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Thirty-Fifth Regular Session of the Legislature
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Constitution of 1974

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, April 29, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 10:05 o'clock A.M. by Hon.
Joel T. Chaisson II, President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dupre	Morrish
Adley	Erdey	Mount
Alario	Gray Evans	Murray
Amedee	Hebert	Quinn
Appel	Heitmeier	Riser
Broome	Jackson	Shaw
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith
Claitor	Long	Thompson
Dorsey	Martiny	Walsworth
Duplessis	Michot	
Total - 29		

ABSENT

Crowe	Gautreaux N	McPherson
Donahue	LaFleur	Morrell
Gautreaux B	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 9		

The President of the Senate announced there were 29 Senators
present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Father Michael J. Moroney,
following which the Senate joined in the Pledge of Allegiance to the
flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Senator Broome, the reading of the Journal was
dispensed with and the Journal of April 28, 2009, was adopted.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

Senator Marionneaux asked for and obtained a suspension of the
rules to read Senate Resolutions a first and second time.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX
A RESOLUTION

To amend and re-adopt Senate Rule No. 9.1(C) of the Rules of Order
of the Senate, relative to pre-filing of instruments; to provide that
certain requests for legislation to be pre-filed may be received by
Senate Legislative Services staff after forty-eight hours prior to
the pre-filing deadline.

The resolution was read by title and referred by the President to
the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

Message from the House

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 28, 2009

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of
Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the
following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Sharon Kleinpeter of Baton Rouge upon her retirement
from Cox Communications.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Concurrent Resolutions

Senator Chaisson asked for and obtained a suspension of the
rules to read House Concurrent Resolutions a first and second time.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Sharon Kleinpeter of Baton Rouge upon her retirement
from Cox Communications.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Chaisson moved to
concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Morrell
Adley	Erdey	Morrish
Alario	Gray Evans	Mount
Amedee	Hebert	Murray
Appel	Heitmeier	Quinn
Broome	Jackson	Riser
Cheek	Kostelka	Shaw
Claitor	Long	Smith
Dorsey	Martiny	Thompson
Duplessis	Michot	Walsworth
Total - 30		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Crowe	Gautreaux N	McPherson
Donahue	LaFleur	Nevers
Gautreaux B	Marionneaux	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House
Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Rules Suspended

Senator Chaisson asked for and obtained a suspension of the
rules to take House Concurrent Resolution No. 31 out of its regular
order.

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House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BARRAS, BARROW, BILLIOT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CONNICK, CORTEZ, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, EDWARDS, ELLINGTON, ERNST, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GALLOT, GEYMAN, GISCLAIR, GREENE, ELBERT GUILLORY, MICKEY GUILLORY, GUINN, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HENRY, HILL, HINES, HOFFMANN, HONEY, HOWARD, HUTTER, GIROD JACKSON, MICHAEL JACKSON, JOHNSON, ROSALIND JONES, SAM JONES, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LIGI, LITTLE, LOPINTO, MCVEA, MILLS, MONICA, MONTUCET, MORRIS, NORTON, NOWLIN, PEARSON, PERRY, PETERSON, PONTI, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROY, SCHRODER, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STIAES, TALBOT, TEMPLET, THIBAUT, WADDELL, WHITE, WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON AND SENATOR CHAISSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Jack Hanemann upon his retirement from Entergy Corporation after more than forty-one and a half years of service.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Chaisson moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Duplessis Morrell
Adley Dupre Morrish
Alario Erdey Mount
Amedee Gray Evans Murray
Appel Hebert Quinn
Broome Heitmeier Riser
Cheek Jackson Shaw
Claitor Long Smith
Crowe Martiny Thompson
Donahue Michot Walsworth
Total - 30

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Dorsey Kostelka McPherson
Gautreaux B LaFleur Nevers
Gautreaux N Marionneaux
Total - 8

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Philip McCrory upon his receipt of the 2008 Charles E. Dunbar, Jr. Career Service Award from the Louisiana Civil Service League.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hebert moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dorsey Morrell
Adley Duplessis Morrish
Alario Dupre Mount
Amedee Erdey Murray
Appel Gray Evans Quinn
Broome Hebert Riser
Cheek Heitmeier Shaw
Claitor Jackson Smith
Crowe Long Thompson
Donahue Martiny Walsworth
Total - 30

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B LaFleur Michot
Gautreaux N Marionneaux Nevers
Kostelka McPherson
Total - 8

