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# **ELEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

Forty-Sixth Regular Session of the Legislature Under the Adoption of the Constitution of 1974

> Senate Chamber State Capitol Baton Rouge, Louisiana

> > Thursday, May 14, 2020

The Senate was called to order at 1:15 o'clock P.M. by Hon. Patrick Page Cortez, President of the Senate.

# **Morning Hour**

# CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

#### PRESENT

Mr. President	Foil	Mills, R.
Abraham	Harris	Mizell
Allain	Henry	Morris
Barrow	Hensgens	Peacock
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope Price
Bouie	Jackson	Price
Cathey	Johns	Reese
Cloud	Lambert	Smith
Connick	Luneau	Talbot
Fesi	McMath	Ward
Fields	Mills, F.	Womack

Total - 33

# ABSENT

Boudreaux	Milligan	Tarver
Carter	Peterson	White
Total - 6		

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

# **Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Senator Regina Barrow, 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 Harris, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 13, 2020, was adopted.

# **Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

# **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 41–**

BY SENATOR REESE

#### A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of retired Louisiana State Police Captain, Scotty V. McCloud of Leesville, Louisiana.

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

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 42—**

BY SENATOR FOIL

### A RESOLUTION

To designate the week of May 17-23, 2020, as Emergency Medical Services Week.

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

# **Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63— BY SENATOR JACKSON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to create a continuous learning task force to assist the state Department of Education in developing guidance for Louisiana educators to meet the immediate need of supporting learning outside of our normal practices.

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

# **Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions** on Second Reading

#### SENATE BILL NO. 517— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 388 by Senator Fields)

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1233, relative to law enforcement officers; to provide relative to workers' compensation weekly death benefit of the surviving spouse; to allow continuation of benefits upon remarriage; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Smith the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

# **Senate Resolutions on Second Reading**

# SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 38— BY SENATOR JACKSON

### A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Reverend Dr. Harry Blake, pastor and civil rights leader.

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

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 39—**

BY SENATOR HEWITT

# A RESOLUTION

To adopt Senate Rules 12.6.1 and 13.8.1 of the Rules of Order of the Senate, relative to voting during a declared emergency; to allow members to be counted as present in the chamber; to allow members to vote via video conferencing or other electronic means; to allow committees to conduct meetings and vote via video or other electronic means during a declared emergency.

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

### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 40-

BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Ludia "Bea" Manogin Thomas.

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

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# **Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading**

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 62—

BY SENATOR MILLIGA

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, through the state Department of Education, to develop and implement a traumatic injury response program to ensure that each city, parish, or other local public school in the state is prepared to respond to a traumatic injury emergency.

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

# **Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

# **EDUCATION**

Senator Cleo Fields, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

May 14, 2020

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY SENATOR BARROW
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to suspend all statewide assessments for the 2019-2020 school year due to the imminent threat posed to the citizens of Louisiana by COVID-19.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56— BY SENATOR HEWITT AND REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority and the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to cooperate in developing projects and programs to rehabilitate the productivity of the oyster resource, promote the viability of the oyster industry in Louisiana, assist the oyster industry with responding to a changing coast, and address competing uses for coastal water bottoms, including integrated coastal protection.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 293-BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.1(J), relative to the school and district accountability system; to limit the use of certain test scores; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 318– BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:5029(E), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for eligibility for certain military veterans to receive a TOPS-Tech Award; to provide relative to eligibility requirements; to require repayment of award amounts under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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Reported with amendments.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 365

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:221.6(D), 2926(B), and 3006, and R.S. 23:76(C)(8), and to enact R.S. 17:2925(C), 2926(A)(3), and 2930(D), relative to individual graduation plans; to require that certain information relative to demand jobs be provided to students; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# **SENATE BILL NO. 437-**

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2148(A)(4), 2149, and 3311(A)(4), and to enact R.S. 17:3312(A)(1)(c), (d), and (e), relative to postsecondary education management board sick leave policies; to provide for the definition of sick leave; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted, CLÉO FIELDS Chairman

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

# SENATE AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Senator Sharon Hewitt, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

May 13, 2020

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

A RESOLUTION

To amend Senate Rule 13.22(A) of the Rules of Order of the Senate, relative to the Senate Executive Committee; to add two additional members to the committee.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55—BY SENATOR HEWITT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the Closed Party Primary Task Force to study and make recommendations regarding the development of a closed party primary election system applicable at the federal, state, and local levels, beginning with the 2022 congressional elections.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 80—

BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 44:3.1 and 4(40) and to enact R.S. 17:410.1 and R.S. 44:1(A)(2)(c), relative to public school buildings and facilities; to exempt from public records for interior blueprints and floor plans of public school buildings and facilities from certain provisions of the public records law; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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**SENATE BILL NO. 104–** BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 25:374(A)(1), 379.2(B) and (C)(3), amend and reenact R.S. 25:374(A)(1), 379.2(B) and (C)(3), 379.3(C), 380.1(C)(2) and (D), 380.2(B) and (C), 380.22(C) and (D), 380.23(B) and (C), 380.52(C) and (E), 380.53(B) and (C), 380.82(C) and (E), 380.83(B) and (C), 380.132(C), 380.133(B) and (C), 380.152(C) and (E), 380.153(B) and (C), 801.13, 801.15, 801.12, 801.16, 801.20, 801.22, to enact R.S. 25:379.7, 380.6, 380.27, 380.57, 380.87, 380.97, 380.137, and 380.157, and to repeal R.S. 25:379.2(C)(4), relative to museums; to provide for meetings and membership of certain museum governing boards: meetings and membership of certain museum governing boards; to provide for authority of each governing board; to authorize the secretary of state to establish policies, rules, and regulations for the operation of each museum; and to provide for related

Reported favorably.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 183— BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 18:428(A) and (F), and to enact R.S. 18:428(G) and 1309(A)(5); relative to law enforcement assistance at polling places under certain circumstances; to provide for law enforcement officers to assist in preserving order; to provide for the protection of election officials; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 466— BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:12(A) and 13(A) and to enact R.S. 42:14(E), relative to meetings by public bodies; to provide for teleconferencing by public bodies in times of catastrophe; to provide requirements for holding a meeting by teleconference; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, SHARON W. HEWITT Chairwoman

# REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

# INSURANCE

Senator Kirk Talbot, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Insurance, submitted the following report:

May 13, 2020

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

#### SENATE BILL NO. 156—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:868(A), relative to insurers; to provide relative to insurance contracts; to provide relative to limiting of actions; to provide certain prohibitions; to provide relative to jurisdiction and venue; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 180-

BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:512(16), 513, 519, 1545(C)(2), and 1571(E)(1) and to enact R.S. 22:1545(C)(7), relative to title insurers; to provide definitions; to provide for qualifications and licensing of individual and agency title insurers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 202—

BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1044(E)(2), relative to insurance coverage for participation in a clinical trial; to require health insurance coverage for a treatment provided or study conducted in a Phase I clinical trial for cancer; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 204-BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1054.1, relative to health insurance coverage for cancer treatments; to prohibit denial of coverage in certain circumstances; to require coverage of prescription drugs that target a specific mutation for a minimum initial period; to require a physician's certification for continued coverage; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 231— BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1203, 1205, and 1215.1, to enact R.S. 22:1209, 1210, 1216, and 1217, and to repeal R.S. 22:1205(7), relative to the Louisiana Health Plan; to provide relative to coverage for preexisting conditions; to provide for assessment of service charges; to provide for fees; to provide for policy provisions and penalties; to provide relative to health insurance rejections; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 271-BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1872(23), 1873(C), 1874(A)(3), and 1878, relative to the Health Care Consumer Billing and Disclosure Protection Act; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to billing by contracted healthcare providers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 299-

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1454(A), relative to rating standards and methods; to prohibit the use of credit scores, employment classifications, or marital status to classify risks; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 373-BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1964(20)(a) and (b), relative to unfair or deceptive methods, acts, and practices in the business of insurance; to provide with respect to the failure to provide claims history within ten days of receipt of the insured's written

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request; to include mail, fax, and email as methods for submitting the request; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 477— BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1272 and 1273, relative to property insurance; to require insurers to cover certain claims related to business interruption; to provide for required notice; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 506— BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:49, relative to property insurance; to require insurance policies to cover disinfecting fumigation costs of the insured property where a person with a positive diagnosis for COVID-19 resides or works; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, KIRK TALBOT Chairman

# **Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions** on Second Reading **Just Reported by Committees**

Senator Hewitt asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions just reported by Committees.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 80-

BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 44:3.1 and 4(40) and to enact R.S. 17:410.1 and R.S. 44:1(A)(2)(c), relative to public school buildings and facilities; to exempt from public records for interior blueprints and floor plans of public school buildings and facilities from certain provisions of the public records law; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

# SENATE BILL NO. 104-

BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

AN ACT

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To amend and reenact R.S. 25:374(A)(1), 379.2(B) and (C)(3), 379.3(C), 380.1(C)(2) and (D), 380.2(B) and (C), 380.22(C) and (D), 380.23(B) and (C), 380.52(C) and (E), 380.53(B) and (C), 380.82(C) and (E), 380.83(B) and (C), 380.93(B) and (C), 380.132(C), 380.133(B) and (C), 380.152(C) and (E), 380.153(B) and (C), R.S. 36:801.6, 801.7, 801.9, 801.12, 801.16, 801.20, 801.22, to enact R.S. 25:379.7, 380.6, 380.27, 380.57, 380.87, 380.97, 380.137, and 380.157, and to repeal R.S. 25:379.2(C)(4) relative to museums: to provide for repeal R.S. 25:379.2(C)(4), relative to museums; to provide for meetings and membership of certain museum governing boards; to provide for authority of each governing board; to authorize the secretary of state to establish policies, rules, and regulations for the operation of each museum; and to provide for related

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BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:868(A), relative to insurers; to provide relative to insurance contracts; to provide relative to limiting of actions; to provide certain prohibitions; to provide relative to jurisdiction and venue; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Insurance. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

# SENATE BILL NO. 180—

BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:512(16), 513, 519, 1545(C)(2), and 1571(E)(1) and to enact R.S. 22:1545(C)(7), relative to title insurers; to provide definitions; to provide for qualifications and licensing of individual and agency title insurers; and to provide for related matters.

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# SENATE BILL NO. 183-

BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:428(A) and (F), and to enact R.S. 18:428(G) and 1309(A)(5); relative to law enforcement assistance at polling places under certain circumstances; to provide for law enforcement officers to assist in preserving order; to provide for the protection of election officials; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

# SENATE BILL NO. 202-

BY SENATOR TALBOT

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To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1044(E)(2), relative to insurance coverage for participation in a clinical trial; to require health insurance coverage for a treatment provided or study conducted in a Phase I clinical trial for cancer; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1203, 1205, and 1215.1, to enact R.S. 22:1209, 1210, 1216, and 1217, and to repeal R.S. 22:1205(7), relative to the Louisiana Health Plan; to provide relative to coverage for preexisting conditions; to provide for assessment of service charges; to provide for fees; to provide for policy provisions and penalties; to provide relative to health insurance rejections; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

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#### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 231 by Senator Talbot

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, line 25, after "providing" delete "health insurance" and insert in lieu thereof "insurance, as defined by R.S. 22:1209(F),"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, at the beginning of line 26, change "(2)" to "(2)(a)"

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, line 6, after "state." delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

"(b) The fees assessed to participating insurers shall also apply to the same or similar services as provided for in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph when the services are administered by a third-party administrator on behalf of a plan that is not fully insured by a health insurance issuer, health maintenance organization, or group self-insurer. For the purposes of third-party administrators, "major medical insurance" shall not include the provision of pharmacy benefits by a third-party administrator or by a health insurance issuer or health maintenance organization when the pharmacy benefits provisions do not include comprehensive coverage.

### (c) Fee assessments to"

On motion of Senator Talbot, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

# SENATE BILL NO. 271—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

# AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1872(23), 1873(C), 1874(A)(3), and 1878, relative to the Health Care Consumer Billing and Disclosure Protection Act; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to billing by contracted healthcare providers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Insurance. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 293-**

BY SENATOR JACKSON

# AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.1(J), relative to the school and district accountability system; to limit the use of certain test scores; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

# SENATE BILL NO. 299– BY SENATOR JACKSON

# AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1454(A), relative to rating standards and methods; to prohibit the use of credit scores, employment classifications, or marital status to classify risks; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

# SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 299 by Senator Jackson

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "the use of" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "employment classifications to classify"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, delete "the widow tax,"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 9, delete "tax, and the credit"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 12, change "A." to "A.(1)"

On page 1, line 15, after "creed," delete the remainder of the line and delete line 16 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "or national origin.

