(G)(1)(b), R.S. 38:3051, and R.S. 39:1482(4), relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide relative to the Downtown Development District of the city of Baton Rouge, the Baton Rouge Inner City Economic Development District, the Florida Boulevard Economic Development District, the Plank Road Business Economic Development District, the East Baton Rouge Redevelopment Authority, and the Greater Baton Rouge Water Conservation District; to provide relative to nominations or appointments made to such entities by the Baton Rouge Area Chamber of Commerce; to provide relative to the Louisiana Competes Regional Economic Development Program; to provide relative to definitions for the program; to change the name of the Baton Rouge Area Chamber of Commerce; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1017—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 11:2256.5, relative to retirement benefits received from the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the calculation of the community portion of such benefits; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1018—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 26:81.2 and 281.2, relative to limitation of the issuance of certain alcoholic beverage permits; to prohibit the issuance of alcoholic beverage permits in certain areas; to provide for a temporary moratorium; to provide for an effective date; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1019—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
AN ACT

Relative to the appropriation of monies out of the state general fund to be used to pay the consent judgment captioned "Shelia Ann Brooks versus Abraham Mebrahtom, Yam Trucking, LLC, Alpine Transportation Insurance Risk Retention Group, Inc., Dart Transit Company or Advantage Transportation, Inc., DBA Dart Advantage Logistics, Joshua Knox, Kendrix Darnell or Kendrick Rogers, Brown Freightways, Inc., Fedex Ground Package System, Inc., Samuel Oludayo DBA Samco Trucking, Protective Insurance Company, the State of Louisiana through the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, City-Parish of Baton Rouge, and the Baton Rouge Police Department" between the State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, and Shelia Ann Brooks; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1020—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MANDIE LANDRY  
AN ACT

Relative to the appropriation of monies out of the state general fund to be used to pay the consent judgment captioned "Alvin J. Clouatre, Jr. versus Eagle, Inc., et al" between the state of Louisiana, through the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, on behalf of LSU Health Sciences Center - New Orleans (f/k/a Charity Hospital at New Orleans), and Alvin J. Clouatre, Jr.; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1021—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE EGAN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:5004, relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to require certain program award recipients to repay award amounts under certain circumstances; to exempt students who meet certain criteria from this requirement; to require the Board of Regents to promulgate rules for means of collection and exceptions; to provide relative to applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1022—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:173(A)(1) through (5) and (B) and 3996(B)(48) and to enact R.S. 17:173(C)(4), relative to health services provided to students; to require public school governing authorities to adopt policies providing for the provision of primary health services to students by primary care providers; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to certain contracts; to require the State Board of Elementary and

Secondary Education to adopt rules; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1023—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MENA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1226(B)(3)(a), relative to the rehabilitation of injured employees; to provide a selection process for vocational rehabilitation counselors; to provide for a dispute process for certain issues regarding the vocational rehabilitation counselor; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1024—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.243, relative to motor vehicle prestige license plates; to establish the "Louisiana Democratic Party" special prestige license plate; to provide for the creation, issuance, design, implementation, fees, distribution, and rule promulgation applicable to such license plates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1025—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:79(I), relative to protective orders; to provide for an affirmative defense; to provide for exceptions to violations of protective orders; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1026—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GADBERRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.23(K)(3), relative to permits for construction; to require a municipality or parish issuing a permit for construction to verify the contractor's license number; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1027—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1581(F), relative to real estate appraiser liability in certain circumstances; to provide relative to smoke and carbon dioxide detectors in one- or two-family dwellings; to provide for licensed real estate appraiser liability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1028—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1257.2(C), relative to nonemergency medical transportation; to provide for Medicaid reimbursement rates; to require the Louisiana Department of Health to establish a minimum trip and mileage reimbursement rate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1029—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PHELPS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:81.1(A) and 281.1(A) and to enact R.S. 26:81.1(D) and 281.1(D), relative to limitations on the issuance of certain alcohol beverage permits; to extend the moratorium on the issuance of alcoholic beverage permits in certain areas; to provide for exceptions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1030—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SPELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1257.1(5) through (7) and 1257.6, relative to nonemergency medical transportation for those with mental illnesses; to provide for definitions; to provide for transportation for psychiatric services; to provide for reimbursement for transportation for psychiatric services; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1031—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 4 of Act 30 of the 2025 Regular Session, relative to effective dates; to provide relative to retroactive application; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1032—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:414(A)(1)(a), (B)(2)(a), (D)(1)(a), (I)(1), and (V), 661(A)(3), 896(A), and 1420, relative to substances involved in the violation of operating a motor vehicle under the influence; to provide for uniform references to substances involved in operating a motor vehicle under the influence; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1033—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:61(B)(introductory paragraph) and (1)(a)(v) and R.S. 51:3052(introductory paragraph) and (2) and to enact R.S. 14:61(B)(1)(a)(viii) through (x), relative to critical infrastructure; to provide relative to the definition of critical infrastructure; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1034—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:329.9, relative to offenses affecting the public generally; to authorize the establishment of temporary protection zones; to provide for information to be disseminated regarding temporary protection zones; to provide relative to the duration of a temporary protective zone; to provide for penalties; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1035—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1468.1, relative to election offenses; to prohibit certain contribution solicitation practices; to provide for definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1036—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1483(26), relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for the definition of "primary purpose"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1037—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:502(A) and (B), 503, 505(A) and (B), 506(A) through (C), 508(A) through (C), and (F), 508.2(A) through (C), (E), and (F), and 508.6(C) and (D) and to enact R.S. 36:505.1, relative to operational reforms within the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for the creation of the position of chief operating officer within the department; to provide for the duties of the chief operating officer; to provide for the duties of the deputy secretary within the office of transformation; to extend the deadline for the department to implement certain changes and reforms; to extend the deadline for the department to remit payment to vendors and contractors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1038—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1881(B), relative to marshals; to provide relative to the appointment of deputy marshals; to provide for duties of local governing authorities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1039—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.26(D)(1)(introductory paragraph), 337.28.1(A), 337.69(A), and 337.70(C)(3) and to enact R.S. 47:337.26(D)(1)(g), 337.26.1, 337.28(E), and 337.67(E) and (F), relative to local sales and use tax audit procedures; to require random selection of taxpayers for audits; to provide for exceptions to the random selection requirements in certain circumstances; to require prior approval of audits; to provide for documentation request requirements in connection with certain audits; to provide for arbitrary assessments; to prohibit a collector from executing a waiver of the prescriptive period as a condition of concluding an audit; to provide for interest on unpaid taxes; to provide for penalties for failure to make a timely return; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1040—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1105.1(A), relative to the Central Louisiana Juvenile Detention Center Authority; to provide relative to the membership of the board of commissioners of the authority; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1041—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLE

AN ACT

To enact Part IX of Chapter 5-G of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.81 through 1300.86, and to repeal R.S. 17:170(F), relative to medical interventions; to provide for a short title; to provide for legislative intent; to provide definitions; to prohibit conditioning access to certain business and governmental entities based on medical intervention status; to provide for exceptions; to provide for enforcement; to repeal requirements relative to immunization and school attendance; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1042—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer or exchange of certain state property in Jefferson Parish; to provide property descriptions; to provide for the reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1043—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4842(A), relative to the jurisdictional amount for parish courts; to provide for a jurisdictional amount of fifty thousand dollars for parish courts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1044—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2801.3, relative to classification of separate property; to provide relative to future earnings as it relates to the community property regime; to provide relative to unearned portions of employment contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1045—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:513(J)(1)(c)(iii) and (iv) and to enact R.S. 24:513(J)(1)(c)(v), relative to the legislative auditor; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the legislative auditor; to provide relative to local auditees; to provide for the threshold amount for certain local auditees to be audited annually; to provide for the adjustment of the threshold amount; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1046—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:972(A)(26), relative to the Louisiana Commission on Civic Education; to provide for the membership of the commission; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1047—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MENA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1203.1(J)(1), relative to workers' compensation; to provide for requests for authorizations; to provide for applicability to requests for authorizations for prescription drugs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1048—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:401.1(C), 1309(A)(1)(a)(ii) and (b)(ii), (2), and (4), and 1400.8 and to enact R.S. 18:1309(A)(1)(c), relative to early voting; to provide for voting on Sundays during the early voting period; to provide for the expense of conducting early voting on Sunday; to provide for the addition of early voting days when the early voting period is suspended during a state of emergency; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1049—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE OWEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:19(A)(2)(a) and 20(A)(3) and (B) and to enact R.S. 42:14(F), relative to public meetings; to provide for the posting of a meeting notice; to provide for the contents of meeting minutes; to provide relative to draft minutes; to require the presence of legal counsel or a member who is trained in open meetings law at a meeting of a public body; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1050—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHAMERHORN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:405.1 and 408(B)(2)(a)(ii) and (b) and to repeal R.S. 32:408(B)(7), relative to certain requirements for commercial driver's licenses; to provide for clarification of age requirements for intrastate and interstate commercial driver's licenses; to lessen the restrictions on certain commercial driver's licenses; to remove the minimum vision requirements for intrastate driver waivers; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1051—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PHELPS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574.1, relative to the city of Shreveport; to provide relative to commercial property owners; to provide relative to certain dilapidated property; to provide relative to the demolition of such property; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1052—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SPELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:440.8, R.S. 44:4.1(B)(40), and Children's Code Article 513 and to enact Children's Code Articles 525(C), 525.1, and 545(C), relative to confidentiality of records; to provide relative to confidentiality of work product; to provide for a definition; to provide for authorized and prohibited disclosures; to provide for public records exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1053—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VENTRELLA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:2(7) and 241(24), relative to alcoholic beverages; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1054—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO

AN ACT

To enact Code of Evidence Article 902.1, relative to evidence; to provide for self-authentication of certain evidence; to provide relative to certain footage; to provide for time periods; to provide for applicable proceedings; to provide for notice; to provide for certificates; to authorize the filing of a demand for certain testimony; to provide for service; to provide relative to the extension of time periods; to provide for duties of the court; to provide relative to the admissibility of certain evidence; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1055—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To enact Subpart E of Part III of Chapter 7 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1664.21 and 1664.22, relative to the Louisiana Urban Search and Rescue Program, to provide for the administration of the program; to provide for a director and other personnel; to provide for policies and procedures related to the program; to provide for rulemaking authority; to create the Louisiana Urban Search and Rescue Program fund within the state treasury; to provide for the source of monies in the fund; to provide for treatment of monies in the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1056—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE YOUNG

AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Natchitoches Parish; to provide for the property description; to provide for the reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1057—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1307(C), relative to absentee by mail voting; to provide relative to applying to vote absentee by mail; to provide relative to application by a member of the United States Service stationed or deployed outside of the United States; to provide that an application remains valid until a certain time under certain circumstances; to require a new application under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1058—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAMBURG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:5067.1, relative to financial aid; to provide relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to student data; to require the establishment of a data administration system; to require certain postsecondary education institutions to report certain data; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1059—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROUSSARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5025(2)(a), 5025.5(2)(a), 5025.6(2)(a), 5025.7(2)(a), and 5026(A)(2)(a) and (c), (D)(2), (E)(2), and (F)(2)(a) and (c), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to revise high school core curricula requirements in the subject of mathematics with respect to initial eligibility for a program award; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1060—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:24(C), relative to the Official Journal of the State; to provide relative to the duties of the secretary of state; to provide relative to the transmission of acts and joint resolutions of the legislature to the Official Journal of the State; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1061—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:808(A)(12), relative to participation in insurance programs sponsored by the state's Office of Group Benefits; to authorize participation by certain retirees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1062—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONSTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1945.1(B), (D)(2) through (4), and (E)(3) and (5)(introductory paragraph) and to repeal R.S. 17:1945.1(D)(5) through (8), relative to the Special School District; to provide relative to the board of directors of the Special School District; to provide for the membership, powers, and duties of the board; to provide relative to the selection of and duties of the district superintendent; to require annual submission of lists of nominees for appointment to the board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1063—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE OWEN

AN ACT

To enact Part XV of Chapter 26 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3399.51 through 3399.56, relative to postsecondary education; to require each public postsecondary education management board to review courses forming core curricula, determine if they meet certain criteria, and issue an annual report relative thereto; to require each public postsecondary education management board to take certain action with regard to hiring and employment practices for employees in certain positions; to provide requirements relative to faculty deliberative bodies; to provide requirements relative to nonacademic disciplinary proceedings for students; to prohibit a public postsecondary education institution from expending funds unless certain conditions are met; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1064—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:842.5, relative to establishing the Domestic Violence Intervention Court Pilot Program within the Nineteenth Judicial District Court; to provide for legislative findings and intent; to provide for the creation of a post-adjudication Domestic Violence Intervention Court within the Nineteenth Judicial District Court; to provide for eligibility criteria and participant requirements; to provide for services to victims; to require the use of a coordinated team by the court; to provide for data collection; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for the sunset of the pilot program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1065—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(C)(2)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 15:574.2(C)(4), 574.4(L), and 574.4.1(F), relative to parole; to provide relative to parole eligibility and consideration for certain offenders; to provide relative to the duties of the committee on parole; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1066—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1667.1(A)(2)(a), relative to state supplemental pay for law enforcement officers; to prohibit certain law enforcement officers from receiving state supplemental pay; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1067—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2477, 2501(B)(3) and (E), 2501.1, 2502, 2537, 2561(B)(3) and (E), 2561.1, and 2562, relative to the fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the civil service board; to provide relative to investigations by the board; to provide relative to appeals by employees of the fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the awarding of attorney fees; to provide relative to the enforcement of subpoenas; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1068—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4169.1(A)(1)(d), relative to municipal and parish authority over collection and disposal of garbage and trash; to provide relative to time contracts for the collection, transportation, and disposal of garbage or trash; to provide relative to the term of such contracts; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1069—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERAULT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:2(38) and (39) and 82.2, relative to the transfer and sale of certain alcoholic beverages; to provide for definitions; to provide for self-distribution; to provide for limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1070—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRAUD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 887(F)(1), relative to court costs assessed against a defendant; to provide for the duties of the administrator of the Trial Court Case Management Information Fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1071—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:3.7, relative to public records; to provide an exception for certain records of critical infrastructure of aerospace facilities or aerospace activities; to provide conditions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1072—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIAQUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:220.51(D) and 220.52(C) and (D) and to enact R.S. 49:220.51(E) and 220.52(E) and (F), relative to the office of Louisiana Highway Construction; to expand the powers, duties, and responsibilities in the office of Louisiana Highway Construction; to modify the exercise of procurement procedures, including emergency procurement; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1073—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:828.5 and 828.6 and Code of Evidence Article 416, relative to inmates; to provide for issuance of certain documentation and certification to inmates; to provide for criteria; to provide for restrictions; to provide for a definition; to provide for duties of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for duties of the office of motor vehicles; to provide for revocation proceedings; to provide for a limitation of liability; to provide for the submission of an annual report to certain legislative committees; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for a defense in certain proceedings; to provide relative to the admissibility of evidence; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1074—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:9008(A)(8) and to enact R.S. 14:90(F) and 90.3(L) and R.S. 47:9001(C), 9002(31), 9008(B) and (D), and 9054(A)(9), relative to the lottery; to provide relative to the ordering of lottery tickets; to provide for the ordering of lottery tickets through authorized lottery courier services over the internet; to provide for the oversight by the Louisiana Lottery Corporation of licensed lottery retailers who contract with courier services; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1075—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VENTRELLA

AN ACT

Relative to the appropriation of monies out of the state general fund to be used to pay the judgment captioned "Dawn Marie DePedro, et al versus State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development" between the state of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, and Dawn Marie DePedro, Kamden DePedro, and Dawn Marie DePedro on behalf of her minor child, Alianna DePedro; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1076—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 37:3718, relative to the Louisiana Behavior Analyst Board; to repeal the board's termination date.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1077—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:271.1(A)(1), relative to microbreweries; to provide relative to permits; to authorize a permit for the sale of manufactured beverages at special events; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1078—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351.17(A) and (B), relative to tuition and fees at public postsecondary education institutions; to authorize public postsecondary education management boards to impose tuition and attendance fees for certain distance education courses; to authorize proportional amounts for certain academic periods; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1079—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOUDREAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3991(C)(1)(c)(vii), relative to charter schools; to provide relative to charter school enrollment; to provide relative to enrollment preference for certain students; to provide relative to early childhood care and education; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1080—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PHELPS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4754.1, relative to the city of Shreveport; to provide relative to condemned commercial property within the city; to provide relative to the demolition of such property; to authorize the city to file suit to compel the owner to demolish the property; to provide relative to the recoupment of certain costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1081—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:5221(A), 5223(A)(1), (4), and (5), and 5224(D) and to enact R.S. 36:509(A)(4), relative to the Louisiana Ports and Waterways Investment Commission; to provide for the transfer of the Louisiana Ports and Waterways Investment Commission to the office of multimodal commerce within the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for the powers and duties of the office of multimodal commerce; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1082—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 84 and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 84.1, relative to venue; to provide for suits against the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to establish venue; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

As a substitute motion, Rep. Cox moved that the bill otherwise be referred to the Committee on Retirement.

Rep. Thomas objected.

By a vote of 18 yeas and 64 nays, the House refused to refer the bill to the Committee on Retirement.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1083—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER

AN ACT

Relative to the appropriation of monies out of the state general fund to be used to pay the consent judgment captioned "Lisa Chamberlain and Webster Chamberlain versus State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development and the Caddo Parish Commission" between the state of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, and Lisa Chamberlain and Webster Chamberlain; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1084—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351(A)(5)(a)(i), (iii) through (vi), and (viii), relative to tuition and mandatory fee amounts for public postsecondary education institutions; to authorize each public postsecondary education institution to impose and adjust certain tuition and fee amounts; to provide for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred**

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 111—**

BY SENATOR KLEINPETER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:325(A)(13), relative to freshwater recreational fish; to provide for daily take and minimum size limits for black bass; to provide for daily take and minimum size limits for crappie; to provide for a geographic area; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 122—**

BY SENATOR FESI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:21(A) and to enact R.S. 48:1(25) and 23.1, relative to the preservation of bridges by the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for terms and definitions; to provide for functions and responsibilities of the department; to provide for reports to the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 195—**

BY SENATOR MYERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1133.4(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 40:1133.19, relative to emergency medical services; to provide for the administration of certain medications; to provide for protocols; to provide for limitations; to provide for immunity; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 221—**

BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1132, relative to ambulance providers; to provide for definitions; to provide for Medicaid coverage of certain services; to provide for reimbursement rates; to provide for rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 404—**

BY SENATORS MCMATH, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BASS, BOUDREAU, EDMONDS, FESI, HENSGENS, HODGES, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, KLEINPETER, MIGUEZ, MIZELL, MYERS, OWEN, PRICE, SELDERS, STINE AND WHEAT AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, BAGLEY, BEREAULT, BILLINGS, BOYER, CARPENTER, CARVER, CREWS, DICKERSON, EDMONSTON, EGAN, FARNUM, FISHER, GALLE, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, TERRY LANDRY, LARVADAIN, MACK, MCMAHEN, MENA, MILLER, MOORE, NEWELL, PHELPS, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, VILLIO, WALTERS, WILDER, WILEY AND ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:997 and to enact Part XIII of Chapter 5 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1809 through 1809.15, relative to eye care providers; to provide for coverage of visual services; to provide for vision benefit managers and vision benefit plans; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for covered and noncovered services and materials; to provide for credentialing and contracting requirements; to provide for unfair trade practices; to provide for enforcement; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

As a substitute motion, Rep. Jordan moved that the bill otherwise be referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Rep. Miller objected.