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Norma Theriot upon her receipt of the 2008 Charles E. Dunbar, Jr. Career Service Award from the Louisiana Civil Service League.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hebert moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Duplessis Morrish
Adley Dupre Mount
Alario Erdey Murray
Amedee Gray Evans Quinn
Appel Hebert Riser
Broome Heitmeier Shaw
Cheek Jackson Smith
Claitor Long Thompson
Crowe Martiny Walsworth
Donahue Michot
Dorsey Morrell
Total - 31

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B LaFleur Nevers
Gautreaux N Marionneaux
Kostelka McPherson
Total - 7

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Frankie Day upon receiving a 2008 Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award and for her dedicated service to the students of Louisiana State University Laboratory School in Baton Rouge.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Dorsey moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Duplessis, Morrell, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent, Total. Lists names like Gautreaux B, LaFleur, McPherson, etc.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY, FRANKLIN, DANAHAY, GEYMAN, GUINN, HILL, AND PERRY AND SENATORS MORRISH, MOUNT, AND SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Thomas Joseph Morris, Sr.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Morrish moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Duplessis, Morrell, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent, Total. Lists names like Gautreaux B, LaFleur, McPherson, etc.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY, DANAHAY, GEYMAN, HILL, GUINN, PERRY, AND FRANKLIN AND SENATORS MORRISH, MOUNT, AND SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Charles Vicknair of Lake Charles.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Morrish moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Duplessis, Morrell, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Absent, Total. Lists names like Gautreaux B, LaFleur, McPherson, etc.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Lisa Nolen White of Lake Charles.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Morrish moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Duplessis, Morrell, etc.

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Crowe Donahue Dorsey Total - 32	Long Martiny Michot	Thompson Walsworth
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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B Gautreaux N Total - 6	LaFleur Marionneaux	McPherson Nevers
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The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, May 26, 2009, as YWCA Day at the legislature.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Broome moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Adley Alario Amedee Appel Broome Cheek Claitor Crowe Donahue Dorsey Total - 32	Duplessis Dupre Erdey Gray Evans Hebert Heitmeier Jackson Kostelka Long Martiny Michot	Morrell Morrish Mount Murray Quinn Riser Shaw Smith Thompson Walsworth
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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B Gautreaux N Total - 6	LaFleur Marionneaux	McPherson Nevers
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The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER AND HOFFMANN AND SENATOR WALSWORTH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend James E. Bradford upon his retirement as manager of governmental affairs for Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation in Hodge, Louisiana.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Kostelka moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Adley Alario	Duplessis Dupre Erdey	Morrell Morrish Mount
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Amedee Appel Broome Cheek Claitor Crowe Donahue Dorsey Total - 32	Gray Evans Hebert Heitmeier Jackson Kostelka Long Martiny Michot	Murray Quinn Riser Shaw Smith Thompson Walsworth
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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B Gautreaux N Total - 6	LaFleur Marionneaux	McPherson Nevers
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The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 13, 2009, as Ponchatoula Strawberry Festival Day.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Quinn moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Adley Alario Amedee Appel Broome Cheek Claitor Crowe Donahue Dorsey Total - 32	Duplessis Dupre Erdey Gray Evans Hebert Heitmeier Jackson Kostelka Long Martiny Michot	Morrell Morrish Mount Murray Quinn Riser Shaw Smith Thompson Walsworth
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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B Gautreaux N Total - 6	LaFleur Marionneaux	McPherson Nevers
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The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 27, 2009, as Elmer's Candy Day in the state of Louisiana.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Quinn moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gray Evans	Murray
Appel	Hebert	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Riser
Cheek	Jackson	Shaw
Claitor	Kostelka	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Gautreaux N	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Special Olympics Louisiana for its outstanding work and achievement in providing year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for all children and adults with intellectual disabilities, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy, and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills, and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes, and the community.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Heitmeier moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gray Evans	Murray
Appel	Hebert	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Riser
Cheek	Jackson	Shaw
Claitor	Kostelka	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Gautreaux N	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize March thirtieth annually as Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Broome moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gray Evans	Murray
Appel	Hebert	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Riser
Cheek	Jackson	Shaw
Claitor	Kostelka	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Gautreaux N	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS, MCVEA, AND THIBAUT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Lloyd L. Lindsey, Jr., Superintendent of West Feliciana Parish Public Schools.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Riser moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gray Evans	Murray
Appel	Hebert	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Riser
Cheek	Jackson	Shaw
Claitor	Kostelka	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