### AMENDMENT NO. 6

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

"(2)(a) The statewide public health emergency caused by
COVID-19 has left a staggering statewide economic impact on Louisiana industries, including but not limited to oiffields, manufacturing, agriculture, restaurant and food and beverage services, education services, places of public amusement, personal care and grooming services, gyms and fitness centers, and retail stores, which has led to a devastating effect on many small businesses and the Louisiana residents employed in the various industries.

(b) To support the Louisiana residents employed in the (b) 10 support the Louisiana residents employed in the affected industries who have experienced layoffs and furloughs that have significantly reduced their income and thereby put them in a position to have to prioritize which of their families' basic needs, such as food, healthcare, housing payments, insurance, or utilities, they can meet with their income limited as a result of COVID-19, no insurer shall set an insurance rate or classify any risk on the basis of the insured's employment type or job classification.

(c) The provisions of this Paragraph shall not apply to workers' compensation policies.
(d) The provisions of this Paragraph shall be null, void, and of no effect on and after August 1, 2023."

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 318—

BY SENATOR CATHEY

# AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:5029(E), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for eligibility for certain military veterans to receive a TOPS-Tech Award; to provide relative to eligibility requirements; to require repayment of award amounts under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Original Senate Bill No. 318 by Senator Cathey

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "requirements" delete the remainder of the line, and on line 5, delete "amounts under certain circumstances"

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 11 through 27

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

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# SENATE BILL NO. 365—

BY SENATOR CLOUD

## AN ACT

amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:221.6(D), 2926(B), and 3006, and R.S. 23:76(C)(8), and to enact R.S. 17:2925(C), 2926(A)(3), and 2930(D), relative to individual graduation plans; to require that certain information relative to demand jobs be provided to students; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

# SENATE BILL NO. 373— BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1964(20)(a) and (b), relative to unfair or deceptive methods, acts, and practices in the business of insurance; to provide with respect to the failure to provide claims history within ten days of receipt of the insured's written request; to include mail, fax, and email as methods for submitting the request; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

#### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 373 by Senator Cloud

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "ten" and before "days" insert "business"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 2, after "ten" and before "days" insert "business"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 16, after "ten" and before "days" insert "business"

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

# **SENATE BILL NO. 437-**

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2148(A)(4), 2149, and 3311(A)(4), and to enact R.S. 17:3312(A)(1)(c), (d), and (e), relative to postsecondary education management board sick leave policies; to provide for the definition of sick leave; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education. The bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

### SENATE BILL NO. 466—

BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:12(A) and 13(A) and to enact R.S. 42:14(E), relative to meetings by public bodies; to provide for teleconferencing by public bodies in times of catastrophe; to provide requirements for holding a meeting by teleconference; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

## SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 466 by Senator Hewitt

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "enact R.S." and before "42:14(E)," insert " 24:7.1 and R.S."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "teleconference;" insert "to provide for participation in certain meetings by teleconferencing or other electronic means for legislative bodies;"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7 insert:

"Section 1. R.S. 24:7.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§7.1. Participation in certain meetings by teleconferencing or other electronic means for legislative bodies

A. During a gubernatorially declared state of emergency pursuant to R.S. 29:724 et seq, or a gubernatorially declared state of public health emergency pursuant to R.S. 29:766 et seq., and as necessary to provide for the continuity of government and legislative operations during such an emergency, a member shall be counted for quorum purposes for the Senate or the House of Representatives to transact business and for quorum purposes for a committee to transact business pursuant if the member participates remotely by telephone, teleconference, or other electronic means.

B. During a gubernatorially declared state of emergency pursuant to R.S. 29:724 et seq., or a gubernatorially declared state of public health emergency pursuant to R.S. 29:766 et seq., and as necessary to provide for the continuity of government and legislative operations during such an emergency, a member shall be permitted to vote if the member participates remotely by telephone, teleconference, or other electronic means. member shall certify each vote in writing and file the certification with the secretary of the Senate or the clerk of the House of Representatives.

The authority provided in this Section during a gubernatorially declared emergency or public health emergency shall be invoked only at the discretion of the presiding officer and shall automatically expire upon the termination of the declared state of emergency.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

 $\overline{\mbox{On page 1, line 7, after}}$  "Section" change "1." to "2." and on page 4 change "2." to "3."

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

# **SENATE BILL NO. 477-**

BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1272 and 1273, relative to property insurance; to require insurers to cover certain claims related to business interruption; to provide for required notice; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 477 by Senator Ward

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 22:1272" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof ", relative to property insurance;"

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "certain claims related to business interruption;

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AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 1, after line 6, delete the remainder of the page and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 4

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the beginning of line 5, change "\\$1273." to "\\$1272."

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

SENATE BILL NO. 506—
BY SENATORS BARROW, BERNARD, BOUIE, CATHEY, JACKSON, ROBERT MILLS AND TALBOT AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:49, relative to property insurance; to require insurance policies to cover disinfecting fumigation costs of the insured property where a person with a positive diagnosis for COVID-19 resides or works; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 506 by Senator Barrow

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 2, change "require" to "authorize"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, change "shall" to "may"

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

# **Rules Suspended**

Senator Talbot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to call out of order Senate Bill No. 418.

# SENATE BILL NO. 418—

BY SENATOR TALBOT

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 3492 and 3493.10, Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732(1) and R.S. 22:1269 (B), to enact R.S. 9:2800.25, and to repeal R.S. 22:333(E) and R.S. 32:295.1(E), relative to liability; to provide relative to civil liability and to motor vehicle liability coverage; to extend the general prescriptive period for delictual actions involving motor vehicle accidents; to prohibit the court from awarding a plaintiff the amount of medical expenses reduced or paid by a collateral source; to provide relative to collateral source, prescription, jury trials, and jury trial thresholds under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the right of direct action against an insurer; to repeal provisions prohibiting certain evidence regarding the failure to wear safety belts; to require certain annual rate filings with the commissioner of insurance; to provide for a mandatory rate reduction under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

# **Motion to Make Special Order**

Senator Talbot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to make Senate Bill No. 418, which is on Third Reading and Final Passage, Special Order of the Day No. 1 on Monday, May 18, 2020.

# **Rules Suspended**

Senator Hensgens asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to call out of order Senate Bill No. 359.