By a vote of 15 yeas and 75 nays, the House refused to refer the bill to the Committee on Insurance.

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

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE  
A RESOLUTION

To approve the annual state integrated coastal protection plan for Fiscal Year 2026-2027, as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Board.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works with recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

On motion of Rep. Bourriaque, the above resolution was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KNOX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study intestate succession proceedings and mechanisms to disinherit successors without a will and to report its findings to the Legislature of Louisiana no later than January 4, 2027.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHASSION  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to study filiation proceedings and the presumption of paternity and to report its findings to the Legislature of Louisiana no later than February 1, 2027.

Read by title.

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

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

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 27—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMACKIN  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10(D)(2)(b)(iii) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to application of certain state monies to state retirement system unfunded accrued liability; to remove requirement that such monies be applied to the oldest system liabilities first; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

Under the rules, the above bill was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 81—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYER  
AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Article 688.1, relative to branches and roots on neighboring property; to authorize removal of branches and roots in certain circumstances; to require notification; to provide for damages; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 81 by Representative Boyer

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, after "plants" delete the remainder of the line and insert "extending or growing on neighboring"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 10, insert "has been issued"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, after "may" delete the remainder of the line and insert "have the branches or roots trimmed only by a licensed arborist following arboricultural standards, at the"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 12, after "expense," and before "the" delete "after" and insert "if"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 13, after "mail" delete the remainder of the line and insert "in accordance with Paragraph (B) of this Article."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 14, after "removal," delete the remainder of the line and insert "the name and credentials of the licensed arborist who is to perform the removal, the proposed date of the removal, and"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, at the end of line 17, insert "The credentials of the licensed arborist shall include an arborist license in addition to general liability insurance and workers' compensation insurance."

On motion of Rep. Muscarello, Jr., the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 134—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHLEGEL AND EDMONSTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2717.2.1, relative to material harmful to minors, to provide relative to interactive computer services that enter into a contract with a minor; to provide relative to the delivery or display of material harmful to minors; to provide relative to algorithmic systems and the delivery of material harmful to minors; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 134 by Representative Schlegel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 17, after "shall not" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 18, delete "(1) Deliver" and insert "deliver"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 18, after "display" and before "material" insert "to a minor account"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

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

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 7 through 23 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the beginning of line 24, change "(4)" to "(2)"

On motion of Rep. Muscarello, Jr., the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 154—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.1(C)(8) and to enact R.S. 9:315.1(C)(9) and 405.1 through 405.3, relative to acknowledgment of paternity and collection of child support; to provide for deviation from the child support guidelines; to provide for acknowledgment of paternity for minors; to provide with respect to judicial authorization of acknowledgment of paternity for minors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 163—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2795.8, relative to liability for owners of private airports; to limit liability of airport owners; to provide a definition; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 170—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER AND SENATOR CATHEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2779, relative to construction contracts; to provide for definitions; to provide for technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 170 by Representative Riser

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"(d) Upstream, midstream, or downstream oil, gas, chemical, petrochemical, or fuel manufacturing facilities or infrastructure, including refineries, processing plants, chemical or petrochemical manufacturing facilities, terminals, or associated appurtenant structures and facilities."

On motion of Rep. Muscarello, Jr., the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 194—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER AND SENATOR CATHEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5607(A), relative to actions against a professional engineer, surveyor, professional interior designer, architect, or real estate developer; to provide relative to peremptive periods; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 214—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANCE HENRY  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(P) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem taxes; to authorize the exemption of certain property from ad valorem taxes subject to conditions provided in law; to require the legislature to enact laws relative to implementation of the exemption; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

Under the rules, the above bill was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 217—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CHANCE HENRY, BACALA, BAMBURG, BILLINGS, BRYANT, HEBERT, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MANDIE LANDRY, MCMAHEN, WYBLE, AND YOUNG

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 47:1703.2, relative to ad valorem taxes; to provide for ad valorem property tax exemptions; to authorize parishes to grant ad valorem tax exemptions for certain property; to provide for administration of the exemptions; to provide for definitions; to provide for limitations and requirements; to authorize the promulgation of rules; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 217 by Representative Chance Henry

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, line 15, delete "No. \_\_\_\_" and insert "No. 214"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 220—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHLEGEL  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 20-B of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1780.1 through 1780.3, relative to reporting child exploitation on covered platforms; to provide for definitions; to provide for a reporting mechanism on covered platforms; to provide for penalties; to provide for duties of the attorney general; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 220 by Representative Schlegel

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 2, line 15, change "Any" to "A"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 2, after line 29, add the following:

"(xiv) An entity where the predominant or exclusive function is providing or obtaining technical support for a platform, product, or service."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 3, line 16, after "to" insert "easily"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 3, line 20, change "1780.2." to "§1780.2."

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 4, line 13, change "1780.3." to "§1780.3."

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 254—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 1543, relative to manual gifts; to provide relative to the donation of motor vehicles; to limit the persons and entities eligible to receive donations of motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 254 by Representative Riser

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, after line 15, add the following:

"(3) Post-secondary institutions of higher education."

On motion of Rep. Muscarello, Jr., the amendments were adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 259—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1749.28, relative to the repair of damaged infrastructure from certain excavators or demolishers; to provide for definitions; to provide for notice; to provide for coordination; to provide for a point of contact; to provide for fault; to provide for the repair of damage; to provide for the reimbursement of funds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 259 by Representative Dewitt

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 3, after "notice;" insert "to provide for coordination; to provide for a point of contact; to provide for fault;"

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## AMENDMENT NO. 2

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

"C.(1) Prior to the commencement of any excavation or demolition activity utilizing funding provided by the BEAD Program, the excavator or demolisher who is excavating or demolishing utilizing funding provided by the BEAD Program shall conduct pre-construction coordination with all known operators of underground utilities or facilities within the proposed project area.

(2) Coordination shall include, at a minimum, all of the following:

(a) Verification of the location of underground facilities through available records and field markings.

(b) Identification of potential conflicts between proposed excavation and existing facilities.

(c) Communication of construction methods, timelines, and areas of planned excavation.

(3) Operators of underground utilities or facilities shall cooperate in good faith in such coordination and provide available information regarding the location of their facilities.

(4) The office of broadband development and connectivity may establish rules or guidance to implement the provisions of this Subsection.

(5) The excavator or demolisher who is excavating or demolishing utilizing funding provided by the BEAD Program shall maintain documentation of such coordination and make the documentation available to the office of broadband development and connectivity upon request.

D.(1) Each excavator or demolisher who is excavating or demolishing utilizing funding provided by the BEAD Program performing work utilizing funding provided by the BEAD Program shall designate a primary point of contact responsible for coordination and communication regarding construction activities within each parish or municipality in which work is performed.

(2) The designated point of contact shall do both of the following:

(a) Be available during normal business hours and reasonably available during active construction operations.

(b) Be authorized to respond to issues related to underground utility conflicts, damages, and coordination with local officials.

(3) The name and contact information of the designated point of contact shall be provided prior to the commencement of construction to all of the following:

(a) The governing authority of each affected parish or municipality.

(b) The office of broadband development and connectivity.

(4) The excavator or demolisher who is excavating or demolishing utilizing funding provided by the BEAD Program shall update the contact information as necessary to ensure accuracy throughout the duration of the project.

(5) The designated point of contact shall be capable of responding to emergency situations within a reasonable timeframe, including coordination of immediate corrective actions in the event of damage to underground utilities."

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 17, change "C." to "E."

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 4 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(3) Repairing the damage or paying the cost to repair the damage, if the excavator or demolisher who is excavating or demolishing utilizing funding provided by the BEAD Program is determined to be at fault for such damage in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter."

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"F.(1) For purposes of this Section, fault shall be determined based on compliance with all applicable notice, marking, and excavation requirements set forth in this Chapter, including but not limited to the accuracy of utility location markings and adherence to safe digging practices.

(2) An excavator or demolisher who is excavating or demolishing utilizing funding provided by the BEAD Program shall not be considered at fault where damage results from inaccurate, incomplete, or untimely facility location markings provided by an operator."

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 5, change "D." to "G."

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 10, change "E." to "H."

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

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 290—** BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(3)(b) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(1)(i), relative to the Department of the Treasury, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of the Treasury and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 308—** BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:441, relative to public facilities; to provide for acceptance of certain types of payments at facilities; to provide definitions; to provide exceptions; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 311—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1476(A)(2), relative to the Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Operating Dedicated Fund Account; to provide for the deposit of a certain portion of insurance premium assessments into the Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Operating Dedicated Fund Account; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 360—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES EGAN AND GLORIOSO  
AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 41 in Pearl River, Louisiana, as the "Sgt. Michael J. Guillory Memorial Highway"; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 382—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:802(D)(2), relative to the authority of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; to provide for the review and approval of certain contract amendments by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 401—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT AND SENATOR MCMATH  
AN ACT

To designate the elevated portion on United States Highway 190 over the Bogue Falaya River in St. Tammany Parish as the "Corporal Justin D. McLeese Memorial Bridge"; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 410—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHLEGEL AND EDMONSTON  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 7 of Code Title IV of Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:2790.1 through 2790.4, relative to in-person communication; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for definitions; to require individuals to be informed they are being recorded; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 410 by Representative Schlegel

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, after "that" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 2 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 3, delete "technological format," and insert "an individual who engages in a direct conversation has a reasonable expectation that the conversation is not recorded or transcribed unless notice is given,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the end of line 7, change "consent" to "knowledge"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the end of line 10, and the beginning of line 11, delete "non-consensual"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"(2) "First responder activity" means recordings or transcriptions made by a first responder, as defined by R.S. 40:978.1, in the performance of official duties."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the beginning of line 22, change "(2)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the beginning of line 25, change "(3)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 26, after "rallies," and before "or other" delete "sporting events,"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, delete lines 2 through 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"A. No participant in a direct conversation shall intentionally use a device to record or transcribe a direct conversation with any

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other participant unless all participants are specifically notified that the conversation is being recorded or transcribed."

## AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 8, after "Emergencies" delete the remainder of the line and insert "or first responder activities."

## AMENDMENT NO. 11

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

"(6) Recordings or transcriptions of a direct conversation made for the purpose of preserving evidence related to an actual or anticipated civil or administrative proceeding.

(7) Recordings or transcriptions of a direct conversation made for the purpose of preserving evidence related to a criminal act or proceeding.

(8) Recordings or transcriptions of a direct conversation made by a participant in his own residence."

On motion of Rep. Muscarello, Jr., the amendments were adopted.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 417—** BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2205(A)(1), relative to the Hazardous Waste Site Cleanup Fund; to increase the maximum balance in the Hazardous Waste Site Cleanup Fund; to require annual increases to the maximum balance under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 463—** BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9109(C)(2), relative to communications districts; to provide relative to commercial mobile radio services; to provide relative to emergency telephone service charges; to increase the maximum allowable emergency telephone service charge; to provide for an annual report; to provide for requirements to levy a service charge; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 463 by Representative McMakin

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "33:9109(C)(2)(a)" to "33:9109(C)(2)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "charge;" insert "to provide for an annual report; to provide for requirements to levy a service charge;"

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, change "33:9109(C)(2)(a)" to "33:9109(C)(2)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete line 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph, the governing authority of the Terrebonne Parish Communications District may levy a CMRS emergency telephone service charge of not more than one dollar and eighty-five cents per month per wireless CMRS connection.

(c)(i) Each communications district that levies a service charge pursuant to this Subsection shall submit an annual report to the legislative committees on commerce and to the governing authority of the parish or municipality in which the district is located.

(ii) The report shall include but not be limited to all of the following:

(aa) The total amount of service charge revenues collected.

(bb) A detailed accounting of expenditures of such revenues.

(cc) Performance metrics, including average call answer times and dispatch times.

(dd) A description of any improvements to emergency communications systems funded by such revenues.

(d) A communications district shall not levy a service charge in excess of one dollar and twenty-five cents per month unless both of the following occur:

(i) The proposed increase is approved by a majority vote of the governing authority of the parish or municipality in which the district is located.

(ii) The district conducts at least one public hearing on the proposed increase, with notice published in the official journal of the parish or municipality at least ten days prior to the hearing."

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

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 514—** BY REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(P) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem taxation; to extend an ad valorem tax exemption for property owners who are sixty-five years of age or older; to provide for the amount of the exemption; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for implementation of the exemption by parishes and municipalities; to prohibit the reappraisal and valuation of property for purposes of millage adjustments under certain circumstances; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

#### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 514 by Representative Farnum

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 6, after "Article VII" and before "Section 18(G)(1)(a)(i)" insert a comma <sup>2</sup>

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

Under the rules, the above bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 575—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARVER

##### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:330(B)(4), relative to state property; to provide a preference for the purchase of certain surplus property by persons in the extended foster care program; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 592—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANCE HENRY

##### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:299.3(B) through (E), relative to the operation of utility terrain vehicles; to remove the prohibition against utility terrain vehicles operating on parish roads without a designation by the parish or municipality; to authorize utility terrain vehicles to operate on parish roads as long as the operator complies with age, license requirements, and insurance compliance; to authorize a governmental entity to regulate utility terrain vehicles as long as signage is posted providing notice of the regulations; to provide for restrictions on speed and eligible roadways to be used by utility terrain vehicles; to provide for registration; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

#### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 592 by Representative Chance Henry

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and insert "R.S. 32:299.3(B) through (E), relative"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "regulations;" delete the remainder of the line

##### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 9, delete "utility terrain vehicles on interstate highways;" and insert "to provide for restrictions on speed and eligible roadways to be used by utility terrain vehicles; to provide for registration;"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 11, after "Section 1." and before "are" delete "R.S. 32:299.3(B)(1) and (F)" and insert "R.S. 32:299.3(B) through (E)" and after "reenacted" delete the remainder of the line

##### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 12, delete "32:299.3(B)(3) is hereby enacted"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 3, after "A" and before "utility" insert "registered"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 6, after "of" and before "utility" insert "registered"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 9 through 15 in their entirety and insert the following:

~~"(2) A utility terrain vehicle may cross any divided highway, highway, roadway, or street with a posted speed limit in excess of thirty-five miles per hour at an intersection.~~

C. A utility terrain vehicle operated on any roadway or street shall be equipped with the minimum motor vehicle equipment appropriate for motor vehicle safety consistent with the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards within 49 CFR Part 571, headlamps, front and rear turn signal lamps, tail lamps, stop lamps, reflex reflectors, including one on each side as far to the rear as practicable and one red reflector on the rear of the vehicle, an exterior mirror mounted on the driver's side of the vehicle and either an exterior mirror mounted on the passenger's side of the vehicle or an interior mirror, a parking brake, an adequate windshield, a windshield wiper, speedometer, odometer, braking for each wheel, a seat belt assembly installed at each designated seating position, and a vehicle identification or serial number.

D.(1) Any utility terrain vehicle operated upon a parish road or municipal street shall be registered with the state of Louisiana through the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, ~~as an off-road vehicle~~ and shall display proper registration ~~a decal~~ issued by the office of motor vehicles.

(2) Registration of utility terrain vehicles may include a quick response (QR) code containing encrypted vehicle and registration information accessible to authorized law enforcement personnel. This provision shall take effect when the department's electronic vehicle and title registration system is updated to accommodate the registration of these vehicles and the issuance of QR codes.

E. A person operating a utility terrain vehicle shall ~~be at least twenty-one years of age and~~ possess a valid driver's license."

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

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

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 718—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIAQUE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2791.2, relative to the limitation of liability applicable to aeronautical activities at nonpublic use airports; to provide for a limitation of liability for private landowners permitting the recreational use of private land for aeronautical activities at nonpublic use airports; to establish exceptions to this limitation of liability; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

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

## HOUSE BILL NO. 723—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HORTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:232(3)(a), (b), (e), (f), and (g) and to enact R.S. 32:232(3)(h), relative to driver compliance with traffic-control signals; to authorize the driver of a two or three-wheeled motorcycle, moped, or bicycle or electric bicycle to proceed through an intersection controlled by a vehicle-actuated traffic-control signal under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 723 by Representative Horton

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "a" delete "motorcycle, moped or trimobile" and insert "two or three-wheeled motorcycle, moped"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 12, after "a" and before the comma "," and "or" delete "motorcycle, moped or trimobile" and insert "two or three-wheeled motorcycle, moped"

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

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

## HOUSE BILL NO. 750—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX AND SENATOR DUPLESSIS  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 70 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3301 through 3304, relative to automatic renewal contracts; to provide definitions; to provide for required disclosures; to establish cancellation mechanism requirements; to provide for certain required renewal notifications; to provide for recordkeeping; to provide for exemptions; to provide for violations and penalties; to provide a period within which to cure a violation without penalty; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 750 by Representative Cox

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after "for" and before "renewal" insert "certain required"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "penalties;" and before "and" insert "to provide a period within which to cure a violation without penalty;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete line 13 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"This Chapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Click-to-Cancel Act"."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 24 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"merchandise, for personal, family, or household purposes."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 27, change "any" to "a" and change "the" to "that"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 28, change "any" to "a"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 17, change "which" to "that"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 21, after "provide" and before "an" insert "the consumer with"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, delete lines 4 through 6 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(6) Fails to maintain reasonable business records sufficient to demonstrate the consumer's affirmative consent for a period of not less than one year from the date of acceptance or termination of the contract, whichever is later."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 10, change "That the" to "The"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, delete lines 23 through 29 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(8) Fails to provide a reasonable, readily accessible mechanism for the consumer to cancel the automatic renewal contract or trial"

period offer, avoid charges or increased charges for the good or service, and stop any recurring charges. The cancellation mechanism shall not be unreasonably burdensome or designed to deter cancellation. The mechanism shall provide for cancellation online, or by email, telephone, or another commonly used communication method."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 2, after "person" and before "shall" insert "who offered the contract"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, delete lines 19 through 29 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"D.(1) A person selling a good or service by an automatic renewal contract shall provide notice to the consumer prior to renewal in any of the following circumstances:

(a) The renewal term is twelve months or longer.

(b) There is a material change in the contract terms, including a price increase.

(c) The contract converts from a trial period to a paid subscription.