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ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Gautreaux N	Marionneau	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Chairman Earl Barbry, Sr., of the Tunica-Biloxi Tribe of Louisiana.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Riser moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrish
Adley	Dupre	Mount
Alario	Erdey	Murray
Amedee	Gray Evans	Quinn
Appel	Hebert	Riser
Broome	Heitmeier	Shaw
Cheek	Jackson	Smith
Claitor	Long	Thompson
Crowe	Martiny	Walsworth
Donahue	Michot	
Dorsey	Morrell	
Total - 31		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	Nevers
Gautreaux N	Marionneau	
Kostelka	McPherson	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 44—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BARROW, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, BURRELL, DIXON, FRANKLIN, GALLOT, ELBERT GUILLORY, HARDY, HONEY, GIROD JACKSON, MICHAEL JACKSON, ROSALIND JONES, LAFONTA, NORTON, PETERSON, RICHMOND, PATRICIA SMITH, AND WILLIAMS AND SENATORS BROOME, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY, JACKSON, MORRELL, AND MURRAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Keith Martin Marchand.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Dorsey moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gray Evans	Murray
Appel	Hebert	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Riser
Cheek	Jackson	Shaw

Claitor	Kostelka	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Gautreaux N	Marionneau	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to maintain the current incentives for the exploration and production of domestic oil and natural gas.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Dupre moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneau	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 48—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Adam Millikin, Jr., upon the celebration of his one hundredth birthday.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Riser moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount

Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to appropriate funds to be used for storm-proofing interior pump stations in St. Bernard and Plaquemines parishes.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Crowe moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER, BARROW, CHAMPAGNE, DOERGE, HILL, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LANDRY, NORTON, PETERSON, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STIAES, AND SENATORS BROOME, CHEEK, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY, JACKSON, MOUNT, AND QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Priscilla Lawrence of New Orleans upon her receipt of a 2009 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Duplessis moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER, BARROW, CHAMPAGNE, DOERGE, HILL, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LANDRY, NORTON, PETERSON, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STIAES, AND SENATORS BROOME, CHEEK, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY, JACKSON, MOUNT, AND QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Helen Godfrey Smith of Shreveport upon her receipt of a 2009 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Broome moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER, BARROW, CHAMPAGNE, DOERGE, HILL, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LANDRY, NORTON, PETERSON, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STIAES AND SENATORS BROOME, CHEEK, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY, JACKSON, MOUNT, AND QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Julia Chan, Ph.D., of Baton Rouge upon her receipt of a 2009 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Broome moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, Name. Lists names like Mr. President, Duplessis, Morrell, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, ABSENT, Name. Lists names like Gautreaux B, LaFleur, McPherson, etc.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER, BARROW, CHAMPAGNE, DOERGE, HILL, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LANDRY, NORTON, PETERSON, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STIAES AND SENATORS BROOME, CHEEK, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY, JACKSON, MOUNT, AND QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Deborah A. Roe of Baton Rouge upon her receipt of a 2009 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Broome moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, Name. Lists names like Mr. President, Duplessis, Morrell, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, ABSENT, Name. Lists names like Gautreaux B, LaFleur, McPherson, etc.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER, BARROW, CHAMPAGNE, DOERGE, HILL, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LANDRY, NORTON, PETERSON, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STIAES AND SENATORS BROOME, CHEEK, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY EVANS, JACKSON, MOUNT, AND QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Wendy H. Roy of Alexandria upon her receipt of a 2009 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Riser moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, Name. Lists names like Mr. President, Duplessis, Morrell, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, ABSENT, Name. Lists names like Gautreaux B, LaFleur, McPherson, etc.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 62—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER, BARROW, CHAMPAGNE, DOERGE, HILL, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LANDRY, NORTON, PETERSON, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STIAES AND SENATORS BROOME, CHEEK, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY EVANS, JACKSON, MOUNT, AND QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Carol McMichael Reese, Ph.D., of New Orleans upon her receipt of a 2009 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Gray Evans moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER, BARROW, CHAMPAGNE, DOERGE, HILL, ROSALIND JONES, KATZ, LANDRY, NORTON, PETERSON, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STIAES AND SENATORS BROOME, CHEEK, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, GRAY EVANS, JACKSON, MOUNT, AND QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Sarah Miller of Lafayette upon her receipt of a 2009 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Michot moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS AND SENATOR ADLEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Richard Kenneth "Dickie" Barnes, Jr., for his dedication and service in the United States Navy and his 30 years of excellent service with the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Adley moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneaux	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LOPINTO, BILLIOT, CONNICK, GISCLAIR, HENRY, GIROD JACKSON, LABRUZZO, LIGI, TALBOT, TEMPLET, TUCKER, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS MARTINY, ALARIO, APPEL, HEITMEIER, AND QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Paul E. Emenes of Metairie.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Appel moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

April 29, 2009

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneau	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, May 13, 2009, as Planned Parenthood Day in Louisiana.

