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STATE OF LOUISIANA**

EIGHTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

**Thirty-Ninth Extraordinary Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, February 24, 2016

The Senate was called to order at 5:05 o'clock P.M. by Hon. John A. Alario Jr., President of the Senate.

Morning Hour

CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT

Mr. President	Fannin	Morrell
Appel	Gatti	Morrish
Bishop	Hewitt	Peacock
Boudreaux	Johns	Perry
Carter	Lambert	Peterson
Chabert	Long	Riser
Claitor	Luneau	Smith, G.
Colomb	Martiny	Smith, J.
Cortez	Milkovich	Thompson
Donahue	Mills	Walsworth
Erdey	Mizell	Ward
Total - 33		

ABSENT

Allain	Brown	Tarver
Barrow	LaFleur	White
Total - 6		

The President of the Senate announced there were 33 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Beth Mizell, 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 Milkovich, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of February 23, 2016, was adopted.

**Introduction of Senate Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

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

SENATE BILL NO. 23—
BY SENATOR MORRELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:287.743(D), relative to the computation of Louisiana net income; to modify the deduction for intangible

drilling and development costs; to provide for an effective date; 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.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATOR MORRISH

A RESOLUTION

To commend Our Lady Help of Christians Catholic Church in Jennings, Louisiana, on its one hundredth anniversary.

On motion of Senator Morrish the resolution was read by title and adopted.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY SENATORS MARTINY, ALARIO, APPEL, BARROW, BISHOP, BOUDREAU, CARTER, CHABERT, CLAITOR, COLOMB, CORTEZ, DONAHUE, ERDEY, GATTI, HEWITT, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LONG, LUNEAU, MILKOVICH, MILLS, MIZELL, MORRELL, MORRISH, PEACOCK, PERRY, RISER, GARY SMITH, JOHN SMITH, THOMPSON, WALSWORTH AND WHITE

A RESOLUTION

To commend Judge Frank A. Marullo Jr., Louisiana's longest serving jurist, who has stepped down from the bench after over forty-one years of meritorious service as an Orleans Parish District Criminal Court Judge for Section D.

On motion of Senator Martiny the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—
BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to extend Louisiana's seaward boundary in the Gulf of Mexico to three marine leagues.

The resolution was read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. President	Erdey	Morrell
Appel	Fannin	Morrish
Barrow	Gatti	Peacock
Bishop	Hewitt	Perry
Boudreaux	Johns	Peterson
Brown	Lambert	Riser
Carter	Long	Smith, G.
Chabert	Luneau	Smith, J.
Claitor	Martiny	Thompson
Colomb	Milkovich	Walsworth
Cortez	Mills	Ward
Donahue	Mizell	White
Total - 36		

ABSENT

Allain	LaFleur	Tarver
Total - 3		

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Allain	1 Day	LaFleur	1 Day
Tarver	1 Day		

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Announcements

The following committee meetings for February 25, 2016, were announced:

Finance	10:30 A.M.	Room A
Natural Resources	3:00 P.M.	Room E
Revenue & Fiscal Affairs	9:30 A.M.	Hainkel Room

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 5:15 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Thursday, February 25, 2016, at 5:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

DIANE O' QUIN
Journal Clerk