(2) Notice given pursuant to Paragraph (1) of this Subsection shall be provided at least fifteen days prior to the renewal or conversion and shall include all of the following:

(a) The renewal terms.

(b) The amount to be charged.

(c) Instructions on how to cancel.

E.(1) Prior to the initiation of any enforcement action or assessment of civil penalties pursuant to this Chapter, a person shall be provided written notice of the alleged violation and shall have thirty days to cure that violation.

(2) If the person cures the violation within the thirty-day period and provides written confirmation of that cure, no civil penalty shall be imposed for that violation.

(3) This Subsection does not apply to willful or repeated violations."

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 6, line 4, change "E." to "F."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 6, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"(5) A person with fewer than fifty employees or with annual gross revenue of less than five million dollars is exempt from the notice requirements of Subsection D of this Section if that person complies with the disclosure, consent, and cancellation provisions of this Chapter.

G. A person that demonstrates a good faith effort to comply with the provisions of this Chapter and maintains reasonable

compliance procedures shall not be liable for technical or inadvertent violations that do not result in material harm to the consumer."

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, delete lines 15 through 18 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A. A person who violates the provisions of this Chapter shall make restitution to the affected consumer for any actual financial harm directly resulting from the violation. Any private right of action shall be limited to recovery of actual damages. Attorney fees may be awarded only upon a finding of willful violation."

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 755—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2316 and to enact R.S. 38:2310(11), relative to indefinite delivery and indefinite quantity professional design services contracts; to provide for definitions; to provide for selection procedures and advertising; to require submission of professional qualifications; to establish contract limits, terms, and amendments for certain projects; to require agency compliance for issuing task orders; to clarify the applicability of existing law to all other professional design services contracts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 776—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3452(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (D), 3453, 3457(A)(introductory paragraph) and 3473 and to enact R.S. 34:3451(6) through (8) and 3457(C), relative to the Port Construction and Development Priority Program; to modify the entities the department can contract with to assist in the development of the port priority program; to provide for the maximum amounts allotted to port projects; to provide for definitions; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to alphabetize and renumber definitions; to provide for proper notice of public hearings; to require a local match based on the appropriate project category; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 776 by Representative Bourriaque

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" and before "3453" change "R.S. 34:3452(D)," to "R.S. 34:3452(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (D),"

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## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "enact" and before "relative" change "R.S. 34:3457(C)," to "R.S. 34:3451(6) through (8) and 3457(C),"

## AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "program;" and before "to" insert "to provide for the maximum amounts allotted to port projects; to provide for definitions; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to alphabetize and renumber definitions;"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, after "Section 1." and before "3453" change "R.S. 34:3452(D)," to "R.S. 34:3452(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (D),"

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 10, after "reenacted and" and before "hereby" change "R.S. 34:3457(C) is" to "R.S. 34:3451(6) through (8) and 3457(C) are"

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

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

"§3451. Definitions

As used in this Chapter, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the following definitions shall apply:

\* \* \*

(6) "Benefit cost ratio" means the total benefits divided by the total cost of a project with the total cost being equal to the total investment, both public and private, required to implement the total project and derive the benefits and with total benefits being equal to the revenues and expenses, number of jobs, payroll benefits, spin-off benefits of payroll, shipping costs, or any other benefits that are determinable.

(7) "Large project" means a project with a total project cost between forty million dollars and eighty million dollars with a benefit cost ratio greater than or equal to five, a return on the state's investment greater than or equal to three and one half, and a private investment of between twenty-five and fifty percent of the total project cost.

(8) "Standard project" means a project with a benefit cost ratio greater than or equal to one and a return on the state's investment greater than or equal to two and three hundred seventy-five thousandths."

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"A.(1) Applications for funding of any port construction or development project may be submitted by any port authority on a quarterly basis, except as provided in R.S. 34:3456. Applications shall be submitted to the department no later than the first of March, June, September, and December of each calendar year for consideration of funding or funding obligation authority in the following fiscal years. Applications submitted in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter shall be subject to the provisions of R.S. 39:101 through 128. The maximum amount for participation in standard projects shall be twenty-one million dollars, with a maximum allotment of seven million dollars per year per port and the maximum amount for participation in large projects shall be thirty-three million dollars, with a maximum allotment of eleven

million dollars per year per port. Information to be provided in the application shall include but not be limited to the following:

- (a) Description of the project and demonstration of immediate need for the project.
- (b) Preliminary project design and cost estimate.
- (c) Description of project area."

## AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 17, after "State" and before "The" delete "as provided for in R.S. 43:81." and insert a comma "," and "as provided for in R.S. 43:81, beginning on July 1, 2027."

## AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 4, after "Chapter" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period "."

## AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 8, after "Subsection" change "(C)" to "C"

## AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, line 16, after "match" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and "subject to the legislature allocating additional Transportation Trust Fund dollars to the Port Construction and Development Priority Program"

## AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, delete lines 17 and 18 in their entirety

## AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 4, line 6, after "State" and before "The" delete "as provided for in R.S. 43:81." and insert a comma "," and "as provided for in R.S. 43:81, beginning on July 1, 2027."

## AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 4, after line 14, insert the following:

"Section 2. The Louisiana State Law Institute is hereby authorized and directed to alphabetize and renumber the definitions contained in R.S. 34:3451 and to correct any cross-references to the renumbered paragraphs if necessary, consistent with the provisions of this Act."

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

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 812—** BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1907(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:1907(N), relative to assessor compensation; to provide for increases in assessors' annual compensation by certain amounts during a specified period; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 830—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 54 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3111 through 3113, relative to disclosures by proxy advisors; to provide for definitions; to provide for required disclosures; to provide for enforcement; to provide an effective date; to provide for prospective application; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 830 by Representative Wright

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"(1) "Affiliate" means any company that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, another company."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, change "(1)" to "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 15, change "(2)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 1, change "(3)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 4, change "(4)" to "(5)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"(b) "Proxy advisor" does not mean any of the following:

(i) An affiliate of the company.

(ii) A fiduciary or asset manager, or an affiliate of a fiduciary or asset manager, where that fiduciary, asset manager, or affiliate acts pursuant to a delegation of proxy voting authority from its client or beneficiary, and where that delegation is made in connection with the management of client or beneficiary assets and not as a commercial proxy advisory service offered to unaffiliated third parties.

(iii) A charitable organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or its affiliated groups."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 7, change "(5)" to "(6)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 16, change "(6)" to "(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 20, change "(7)" to "(8)"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 22, change "(8)" to "(9)"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, line 10, change "covered by" to "defined in"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 11, change "Paragraph (5) of R.S. 51:3111 of this Act" to "R.S. 51:3111(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 16, delete "Louisiana"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 17, change "51:1401," to "51:1401" and change "under" to "in accordance with"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, line 24, change "Not later than the seventh day after" to "Within seven days of"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 5, line 26, change "has a right to" to "may"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 6, line 2, change "Paragraph (5) of R.S. 51:3111" to "R.S. 51:3111(5)"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 838—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1301, 1302, 1304(A)(1) through (3) and (B), 1306(C), and 1306.1(A), and to repeal R.S. 32:707.5(D)(3) and 1303, relative to vehicle inspection sticker requirements; to provide for an election to determine if vehicle inspection stickers will be discontinued and no longer required; to provide for the ballot language; to provide for the calling of the election; to provide for the effects of the election; to repeal the inspection sticker requirement for assembled vehicles; to provide for periodic inspection of commercial and student transportation vehicles; to provide relative to the operation of official inspection stations; to provide for specific effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The substitute was read by title as follows:

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1085** (Substitute for House Bill No. 838 by Representative Bagley)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2054(B)(8) and R.S. 32:357, 1301, 1302, 1304, 1306(C), to enact R.S. 32:1304.1, and to repeal R.S. 32:707.5(D)(3) and 1303, relative to vehicle inspection sticker requirements; to repeal the inspection sticker requirement for assembled vehicles; to provide for periodic inspection of commercial and student transportation vehicles and associated fees; to provide for inspections required by federal law; to provide for windshield requirements; to provide for the promulgation of standards for the regulation of emission control devices; to provide for the approval of out of state inspections under certain circumstances; to provide for the Louisiana Vehicle Identification Program; to provide relative to the operation of official inspection stations; to restrict the issuance of citations for failure to produce a certificate of inspection for a specified period; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for severability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Bourriaque, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 1085 by Rep. Bagley, on behalf of the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, as a substitute for House Bill No. 838 by Rep. Bagley.

Under the rules, lies over in the same order of business.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 844**—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:59(A)(5) and to enact R.S. 32:59(A)(6), relative to the use of the wireless telecommunications devices while operating a motor vehicle; to provide for definitions; to establish the boundary and when a school zone is in effect; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 882**—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:461.4(A)(3)(b) and (B), relative to outdoor advertising signs; to provide for the spacing and composition requirements of outdoor advertising signs; to increase the distance between certain outdoor advertising signs; to authorize the rebuild, enhancement, or re-permitting of certain outdoor advertising signs damaged or destroyed by an act of God; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

## HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 882 by Representative Muscarello

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and insert "R.S. 48:461.4(Section heading), (A)(3)(b), and (B)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "48:461.4(A)(5)(h) and (C)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "signs;" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 6 in its entirety, and insert "to authorize the rebuild, enhancement, or re-permitting of certain outdoor advertising signs damaged or destroyed by an act of God;"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, after "Section 1." and before "and (B)" change "R.S. 48:461.4(A)(3)(b) and (5)(g)" to "R.S. 48:461.4(Section heading), (A)(3)(b),"

### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 10, after "reenacted" and before "to read" delete "and R.S. 48:461.4(A)(5)(h) and (C) are hereby enacted"

### AMENDMENT NO. 6

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

"(iii) Any outdoor advertising sign for which a permit was lawfully issued on or after January 1, 2010 that was damaged or destroyed in full or in part by an act of God shall be considered a legal nonconforming sign and may be rebuilt, enhanced, or re-permitted."

### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 19 through 29 in their entirety

### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, delete "C." and insert "B."

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 885**—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:707.2 and to enact R.S. 32:705.2 and 726.2, relative to electronic lien, titling, and recordation of motor vehicles; to provide for system requirements for electronic lien, titling, and recordation of motor vehicles; to provide for the duties of the office of motor vehicles; to provide for the use of electronic signatures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The substitute was read by title as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1086** (Substitute for House Bill No. 885 by Representative Melerine)—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:707.2(A), (C)(1) and (2), and (D), to enact R.S. 32:702(18), 705(B)(6) and (7), 707.2(I) and (J), 707.2.1, and 707.2.2, and to repeal R.S. 32:707.2(G), relative to electronic lien, titling, and recordation of motor vehicles; to provide for system requirements for electronic lien, titling, and recordation of motor vehicles; to provide for the duties of the office of motor vehicles; to provide for the use of electronic signatures; to provide for civil immunity; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for severability; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to alphabetize and renumber definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Bourriaque, the substitute was adopted and became House Bill No. 1086 by Rep. Melerine, on behalf of the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, as a substitute for House Bill No. 885 by Rep. Melerine.

Under the rules, lies over in the same order of business.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 888**—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:473(H), 519(A), 520(E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 47:519(P), 520(G) through (I), and 521(D), relative to certain requirements for the design, authentication, and regulation of temporary registration plates; to provide for dealer inventory plates requirements; to provide for effectiveness of application fees; to provide for security features and design of temporary registration plates; to provide for placement of temporary registration plates; to provide for rule promulgation of temporary registration plates to prevent counterfeiting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

#### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 888 by Representative Melerine

##### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 47:473(H)" and before "and F" delete "and 520(B), (E)," and insert a comma "," and insert "519(A), 520(E)."

##### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "of" and before "plates;" insert "temporary registration"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "requirements;" and before "to" insert "to provide for effectiveness of application fees;"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 10, after "R.S. 47:473(H)" and before "and F" delete "and 520(B), (E)," and insert a comma "," and insert "519(A), 520(E)."

##### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 7 through 14 in their entirety

##### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the beginning of line 15, change "(4)" to "(3)"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"A.(1) Issuance by commissioner to dealer. The commissioner may, subject to the limitations and conditions hereinafter set forth, deliver temporary registration plates designed by the commissioner, or paper or card stock approved by the commissioner for print on demand temporary registration plates to a licensed automobile, trailer, truck, motorcycle, or other motor driven cycle, or motorized camper dealer who applies for same and who enclosed with such application a fee of twenty dollars per plate or piece of approved paper or card stock for which application is made by a licensed dealer. Such application shall be made upon a form prescribed and furnished or on a website approved by the commissioner. Dealers subject to the limitations and conditions set forth in this Section may issue such temporary registration plates to owners of vehicles, except apportioned trucks, provided that such owners shall comply with the pertinent provisions of this Section.

(2) The application fee provided for in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection shall not be charged until the commissioner provides public notice of the date that the electronic issuance system is established for print-on-demand temporary registration plates and the secure paper or card stock is approved and implemented by the commissioner."

##### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 26, after "markings" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and "including latent images or void pantograph technologies"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 27, after "features" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and "including destructible holographic elements or similar authentication devices"

##### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, after line 28, insert the following:

"(e) Durable synthetic or coated substrates meeting the standards established by the commissioner of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, for print permanence and weather resistance.

"(f) Official state-approved insignias or seals as an authentication feature."

##### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, delete lines 25 through 29 in their entirety

##### AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 4, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety

##### AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 4, at the end of line 12, insert a period "."

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## AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 4, delete lines 13 through 15 in their entirety

## AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 4, line 22, after "D." and before "Identification" delete "(1)"

## AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 4, line 24, after "vehicle" delete the remainder of the line and insert a period "."

## AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 4, delete lines 25 through 29 in their entirety

## AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 5, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Section 2. The provisions of R.S. 47:519(P) shall become effective when the commissioner provides public notice of the date that the electronic issuance system is established for print-on-demand temporary registration plates and the secure paper or card stock is approved and implemented by the commissioner."

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

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 950—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:939, relative to consumer protection for the elderly; to provide for legislative intent and purpose; to provide for the creation of an educational program and materials; to provide for distribution of such materials; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Original House Bill No. 950 by Representative Boyd

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "to" and before "consumer" delete "the"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "for" and before "creation" insert "the"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "distribution" and before the semicolon ";" insert "of such materials"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 3, change "shall" to "may" and change "pension protection" to "Pension Protection"

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 4, change "retirement income financial guidance" to "Retirement Income Support and Guidance"

## AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 6, change "shall" to "may"

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 18, change "shall" to "may"

## AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 19, change "on a dedicated, mobile-friendly" to "through existing websites or other available platforms."

## AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 20, delete "website specifically offered for that purpose."

## AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, after line 22, insert the following:

"E.(1) The office of elderly affairs shall implement the provisions of this Section to the extent practicable within existing resources, and may utilize or link to existing federal, nonprofit, or private educational resources to fulfill the purposes of this Section.

(2) The provisions of this Section shall be implemented subject to the availability of existing resources and shall not require additional appropriations."

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

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 961—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARNUM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1717, relative to ad valorem tax; to extend eligibility to certain trusts for the ad valorem tax exemption for property owners who are at least sixty-five years of age or older; to provide for certain requirements; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### **HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 961 by Representative Farnum

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 8, after "2026" and before "of the" delete "R.S." and insert "Regular Session"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 966—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, WALTERS, AND FISHER AND  
SENATOR JACKSON-ANDREWS  
AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 15 in Monroe, Louisiana, as the "President Barack Obama Road"; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 966 by Representative Moore

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "Obama" delete "Highway" and insert "Road"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Highway 165," and before "shall" insert "otherwise known as Winnsboro Road,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "Obama" delete "Highway" and insert "Road"

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 980—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1666.5(A) and (D) and to enact R.S. 40:1666.5(C), relative to the Fireman's Supplemental Pay Board; to provide for membership on the board and qualifications therefore; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the governor; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

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

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on  
Third Reading and Final Passage**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 58—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 312(E) through (H) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 312(I), relative to bail; to prohibit bail after conviction for certain offenders; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 69—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:334(A), relative to ignition interlock devices; to add a reference to the Code of Criminal Procedure; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Villio moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Dewitt	Mack
Adams	Dickerson	McFarland
Amedee	Domangue	McMahan
Bacala	Echols	McMakin
Bagley	Edmonston	Melerine
Bamburg	Egan	Moore
Bayham	Farnum	Muscarello
Beaullieu	Firment	Orgeron
Berault	Fontenot	Owen
Billings	Freeman	Riser
Boudreaux	Freiberg	Sawyer
Bourriaque	Gadberry	Schamerhorn
Boyd	Galle	Schlegel
Boyer	Glorioso	St. Blanc
Brass	Green	Stagni
Braud	Hebert	Tarver
Broussard	Henry, C.	Thomas
Butler	Henry, D.	Thompson
Carlson	Hilferty	Turner
Carrier	Horton	Ventrella
Carter, R.	Illg	Villio
Carver	Johnson, M.	Wilder
Chasson	Johnson, T.	Wiley
Chenevert	Kerner	Wright
Coates	LaFleur	Wyble
Cox	Landry, J.	Zeringue
Crews	Landry, T.	
Deshotel	Lyons	
Total - 82		

**NAYS**

Bryant	Marcelle	Phelps
Carpenter	Martinez	Taylor
Carter, W.	Mena	Walters
Jordan	Murray	
Larvadain	Newell	
Total - 13		

**ABSENT**

Fisher	LaCombe	Spell
Geymann	Landry, M.	Young
Jackson	McCormick	
Knox	Miller	
Total - 10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 93—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 404(K), relative to the clerk of court of Lincoln Parish; to provide for the function of the clerk of court of Lincoln Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Turner moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adams	Domague	Marcelle
Amedee	Echols	Martinez
Bacala	Edmonston	McFarland
Bagley	Egan	McMahan
Bamburg	Farnum	McMakin
Bayham	Firment	Melerine
Beaulieu	Fisher	Miller
Berault	Fontenot	Moore
Billings	Freeman	Murray
Boudreaux	Freiberg	Muscarello
Bourriague	Gadberry	Newell
Boyd	Galle	Orgeron
Boyer	Glorioso	Owen
Brass	Green	Riser
Braud	Hebert	Sawyer
Broussard	Henry, C.	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Henry, D.	Schlegel
Butler	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Carlson	Horton	Stagni
Carpenter	Illg	Tarver
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thompson
Carver	Kerner	Turner
Chassion	Knox	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaCombe	Villio
Coates	LaFleur	Walters
Cox	Landry, J.	Wilder
Crews	Landry, M.	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wright
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wyble
Dickerson	Mack	Zeringue

Total - 96

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Mr. Speaker	Lyons	Phelps
Geymann	McCormick	Spell
Jackson	Mena	Young

Total - 9

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 166—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACOB LANDRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1109(A) and 1109.1(A)(introductory paragraph), (9), and (10) and to repeal R.S. 15:1109.1(A)(11), relative to the Acadiana Regional Juvenile Justice District; to remove Vermilion Parish as a member of the Acadiana Regional Juvenile Justice District; to remove a member of the board of commissioners for the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Jacob Landry gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 166 from the calendar on Wednesday, April 1, 2026.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 199—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116.1(B)(1), relative to the moratorium on nursing facilities; to provide for a termination date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Berault to Engrossed House Bill No. 199 by Representative Miller

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, change "B.(1)" to "B.(1)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, between lines 9 and 10 insert the following:

"(b) The department shall collect and analyze data to assess the continued necessity of the nursing facility moratorium. Such data collection shall include, at a minimum, all of the following:

(i) The number of avoidable skilled nursing days occurring in hospitals, including an accounting of the reasons such days were avoidable.