The resolution was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Senator Amedee in the Chair

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 67—
BY REPRESENTATIVE PETERSON AND SENATOR GRAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, June 10, 2009, as Delta Sigma Theta Sorority "Red and White" Day at the Legislature of Louisiana.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Broome moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Michot
Adley	Dupre	Morrell
Alario	Erdey	Morrish
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Mount
Appel	Gray Evans	Murray
Broome	Hebert	Quinn
Cheek	Heitmeier	Riser
Claitor	Jackson	Shaw
Crowe	Kostelka	Smith
Donahue	Long	Thompson
Dorsey	Martiny	Walsworth
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	Marionneau	Nevers
LaFleur	McPherson	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Joseph Hudson, Sr., upon the celebration of his one hundredth birthday.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Riser moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Morrell
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Hebert	Riser
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shaw
Claitor	Jackson	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Dorsey	Michot	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Kostelka	Marionneau	Nevers
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 70—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Elmer Vincent Moore as he celebrates entering his ninetyeth year of life.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Riser moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Michot
Adley	Dupre	Morrell
Alario	Erdey	Morrish
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Mount
Appel	Gray Evans	Murray
Broome	Hebert	Quinn
Cheek	Heitmeier	Riser
Claitor	Jackson	Shaw
Crowe	Kostelka	Smith
Donahue	Long	Thompson
Dorsey	Martiny	Walsworth
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	Marionneau	Nevers
LaFleur	McPherson	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Michael "Blaise" Landry of Morganza.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Michot moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Michot
Adley	Dupre	Morrell
Alario	Erdey	Morrish
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Mount
Appel	Gray Evans	Murray
Broome	Hebert	Quinn
Cheek	Heitmeier	Riser
Claitor	Jackson	Shaw
Crowe	Kostelka	Smith
Donahue	Long	Thompson
Dorsey	Martiny	Walsworth
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	Marionneau	Nevers
LaFleur	McPherson	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Mr. President in the Chair

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committees

SENATE BILL NO. 27—

BY SENATOR MARTINY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:203(E)(7), relative to marriage officiants, judges, and justices of the peace; to provide for the extension of authority for certain federal judges to preside over a marriage ceremony for a particular period of time; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A. On motion of Senator Quinn, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 160—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1675(A)(6), relative to tax credits; to provide that any tax credit against income or corporate franchise tax with a "cap" on the amount of the exemption allowed be administered on a first-come, first-serve basis unless otherwise provided by the statute granting the tax credit; to provide an exception when the total tax credits requested on a single business day exceed tax credits available under the credit "cap" and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 160 by Senator Marionneau

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, delete "exemption" and insert "credit"

On motion of Senator Adley, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

SENATE BILL NO. 283—

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2365(F), relative to the Louisiana Mega-Project Development Fund; to provide for the definition of a mega-project; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Broome sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneau on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 283 by Senator Walsworth

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 15, following "Subparagraph" delete "(F)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 16, following "this" and before "," change "Section" to "Subsection"

On motion of Senator Broome, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Jackson sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Jackson to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 283 by Senator Walsworth

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 7 in its entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 12, between "jobs" and the comma "," insert the following: "in this state"

On motion of Senator Jackson, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Murray sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Murray to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 283 by Senator Walsworth

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

"(3) in the event that the mega-project is an existing Louisiana business or a dormant Louisiana business that is being reestablished, the recipient of the Mega-Project Development fund proceeds shall employ not less than ninety percent of Louisiana citizens at any time after the receipt of the funds."

Senator Murray moved adoption of the amendments.