SENATE BILL NO. 359—
BY SENATORS HENSGENS, ALLAIN, BERNARD, CATHEY, CLOUD, CORTEZ, FESI, HENRY, HEWITT, JOHNS, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, PEACOCK, REESE, TALBOT, WHITE AND WOMACK AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, BEAULLIEU, BUTLER, CARRIER, COUSSAN, DEVILLIER, EMERSON, GOUDEAU, HORTON, MCCORMICE, AND MIGUEZ. MCCORMICK AND MIGUEZ

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.36(D) and (E), relative to the Louisiana Coastal Zone Management Program; to provide for the authority to bring enforcement actions; to provide for the imposition of civil liability and the assessment of damages; to provide certain terms, procedures, conditions, requirements, and effects; and to provide for related matters.

# **Motion to Make Special Order**

Senator Hensgens asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to make Senate Bill No. 359, which is on Third Reading and Final Passage, Special Order of the Day No. 2 on Monday, May 18, 2020.

## **Rules Suspended**

Senator Hewitt asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to call out of order Senate Concurrent Resolution No.7.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY SENATORS HEWITT, BERNARD, CATHEY, CLOUD, CORTEZ, FESI, HENRY, HENSGENS, JOHNS, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, PEACOCK, REESE, TALBOT, WHITE AND WOMACK AND REPRESENTATIVES BEAULLIEU, BUTLER, DEVILLIER, EMERSON, HORTON, MCCORMICK AND MIGUEZ

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

# A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the local officials in Cameron Parish, Jefferson Parish, Plaquemines Parish, St. Bernard Parish, St. John the Baptist Parish, Vermilion Parish, and the city of New Orleans to dismiss the forty-three coastal lawsuits that have been filed against over two-hundred large and small oil and natural gas companies in Louisiana.

### **Motion to Make Special Order**

Senator Hewitt asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to make Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7, which is on Senate Concurrent Resolutions to be Adopted, Subject to Call, Special Order of the Day No. 3 on Monday, May 18, 2020.

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# SENATE BILL NO. 351-BY SENATOR CATHEY

# AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:443(B)(1), 443.1(B), the introductory paragraph of 443.2(2)(a)(ii),(3), and (7), and 444(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 18:443(G), relative to state central committees; to provide relative to composition; and to provide for related matters.

### Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 351 by Senator Cathey

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, change "R.S. 18:443(B)(1)" to "Paragraph (B)(1) of this Section"

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 15, change "R.S. 18:443.1(A)" to "Subsection A of this Section"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 354-BY SENATOR MCMATH

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:827.1(B)(6), relative to photo identification of offenders released from incarceration; to provide relative to the issuance of a photo identification card to offenders prior to release; to require certain information to be included on the identification card; and to provide for related

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

# YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Mizell
Abraham	Henry	Morris
Barrow	Hensgens	Peacock
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope
Bouie	Jackson	Pope Price
Cathey	Johns	Reese
Cloud	Lambert	Smith
Connick	Luneau	Talbot
Fesi	McMath	Ward
Fields	Mills, F.	White
Foil	Mills, R.	Womack
Total - 33	,	

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Allain Carter Peterson Milligan Boudreaux Tarver Total - 6

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator McMath moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

### SENATE BILL NO. 378—

BY SENATOR JOHNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1300.24 and R.S. 27:15.1, relative to sports wagering; to provide for a proposition election to authorize sport wagering in a parish; to provide for the Louisiana Gaming Control Board powers and duties; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

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

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Henry	Mills, R.
Bernard	Hensgens	Peacock
Bouie	Hewitt	Reese
Cathey	Johns	Smith
Connick	Lambert	Talbot
Fields	Luneau	Ward
Foil	McMath	Womack
Harris	Mills, F.	

Total - 23

NAYS

Abraham	Fesi	Morris
Barrow	Jackson	Pope
Cloud	Mizell	Price

Total - 9

ABSENT

White

Allain Milligan Boudreaux Peterson Carter Tarver

Total - 7

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Johns moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE BILL NO. 395—
BY SENATORS CLOUD, FESI, HEWITT, JOHNS, MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, REESE AND WHITE AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDIEE, BUTLER, CARRIER, DEVILLIER AND MIKE JOHNSON AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1429, relative to unfair or deceptive acts or practices; to provide relative to advertisement for certain professional services; to provide relative to a false, misleading, and deceptive statement in an advertisement; to provide for violations, actions, and penalties; to provide for definitions, terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

# **Floor Amendments**

Senator Cloud proposed the following amendments.

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#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cloud to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 395 by Senator Cloud

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 17, after "billboard company," insert "advertisement agency, media platform,"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the end of line 5, delete "advertisement" and at the beginning of line 6, delete "agency or'

On motion of Senator Cloud, the amendments were adopted.

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

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Henry	Peacock
Abraham	Hensgens	Pope
Allain	Hewitt	Reese
Barrow	Johns	Smith
Bernard	Lambert	Talbot
Cathey	McMath	Ward
Cloud	Mills, F.	White
Connick	Mills, R.	Womack
Fesi	Mizell	
Foil	Morris	

Total - 28

NAYS

Bouie	Harris	Luneau
Fields	Jackson	Price
Total 6		

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Milligan	Tarver
Carter	Peterson	

Total - 5

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

# **SENATE BILL NO. 397-**

BY SENATOR BERNARD

# AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1313, 1314(B)(1) and (C)(1)(a), and 1315(B) and to enact R.S. 18:423(J), and 1313.1, relative absentee and early voting ballots; to provide for preparation, verification, tabulation and counting of such ballots; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of parish board of election supervisors; and to provide for related matters.

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

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

# YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope

Bernard	Jackson	Price
Bouie	Johns	Reese
Cathey	Lambert	Smith
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	

Total - 32

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Milligan	Ward
Carter	Peterson	
Hanggang	Torvor	

lensgens Total - 7

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

SENATE BILL NO. 406—

BY SENATORS MIZELL, FIELDS, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, JOHNS, LUNEAU, MCMATH, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MORRIS, PEACOCK, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, WARD AND WOMACK

AN ACT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:401, 403(4), 428, and 430, relative to rural access to broadband high-speed Internet access; to grant authority to electric cooperatives and electric utilities to provide broadband high-speed Internet services; to provide for broadband operators; to provide for broadband service providers; to provide for limitations on liability; to provide for servitudes; to provide for applications; to provide for certain terms, conditions and procedures; to provide for powers; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

# Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

# SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 406 by Senator Mizell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, change "Internet" to "internet"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 8, following "ten" change "per centum" to "percent"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 12, following "forty" change "per centum" to "percent"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 17, following "Part" change ": to ": "

AMENDMENT NO. 5 On page 2, line 29, following "under" and before "or" insert ","