(ii) The total occupancy in nursing facilities, including the reasons for any refusal to admit patients who are eligible for nursing facility care.

(c) A system to track the information required by Subparagraph (b) of the Paragraph shall be established by November 30, 2026.

(d) The department shall collect the information required by this Paragraph beginning January 1, 2027 and submit a report to the House and Senate committees on health and welfare and the David Poynter Legislative Research Library monthly beginning on February 15, 2027 and monthly thereafter."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Echols	Marcelle
Adams	Edmonston	Martinez
Amedee	Egan	McFarland
Bagley	Firment	McMahan
Bamburg	Fisher	Melerine
Bayham	Freeman	Mena
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Miller
Berault	Gadberry	Moore
Billings	Galle	Murray
Boudreaux	Glorioso	Newell
Bourriaque	Green	Phelps
Boyd	Hebert	Riser
Boyer	Henry, C.	Sawyer
Brass	Henry, D.	Schlegel
Braud	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Broussard	Horton	Stagni
Bryant	Illg	Taylor
Butler	Jackson	Thomas
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Thompson
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carter, W.	Jordan	Ventrella
Carver	Kerner	Villio
Chassion	Knox	Walters
Chenevert	LaCombe	Wilder
Coates	LaFleur	Wiley
Cox	Landry, J.	Wright
Crews	Landry, T.	Wyble
Dewitt	Larvadain	Zeringue
Dickerson	Lyons	
Domangue	Mack	
Total - 88		

**NAYS**

Bacala	Fontenot	Orgeron
Carlson	McCormick	Owen
Carter, R.	McMakin	Schamerhorn
Farnum	Muscarello	
Total - 11		

**ABSENT**

Deshotel	Landry, M.	Tarver
Geymann	Spell	Young
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 201—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:273.5, relative to high school diplomas; to create a State Seal of Fine Arts; to provide for academic eligibility criteria; to provide for requirements of the state superintendent of education, participating school governing authorities, and the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. McMakin moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Domangue	Marcelle
Adams	Echols	Martinez
Amedee	Edmonston	McCormick
Bacala	Egan	McFarland
Bagley	Farnum	McMahan
Bamburg	Firment	McMakin
Bayham	Fisher	Melerine
Beaullieu	Fontenot	Mena
Berault	Freeman	Miller
Billings	Freiberg	Moore
Boudreaux	Gadberry	Murray
Bourriaque	Galle	Muscarello
Boyd	Glorioso	Newell
Boyer	Green	Orgeron
Brass	Hebert	Owen
Braud	Henry, C.	Riser
Broussard	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Bryant	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Butler	Horton	Schlegel
Carlson	Illg	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Jackson	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carter, W.	Kerner	Thompson
Carver	Knox	Turner
Chassion	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Wilder
Cox	Landry, M.	Wiley
Crews	Landry, T.	Wyble
Deshotel	Larvadain	Zeringue
Dewitt	Lyons	
Dickerson	Mack	
Total - 97		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Geymann	Spell	Wright
Jordan	Tarver	Young
Phelps	Walters	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 202—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 42:375.1, relative to State Civil Service; to provide relative to the announcement of classified job vacancies; to require certain information within the job announcement; to provide for notice of rejection; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Newell to Engrossed House Bill No. 202 by Representative McMakin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 13 and 14 and insert the following:

"Department of State Civil Service and is rejected or the vacancy has been filled, the department shall notify the applicant of the rejection or that the vacancy has been filled, as applicable."

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of representatives who voted 'YEAS' in three columns.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of representatives who were 'ABSENT' in three columns.

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

Consent to Correct a Vote Record

Rep. Owen requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 202 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 218—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAFLEUR, CARPENTER, CARVER, EDMONSTON, FREIBERG, MARTINEZ, AND TAYLOR AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2113 and 3996(B)(24), relative to student questionnaires; to provide for the inclusion of questions pertaining to food insecurity on a residency questionnaire; to provide for the administration of the questionnaire; to provide for the confidentiality of responses; to provide for information on resources and services; to provide for applicability; to provide a limitation of liability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative LaFleur to Engrossed House Bill No. 218 by Representative LaFleur

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 19, delete the comma "," and on page 2, at the beginning of line 1, delete "the school"

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of representatives who voted 'YEAS' in three columns.

Chassion	LaFleur	Villio
Chenevert	Landry, J.	Wilder
Coates	Landry, M.	Wiley
Cox	Landry, T.	Wyble
Deshotel	Larvadain	Zeringue
Dewitt	Lyons	
Dickerson	Mack	
Total - 91		

NAYS

Amedee	Horton	Owen
Crews	McCormick	Schamerhorn
Galle	Melerine	
Total - 8		

ABSENT

Farnum	Spell	Wright
LaCombe	Walters	Young
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Owen requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 218 as nay, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 223—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(3)(b) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(1)(h), relative to the Department of Children and Family Services, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Children and Family Services 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 for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Miller moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Echols	Marcelle
Adams	Edmonston	Martinez
Amedee	Egan	McCormick
Bacala	Farnum	McFarland
Bamburg	Firment	McMahan
Bayham	Fisher	McMakin
Beaullieu	Fontenot	Melerine
Berault	Freeman	Mena
Billings	Freiberg	Miller
Boudreaux	Gadberry	Moore
Bourriague	Galle	Murray
Boyd	Geymann	Muscarello
Boyer	Glorioso	Newell
Brass	Green	Owen
Braud	Hebert	Phelps
Broussard	Henry, C.	Riser

Bryant	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Butler	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Carlson	Horton	Schlegel
Carpenter	Illg	St. Blanc
Carrier	Jackson	Stagni
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carver	Jordan	Thomas
Chassion	Kerner	Thompson
Chenevert	LaCombe	Turner
Coates	LaFleur	Ventrella
Cox	Landry, J.	Villio
Crews	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Total - 99		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bagley	Orgeron	Walters
Knox	Spell	Young
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 224—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 603(4)(a), (14), (15), (17)(l), and (20), 616(F), 622(B)(4), 623(A), (D), and (E), 624(B) and (C), 631(B), 646(A) and (C), 672.3(C)(3), 679(B) through (F), 690(B)(3), 694(A), 695(A), (C), and (D), 696(B), 702(D)(2)(c), 704(A), 705(A), (C), and (D), 706(B), 740, 1004(G), 1112(B), 1269.1, 1269.2(B) and (C), 1269.7, 1279.6(A)(1), (B), and (C), 1404(1), and 1427(C)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (a), to enact Children's Code Articles 603(33), 646(F), 658.1, and 1003(15), and to repeal Children's Code Articles 650, 697, and 707, relative to the continuous revision of the Children's Code; to provide for definitions; to provide for a change in terminology; to provide with respect to absent parents, children, foster caregivers, pre-adoptive parents, and relatives providing care to a child; to require written findings of facts; to provide for intervention; to require notice to intervenors; to provide for the exclusion of intervenors; to provide for advising children and parents of their rights; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Michael Johnson moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	Martinez
Adams	Egan	McCormick
Amedee	Farnum	McFarland
Bagley	Firment	McMahan
Bamburg	Fisher	McMakin

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Bayham	Fontenot	Melerine
Beaulieu	Freiberg	Mena
Berault	Gadberry	Miller
Billings	Galle	Moore
Boudreaux	Geymann	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Newell
Boyd	Green	Orgeron
Boyer	Hebert	Owen
Brass	Henry, C.	Phelps
Braud	Henry, D.	Riser
Broussard	Hilferty	Sawyer
Bryant	Horton	Schamerhorn
Butler	Illg	Schlegel
Carlson	Jackson	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Tarver
Carter, R.	Jordan	Taylor
Carver	Kerner	Thomas
Chassion	Knox	Thompson
Chenevert	LaCombe	Turner
Coates	LaFleur	Ventrella
Cox	Landry, J.	Villio
Crews	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Echols	Marcelle	
Total - 98		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bacala	Murray	Young
Carter, W.	Spell	
Freeman	Walters	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 231—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:79(I), relative to temporary restraining orders and protective orders; to provide for conduct that constitutes violation of a protective order; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Boyer moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Dewitt	Lyons
Adams	Dickerson	Marcelle
Bacala	Domangue	Martinez
Bagley	Echols	McFarland
Bamburg	Edmonston	McMahan
Bayham	Egan	McMakin
Beaulieu	Farnum	Melerine

Berault	Fisher	Mena
Billings	Freeman	Miller
Boudreaux	Freiberg	Moore
Bourriaque	Gadberry	Murray
Boyd	Glorioso	Muscarello
Boyer	Green	Newell
Brass	Hebert	Orgeron
Braud	Henry, C.	Riser
Broussard	Henry, D.	Schlegel
Bryant	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Butler	Horton	Stagni
Carlson	Illg	Taylor
Carpenter	Jackson	Thomas
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Thompson
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carter, W.	Kerner	Ventrella
Carver	LaCombe	Villio
Chassion	LaFleur	Walters
Chenevert	Landry, J.	Wilder
Coates	Landry, M.	Wiley
Cox	Landry, T.	Wyble
Deshotel	Larvadain	Zeringue
Total - 87		

NAYS

Amedee	McCormick	Tarver
Crews	Owen	
Galle	Schamerhorn	
Total - 7		

ABSENT

Firment	Knox	Spell
Fontenot	Mack	Wright
Geymann	Phelps	Young
Jordan	Sawyer	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 235—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1281.27, relative to sewerage systems; to provide for the installation of individual sewerage systems in certain circumstances; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Wiley to Engrossed House Bill No. 235 by Representative Fontenot

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 8, after "sewerage" delete the remainder of the line and insert "system"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 9 in its entirety and insert "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, delete "state." and insert "state or local ordinances require connection to a community sewerage system."

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Domangue	McCormick
Adams	Edmonston	McFarland
Amedee	Egan	McMahan
Bacala	Farnum	McMakin
Bagley	Firment	Melerine
Bamburg	Fisher	Mena
Bayham	Fontenot	Miller
Beaullieu	Freeman	Moore
Berault	Freiberg	Newell
Billings	Gadberry	Orgeron
Boudreaux	Galle	Owen
Bourriaque	Geymann	Phelps
Boyd	Glorioso	Riser
Boyer	Green	Sawyer
Brass	Hebert	Schamerhorn
Braud	Henry, C.	Schlegel
Broussard	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Bryant	Horton	Tarver
Butler	Illg	Taylor
Carlson	Jackson	Thomas
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Thompson
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carter, R.	Jordan	Ventrella
Carter, W.	Kerner	Villio
Carver	LaFleur	Walters
Chassion	Landry, J.	Wilder
Chenevert	Landry, M.	Wiley
Cox	Landry, T.	Wright
Crews	Larvadain	Wyble
Deshotel	Lyons	Zeringue
Dewitt	Mack	
Dickerson	Martinez	
Total - 94		

**NAYS**

Coates	Marcelle	Stagni
Henry, D.	Murray	
LaCombe	Muscarello	
Total - 7		

**ABSENT**

Echols	Spell
Knox	Young
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Mandie Landry requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 235 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 246—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SPELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2605(B)(4) and 2605.1(B)(2) and (16), to enact R.S. 46:2605.1(B)(22), and to repeal R.S. 46:2605(34) and (37), relative to the Children's Cabinet Advisory Board; to provide for the membership of the Children's Cabinet Advisory Board; to provide for the membership of the Council on the Status of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Horton on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 246 by Representative Spell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, following "46:2605" and before "(34)" insert "(B)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 14, following "46:2605" and before "(34)" insert "(B)"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	McCormick
Adams	Egan	McFarland
Amedee	Farnum	McMahan
Bacala	Firment	McMakin
Bagley	Fisher	Melerine
Bamburg	Fontenot	Mena
Bayham	Freeman	Miller
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Moore
Berault	Gadberry	Murray
Billings	Galle	Muscarello
Boudreaux	Geymann	Newell
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyd	Green	Owen
Boyer	Hebert	Phelps
Brass	Henry, C.	Riser
Braud	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Broussard	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Butler	Illg	St. Blanc
Carlson	Jackson	Stagni
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thomas
Carter, W.	Kerner	Thompson
Chassion	LaCombe	Turner
Chenevert	LaFleur	Ventrella
Coates	Landry, J.	Villio

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Cox Landry, M. Walters
Crews Landry, T. Wilder
Deshotel Larvadain Wiley
Dewitt Lyons Wright
Dickerson Mack Wyble
Domangue Marcelle Zeringue
Echols Martinez

Total - 101

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carver Spell
Knox Young

Total - 4

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 338—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARVER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(4) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(1)(n), relative to certain agencies within the office of the governor, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of such agencies; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Carver moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker Echols McCormick
Adams Edmonston McFarland
Amedee Egan McMahan
Bacala Farnum McMakin
Bagley Firment Melerine
Bamburg Fisher Mena
Bayham Freeman Miller
Beaulieu Freiberg Moore
Berault Gadberry Murray
Billings Galle Muscarello
Boudreaux Geymann Newell
Bourriaque Glorioso Orgeron
Boyd Green Owen
Boyer Hebert Riser
Brass Henry, C. Sawyer
Braud Henry, D. Schamerhorn
Broussard Hilferty Schlegel
Bryant Horton St. Blanc
Butler Illg Stagni
Carlson Jackson Tarver
Carpenter Johnson, M. Taylor
Carrier Johnson, T. Thomas
Carter, R. Jordan Thompson
Carter, W. Kerner Turner
Carver Knox Ventrella
Chassion LaCombe Villio
Chenevert LaFleur Walters

Coates Landry, J. Wilder
Cox Landry, M. Wiley
Crews Landry, T. Wright
Deshotel Lyons Wyble
Dewitt Mack Zeringue
Dickerson Marcelle
Domangue Martinez

Total - 100

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fontenot Phelps Young
Larvadain Spell

Total - 5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 349—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOMANGUE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:5.10.1(B), relative to the Imported Seafood Safety Fund; to provide for the purpose and use of appropriated funds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Domangue gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 349 from the calendar on Wednesday, April 1, 2026.

HOUSE BILL NO. 352—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:173(A)(2)(introductory paragraph), (c), (e), and (h) and (D), relative to behavioral health services for public school students; to provide for related policies adopted by public school governing authorities; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

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

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Mack gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 352 from the calendar on Wednesday, April 1, 2026.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 379—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARVER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:425(B)(5), relative to election commissioners; to provide relative to the qualifications of election commissioners; to authorize a person who is seventeen years old and who is enrolled in the eleventh grade at a high school or participating at the eleventh grade level in a home study program to serve as an election commissioner under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Carver moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Farnum	McFarland
Bacala	Firment	McMahon
Bagley	Fisher	McMakin
Bamburg	Fontenot	Melerine
Bayham	Freeman	Mena
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Miller
Berault	Gadberry	Moore
Billings	Galle	Murray
Boudreaux	Glorioso	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Green	Newell
Boyd	Hebert	Orgeron
Boyer	Henry, C.	Owen
Brass	Henry, D.	Phelps
Braud	Hilferty	Riser
Broussard	Horton	Sawyer
Bryant	Illg	Schlegel
Butler	Jackson	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thomas
Carter, W.	Kerner	Thompson
Carver	Knox	Turner
Chassion	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Walters
Cox	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Edmonston	Marcelle	
Egan	Martinez	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Amedee	Geymann	Schamerhorn
Crews	McCormick	Tarver
Total - 6		

ABSENT

Adams	Echols	Young
Carlson	Spell	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 405—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE EGAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1358, relative to the practice of acupuncture; to provide for the licensure of acupuncturists; to provide for the name change of the national certifying organization; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Egan moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Echols	Marcelle
Adams	Edmonston	Martinez
Amedee	Egan	McCormick
Bacala	Farnum	McFarland
Bagley	Firment	McMahon
Bamburg	Fisher	McMakin
Bayham	Fontenot	Melerine
Beaullieu	Freeman	Mena
Berault	Freiberg	Miller
Billings	Gadberry	Moore
Boudreaux	Galle	Murray
Bourriaque	Geymann	Muscarello
Boyd	Glorioso	Newell
Boyer	Green	Orgeron
Brass	Hebert	Owen
Braud	Henry, C.	Phelps
Broussard	Henry, D.	Riser
Bryant	Hilferty	Sawyer
Butler	Horton	Schamerhorn
Carlson	Illg	Schlegel
Carpenter	Jackson	St. Blanc
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Stagni
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Tarver
Carter, W.	Jordan	Taylor
Carver	Kerner	Thomas
Chassion	Knox	Turner
Chenevert	LaCombe	Ventrella
Coates	LaFleur	Villio
Cox	Landry, J.	Walters
Crews	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Total - 102		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Spell	Thompson	Young
Total - 3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 429—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACOB LANDRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:61(A)(1) and (4) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and 67.24(C) and to enact R.S. 14:61(A)(5) and (6) and (B)(1)(c) and 128.1(A)(6) and (B)(6), relative to the unauthorized entry and theft of critical infrastructure; to add oil fields as critical infrastructure; to make unauthorized entry and theft of oil fields predicate crimes for terrorism; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Jacob Landry gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 429 from the calendar on Tuesday, April 7, 2026.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 535—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHENEVERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:46.12(E), relative to hospital-based paternity programs; to provide relative to a voluntary acknowledgment of paternity; to provide relative to the formality of a voluntary acknowledgment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Chenevert moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	McFarland
Amedee	Egan	McMahen
Bacala	Farnum	McMakin
Bagley	Firment	Melerine
Bamburg	Fisher	Mena
Bayham	Fontenot	Miller
Beaulieu	Freeman	Moore
Berault	Freiberg	Murray
Billings	Gadberry	Muscarello
Boudreaux	Galle	Newell
Bourriague	Geymann	Orgeron
Boyd	Glorioso	Owen
Boyer	Green	Riser
Brass	Hebert	Sawyer
Broussard	Henry, C.	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Henry, D.	Schlegel
Butler	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Carlson	Horton	Stagni
Carpenter	Illg	Tarver
Carrier	Jackson	Taylor
Carter, R.	Johnson, M.	Thomas
Carter, W.	Johnson, T.	Thompson
Carver	Kerner	Turner
Chassion	Knox	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Walters
Cox	Landry, M.	Wilder
Crews	Landry, T.	Wiley
Deshotel	Larvadain	Wright