Senator Walsworth objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adley	Hebert	Morrell
Erdey	Heitmeier	Murray
Gautreaux N	Jackson	
Gray Evans	Marionneaux	
Total - 10		

NAYS

Alario	Duplessis	Mount
Amedee	Dupre	Quinn
Appel	Kostelka	Riser
Cheek	Long	Shaw
Claitor	Martiny	Smith
Crowe	Michot	Thompson
Donahue	Morrish	Walsworth
Total - 21		

ABSENT

Mr. President	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Broome	LaFleur	
Dorsey	McPherson	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the amendments were rejected.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Hebert sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Hebert to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 283 by Senator Walsworth

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, between "51:2365(F)" and the comma "," insert the following: "and to enact R.S. 51:2365(G)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, between "mega-project" and the semicolon ";" insert the following: "to require compliance with certain federal laws if a project involves the slaughter of animals or birds;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, between "reenacted" and "to" insert the following: "and R.S. 51:2365(G) is hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

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

"G.(1) A project that involves the slaughter of animals or birds in this state for ultimate human consumption which receives funding from the Louisiana Mega-Fund Project Development Fund shall utilize one or more of the methods for the slaughter of animals approved by federal law.

(2) Compliance with the provisions of this Subsection shall be monitored by the parish public health officer and any

noncompliance with the provisions of this Subsection shall be considered a violation of the State Sanitary Code."

Senator Hebert moved adoption of the amendments.

Senator Walsworth objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Amedee	Hebert	Murray
Dorsey	Marionneaux	
Gautreaux N	Morrell	
Total - 7		

NAYS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Michot
Adley	Dupre	Morrish
Alario	Erdey	Mount
Appel	Gray Evans	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Riser
Cheek	Jackson	Shaw
Claitor	Kostelka	Smith
Crowe	Long	Thompson
Donahue	Martiny	Walsworth
Total - 27		

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	McPherson
LaFleur	Nevers
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the amendments were rejected.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator N. Gautreaux sent up floor amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator N. Gautreaux to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 283 by Senator Walsworth

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "mega-project;" insert "to provide relative to job training for such projects;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

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

"(3) For each project, an amount equal to ten percent of the monies awarded for the project shall be allocated to community and technical colleges located within the region of the project or any other appropriate community or technical college to train Louisiana residents to be skilled workers. The money allocated for this training shall come directly from the fund and shall not reduce the amount awarded to the project."

Senator N. Gautreaux moved adoption of the amendments.

Senator Walsworth objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Adley	Gray Evans	Murray
Dorsey	Hebert	Riser
Gautreaux N	Morrell	
Total - 8		

NAYS

Alario	Duplessis	Morrish
Amedee	Erdey	Mount
Appel	Heitmeier	Quinn
Broome	Jackson	Shaw
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith
Claitor	Long	Thompson
Crowe	Martiny	Walsworth
Donahue	Michot	
Total - 23		

ABSENT

Mr. President	LaFleur	Nevers
Dupre	Marionneau	
Gautreaux B	McPherson	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the amendments were rejected.

The bill was read by title. Senator Walsworth moved the final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Mount
Adley	Dupre	Murray
Alario	Erdey	Nevers
Amedee	Gray Evans	Quinn
Appel	Heitmeier	Riser
Broome	Jackson	Shaw
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith
Claitor	Long	Thompson
Crowe	Martiny	Walsworth
Donahue	Michot	
Dorsey	Morrish	
Total - 31		

NAYS

Gautreaux N	Hebert	Morrell
Total - 3		

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	Marionneau
LaFleur	McPherson
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed, ordered reengrossed, and sent to the House. Senator Walsworth moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

Rules Suspended

Senator Mount asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to revert to the Morning Hour.

Introduction of Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions

Senator Mount asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time and refer them to committee.

**SENATE BILL NO. 322—
BY SENATOR MORRISH**

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(10)(ff) and (18)(p), relative to tax exemptions, exclusions, and reductions; to grant an exclusion from sales and use tax imposed by the state for purchases for certain tertiary recovery projects; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dupre	Morrell
Adley	Erdey	Morrish
Alario	Gautreaux N	Mount
Amedee	Gray Evans	Murray
Appel	Hebert	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cheek	Jackson	Riser
Claitor	Kostelka	Shaw
Crowe	Long	Smith
Donahue	Marionneau	Thompson
Dorsey	Martiny	Walsworth
Duplessis	Michot	
Total - 35		

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	LaFleur	McPherson
Total - 3		

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

B. Gautreaux	1 Day	McPherson	1 Day
LaFleur	1 Day		

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Broome, at 1:20 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Monday, May 4, 2009, at 4:30 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 4:30 o'clock P.M. on Monday, May 4, 2009.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk