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 29, following "under" and before "consent" change "said" to "**the**"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 7, change "Internet" to "internet"

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AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 19, change "Internet" to "internet"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 4, line 24, before "protocol" change "Internet" to "internet"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 24, following "and" change "Internet" to "internet"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 5, line 6, change "Internet" to "internet"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 5, line 11, following "including" and before "protocol" change "Internet" to "internet"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 5, line 11, following "technology," change "Internet" to "internet"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 5, line 12, change "Internet" to "internet"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 5, line 18, change "Internet Protocol" to "internet

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 5, line 21, change "Internet" to "internet"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

# Floor Amendments

Senator Mizell proposed the following amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Mizell to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 406 by Senator Mizell

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "cooperatives" delete "and" and on line 4, delete "electric utilities"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, delete the colon ":"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

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

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 4, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, line 5, change "or other broadband operator" to ", other broadband operator, or a broadband service provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 6, delete "or electric utility" and after "services" insert "pursuant to this Part'

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 7, delete "or electric utility's"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 10, delete "or electric utility's"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 13, delete "or electric utility's"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 14, delete "or electric utility's"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, delete lines 21 and 22

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, delete lines 28 and 29 and on page 4, delete line 1

AMENDMENT NO. 13

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

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 4, line 4 after "cooperative" delete "or electric" and on line 5, delete "utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 4, line 8, change "(3)" to "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 4, line 11, change "(4)" to "(3)"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 4, line 12, delete "or electric"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 4, at the beginning of line 13, delete "utility's" and at the end of the line delete "or electric" and on line 14, delete "utility's"

AMENDMENT NO. 19
On page 4, delete lines 15 through 18 and insert:

"(4) "Broadband services" means any service, using any equipment or technology, including wireline or fixed wireless broadband internet service, that consists of or includes the provision of or connectivity to a high-speed, high-capacity transmission medium meeting the Federal Communications Commission's benchmark of at least twenty-five megabits per second download and three megabits per second upload, or any subsequent benchmark determined by the Federal Communications Commission, that can carry signals from or to multiple sources and that does either of the following:

AMENDMENT NO. 20 On page 4, line 23, change "voice" to "Voice" and delete lines 24 and 25 and insert "Internet Protocol services, wireless services, and internet protocol-enabled services

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 4, delete lines 26 through 28 and insert:
"(5) "Broadband system" means broadband internet access

"[5] "Broadband system" means broadband internet access service as defined in 47 C.F.R. §8.1.

(6) "Communication services" includes, whether a part of a bundle of services or offered separately, telecommunications service, broadband service, cable service, Voice over Internet Protocol service, ethernet transport service, business data service, and wireless backhaul service.

(7) "Cooperative" or "electric cooperative" means a corporation organized under this Part and a corporation which becomes subject to this Part in the personal protection of the provided "

becomes subject to this Part in the manner hereinafter provided."

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 4, lines 29, change "(7)" to "(8)"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 5, line 2, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 5, delete lines 3 and 4

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 5, between lines 9 and 10 insert:

"(10) "Unserved area" means an area lacking access to broadband service according to the Federal Communications
Commission's Form 477 or any subsequent broadband data

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gathering tool implemented by the Federal Communications Commission.

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 5, line 10, change "(10)" to "(11)"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 5, line 12, change "voice over Internet protocol services" to "Voice over Internet Protocol services"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 5, line 15, change "(11)" to "(12)"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 5, delete lines 18 through 24 and insert:

"(13) Voice over Internet Protocol services" means interconnected Voice over Internet Protocol service as defined in 47 C.F.R. §9.3.

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 5, delete line 25 and insert:

"B.(1) In an unserved area only, an electric"

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 5, line 26, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 5, line 28, after "system" and before "on" insert "and provide services to the public utilizing the broadband system" and delete "or electric utility's'

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 5, after line 29, insert:

"(2) Except as provided in the substantive rules of the Public Service Commission, an electric cooperative that elects to provide broadband services pursuant to this Section shall provide a broadband affiliate or other broadband operator with nondiscriminatory access to locate its equipment for the provision of broadband services within a servitude or on infrastructure or any pole owned or controlled by the electric cooperative on just, reasonable, and nondiscriminatory terms, conditions, and rates.

AMENDMENT NO. 34 On page 6, line 1, delete "or electric utility" and after "to provide" insert "or facilitate"

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 6, line 3, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 36 On page 6, line 5, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 6, line 6, after "broadband operator" insert "or broadband service provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 6, line 7, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 6, line 8, change "other broadband operators" to "broadband service providers"

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 6, line 10, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 6, line 11, delete "permit"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 6, line 13, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 6, line 15, delete "and electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 6, line 17, change "or electric utility may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 6, line 22, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 6, line 23, delete "or electric utility's"

AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 6, line 24, delete "or electric" and on line 25, delete

AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 6, line 26, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 6, delete line 27 and insert "E. An electric cooperative shall not do any of"

AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 7, line 11, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 7, line 15, delete "or electric utility"

AMENDMENT NO. 52 On page 7, delete line 17 and insert "dated March 18, 1994, and November 13, 1996, as periodically amended."

AMENDMENT NO. 53 On page 7, delete line 18 and insert: "G. An electric cooperative or its members shall not"

AMENDMENT NO. 54
On page 7, after line 21, insert:
"Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such

On motion of Senator Mizell, the amendments were adopted.

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

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizeĺl	

Total - 34 NAYS

Total - 0

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AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 11, after "drugs" and before "." insert "when ordered by a physician for the purpose of making clinical decisions or treating a patient suspected of having COVID-19

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 $\frac{AMENDMENT\ NO.\ 2}{On\ page\ 1,\ line\ 14,\ after\ "\underline{drugs}"}\ and\ before\ "\underline{.}"\ insert\ "\underline{in}\ accordance\ with\ this\ Section"}$ 

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 17, after "provisions" and before the period "." insert

the following: "until December 31, 2022. After December 31, 2022, these services may be subject to these cost-sharing requirements"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

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

"(2) "COVID-19 diagnostic test" or "diagnosis test" means
a test that is fully approved or granted an Emergency Use Authorization by the FDA and is ordered by a physician for the purpose of diagnosing an active infection or determining recovery from an active infection. "COVID-19 diagnostic test" or "diagnosis test" shall not include a test used for employment-related or public health surveillance testing.

(3)"COVID-19 angloody test" means a test that is fully

(3)"COVID-19 antibody test" means a test that is fully approved or granted an Emergency Use Authorization by the FDA and is ordered by a physician for the purpose of determining the likelihood of a previous infection. "COVID-19 antibody test" shall not include a test used for employment-related or public health surveillance testing.

(4)"COVID-19 antiviral drug or agent" is a medication that

is fully approved or granted an Emergency Use Authorization by the FDA for the treatment or prevention of COVID-19 infections

when ordered by a physician.

# AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the beginning of line 4, change "(2)" to "(5)"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 12, after "plans," and before "and" insert "high deductible health plans authorized under federal law,

On motion of Senator Barrow, the amendments were adopted.

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

# ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

## YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Bouie Cathey Cloud Connick Fesi	Harris Henry Hensgens Hewitt Jackson Johns Lambert Luneau McMath Mills, F.	Morris Peacock Pope Price Reese Smith Talbot Ward White Womack
	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizeĺl	
Total - 34		
	NAYS	
Total - 0		
	ABSENT	

Milligan Tarver Peterson

#### ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 422— BY SENATOR BERNARD

#### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:573(A)(3) and 1313(J)(2)(b) and (3), relative to the reinspection of voting machines and recounting of absentee by mail and early voting ballots; to provide for setting the timing of inspections; to provide for deadlines for requests for inspections; and to provide for related matters.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President Harris Morris Abraham Henry Peacock Pope Allain Hensgens Barrow Hewitt Price Bernard Jackson Reese Bouie Johns Smith Cathey Lambert Talbot Cloud Luneau Ward Connick McMath White Mills, F. Fesi Womack Fields Mills, R.

Mizell Foil

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

# **ABSENT**

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Bernard moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

# SENATE BILL NO. 426— BY SENATORS BARROW AND CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1057, relative to insurance coverage for COVID-19; to require coverage for certain tests and treatments for COVID-19; to prohibit application of cost-sharing provisions; to define key terms; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

# Floor Amendments

Senator Barrow proposed the following amendments.

# SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Barrow to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 426 by Senator Barrow

Boudreaux

Total - 5

Carter

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 433— BY SENATOR MIZELL

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 609(A)(1), relative to child abuse reporting and investigation; to provide that a mandatory reporter of child abuse has cause to suspect abuse if a child under the age of thirteen is pregnant; and to provide for related matters.

## Floor Amendments

Senator Mizell proposed the following amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Mizell to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433 by Senator Mizell

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, delete "believe that" and insert "consider whether"

On motion of Senator Mizell, the amendments were adopted.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mills, R.
Abraham	Harris	Mizell
Allain	Henry	Morris
Barrow	Hensgens	Peacock
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope
Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Cathey	Johns	Smith
Cloud	Lambert	Talbot
Connick	Luneau	Ward
Fesi	McMath	White
Fields	Mills, F.	Womack
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Milligan	Price
Carter	Peterson	Tarver
Total - 6		

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

#### **SENATE BILL NO. 434-**

BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 987 and R.S. 14:46.2(F) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 926.2 and R.S. 14:46.5, relative to human trafficking; to provide that convictions for certain offenses may be set aside when the defendant is a victim of human trafficking; to provide relative to expungement of records of arrest and conviction for certain

offenses related to human trafficking; to provide for immunity from prosecution for victims of human trafficking; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Mizell, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

# SENATE BILL NO. 439— BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2800.25, relative to liability; to provide relative to limitation of liability for disclosure of certain information by a nonprofit organization or employee thereof; to provide for terms and conditions; to provide for definitions; to provide for certain limitations; and to provide for related matters.

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

# ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Bouie Cathey Cloud Connick Fesi Fields Foil Total - 34	Harris Henry Hensgens Hewitt Jackson Johns Lambert Luneau McMath Mills, F. Mills, R.	Morris Peacock Pope Price Reese Smith Talbot Ward White Womack
1 ota1 - 34	NAYS	

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Milligan	Tarver
Carter	Peterson	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Abraham moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

# SENATE BILL NO. 443-BY SENATOR WARD

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1429, relative to advertisements for certain professional services; to provide relative to advertising expenses; to provide relative to unfair trade practices; to provide for penalties; to provide for certain terms and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

## Floor Amendments

Senator Ward proposed the following amendments.

# SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ward to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 443 by Senator Ward

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, after line 17, insert:

"D. For the purposes of this Section, "person" shall not include a radio broadcast station, television broadcast station, cable or satellite television company, or other video service

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provider, streaming video provider, newspaper company, periodical company, billboard company, advertisement agency, or media platform responsible for the production or publication of any advertisement, voice, data, or other communications, information services, or internet access provider, or bona fide news or public interest website operator.

On motion of Senator Ward, the amendments were adopted.

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

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Barrow	Jackson	Price
Bouie	Luneau	Smith
Connick	Mills, F.	Ward
Fields	Morris	
Harris	Pope	
Total - 13	1	

NAYS

Mr. President	Foil	Mills, R.
Abraham	Henry	Mizell
Allain	Hensgens	Peacock
Bernard	Hewitt	Reese
Cathey	Johns	Talbot
Cloud	Lambert	White
Fesi	McMath	Womack
Total - 21		

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

The Chair declared the amended bill failed to pass.

# **Notice of Reconsideration**

Senator Ward moved to reconsider on the next Legislative Day the vote by which the amended bill failed to pass.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 447—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:4(T) and 83(F)(4), relative to the powers and duties of the commissioner of conservation; to provide relative to orphaned wells and certain agreements; to provide terms and conditions; to provide relative to plugging of wells; to provide relative to the Oilfield Site Restoration Commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward

Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Allain moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

## **SENATE BILL NO. 471-**

BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:21 and Part III-A of Chapter 28 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:4331 through 4341, relative to forestry; to provide for the Louisiana Timber Transportation and Safety Act; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for definitions; to provide for exclusivity of remedy; to provide for limitation on recovery; to provide for medical care and related benefits; to provide for lost wages; to provide for attorney fees; to provide for the Louisiana Timber Transportation and Safety Fund; to provide for investment of the monies in the fund; to provide for an annual surcharge; to provide for qualifications and requirements for participation in the fund; to provide for liability insurance coverage; to provide for self-insured funds; to provide for duties of insurers and insurance agents; to provide for the filing of a claim; to provide for mediation; to provide for expedited mediation; to provide for mediators; to provide for the payment of mediators; to provide for settlement offers; to provide for the Louisiana Timber Transportation and Safety Oversight Board; to provide for safety educational programs; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Robert Mills, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

# SENATE BILL NO. 472-BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT
To enact Chapter 10 of Title 35 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 35:621 through 630, relative to notaries public and commissioners; to provide relative to notarial acts; to authorize certain electronic notarial acts; to authorize a notary public to perform an electronic notarial act under certain circumstances; to provide certain terms, definitions, conditions, requirements, procedures, and effects; and to provide for related matters.

# Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 472 by Senator

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 5, change "Title 35 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950" to "this Title"

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 28, following "authorized" change "under" to "pursuant to"

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AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 28, change "Title 35 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950" to "this Title"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, lines 4-5, change "Title 35 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950" to "this Title"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 11, following "secretary" and before "in his" insert

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 22, following "authorized" change "under" to 'pursuant to"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 24, following "acts" change "under" to "pursuant

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, line 26, change "Title 35 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950" to "this Title'

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, line 8, change "under" to "pursuant to"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 6, line 9, following "secretary" delete "pursuant hereto"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 6, lines 15-16, change "Title 35 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950" to "this Title"

AMENDMENT NO. 12 On page 6, lines 21-22, change "Title 35 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950" to "this Title"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 6, line 26, following "authorized" and before "this" change 'under" to "pursuant to"

 $\frac{AMENDMENT\ NO.\ 14}{On\ page\ 7,\ line\ 1,\ following\ "accordance}"\ and\ before\ "and"\ change\ "herewith"\ to\ "with\ this\ Chapter"$ 

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

### Floor Amendments

Senator Luneau proposed the following amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Luneau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 472 by Senator Luneau

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete the set of Senate Floor Amendments, proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on May 11, 2020, designated as SFLBSB 472 ELLISB 1143.

On page 1, delete line 2, and insert, "To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of Civil Code Article 3344(A) and to enact R.S. 9:2760 and Chapter 10 of Title 35 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "relative to" delete the remainder of the line and insert "remote online notarization; to authorize and provide for recordation of certain electronic notarial acts; to authorize a"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

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

'Section 1. The introductory paragraph of Civil Code Article 3344(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Art. 3344. Refusal for failure of original signature or proper certification; effect of recordation; necessity of proof of signature recordation of a duplicate

A. The Except as otherwise provided by law, the recorder shall refuse to record:

Section 2. R.S. 9:2760 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2760. Recordation of electronic record in tangible form
The recorder shall not refuse to record a tangible copy of an electronic record on the ground that it does not bear the original signature of a party if a notary public or other officer before whom it was executed certifies that the tangible copy is an accurate copy of the electronic record.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 9, change "Section 1." to "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, delete lines 11 through 17 and delete pages 2 through 7, and insert the following:

"CHAPTER 10. REMOTE ONLINE NOTARIZATION §621. Short title

This Chapter may be cited as the "Remote Online Notarization Act". §622. Definitions

A. In this Chapter:
(1) "Communication technology" means an electronic device or process that allows substantially simultaneous communication by sight and sound.

(2) "Credential analysis" means a process through which the authenticity of an individual's government-issued identification credential is evaluated by another person through

review of public and proprietary data sources.

(3) "Identity proofing" means a process through which the identity of an individual is affirmed by another person by either of the following means:

(a) Dynamic knowledge-based authentication, such as a review of personal information from public or proprietary data

(b) Analysis of biometric data, such as facial recognition,

voiceprint analysis, or fingerprint analysis.

(4) "Remote online notarial act" means an instrument executed before a notary public by means of communication technology that meets the standards adopted under this Chapter.
(5) "Remote online notarization" means the process through

which an instrument is executed before a notary public by means of communication technology that meets the standards adopted under this Chapter.

B. The definitions of "electronic", "electronic record", "electronic signature", and "record" as provided by the Louisiana Uniform Electronic Transactions Act, R.S. 9:2601 et seq., apply in this Chapter. §623. Legal recognition of remote online notarial acts

A. Except as otherwise provided in Subsections B and C of this Section, a remote online notarial act that meets the requirements of R.S. 35:625, 626, and 627 satisfies any requirement that a party appear before a notary public at the time of the execution of the instrument. In all other respects, a remote online notarial act shall comply with other applicable laws governing the manner of the execution of that act.

B. The following instruments shall not be executed by

remote online notarization:

(1) Testaments or codicils thereto.

- (2) Trust instruments or acknowledgments thereof.
- (3) Donations inter vivos.
  (4) Matrimonial agreements or acknowledgments thereof.

(5) Acts modifying, waiving, or extinguishing an obligation of final spousal support or acknowledgments thereof.

C. Remote online notarization may not be used to execute an authentic act as defined in Civil Code Article 1833. Except as

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otherwise provided in Subsection B of this Section, an act that fails to be authentic as a result of being executed by remote online notarization may still be valid as an act under private signature or an acknowledged act.

This Chapter supplements and does not repeal, supersede, or limit the provisions of the Louisiana Uniform Electronic Transactions Act, R.S. 9:2601 et seq.

§624. Standards for remote online notarization

The secretary of state shall, by rule adopted in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, develop and maintain standards for the implementation of this Chapter.

- B. In developing standards for remote online notarization, the secretary of state shall form a stakeholder committee that shall include but need not be limited to representatives of the Louisiana Land Title Association, the Louisiana Association of Independent Land Title Attorneys, the Louisiana Notary Association, the Louisiana Bankers Association, the Louisiana Clerks of Court Association, and the Louisiana State Law
- C. The rules shall be adopted prior to February 1, 2022, and may thereafter be modified, amended, or supplemented with or without the input of the stakeholder committee.

§625. Notaries authorized to perform remote online notarization A. Only a regularly commissioned notary public who holds a valid notarial commission in the state of Louisiana may be authorized by the secretary of state to perform remote online

B. In order to obtain authorization to perform remote online notarization, a notary public shall submit an application to the secretary of state in a format prescribed by the secretary of state, complete any course of instruction required by the secretary of state, and satisfy any other requirements imposed by rules

adopted by the secretary of state.

C. The authority to perform remote online notarization shall continue as long as the notary public is validly commissioned and the secretary of state has not revoked the notary public's authority to perform remote online notarization. §626. Location of notary, parties, and witnesses; location of remote online notarial act

A. A notary public physically located in any parish of this state in which the notary has the power to exercise the function of a notary public may perform a remote online notarization for a party who is not in the physical presence of the notary and who may be located in or outside this state. A witness to a remote online notarial act shall be in the physical presence of the party.