Dewitt	Lyons	Wyble
Dickerson	Mack	Zeringue
Domangue	Marcelle	
Echols	Martinez	

Total - 97

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adams	LaCombe	Spell
Braud	McCormick	Young
Jordan	Phelps	

Total - 8

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 547—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1461.2(A)(11), relative to election offenses; to provide that no person shall knowingly, willfully, or intentionally photograph, record, or otherwise reproduce voter registration information in precinct registers; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Beaulieu sent up floor amendments on behalf of Rep. Thomas which were read as follows:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Thomas on behalf of Rep. Thomas to Engrossed House Bill No. 547 by Representative Thomas

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To enact" and before "relative to" delete "R.S. 18:1461.2(A)(11)," and insert "R.S. 18:1461.3(C)(5),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." and before "is hereby" delete "R.S. 18:1461.2(A)(11)" and insert "R.S. 18:1461.3(C)(5)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 8 through 10 and insert the following:

"§1461.3. Election offenses affecting election officials or watchers; penalties

\* \* \*

C. No person shall knowingly, willfully, or intentionally:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 12, delete "(11)" and insert "(5)"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Dickerson	McFarland
Adams	Domangue	McMahon
Amedee	Echols	McMakin
Bacala	Edmonston	Melerine
Bagley	Farnum	Mena
Bamburg	Firment	Miller
Bayham	Fisher	Moore
Beaulieu	Fontenot	Murray
Berault	Freiberg	Muscarello
Billings	Gadberry	Newell
Boudreaux	Galle	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Geymann	Owen
Boyd	Glorioso	Riser
Boyer	Green	Sawyer
Brass	Henry, C.	Schamerhorn
Braud	Henry, D.	Schlegel
Broussard	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Bryant	Horton	Stagni
Butler	Illg	Tarver
Carlson	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carpenter	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carrier	Jordan	Thompson
Carter, R.	Kerner	Turner
Carter, W.	LaCombe	Ventrella
Carver	Landry, M.	Villio
Chenevert	Landry, T.	Wilder
Coates	Larvadain	Wiley
Cox	Lyons	Wright
Crews	Mack	Wyble
Deshotel	Marcelle	Zeringue
Dewitt	Martinez	
Total - 92		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Chassion	Knox	Spell
Egan	LaFleur	Walters
Freeman	Landry, J.	Young
Hebert	McCormick	
Jackson	Phelps	
Total - 13		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Domangue requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 547 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 577—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLORIOSO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1892(B)(1)(a), relative to insurance; to provide relative to the calculation of damages on the amount found to be due from the insurer to the insured; to provide for the method of determining damages; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 588—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DOMANGUE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:5.5.3(D)(15) through (17), relative to the Seafood Safety Task Force; to add members to the task force; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**Notice of Intention to Call**

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Domangue gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 588 from the calendar on Wednesday, April 1, 2026.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 626—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1819, relative to suicide prevention; to implement recommendations made by the Task Force on African American Suicide Rates; to require public post-secondary education institutions to provide certain information regarding suicide prevention; to provide for the collection and sharing of aggregated, nonidentifiable data on suicide risk assessments; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 636—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LAFLEUR, BOYD, BROUSSARD, CARLSON, CARPENTER, CARVER, EDMONSTON, FREIBERG, TERRY LANDRY, MARTINEZ, OWEN, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, AND TAYLOR AND SENATORS BOUDREAUX AND PRICE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1801 and to repeal R.S. 17:1801.1, relative to hazing of students at public postsecondary education institutions; to provide for the prevention of, reporting of, and response to hazing; to provide for definitions; to provide for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. LaFleur moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	McCormick
Adams	Egan	McFarland
Amedee	Farnum	McMahon
Bacala	Firment	McMakin
Bagley	Fisher	Melerine
Bamburg	Fontenot	Mena
Bayham	Freeman	Miller
Beaulieu	Freiberg	Moore

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Berault	Gadberry	Murray
Billings	Galle	Muscarello
Boudreaux	Geymann	Newell
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyd	Green	Owen
Boyer	Hebert	Phelps
Brass	Henry, C.	Riser
Braud	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Broussard	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Butler	Illg	St. Blanc
Carlson	Jackson	Stagni
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thomas
Carter, W.	Kerner	Thompson
Carver	Knox	Turner
Chassion	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Walters
Cox	Landry, M.	Wilder
Crews	Landry, T.	Wiley
Deshotel	Larvadain	Wright
Dewitt	Lyons	Wyble
Dickerson	Mack	Young
Domangue	Marcelle	Zeringue
Echols	Martinez	

Total - 104

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Spell

Total - 1

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Bryant requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 636 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 626—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1819, relative to suicide prevention; to implement recommendations made by the Task Force on African American Suicide Rates; to require public post-secondary education institutions to provide certain information regarding suicide prevention; to provide for the collection and sharing of aggregated, nonidentifiable data on suicide risk assessments; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Jordan moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Echols	McCormick
Adams	Edmonston	McFarland
Amedee	Egan	McMahan
Bacala	Farnum	McMakin
Bagley	Fisher	Melerine
Bamburg	Fontenot	Mena
Bayham	Freeman	Miller
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Moore
Berault	Gadberry	Murray
Billings	Galle	Muscarello
Boudreaux	Geymann	Newell
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyd	Green	Owen
Boyer	Hebert	Phelps
Brass	Henry, C.	Riser
Braud	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Broussard	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Butler	Illg	St. Blanc
Carlson	Jackson	Stagni
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thomas
Carter, W.	Kerner	Thompson
Carver	Knox	Turner
Chassion	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Walters
Cox	Landry, M.	Wilder
Crews	Landry, T.	Wiley
Deshotel	Larvadain	Wright
Dewitt	Lyons	Zeringue
Dickerson	Mack	
Domangue	Martinez	

Total - 100

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Firment

Spell

Young

Marcelle

Wyble

Total - 5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 652—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRAUD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:421(B)(5) through (15), (C), and (E)(4) and to enact R.S. 56:421(B)(16), relative to the Oyster Task Force; to add one member to the task force appointed by the commissioner of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to add the Department of Agriculture and Forestry as an entity that receives recommendations from the task force relative to the oyster industry and production; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Braud moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adams	Edmonston	McCormick
Amedee	Egan	McFarland
Bacala	Farnum	McMahan
Bagley	Firment	McMakin
Bamburg	Fisher	Melerine
Bayham	Fontenot	Mena
Beaullieu	Freeman	Miller
Berault	Freiberg	Moore
Billings	Gadberry	Murray
Boudreaux	Galle	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Geymann	Newell
Boyd	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyer	Green	Owen
Brass	Hebert	Phelps
Braud	Henry, C.	Riser
Broussard	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Bryant	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Butler	Horton	Schlegel
Carlson	Illg	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Jackson	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thomas
Carver	Kerner	Thompson
Chassion	Knox	Turner
Chenevert	LaCombe	Ventrella
Coates	LaFleur	Villio
Cox	Landry, J.	Walters
Crews	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Young
Echols	Martinez	Zeringue

Total - 102

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Mr. Speaker	Marcelle	Spell
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Total - 3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 653—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:421(B)(10) and (E)(4), relative to the Oyster Task Force; to provide for the membership of the task force; to add the Department of Agriculture and Forestry as an entity that receives recommendations from the task force relative to the oyster industry; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Bayham moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	Martinez
Adams	Egan	McCormick
Amedee	Farnum	McMahan
Bacala	Firment	Melerine
Bagley	Fisher	Mena
Bamburg	Fontenot	Miller
Bayham	Freeman	Moore
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Murray
Berault	Gadberry	Muscarello
Billings	Galle	Newell
Boudreaux	Glorioso	Orgeron
Bourriaque	Green	Owen
Boyd	Hebert	Phelps
Boyer	Henry, C.	Riser
Brass	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Broussard	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Butler	Illg	St. Blanc
Carlson	Jackson	Stagni
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thomas
Carter, W.	Kerner	Thompson
Carver	Knox	Turner
Chassion	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Wilder
Crews	Landry, T.	Wiley
Deshotel	Larvadain	Wright
Dewitt	Lyons	Zeringue
Dickerson	Mack	
Echols	Marcelle	

Total - 94

NAYS

Braud	Domangue	Wyble
Cox	McMakin	

Total - 5

ABSENT

Geymann	McFarland	Walters
Landry, M.	Spell	Young

Total - 6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 669—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON  
AN ACT

To authorize the use of certain state property near Grand Isle for seafood research; to provide relative to the specification of the boundaries and size of the areas in which the research will be conducted; to provide relative to protecting the state's natural resources; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Orgeron moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Domangue	Mack
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Adams	Echols	Martinez
Amedee	Edmonston	McCormick
Bacala	Egan	McMahon
Bagley	Farnum	McMakin
Bamburg	Firment	Melerine
Bayham	Fisher	Mena
Beaulieu	Freeman	Miller
Berault	Freiberg	Moore
Billings	Gadberry	Murray
Boudreaux	Galle	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Geymann	Newell
Boyd	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyer	Green	Owen
Brass	Hebert	Phelps
Braud	Henry, C.	Riser
Broussard	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Bryant	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Butler	Horton	Schlegel
Carlson	Illg	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Jackson	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thomas
Carver	Kerner	Thompson
Chassion	Knox	Turner
Chenevert	LaCombe	Ventrella
Coates	LaFleur	Villio
Cox	Landry, J.	Wilder
Crews	Landry, M.	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wright
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wyble
Dickerson	Lyons	Zeringue
Total - 99		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Fontenot	McFarland	Walters
Marcelle	Spell	Young
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 688—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:8(70)(b), relative to saltwater game fish; to add Atlantic tarpon to the definition of saltwater game fish; to update the names of certain saltwater game fish; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Orgeron moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	Martinez
Adams	Egan	McCormick
Amedee	Farnum	McMahon
Bacala	Firment	McMakin

Bagley	Fisher	Melerine
Bamburg	Fontenot	Mena
Bayham	Freeman	Miller
Beaulieu	Freiberg	Moore
Berault	Gadberry	Murray
Billings	Galle	Muscarello
Boudreaux	Geymann	Newell
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyd	Green	Owen
Boyer	Hebert	Phelps
Brass	Henry, C.	Riser
Braud	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Broussard	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Butler	Illg	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Jackson	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thomas
Carver	Kerner	Thompson
Chassion	Knox	Turner
Chenevert	LaCombe	Ventrella
Coates	LaFleur	Villio
Cox	Landry, J.	Walters
Crews	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Young
Echols	Marcelle	Zeringue
Total - 102		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Carlson	McFarland	Spell
Total - 3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 691—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:49.2, relative to the verification of citizenship of registered voters; to provide for submission of state voter information to the Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements program; to provide for investigation by the division of election integrity into potential noncitizens who are registered to vote; to provide for submitting investigatory findings to the appropriate prosecutorial agency; to provide for the challenge to registration by the registrar of voters; to provide for the duties of the secretary of state; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide relative to appropriations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Wilford Carter to Engrossed House Bill No. 691 by Representative Beaulieu

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "submission of" and before "state" insert "certain"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "program;" and before "to provide" insert "to provide for notice and an opportunity to correct a misidentification;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 16, after "SAVE" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert "the name and address of every"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 18, after "data" and before "The" delete "exists." and insert "exists for a check against the SAVE program data."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, at the end of line 19, insert "No information other than the name and address of each registrant shall be submitted to SAVE."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 2, after "registrant to the" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert "appropriate parish registrar of voters. That registrar shall notify the potential noncitizen registrant that he or she has been identified as a potential noncitizen registrant and that he or she has twenty-one days to submit documentation or other information acceptable to the registrar to correct the potential misidentification. If the registrant fails to produce adequate information to correct a misidentification pursuant to the provisions of this Section, the registrar shall submit the name of the noncitizen registrant to the division of election integrity for investigation."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, delete "secretary" and insert "registrar"

Rep. Wilford Carter moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Beaulieu objected.

By a vote of 30 yeas and 71 nays, the amendments were rejected.

Rep. Beaulieu moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Dewitt	McMahan
Adams	Dickerson	McMakin
Amedee	Domangue	Melerine
Bacala	Echols	Muscarello
Bagley	Edmonston	Orgeron
Bamburg	Egan	Owen
Bayham	Farnum	Riser
Beaulieu	Firment	Sawyer
Berault	Fontenot	Schamerhorn
Billings	Freiberg	Schlegel
Boudreaux	Gadberry	St. Blanc
Bourriaque	Galle	Stagni
Boyer	Geymann	Tarver
Braud	Glorioso	Taylor

Broussard	Hebert	Thomas
Butler	Henry, C.	Thompson
Carlson	Hilferty	Turner
Carrier	Horton	Ventrella
Carter, R.	Illg	Villio
Carver	Johnson, M.	Wilder
Chenevert	Kerner	Wiley
Coates	Landry, J.	Wright
Cox	Mack	Wyble
Crews	McCormick	Zeringue
Deshotel	McFarland	
Total - 74		

NAYS

Boyd	Jackson	Martinez
Brass	Johnson, T.	Mena
Bryant	Jordan	Miller
Carpenter	Knox	Moore
Carter, W.	LaFleur	Murray
Chasson	Landry, M.	Newell
Fisher	Landry, T.	Phelps
Freeman	Larvadain	Walters
Green	Lyons	Young
Henry, D.	Marcelle	
Total - 29		

ABSENT

LaCombe	Spell
Total - 2	

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Schamerhorn requested the House consent to record his vote on final passage of House Bill No. 691 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 721—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:499.4, relative to commercial shrimping; to create an exception to the prohibition on night shrimping in inside waters of the state; to allow commercial shrimping in certain inside waters beginning at 5:30 a.m.; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Kerner moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	McCormick
Adams	Egan	McFarland
Amedee	Farnum	McMahan
Bacala	Firment	McMakin
Bagley	Fisher	Melerine
Bamburg	Fontenot	Mena
Bayham	Freeman	Miller
Beaulieu	Freiberg	Moore
Berault	Gadberry	Murray

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Billings	Galle	Muscarello
Boudreaux	Geymann	Newell
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyd	Green	Owen
Boyer	Hebert	Phelps
Brass	Henry, C.	Riser
Braud	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Broussard	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Butler	Illg	St. Blanc
Carlson	Jackson	Stagni
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thomas
Carter, W.	Kerner	Thompson
Carver	Knox	Turner
Chassion	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Walters
Cox	Landry, M.	Wilder
Crews	Landry, T.	Wiley
Deshotel	Larvadain	Wright
Dewitt	Lyons	Wyble
Dickerson	Mack	Zeringue
Domangue	Marcelle	
Echols	Martinez	

Total - 103

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Spell Young

Total - 2

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 738—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCMAKIN AND STAGNI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3394(B), (D), (E), and (F)(1) and to enact R.S. 17:3394(F)(4) and (5), relative to disciplinary proceedings at public postsecondary education institutions; to provide relative to an appeals process; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative McMakin to Engrossed House Bill No. 738 by Representative McMakin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(D)," and before "and (F)(1)" delete "(E)," and insert "(E)(1)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "(D)," and before "and (F)(1)" delete "(E)," and insert "(E)(1)."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the beginning of line 24, delete "(1)" and insert "(1)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete line 3 and insert the following:

"(b)(i) Notwithstanding Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph, in any disciplinary"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, at the beginning of line 7, delete "(b)" and insert "(ii)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the beginning of line 10, delete "(c)" and insert "(iii)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, delete lines 13 through 29 and on page 4, delete lines 1 through 8 and insert asterisks:

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	Martinez
Adams	Egan	McCormick
Amedee	Farnum	McFarland
Bacala	Firment	McMahan
Bagley	Fisher	McMakin
Bamburg	Fontenot	Mena
Bayham	Freeman	Miller
Beaulieu	Freiberg	Moore
Berault	Gadberry	Murray
Billings	Galle	Muscarello
Boudreaux	Geymann	Newell
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyd	Green	Owen
Boyer	Hebert	Phelps
Brass	Henry, C.	Riser
Braud	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Broussard	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Bryant	Horton	Schlegel
Butler	Illg	St. Blanc
Carlson	Jackson	Stagni
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Taylor
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Thomas
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thompson
Carter, W.	Kerner	Turner
Carver	Knox	Ventrella
Chassion	LaCombe	Villio
Chenevert	LaFleur	Walters
Coates	Landry, J.	Wilder
Cox	Landry, M.	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wright
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wyble
Dickerson	Lyons	Zeringue
Domangue	Mack	
Echols	Marcelle	

Total - 100

NAYS

Total - 0  
 ABESENT  
 Crews Spell Young  
 Melerine Tarver  
 Total - 5

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.  
 The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 806—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:100(B)(2) and (D), relative to hit-and-run driving offenses; to provide for considerations when setting bail for hit-and-run driving offenses; to direct the law enforcement agency responding to a hit-and-run offense to use a certain system to notify all law enforcement agencies of the offense; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative LaFleur to Engrossed House Bill No. 806 by Representative LaFleur

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 14, change "R.S. 100(B)" to "R.S. 14:100(B)"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Echols	Marcelle
Adams	Edmonston	Martinez
Amedee	Egan	McCormick
Bacala	Firment	McFarland
Bagley	Fisher	McMahan
Bamburg	Fontenot	McMakin
Bayham	Freeman	Mena
Beaullieu	Freiberg	Miller
Berault	Gadberry	Moore
Billings	Galle	Murray
Boudreaux	Geymann	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Glorioso	Newell
Boyd	Green	Orgeron
Boyer	Hebert	Owen
Brass	Henry, C.	Phelps
Braud	Henry, D.	Riser
Broussard	Hilferty	Sawyer
Bryant	Horton	Schamerhorn
Butler	Illg	Schlegel
Carlson	Jackson	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, R.	Jordan	Thomas

Carter, W.	Kerner	Thompson
Carver	Knox	Turner
Chasson	LaCombe	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaFleur	Villio
Coates	Landry, J.	Walters
Cox	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Total - 99		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Crews	Melerine	Tarver
Farnum	Spell	Young
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Consent to Correct a Vote Record**

Rep. Dickerson requested the House consent to record her vote on final passage of House Bill No. 806 as yea, which consent was unanimously granted.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 851—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ILLG, COATES, COX, DESHOTEL, DEWITT, DICKERSON, DOMANGUE, GEYMAN, GREEN, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JACOB LANDRY, MANDIE LANDRY, MACK, MOORE, ORGERON, RISER, SAWYER, SCHAMERHORN, AND ZERINGUE AND SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2531(A)(4) and to enact R.S. 30:2531(A)(5), relative to littering; to prevent the intentional release of balloons; to provide for exceptions and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Horton on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 851 by Representative Illg

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, change "Subparagraph" to "Paragraph"

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Edmonston	Martinez
Adams	Egan	McCormick

Amedee	Firment	McFarland
Bacala	Fisher	McMahan
Bagley	Fontenot	Mena
Bamburg	Freeman	Miller
Bayham	Freiberg	Moore
Beaullieu	Gadberry	Murray
Berault	Galle	Newell
Billings	Geymann	Orgeron
Boudreaux	Glorioso	Owen
Bourriaque	Green	Riser
Boyd	Hebert	Sawyer
Boyer	Henry, C.	Schamerhorn
Brass	Henry, D.	Schlegel
Braud	Hilferty	St. Blanc
Broussard	Horton	Stagni
Butler	Illg	Taylor
Carlson	Jackson	Thomas
Carpenter	Johnson, M.	Thompson
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Turner
Carver	Kerner	Ventrella
Chenevert	LaCombe	Villio
Coates	LaFleur	Wilder
Cox	Landry, J.	Wiley
Deshotel	Landry, M.	Wright
Dewitt	Landry, T.	Wyble
Dickerson	Lyons	Zeringue
Domangue	Mack	
Echols	Marcelle	
Total - 88		

NAYS

Carter, W.	Jordan	Muscarello
Chassion	McMakin	Walters
Total - 6		

ABSENT

Bryant	Knox	Spell
Carrier	Larvadain	Tarver
Crews	Melerine	Young
Farnum	Phelps	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 857—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4749.2(B)(introductory paragraph) and (1) and (D)(introductory paragraph), relative to imported seafood; to require labeling of commingled seafood; to provide penalties for commingled seafood labeled as domestic; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Kerner moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Echols	Martinez
Adams	Edmonston	McCormick
Amedee	Egan	McFarland

Bacala	Farnum	McMahan
Bagley	Firment	McMakin
Bamburg	Fisher	Melerine
Bayham	Fontenot	Mena
Beaullieu	Freeman	Miller
Berault	Freiberg	Moore
Billings	Gadberry	Murray
Boudreaux	Galle	Muscarello
Bourriaque	Geymann	Newell
Boyd	Glorioso	Orgeron
Boyer	Green	Owen
Brass	Hebert	Phelps
Braud	Henry, C.	Riser
Broussard	Henry, D.	Sawyer
Bryant	Hilferty	Schamerhorn
Butler	Horton	Schlegel
Carlson	Illg	St. Blanc
Carpenter	Jackson	Stagni
Carrier	Johnson, M.	Tarver
Carter, R.	Johnson, T.	Taylor
Carter, W.	Jordan	Thomas
Carver	Kerner	Thompson
Chassion	Knox	Turner
Chenevert	LaCombe	Ventrella
Coates	LaFleur	Villio
Cox	Landry, J.	Walters
Crews	Landry, M.	Wilder
Deshotel	Landry, T.	Wiley
Dewitt	Larvadain	Wright
Dickerson	Lyons	Wyble
Domangue	Mack	Zeringue
Total - 102		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Marcelle	Spell	Young
Total - 3		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Michael Johnson, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions at this time.

**Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1115—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 10:3-321, relative to negotiable instruments; to provide protections against duplicate presentment of checks; to provide for definitions; to provide an indemnity for a holder in due course of a paper check previously deposited by remote deposit capture; to provide for jurisdiction; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Adams, the bill was withdrawn from the files of the House.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1147—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4911(D), relative to the jurisdiction of the justice of the peace courts; to provide for an increase in the jurisdictional amount for justice of the peace courts in parishes with a population of less than 26,000 persons; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1148—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR  
AN ACT

To amend and enact R.S. 13:36, relative to the authority of the judiciary commission; to limit the authority of the commission with respect to the review of the deliberative process of judges and other matters; to provide for prospective and retroactive application; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1149—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FISHER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:280.4, relative to curricula; to provide relative to required instruction for certain public school students; to require instruction on artificial intelligence; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1150—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2111, relative to student screenings; to require schools to administer trauma screenings to students; to require the Louisiana Department of Health to provide a screening tool to each school board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1151—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:601.8, relative to the investments of domestic insurers; to provide for solvency; to provide for equity interests of life insurers and insurers other than life insurers; to provide for limitations on equity held by an insurer; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1152—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES RISER AND BRASS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:1110(A)(2), (B)(1), (C)(introductory paragraph) and (1)(d) and (f) through (h), (D), and (H) and to enact R.S. 30:1103(10) and 1110(J) and (K), relative to carbon dioxide storage facility fees; to provide definitions; to provide for the authority of the Natural Resources Trust Authority; to establish a Carbon Dioxide Community Safety and Protection program; to establish a Carbon Dioxide Community Protection Account; to establish a Local Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness Subaccount; to authorize the collection of fees from carbon dioxide storage facilities; to provide for authorized uses of monies within the account and subaccount; to provide for eligible recipients of monies in the account and subaccount; to provide for the promulgation of rules; to prove relative to the Carbon Dioxide Geologic Storage Trust Fund; to require record keeping and reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1153—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE COATES  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1602.1, relative to outdoor burning; to authorize parishes and municipalities to declare temporary burn bans during hazardous fire conditions; to provide for enforcement; to provide for civil penalties; to establish criminal penalties when violations cause significant property damage or damage to critical infrastructure; to provide for restitution and recovery of fire suppression costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1154—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLORIOSO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1060.1(9) through (12), 1060.9 and R.S. 46:153.3.3, relative to prior authorizations for medications; to provide for requirements for certain generic medications prescribed by qualified physicians; to provide for definitions; to require health insurance coverage for medication; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1155—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1274.2, relative to physicians; to provide for the use of nitrous oxide in certain circumstances; to provide for guidance established by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1156—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:1104(C)(introductory paragraph) and (E) and 1104.2(I), to enact R.S. 30:1103(17) through (46) and Part II of Chapter 11 of Subtitle I of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 30:1121 through 1121.51, and to repeal R.S. 30:1107.1, 1107.2, 1113,

and 1114, relative to safety regulations for carbon dioxide sequestration; to provide definitions; to provide for construction with other applicable laws, regulations, and authority; to make carbon dioxide sequestration and transport subject to the Right-to-Know laws; to provide for emergency preparedness and response; to provide for educational materials; to provide Class VI injection well application requirements; to establish safety regulations for Class VI injection wells and storage facilities; to provide for the duties of Class VI permittees; to provide for facility financial security requirements; to provide for facility and pipeline siting requirements; to require certain modeling; to provide for well construction, completion, and operating requirements; to provide for groundwater monitoring and contamination; to provide for required storage facility plans; to provide for facility reporting and records retention; to provide mechanical integrity requirements; to provide plugging and abandonment requirements; to provide site care and closure requirements; to establish safety regulations for pipelines transporting carbon dioxide for sequestration; to provide pipeline design, construction, operating, and maintenance requirements; to provide for pipeline conversion; to provide pipeline monitoring, reporting, and record keeping requirements; to require procedural manuals for pipelines; to require emergency response training; to provide for pipeline personnel; to provide for public awareness; to provide requirements for pipelines in high consequence areas; to provide for enforcement and violations; to provide for the powers and duties of the secretary of the Department of Conservation and Energy; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to make certain technical changes and redesignations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1157—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:4(B)(39), R.S. 48:77.3, and Subpart B of Part V of Chapter 1 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 48:81 through 87, relative to funding certain entities for infrastructure related projects; to create the Louisiana State Infrastructure Bank within the office of the governor; to provide for a board of directors; to provide for membership, duties, and authority of the board; to provide for technical support coordination with the Department of Transportation and Development, the Louisiana Department of Treasury, and Louisiana Economic Development; to provide for adoption of bylaws, rules, and regulations by the board; to create the Louisiana State Infrastructure Fund; to create certain special accounts within the fund; to provide for receipt, administration, and expenditure of monies allotted for the fund; to provide for investment and disposition of monies of the fund; to authorize the bank to incur debt and issue bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness and to guarantee the debt of other entities; to authorize loans and other financial assistance from the fund to certain entities, including private entities participating in public infrastructure projects as permitted by federal law; to provide procedures to enter into such indebtedness; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1158—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3221(B)(3)(f), relative to registration of pesticides; to require certain warning or caution statements on the labeling of pesticides; to require that all warnings or

caution statements on the pesticide match the safety warnings on the United States Environmental Protection Agency-registered product label; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1159—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE COX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:43(A)(4) and 46(C), relative to the authorization to use automated and electronic speed enforcement devices in certain municipalities; to provide an exception to the prohibition against the use of automated and electronic speed enforcement devices for certain municipalities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1160—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1275.3, relative to the practice of medicine; to provide for licensure of certain international physicians; to provide for a restricted rural physician license; to provide for eligibility requirements; to provide for practice limitations and supervision; to provide for conversion to an unrestricted license; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1161—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT  
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in Lafourche Parish; to provide for the property description; to provide for the reservation of mineral rights; to provide terms and conditions; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1162—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GLORIOSO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1892(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 22:1892(L), relative to the payment and adjustment of insurance claims; to require insurers to verify contractor licensing before issuing certain payments; to provide for a safe harbor from penalties for payment delays related to contractor verification; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1163—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANCE HENRY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:652(B), relative to the sale of fireworks; to provide for when permissible items of fireworks may be sold at retail; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1164—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MENA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1581.1, relative to fuel gas alarms; to require fuel gas alarms in dwellings containing gas appliances or connections; to provide for definitions; to provide for rulemaking authority; to provide for enforcement in conjunction with existing building inspections; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1165—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.12 and to repeal R.S. 13:1952(7) and Part VII of Chapter 7 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 13:2488.51 through 2488.59, relative to the courts of Avoyelles Parish; to eliminate the city court of Bunkie; to eliminate the city court of Marksville; to provide for the creation of an additional judgeship in the Twelfth Judicial District Court; to provide for an election; to provide for the jurisdiction of the additional judgeship; to provide for qualifications; to provide for compensation; to provide for the term of office; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1166—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARVER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3196(introductory paragraph) and (2), (4), and (6), 3197(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (3), (8), (9), and (12), 3198 (A)(1) and (2)(a), 3198.1(A) and (B), and 3199(A), and R.S. 37:1455(A)(introductory paragraph) and (33), and to enact R.S. 9:3196(7), relative to real estate; to require certain disclosures; to provide for the duties of sellers and real estate agents; to provide for applicability and exemptions; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1167—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLORIOSO

AN ACT

To designate the elevated portion of Louisiana Highway 433 in Slidell, Louisiana as the "Emile 'Uncle Tobe' Galatas Bridge"; to designate a portion of United States Highway 11 in Pearl River, Louisiana as the "Captain Steven Gaudet, Jr. Memorial Highway"; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1168—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.40.3, relative to requirements for materials used in construction projects; to provide relative to precast concrete pilings; to provide for definitions; to require compliance with Department of Transportation and

Development standards for precast concrete pilings in public or private construction projects; to provide for rulemaking authority; to provide for requirements for permitting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1169—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE KERNER

AN ACT

To require the return of certain private property or property rights acquired by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority for the Mid-Barataria Sediment Diversion project; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1170—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOMANGUE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1604.8, relative to preference for Louisiana seafood; to provide for purchasing agents of the state to give preference to seafood from Louisiana; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1171—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:109.5 and to repeal R.S. 56:109.4, relative to the use of airboats; to provide for the use of airboats within the Maurepas Swamp Wildlife Management Area; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1172—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARRIER

AN ACT

To designate a portion of United States Highway 165 in Oberlin, Louisiana, as the "Kulyn Brooks Manuel Memorial Highway"; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1173—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:429.4(E) and 863.1.2(B), relative to the terms of installment agreements for outstanding fines, penalties, and fees owed to the office of motor vehicles; to extend the issuance of certain late fees for failure to make timely payments; to provide for requirements before a person is removed from the Reinstatement Relief Program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1174—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIAQUE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(3)(b) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(1)(o), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Transportation and Development and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1175—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 2:1(28) through (36), relative to aerospace facilities and aerospace activities; to provide for definitions; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to alphabetize and renumber definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1176—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1077.6, relative to integrative care services; to require Medicare Advantage coverage for integrative care services; to provide for definitions; to outline applicability and effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1177—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:4(65), relative to public records; to provide an exemption for private information collected by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries for the issuance of hunting and fishing licenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1178—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KNOX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1260(C)(5)(hh) and (ii), relative to the Major Events Incentive Program; to provide for qualifying major events; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1179—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1703.2, relative to ad valorem tax exemptions; to extend eligibility for ad valorem tax exemptions for certain manufacturing activities and facilities; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1180—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:931.1, relative to life insurance; to prohibit denial of life insurance benefits following suicide; to establish limitations on suicide exclusions; to require notice; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1181—

BY REPRESENTATIVE VENTRELLA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9038.32(B) and to enact R.S. 33:9038.43, relative to cooperative economic development; to provide relative to economic development districts created for purposes of such development and authorized to engage in tax increment financing; to provide for the boundaries of such districts; to provide relative to the levy of taxes by the districts; to provide relative to the continuation of such taxes; to provide relative to voter approval of tax propositions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1182—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EGAN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3006(introductory paragraph) and (2), 3007, 3008, 3009(B) and (D), 3012(B)(3), and 3013(A), relative to occupational therapists and occupational therapy assistants; to provide for the requirements for licensure; to provide for the examination for licensure; to provide for waiver requirements for licensure; to provide for the issuance of licenses; to provide for the renewal of licenses; to provide for licensure fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1183—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1667.1.1, relative to supplemental pay for law enforcement officers; to provide for supplemental pay for law enforcement officers employed by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections as a probation or parole officer; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1184—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARLSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:199.1 and to enact R.S. 17:351.1(F), Subpart A of Part I of Chapter 4 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1421, and 3393(A)(2)(d)(iii), R.S. 24:38.1, R.S. 38:2216.2, and R.S. 39:200.1 and 1602.3 relative to public contracts; to prohibit contracts by certain public entities for certain technology services or products unless certain conditions are met; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1185—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

AN ACT

To enact Part V-B of Subchapter B of Chapter 5-D of Title 40, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1190.1 through 1190.5, relative to payment methodologies for hospitals; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for reimbursements and directed payments for other rural hospitals; to provide for the promulgation of rules; to provide for duties of the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1186—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACOB LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(a), R.S. 37:21(B)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 42:262(A), and R.S. 44:4(51) and 4.1(24), to enact R.S. 37:21(B)(12) and (13), Chapter 62 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:3727 through 3750, and R.S. 44:4(65), and to repeal Part IV-A of Chapter 8 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:1730.21 through 1730.40.2, relative to the Louisiana Uniform Construction Code Commission; to provide legislative purpose; to provide for definitions; to create the Louisiana Uniform Construction Code Commission; to provide for the membership of the commission; to provide for per diem and travel reimbursement for members of the commission; to provide for powers of the commission; to provide for rulemaking authority; to provide authority to collect fees; to provide for duties of the commission; to provide for record-keeping; to provide for domicile of the commission; to provide for regular meetings of the commission; to provide procedures for commission meetings; to provide for adoption and amendment of a Uniform Construction Code; to provide for legislative oversight of the code; to provide for periodic review of the code; to provide for mandatory adoption of certain nationally-recognized codes; to provide for applicability of codes for building inspections; to provide for powers of the state fire marshal; to provide for enforcement of the code by municipalities and parishes; to exempt certain facilities from the code; to provide for injunctive relief for code violations; to provide for agreements by public entities relative to code enforcement; to provide for appointment of building officials; to provide relative to conflicts of interest of inspectors; to provide for inspector license types and classifications; to provide for application and renewal requirements and procedures for licenses; to provide for public records exemptions; to provide for required disclosures by applicants; to provide for licensing fees; to provide for disciplinary procedures; to provide for fines and penalties to direct the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information to provide certain criminal history information to the commission; to exempt the commission from certain limitations on disciplinary proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1187—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SAWYER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2297(D)(2), 2307(G), and 2317 and to enact R.S. 22:2292(A)(13), relative to emergency assessments of the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to provide for definitions; to provide for the disposition of certain monies; to provide for deposit authorization of certain monies; to provide for certain prerequisites; to provide for administrative costs; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1188—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARLSON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 35 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2161 through 2163, relative to the use of companion chatbots by minors; to provide for definitions; to provide for required consent of a parent or guardian; to provide requirements relative to account termination; to provide certain consumer protections for minors use of companion chatbots; to provide for penalties; to provide a civil cause of action; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1189—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:302.9(A)(1)(b) and (3), relative to charter boat fishing guides; to require that freshwater charter boat fishing guides obtain a United States Coast Guard captain's license; to remove the requirement that the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries provide information about federal law to freshwater charter boat fishing guides; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1190—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1551(B), relative to coroners; to provide for the time frame for disposition of a body by the coroner; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1191—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACOB LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:29.3, relative to certificates of compliance for oilfield and exploration and production sites; to establish a certificate of compliance process for oilfield and exploration and production sites; to provide definitions; to provide for procedural requirements; to provide for certificates of compliance; to provide for corrective action; to provide for venue; to authorize department fees; to authorize department rulemaking; to provide for a public records exemption; to provide for applicability to certain suits; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1192—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.243, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to establish the "Louisiana Dental Hygienists' Association" special prestige license plate; to provide for the issuance, design, implementation, fees, distribution, and rule promulgation applicable to such license plates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1193—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SAWYER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:214.6.11, relative to Indefinite Delivery, Indefinite Quantity construction phase and supply contracts; to authorize the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority to use Indefinite Delivery, Indefinite Quantity (ID/IQ) contracting for certain projects and procurement; to provide for single or multiple competitive low-bid and best value ID/IQ construction phase and ID/IQ supply contracts including multiple work orders, multiple purchase orders, and multiple awards; to provide for definitions; to provide for procedures and requirements for contracting; to provide contract term limits; to provide for severability; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1194—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:296(B)(4) and (5), (C), (D)(1) through (3), (4)(a)(iii), (6)(a), (7)(e), (9), and (10), and to enact R.S. 3:296(D)(11) and (12), relative to the Healthy Food Retail Act; to expand and enhance the healthy food financing program to improve access to affordable fresh food in underserved communities and food deserts; to require the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry identify and map food deserts, develop an elimination plan with benchmarks, and prioritize and fund certain projects; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1195—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WYBLE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:64, 65(C)(introductory paragraph), 67(A), 82, and 82.2 and to enact R.S. 4:82.3, relative to the Louisiana State Athletic Commission; to provide for rules and regulations of contests or exhibitions; to provide for fines and penalties; to provide relative to taxes on gross receipts of contests or exhibitions; to provide for penalties for noncompliance; to provide for disciplinary actions by the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1196—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1029(B) relative to health insurance coverage; to establish a classification for colorectal cancer screening colonoscopies; to provide for associated preventive services; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1197—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1374(C) and 1378(A) and to enact R.S. 37:1374(D), relative to regulation of plumbers; to provide administrative fines for violations; to provide grounds for revocation of licenses and other disciplinary actions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1198—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4216 and R.S. 13:1805(C) and to enact R.S. 13:1805(D), relative to child custody; to provide relative to public policy; to provide relative to arbitration of child custody matters; to provide relative to child custody agreements from foreign countries; to provide relative to fundamental constitutional rights; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1199—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1049.1, relative to health insurance; to require coverage for genetic testing for SCN2A associated disorders; to require coverage for medically necessary treatment of SCN2A associated medical conditions; to provide for definitions; to provide for medical necessity determinations; to provide for coverage standards; to provide for prior authorization and cost sharing requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1200—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:462.1(A)(3) and (B), 462.2, 462.3, 462.4(A) through (F), and 462.5(A) and to enact R.S. 39:462.1(A)(4), relative to funding and financing certain capital projects; to provide for the Louisiana Rural Infrastructure Revolving Loan Program; to provide for definitions; to provide for the administration, investment, and disposition of certain monies; to provide for eligibility criteria; to provide for requirements and limitations; to authorize loans for certain eligible infrastructure projects; to provide for the use and investment of monies in the Louisiana Rural Infrastructure Revolving Loan Program Fund; to provide for the implementation of the program; to authorize the establishment of advisory committees; to provide for the establishment and maintenance of accounts in the fund; to provide with respect to

the issuance of bonds and other evidences of indebtedness; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

### Speaker Pro Tempore Mike Johnson in the Chair

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1201—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ILLG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:31(A), 31.1(C)(2), 502(B), and 506(B) and R.S. 36:10, relative to compensation of elected officials; to provide for the salary of the governor and other statewide elected officials; to authorize a vehicle and housing allowance for statewide elected officials other than the governor; to provide for the per diem compensation of members of the legislature; to provide for the mileage allowance available to members of the legislature; to provide for per diem and mileage allowance for a member when engaged in official legislative business on days not in attendance on the body; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1202—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2502, relative to metering devices; to allow the removal of clamp-metering devices and limit pumpage fees for any parish with a certain population range; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate the heading of a certain area of law; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

### House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

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

#### Motion

On motion of Rep. Green, the Committee on Appropriations was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 752.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 752—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article III, Section 2(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana and to repeal Article III, Section 2(D) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to sessions of the legislature; to provide for regular sessions of the legislature; to provide for the authority of the legislature relative thereto; to remove certain deadlines and restrictions related to regular sessions; to remove provisions relative to organizational sessions; to provide for the extension of a regular session in certain circumstances; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Green, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

#### Motion

On motion of Rep. Fontenot, the Committee on Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 1038.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1038—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1881(B), relative to marshals; to provide relative to the appointment of deputy marshals; to provide for duties of local governing authorities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Fontenot, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

#### Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Bacala, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions at this time.

#### Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions

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

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1203—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONSTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:236.4, relative to associations of parents; to prohibit restricting the use of a home or commercial establishment by parents participating in a parent-driven learning cooperative under certain circumstances; to define parent-driven learning cooperative; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1204—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:827.3(A)(2)(d) and 951(C), relative to the Back on Track Youth Pilot Program; to provide relative to allocation of certain monies; to provide for administration of the program; to provide relative to the intermediary of the program; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1205—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 12 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 38:2431 through 2466 and to repeal R.S. 38:3087.131, 3087.133, and 3097.8(D), relative to aquifer conservation districts; to establish groundwater conservation districts for the Chicot, Southern Hills, and Mississippi Alluvial aquifer systems; to establish boards for each commission; to provide for membership of the boards and the appointment of members; to provide for hearings; to require reporting; to provide for legislative findings; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1206—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 18 of Subtitle I of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 30:1601 through 1603 and Chapter 24 of Subtitle II of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 30:2591 and 2592, relative to data centers; to provide for water use permitting and reporting requirements; to provide for public hearings; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1207—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212.11 and R.S. 48:251(E), relative to public bids for public work contracts; to prevent public entities from limiting public works contracts based on special qualifications; to prevent public entities from unduly limiting bidding competition; to prevent the Department of Transportation from requiring proof of certain experience or qualifications ; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1208—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:71(Section heading) and (C) through (E) and to enact R.S. 32:71(F), relative to the violation of operating a motor vehicle on the right side of highways; to provide for law enforcement use of fleet camera systems to cite certain violations by mail; to provide for an administrative hearings process; to provide for citation requirements; to provide for allocation of fines; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1209—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:961 and to enact R.S. 30:961(L), relative to cooperative endeavor agreements for the withdrawal of surface water; to provide for legislative intent and findings; to provide a sunset date for surface water withdrawal agreements; to require the secretary to consider potential introduction of invasive vegetation or wildlife species when forming agreements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1210—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANA HENRY  
AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 15 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:2351 through 2353, relative to mandatory pre-suit claim review process; to provide for mandatory pre-suit claim review process requirements; to

provide for independent evaluation of claims; to provide definitions; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for bad faith exemption; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1211—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:4(A)(7) and 5(A)(22), relative to rural non-congregate summer meal distribution sites; to provide for the distribution of pre-packaged or shelf-stable meals; to provide for the Louisiana Department of Health; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1212—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(36) and to enact Chapter 70 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3301, relative to evaluation of transformers; to provide for a public records exception; to provide definitions; to provide relative to a technical assessment of covered equipment; to provide for a report on technical assessments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1213—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. BLANC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:383(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 32:383(A)(5) and (6), relative to regulations and violations regarding loads of vehicles, to provide for requirements of loads on vehicles; to provide for exemptions for certain vehicles; to provide for penalties; to provide for rule promulgation by the office of state police; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1214—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:21, 25.1(B), 451.2 (introductory paragraph), (1), and (9)(introductory paragraph), 451.4, and 451.6(A), R.S. 36:251(C)(1), 253, 254(B)(1)(a)(i), 257(A) and (C), and 258(A), (D), and (F), and R.S. 40:16.1(Section Heading), to enact R.S. 36:253.1, 258(N), and 258.1, and to repeal R.S. 28:22.8(A)(2) and (3) and 451.2(9)(a) and (b), relative to the Louisiana Department of Health; to create the office of state health care facilities within the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for the purposes, duties, and functions of the office of state health care facilities; to provide for the administration of certain healthcare facilities; to provide for the authority and duties of the secretary of the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for the authority and duties of the offices of the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for the of the executive office of the secretary; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

### House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

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

#### Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Bagley gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 46 from the calendar on Wednesday, April 1, 2026.

#### Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.20(A), Rep. Dickerson gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 436 from the calendar on Wednesday, April 1, 2026.

#### Suspension of the Rules

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

### 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. 88— BY REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN AND VILLIO A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of Allyce Trapp Alexander.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 89— BY REPRESENTATIVE DOMANGUE A RESOLUTION

To commend the "LIFTOff Louisiana" team led by the Department of Transportation and Development's office of multimodal commerce with key support from the Houma-Terrebonne Airport Commission and the Gulf of America Center of Excellence (UGC) for Large-Unmanned Aircraft Systems, and their many partners for their roles in developing a highly successful response to the Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) request for proposals for the Electric Vertical Takeoff and Landing and Advanced Air Mobility Aircraft Integration Pilot Program.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 90— BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Minnesota House Speaker Emerita Melissa Hortman.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42— BY REPRESENTATIVES DEVILLIER AND FREEMAN AND SENATOR HENRY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To commend David Kerstein for being awarded the 2025 Times-Picayune Loving Cup.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43— BY REPRESENTATIVE CHENEVERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION  
To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2027 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the provisions of R.S. 17:24.8(B)(2) relative to the licensure of nonpublic prekindergarten programs as early learning centers.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

### Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions

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

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1215— BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM AN ACT

To enact R.S. 25:915, relative to historical statues and monuments; to provide relative to the disposition of certain historical statues and monuments; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the office of state parks within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to require certain historical statues and monuments to be transferred to the office of state parks; to provide for placement and display of such historical statues and monuments; to provide for definitions; to provide for the promulgation of rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 1216— BY REPRESENTATIVE EGAN AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1312(1), (3), (4),(6) through (12), and (14) and 1313(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B)(2) through (6), 1314(C)(1)(a) through (d), (e)(introductory paragraph) and (i), (f), and (g), 1315(A)(2), (3), (10), (11), (14), and (15), 1318(A), (B)(1), (C), (D), and (E), 1320, 1321(A)(1) and (3), (B), (C), (D), 1322, 1323(A)(1) and (2), (B), (C), (D)(introductory paragraph), (E)(1), and (F)(introductory paragraph), 1324, 1325, 1236(A)(introductory paragraph), (1), (10)(introductory paragraph) and (a), (B), and (C), and 1327, to enact R.S. 37:1312(16) through (19), 1313(B)(7), 1321(A)(1)(d), and 1326(A)(10)(g), and to repeal R.S. 37:1313(C)(2) through (G), 1315(A)(4), (6), (12), (13), (16) and (17), 1321(A)(2), 1323(A)(3), (D)(1) through (3), (E)(2) and (3), and (F)(1) and (2), relative to the governing guidelines for clinical laboratory personnel; to provide for definitions; to provide for exemptions for licensure; to provide for the Clinical Laboratory Personnel Committee; to provide for the powers and duties of the committee; to provide for the application for licensure and certification examinations; to provide for licensure without examination; to provide for license or certificate renewal and waiver of renewals; to provide for fees; to provide for temporary permits and limited renewal; to provide for qualifications of clinical laboratory personnel; to provide for

licenses in training; to provide for the issuance of licenses or certificates; to provide for causes for denial, suspension, probation, restriction, or revocation of a license or permit or permit renewal; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1217—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2864(A) and to enact R.S. 22:1868.2 through 1868.15 and R.S. 40:2863(10) and 2864(D) and (E), relative to pharmacy benefit managers, insurers, and third-party administrators; to enhance transparency, reporting, and disclosure of affiliated entities; to establish audit and enforcement authority; to provide for civil penalties, treble damages, and cost recovery; to create the Pharmacy Benefit Enforcement Fund; to provide for oversight and accountability in pharmacy benefit management; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1218—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERAULT  
AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 1090 in Slidell, Louisiana as the "Louis 'Pat' Miramon Memorial Highway"; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1219—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE VENTRELLA  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 2-E of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3580.21 through R.S. 9:3580.27, relative to consumer legal funding; to create the "Consumer Legal Funding Act"; to provide legislative purpose; to provide a rule of construction; to provide for definitions; to establish a maximum rate of return in a consumer lawsuit funding transaction; to provide for required disclosures; to prohibit certain practices in consumer lawsuit funding transactions; to provide for exemptions; to provide penalties for violations; to provide for enforcement by the attorney general, and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1220—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1263(B)(1) through (7), (C)(1)(a) and (2)(b), and (D)(1), 1266, and 1270(A)(introductory paragraph) and (9) and to enact R.S. 37:1263(C)(3) and (D)(4) and (5), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for membership of the board; to provide for the duties of the board; to provide for qualifications of the members of the board; to establish a procedure for filling vacancies of the board; to provide for the president of the board; to provide for executive staff of the board; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1221—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:439(E)(2)(b), relative to the Louisiana Fortified Homes Program Fund; to provide for the collection of policy data; to prohibit the collection of certain policy data information; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1222—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 70 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3301 through 3304, relative to grocery initiative grants and financial support; to provide for definitions; to provide for the responsibilities of Louisiana Economic Development; to provide for grocery initiative grants and financial support; to provide for technical assistance; to provide for a grocery initiative study; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1223—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 70 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3301 through 3310, relative to creating the Louisiana Early-Phase Clinical Trial Acceleration Framework; to provide for findings and purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for responsibilities of Louisiana Economic Development; to provide for participation in the framework; to provide for performance benchmarks; to provide for reporting; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1224—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 606(A)(6) and 610(A)(3) and to enact Children's Code Article 603.2, relative to children in need of care; to provide for definitions; to provide for reporting abuse of children; to provide for pregnant children under fourteen years of age; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1225—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANA HENRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1898.1 through 1898.9, relative to residential property insurance; to provide for catastrophe model disclosure requirements; to provide for separation of wind and flood surge assumptions; to require sensitivity testing of catastrophe assumptions; to authorize geographically differentiated risk analysis; to provide for legislative reporting; to provide definitions; to provide for legislative findings and intent; to provide for rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1226—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANA HENRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1464.2, relative to property and casualty insurance; to require the Louisiana Department of Insurance to establish and maintain a public insurance rate transparency dashboard; to provide for required insurer data submissions; to provide for consumer access to insurance market information; to provide for confidentiality protections; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1227—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1285.2(H), relative to the physician peer review panel; to provide for physician peer review prior to formal disciplinary proceedings; to provide for the escalation of formal disciplinary proceedings; to provide for the membership and governing guidelines of the physician review panel; to provide for the authority of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1228—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2441(B), 2442(2), 2444, 2444.1, 2444.2(A) and (B)(2), 2445(3), 2447, and 2450(A), relative to the registration and licensing of hearing aid dealers; to provide for definitions; to provide for requirements for bill of sale contracts; to provide for testing periods for hearing aids; to provide for a limited cooling off period; to provide for application fees; to provide for the scope of examination; to provide for place of business mail notices; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on  
Second Reading to be Referred**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 974—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 316(9) and (10) and 319(A) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 316(11), relative to bail; to provide relative to factors in fixing the amount of bail; to provide relative to fixing the amount of bail; to provide for the consideration of the presumption of innocence; to provide relative to modification of bail; to provide relative to motions filed to reduce the amount of bail; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**Motion**

On motion of Rep. Wilford Carter, the bill was withdrawn from the files of the House.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Wilford Carter, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions at this time.

**Introduction of House Bills  
and Joint Resolutions**

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1229—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILFORD CARTER  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 20-B of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1780.1, relative to social media use for minors; to provide relative to definitions; to provide for requirements for social media platforms; to provide for violations; to provide for civil penalties; to provide for the responsibilities of the attorney general; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1230—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 13 of the of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 6:1031 through 1072, relative to the Louisiana Money Transmission Act; to provide for a short title; to provide for a purpose; to provide definitions; to provide exemptions under certain circumstances; to require information and documentation in order qualify for an exemption; to provide for record keeping; to provide for applications for and the issuance, renewal, and maintenance of licenses; to provide for implementation and rule promulgation; to provide for consistent licensing between states; to provide for notice and information requirements for changing key individuals; to require reporting; to require auditing of finances; to provide for certain unauthorized and prohibited activities; to provide for permissible investments; to provide for suspension and revocation of licenses under certain circumstances; to provide for license and notice revocation hearings; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1231—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BERAULT  
AN ACT

To enact Part VI of Chapter 8 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:977.51 and 977.52, relative to Medicaid coverage for pregnant women; to provide Medicaid coverage for continuous glucose monitoring devices in certain circumstances; to provide Medicaid coverage for emergency dental procedures; to provide for the promulgation and adoption of rules; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Suspension of the Rules**

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

**Petitions, Memorials, and Communications**

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

**Message from the Senate**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

March 31, 2026

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. 33  
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 34  
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,  
YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the Senate**

**SENATE BILLS**

March 31, 2026

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

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

Senate Bill Nos. 1, 54, 82, 104, 113, 114, 129, 161, 224, 275, 359 and 412

Respectfully submitted,  
YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 1—**  
BY SENATOR JENKINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:14(C), relative to the Open Meetings Law; to provide for viva voce voting; to provide for electronic voting; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 54—**  
BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:563(8), relative to esthetics; to provide for the practice of esthetics; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 82—**  
BY SENATORS MIZELL AND HODGES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:154.1(D), relative to the length of a school week; to provide for a five-day mandatory school week for public schools; to provide for exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 104—**  
BY SENATORS KLEINPETER, ABRAHAM, CARTER, CONNICK, PRICE AND WHEAT

AN ACT

To provide relative to state highways; to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 1 in Pointe Coupee Parish as the "Ernest J. Gaines Memorial Highway"; to provide for location and placement of signage; to provide for restrictions on costs of materials to the department; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 113—**  
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1248.3(C), relative to the Local Healthcare Provider Participation Program; to provide for the authorization of assessment payments in Calcasieu Parish; to provide for applicability of parish compliance provisions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 114—**  
BY SENATOR HODGES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.243, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plate; to provide for the establishment of the "Foundation for Moral Law" special prestige license plate; to provide for creation, issuance, design, fees, distribution, and rule promulgation applicable to such license plates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 129—**  
BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.243, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to establish the "Master Combat Infantryman" special prestige license plate; to provide for creation, issuance, design, fees, distribution, and rule promulgation applicable to the license plate; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 161—**  
BY SENATOR SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 42:31, relative to unclassified state employment; to repeal certain employment eligibility requirements regarding motor vehicle registration and driver's licenses; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 224—**  
BY SENATOR FESI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:56(A)(1) and (E), relative to notice required by school boards for changes in compensation; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 275—**  
BY SENATOR MYERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1037.1, relative to insurance coverage of the healthcare services provided by certified registered nurse anesthetists; to provide for reimbursement of services provided by a CRNA; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 359—**  
BY SENATOR JACKSON-ANDREWS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:1053(GG), relative to hospital service districts; to provide for terms of office for certain hospital service district commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE BILL NO. 412—**  
BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To provide relative to state highways; to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 13 in Evangeline Parish as the "Roy Chaffin 'Bayou Boogie' Memorial Highway"; to provide for location and placement of signage; to provide for restrictions on costs of materials to the department; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Sawyer, 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**

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

March 31, 2026

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. 21

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
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. 21—**  
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Geaux Far Louisiana Coalition and its collaborative of fatherhood-focused partners and to designate Tuesday, April 7, 2026, as Dad's Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Villio, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Reports of Committees at this time.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on  
Administration of Criminal Justice

March 31, 2026

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 54, by Fontenot  
Reported favorably. (7-0)

House Bill No. 55, by Villio  
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

House Bill No. 125, by Horton  
Reported with amendments. (8-0)

House Bill No. 133, by Newell  
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

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House Bill No. 158, by Horton  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

House Bill No. 168, by Freiberg  
Reported with amendments. (8-0)

House Bill No. 169, by Horton  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Bill No. 191, by Villio  
Reported favorably. (9-0)

House Bill No. 245, by Fontenot  
Reported favorably. (7-0)

House Bill No. 280, by Fontenot  
Reported favorably. (7-0)

House Bill No. 296, by Knox  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Bill No. 399, by Zeringue  
Reported favorably. (7-0)

House Bill No. 821, by McFarland  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Bill No. 995, by LaCombe  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

DEBBIE VILLIO  
Chair

## Report of the Committee on Education

March 31, 2026

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 10, by Wilder  
Reported with amendments. (12-0)

House Bill No. 195, by Bayham  
Reported with amendments. (13-0)

House Bill No. 283, by Newell  
Reported with amendments. (12-0)

House Bill No. 319, by Bayham  
Reported favorably. (10-0)

House Bill No. 325, by Brass  
Reported with amendments. (13-0)

House Bill No. 407, by Larvadain  
Reported with amendments. (12-2)

House Bill No. 448, by Adams  
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

House Bill No. 482, by Turner  
Reported with amendments. (14-0)

House Bill No. 992, by Freiberg  
Reported with amendments. (13-0)

LAURIE SCHLEGEL  
Chair

## Report of the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

March 31, 2026

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 67, by Bacala  
Reported favorably. (12-0)

House Bill No. 73, by Bacala  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Bill No. 205, by Bacala  
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

House Bill No. 225, by Bayham (Joint Resolution)  
Reported favorably. (11-2)

House Bill No. 339, by Chassion  
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

House Bill No. 550, by Billings  
Reported with amendments. (12-0)

GERALD "BEAU" BEAULLIEU, IV  
Chair

## Report of the Committee on Insurance

March 31, 2026

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

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

House Bill No. 591, by Green  
Reported with amendments. (14-0)

House Bill No. 826, by Green  
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

MICHAEL "GABE" FIRMENT  
Chair

## Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Villio, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to meet on Wednesday, April 1, 2026, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 63, 161 and 1040

## Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Miller, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Health and Welfare to meet on Wednesday, April 1, 2026, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 915, 927 and 944

House Resoultion No. 74

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Beaulieu, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to meet on Wednesday, April 1, 2026, and consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 206, 244, 486 and 996

**Leave of Absence**

Rep. Spell - 1 day

**Adjournment**

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 6:09 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Wednesday, April 1, 2026, at 1:00 P.M.

The Speaker Pro Tempore of the House declared the House adjourned until 1:00 P.M., Wednesday, April 1, 2026.

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT  
Clerk of the House

ANGELA S. SMITH  
Assistant Clerk of the House / Journal Clerk

**Committee Meeting Notices**

The following committees posted notices as follows:

Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice

Will meet at: 10:00 a.m.

Date: Wednesday, April 1, 2026

Location: Committee Room 6

Remarks:

- HB 63 HORTON (TBA) BAIL** Provides relative to the placement of a defendant's name into the National Crime Information Center registry **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**
- HB 91 WILEY CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Provides relative to disclosure of criminal records during trial
- HB 98 JOHNSON, MIKE CRIMINAL/VICTIMS** Provides a penalty for the unlawful disclosure of confidential information relating to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and human trafficking
- HB 108 COX CRIMINAL/JURY TRIALS** Provides relative to juror qualifications
- HB 131 BACALA CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Provides relative to post-conviction relief
- HB 151 BOYER CRIMINAL/RECORDS** Provides relative to expungement of arrest information
- HB 161 MACK (TBA) HUMAN TRAFFICKING** Provides relative to bail conditions for defendants alleged to have committed certain human trafficking offenses **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**

- HB 294 FIRMENT TRESPASS** Provides places of worship the right to remove disruptive individuals
- HB 305 CARVER CRIME/SEX OFFENSES** Provides relative to child sexual abuse materials
- HB 310 CARLSON CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Provides for the reassignment of a defendant's case when the right to a jury trial has been waived
- HB 320 FIRMENT CRIME/SEX OFFENSES** Creates the crime of unlawful exposure by an inmate
- HB 336 JOHNSON, MIKE CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Provides relative to post-conviction relief
- HB 622 COATES CRIMINAL/RECORDS** Provides relative to the confidentiality of criminal history records
- HB 789 GALLE CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Provides with respect to the seizure of off-road vehicles
- HB 1040 FIRMENT (TBA) JUVENILES/DETENTION FAC** Provides relative to the membership of the board of commissioners for the Central Louisiana Juvenile Detention Center Authority **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**

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DEBBIE VILLIO  
Chair

Committee on Education

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.

Date: Wednesday, April 1, 2026

Location: Committee Room 1

Remarks:

- HCR 26 CHENEVERT STUDENT/STANDARDS** Requests that the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education incorporate the science of human growth and development into content standards and to provide curriculum and instructional materials on its website
- HB 113 PHELPS SCHOOLS** Provides for retroactive application of the uniform 10-point grading scale requirement to the grades of students who were enrolled in the ninth grade during the 2023-2024 school year

- HB 380**     **JOHNSON, TRAVIS COLLEGES/COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL** Authorizes Sowela Technical Community College to establish a pilot program in partnership with a school system to increase awareness of and access to certain training programs
- HB 392**     **BOYD SCHOOLS** Provides relative to requirements for posting suicide hotline information on school websites and student ID cards
- HB 476**     **DICKERSON SCHOOLS** Requires each public secondary school to hang flyers about the Safe Haven Law in restrooms
- HB 513**     **YOUNG ATHLETICS** Provides relative to the name, image, and likeness of intercollegiate and interscholastic athletes
- HB 608**     **CHASSION ATHLETICS** Provides relative to the confidentiality of documents related to an intercollegiate athletics revenue sharing program
- HB 682**     **DICKERSON VETERANS** Authorizes the use of veterans as resource officers at schools
- HB 905**     **WRIGHT HIGHER EDUCATION** Changes the name of the Universities of Louisiana Maritime Academy
- HB 987**     **MCFARLAND HIGHER EDUCATION** Realigns energy-related programs by moving the Louisiana Geological Survey under the Louisiana State University Energy Institute

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Laurie Schlegel  
Chair

Committee on Health and Welfare

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.

Date: Wednesday, April 1, 2026

Location: Committee Room 5

Remarks:

- HB 288**     **BOYER HEALTHCARE/RECORDS** Provides for the use of certain medical terminology in medical documentation

- HB 403**     **COATES SMALL BUSINESS** Provides for the production of homemade food for sale to the public

- HB 420**     **BERAULT CHILDREN/DCFS** Requires the Department of Children and Family Services to obtain background checks on all employees
- HB 783**     **COATES HEALTH/LDH** Provides relative to the regulation of food and food safety
- HB 815**     **CARVER VITAL RECORDS/DEATH CERT** Provides with respect to which entities are entitled to receive death certificates
- HB 915**     **DICKERSON (TBA) MEDICAID** Provides with respect to utilization management practices **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**
- HB 927**     **MCMAHEN (TBA) MEDICAID** Provides relative to the Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**
- HB 933**     **OWEN, CHARLES RECORDS/RECORDATION** Provides for commemorative birth certificates
- HB 944**     **HILFERTY (TBA) HEALTH SERVICES** Creates the Louisiana Women's Health Consortium **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**
- HB 962**     **MILLER, D. NURSES** Provides relative to reconstitution of medications for intravenous therapy
- HB 971**     **STAGNI MEDICAID** Provides relative to Medicaid reimbursement for rural health clinics
- HR 74**     **MILLER, D. (TBA) HEALTH/CHILDREN** Urges and requests the state Department of Education and local public school governing authorities to report to the House Committee on Health and Welfare relative to accommodating students with seizure disorders **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**

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Dustin Miller  
Chair

Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.

Date: Wednesday, April 1, 2026

Location: Committee Room 2

Remarks:

- HB 4**     **MCKAMIN CONSTITUTION/CONVENTION** Provides for calling a constitutional convention

- HB 206 GREEN (TBA) LEGISLATORS** Authorizes legislators to attend meetings of an entity for which membership is subject to legislative confirmation **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**
- HB 244 GREEN (TBA) CONSTITUTION/CONVENTION** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for the election of constitutional convention delegates and vote requirements necessary for the adoption of a new constitution **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**
- HB 270 LANDRY, TERRY JR VOTERS/VOTING** Provides for absentee voting by mail by qualified incarcerated voters
- HB 361 LANDRY, TERRY JR VOTING/REGISTRATION** Provides for the reinstatement of the voter registration of a person who is no longer under an order of imprisonment
- HB 459 LANDRY, MANDIE ELECTIONS/CANDIDATES** Provides relative to the use of artificial intelligence in political campaigns
- HB 486 SPELL, ANNIE (TBA) PSYCHOLOGISTS** Provides relative to the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact (PSYPACT) **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**
- HB 540 KNOX ELECTION OFFENSES** Provides for disclosures required in certain digital political communications
- HB 615 JOHNSON, MIKE PUBLIC MEETINGS** Requires certain public meetings to be broadcast live
- HB 627 KNOX PUBLIC MEETINGS** Provides relative to live-stream video and recording of the public meetings of entities created by law
- HB 648 BRASS PUBLIC MEETINGS** Provides relative to attendance at meetings of public bodies
- HB 813 LANDRY, MANDIE ELECTED OFFICIALS** Provides relative to the term of office for the Orleans Parish sheriff
- HB 996 DEWITT (TBA) CAMPAIGN FINANCE DISCLOS** Provides for the use of campaign funds for clothing required for holding office **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**

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GERALD "BEAU" BEAULLIEU, IV  
Chair

Committee on Insurance

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.

Date: Wednesday, April 1, 2026

Location: Committee Room 3

Remarks:

- HB 866 DEWITT INSURANCE CLAIMS** Prohibits pharmacy benefit managers and managed care plans from reducing pharmacy reimbursements
- HB 870 TURNER INSURANCE/HEALTH** Provides relative to formulary placement and cost-sharing requirements for certain generic drugs and biosimilars
- HB 938 TURNER INSURANCE/HEALTH** Provides relative to pharmacy benefit managers

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MICHAEL "GABE" FIRMENT  
Chair

Committee on Natural Resources and Environment

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.

Date: Wednesday, April 1, 2026

Location: Committee Room 4

Remarks:

- HB 596 MCCORMICK ENERGY/OIL & GAS WELLS** Establishes an inactive well fee assessment credit
- HB 631 RISER HUNTING** Establishes a nonresident landowner bear hunting license
- HB 637 LANDRY, JACOB ENERGY/OIL & GAS** Provides for oilfield site restoration fees
- HB 665 MACK FISHING/NETS** Prohibits hoop nets and seines from being utilized in North Pass and Manchac Pass
- HB 770 ORGERON FISHING/OYSTERS** Decreases the term of oyster leases on state water bottoms
- HB 802 MCKIN WATER/RESOURCES** Provides with respect to the management of watershed restoration

**HB 835 SCHAMERHORN WILDLIFE/MGT AREAS**  
Establishes a charter guide wildlife management area access permit

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NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment via e-mail at h-natr@legis.la.gov. Statements submitted, and the information contained therein, are public records and subject to disclosure pursuant to public records laws.

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BRETT F. GEYMANN  
Chair

**Weekly Committee Schedules**

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:

Committee on Appropriations  
Tuesday, April 7, 2026  
Committee Room 5  
9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 82 VILLIO DWI** Provides relative to penalties for DWI offenses
- HB 143 BACALA SHERIFFS** Provides relative to the per diem rate paid by the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections for the housing of state inmates in a parish jail or institution
- HB 145 CHASSION FUNDS/FUNDING** Provides for the payment of extraordinary medical and dental expenses of firemen and law enforcement officers
- HB 160 KNOX DOMESTIC ABUSE** Increases the penalties for certain domestic violence offenses that involve strangulation
- HB 222 BERAULT MEDICAID** Requires Medicaid to cover dental procedures for certain Medicaid enrollees
- HB 430 CHASSION LAW ENFORCE/OFFICERS** Enacts the MJ 911 Act to extend health insurance coverage for families of law enforcement officers and firemen employed in Lafayette Parish who are killed in the line of duty
- HB 445 FREIBERG EDUCATION** Provides relative to the Louisiana Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Advisory Council
- HB 490 KERNER PUBLIC CONTRACTS** Provides limited exemptions from payment under contract requirements for public entities in certain circumstances

**HB 603 WRIGHT FUNDS/FUNDING** (Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes the investment of state funds in digital assets and precious metals

**HB 619 WRIGHT TREASURY DEPARTMENT**  
Authorizes the state treasurer to invest monies deposited into the Budget Stabilization Fund in certain metals and certain digital assets

**HB 670 OWEN, CHARLES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** Provides relative to wood pellet manufacturing

**HB 672 OWEN, CHARLES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** Provides for matters related to brick manufacturing

**HB 763 BILLINGS PUBLIC RECORDS** Provides for a public Settlement Agreement Information Database to contain certain information regarding settlements entered into by state agencies

**HB 773 MELERINE PROCUREMENT** Establishes priorities and requirements for purchases by the state and participating local governments from certain providers including prison enterprises and nonprofits assisting persons with disabilities.

**HB 781 BOURRIAQUE MTR VEHICLE/REGISTRATION** Provides for a fleet vehicle registration program

**HB 810 BOURRIAQUE INFRASTRUCTURE** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for additional authorized uses of funds invested in a state infrastructure bank

**HB 874 MURRAY TRANSPORTATION DEPT** Provides with respect to electronic credentials

**HB 981 VILLIO FUNDS/FUNDING** Extends the sunset for the law enforcement recruitment incentive program

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LEGISLATIVE INSTRUMENTS MAY BE DELETED (DOES NOT REQUIRE HOUSE RULES SUSPENSION) OR ADDED (REQUIRES HOUSE RULES SUSPENSION) PRIOR TO THE MEETING DATE. (HOUSE RULES 14.23 AND 14.24) SEE THE DAILY NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS POSTED PRIOR TO MEETING DATE.

JACK G. MCFARLAND  
Chair

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure  
Tuesday, April 7, 2026  
Committee Room 4  
9:30 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 37 OWEN, CHARLES PROPERTY/ EXPROPRIATION** Prohibits foreign entities from conducting expropriation activities
- HB 51 VILLIO BAIL** (Constitutional Amendment) Restricts post-conviction bail for certain offenders
- HB 173 BAMBURG CIVIL/DAMAGES** Provides relative to uninsured motorist recovery limitations
- HB 192 OWEN, CHARLES PROPERTY/ EXPROPRIATION** (Constitutional Amendment) Prohibits expropriation of property by foreign adversaries
- HB 306 EDMONSTON DOMESTIC ABUSE** Provides relative to court costs and fees in domestic abuse cases
- HB 366 EDMONSTON DOMESTIC ABUSE** Provides relative to continuance of hearings in domestic abuse matters
- HB 393 FONTENOT ELECTIONS/BOND & TAX** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for eligible election dates for bond and tax elections
- HB 485 AMEDEE FAMILY LAW** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to parental rights
- HB 516 CARTER, WILFORD CIVIL/DAMAGES** Provides relative to recovery limitations for failure to maintain compulsory motor vehicle liability security
- HB 521 WILDER TAX/AD VALOREM TAX** (Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes a taxing authority to levy a millage at a rate lower than the maximum authorized rate under certain circumstances
- HB 526 DICKERSON CIVIL/DAMAGES** Provides limitations relative to claims for general damages
- HB 638 LANDRY, JACOB CONTRACTORS** Provides relative to payments to contractors and subcontractors
- HB 817 MCMAKIN PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE** Establishes the Louisiana Homeowner Bill of Rights
- HB 976 TAYLOR LIABILITY/CIVIL** Creates liability for recklessly throwing from a parade float
- HB 1006 CARTER, WILFORD CIVIL/PROCEDURE** Extends the time delay for filing of oppositions to motions for summary judgment

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NICHOLAS MUSCARELLO, JR.  
Chair

Committee on Commerce  
Tuesday, April 7, 2026  
Committee Room 1  
9:30 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 461 LANDRY, MANDIE BUILDING CODES** Provides relative to allowing municipalities or parishes to adopt certain construction standards
- HB 467 FREEMAN BUILDING CODES** Provides relative to standards when constructing a residential roof in a parish in the coastal zone boundary
- HB 522 FONTENOT FIRE PROTECT/FIRE MARSHAL** Provides relative to authority of the state fire marshal to make arrests and carry firearms
- HB 565 MCMAKIN CHILDREN/CARE** Provides relative to fire safety provisions for day care centers
- HB 673 PHELPS PROPERTY/ABANDONED** Authorizes the state fire marshal to require owners of abandoned or blighted structures to install and maintain security cameras on property
- HB 799 FONTENOT FIRE PROTECT/FIRE MARSHAL** Provides relative to boilers
- HB 917 DESHOTEL FIRE PROTECTION** Provides relative to life safety and property protection licensing
- HB 937 LACOMBE AMUSEMENT PARKS** Provides relative to revisions of the Amusement Rides Safety Law
- HB 956 FONTENOT FIRE PROTECT/FIRE MARSHAL** Provides relative to fireworks
- HB 977 BEAULLIEU COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS** Provides relative to minors' use of applications

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DARYL ANDREW DESHOTEL  
Chair

Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works  
Tuesday, April 7, 2026  
Committee Room 3  
10:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 506 CHASSION MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES** Creates certain special prestige license plates
- HB 590 GLORIOSO TRAFFIC/VIOLATIONS** Provides with respect to training law enforcement officers regarding certain traffic stops
- HB 647 BOURRIAQUE PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS** Provides for application submission timelines for waterway projects
- HB 685 MENA PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS** Provides with respect to the procurement of public motor vehicles and rolling stock
- HB 692 BROUSSARD PUBLIC CONTRACTS** Provides relative to local government subdivisions entering into an agreement with group purchasing organizations
- HB 839 COATES PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS** Provides with respect to a hospital service district use of "construction management at risk"
- HB 860 BRAUD CONTRACTS/BIDS** Authorizes the use of fillable form to receive electronic public bids
- HB 873 GLORIOSO MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC** Authorizes a supplemental fee to fund pursuit intervention technology
- HB 887 MCFARLAND PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS** Provides for modifications to the Construction Management at Risk option in Public Bid Law
- HB 965 MCMAHEN HIGHWAYS** Designates a portion of Louisiana Highway 163 as the "Sergeant William 'Billy' Earl Collins, Jr., Memorial Highway"
- HB 972 BOUDREAUX HIGHWAYS** Designates a portion of Louisiana Highway 93 in Lafayette Parish as the "Desert Shield-Desert Storm Memorial Highway"
- HB 982 THOMPSON HIGHWAYS** Designates certain portions of highways in the state
- HB 1072 BOURRIAQUE TRANSPORTATION DEPT** Reforms certain powers, duties, and responsibilities in the office of Louisiana Highway Construction

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RYAN BOURRIAQUE  
Chair

Committee on Ways and Means  
Tuesday, April 7, 2026  
Committee Room 6  
9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HCR 35 WYBLE TAX/PROPERTY** Urges and requests the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding expediting the sale of adjudicated tax-delinquent property
- HB 440 NEWELL TAX EXEMPTIONS/HOMESTEAD** (Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes a parish governing authority to increase the amount of the homestead exemption
- HB 515 MARCELLE PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE** Authorizes a political subdivision to sell certain adjudicated property directly to a buyer
- HB 543 NEWELL TAX EXEMPTIONS/HOMESTEAD** Provides relative to the homestead exemption
- HB 614 JACKSON TAX/TAX REBATES** Authorizes a rebate of state sales taxes paid by businesses on lodging and meals for persons performing disaster or emergency-related work
- HB 1010 DESHOTEL TAX/AD VALOREM TAX** Requires annual reporting on amounts of ad valorem taxes collected in each parish
- HB 1039 DESHOTEL TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL** Provides for local sales and use tax audit procedures

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