B. A remote online notarial act is deemed to be executed in any parish of this state where any party is physically located at the time of the remote online notarization. If no party was physically located in this state at the time of the remote online notarization, the remote online notarial act is deemed to be executed in the parish where the notary public is physically located at the time of the remote online notarization.

§627. Procedure for performing remote online notarization At the time of a remote online notarization, the notary public shall verify the identity of any party or witness appearing remotely, both through use of communication technology and by one of the following means:

The notary public's personal knowledge of the individual.

(2) A process that includes all of the following

- (a) Remote presentation by the individual of a government-issued identification credential, such as a passport or driver's license, that contains the signature and a photograph of the individual.
  - (b) Credential analysis.

(c) Identity proofing.

B. The notary public shall do all of the following:

(1) Include in the remote online notarial act a statement that it is a remote online notarial act.

(2) Attach to or cause to be logically associated with the remote online notarial act the notary public's electronic signature, together with all other information required to be included in the act by other applicable law.

(3) Digitally sign the remote online notarial act in a manner that renders any subsequent change or modification of the remote online notarial act to be evident. §628. Duties of the notary

The notary public shall take reasonable steps to ensure both of the following:

(1) The communication technology used in the performance of a remote online notarization is secure from unauthorized

The electronic record before the notary public is the same electronic record in which the party made a statement or on which the party executed or adopted an electronic signature. §629. Records of remote online notarizations

A. The notary public shall do all of the following:

(1) Maintain electronic copies capable of being printed in a tangible medium of all remote online notarial acts for at least ten years after the date of the remote online notarization.

(2) Maintain an audio and video recording of each remote online notarization for at least ten years after the date of the remote online notarization.

(3) Take reasonable steps to secure the records required to be maintained by this Section from corruption, loss, destruction, and unauthorized interception or alteration.

B. The notary public may designate a custodian to maintain the electronic records required by Subsection A of this Section, provided that the notary public has unrestricted access to the electronic records and the custodian meets any standards established by the secretary of state for the maintenance of electronic records.

§630. No variation by agreement

The provisions of this Chapter may not be varied by agreement.

Section 4. Due to the imminent threat posed by COVID-19 as provided in Proclamation Number 25 JBE 2020 and any subsequent proclamation, declaring the existence of a statewide public health emergency, Sections 1, 2, and 3 of this Act shall be retroactive to March 11, 2020."

On motion of Senator Luneau, the amendments were adopted.

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

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Bernard	Hewitt	Price
Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Cathey	Johns	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	

Total - 32

NAYS

Lambert Total - 2

Smith

ABSENT

Tarver

Boudreaux Milligan Carter Peterson

Total - 5

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed, ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Senator Luneau moved to

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reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

# SENATE BILL NO. 476— BY SENATOR WARD

### AN ACT

To enact Chapter 61 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3211 through 3214, relative to an online marketplace; to provide for identification of certain sellers on an online marketplace; to require disclosure of certain information; to provide relative to certain consumer products offered for sale on an online marketplace; to provide for unfair or deceptive trade practices and acts; to provide for certain terms, requirements, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

# **Floor Amendments**

Senator Ward proposed the following amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ward to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 476 by Senator Ward

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, between "property" and "that" insert ",as defined in R.S. 47:301(16),'

On motion of Senator Ward, the amendments were adopted.

#### Floor Amendments

Senator Ward proposed the following amendments.

# SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Ward to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 476 by Senator Ward

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 9, after "(3)" insert "(a)"

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 11, change "(a)" to "(i)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 2, line 14, change "(b)" to "(ii)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lines 14 and 15 insert:

"(b) The term "online marketplace" shall not include either of the following:

(i) Any person who facilitates the furnishing of a rental car by any rental car company.

(ii) Any peer-to-peer car sharing program. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, "peer-to-peer car sharing program" means any business platform that connects vehicle owners with drivers to enable the sharing of vehicles for financial consideration. "Peer-to-peer car sharing program" shall not mean any lessor, rental company, or similar, as defined in R.S. 22:1523 or 1762.

# AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 16, after "marketplace." insert ""Seller" does not include any shared vehicle owner. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, "shared vehicle owner" means the registered owner, or a person or entity designated by the registered owner, of a vehicle made available for sharing to shared vehicle drivers through a peer-to-peer car sharing program. "Shared vehicle owner" shall not mean any lessor, rental company, or similar, as defined in R.S. 22:1523 or 1762."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 5, at the end of line 24 after "et seq." insert ", excluding private rights of action as provided in R.S. 51:1409 and 1409.1."

On motion of Senator Ward, the amendments were adopted.

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

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow	Harris Henry Hensgens Hewitt	Morris Peacock Pope Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizeĺl	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 491– BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 29:735.3.1(A) and to enact R.S. 29:735.3.2, to provide for limitation of liability for rendering disaster relief or recovery equipment or services during a declared state of emergency; to provide certain terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

## **Floor Amendments**

Senator Hewitt proposed the following amendments.

# SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Hewitt to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 491 by Senator Hewitt

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "relief", delete the remainder of the line and insert ", recovery services, or products"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 1, line 11, after "relief" delete the remainder of the line and insert, "or, recovery services, or products in"

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, after "subdivisions" delete the remainder of the line, and delete lines 13 through 17 and insert "shall not be liable to the recipient thereof for an injury or death"

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#### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 6 and insert "who renders disaster relief, recovery services, or products outside of the typical course and scope of their operations in coordination"

On motion of Senator Hewitt, the amendments were adopted.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Hensgens	Pope
Abraham	Hewitt	Pope Price
Allain	Johns	Reese
Barrow	Lambert	Smith
Bernard	McMath	Talbot
Cathey	Mills, F.	Ward
Cloud	Mills, R.	White
Fesi	Mizell	Womack
Foil	Morris	
Henry	Peacock	

Henry Total - 28

NAYS

Bouie Fields Jackson Connick Luneau Harris

Total - 6

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 492— BY SENATOR CATHEY

# AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1730.21.1, relative to the state uniform construction code; to provide for the state regulation of natural gas utility service; and to provide for related matters.

## Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 492 by Senator Cathey

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, change "municipal" to "municipality"

On page 2, line 12, following "within" and before "its" delete "the"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Foil Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 508-

BY SENATOR MCMATH

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1739, to limit the liability of restaurants during a declared state of emergency; to provide certain terms, conditions, and definitions; and to provide for related matters.

# Floor Amendments

Senator McMath proposed the following amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator McMath to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 508 by Senator McMath

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "37:1739" to "29:773"

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, change "37:1739" to "29:773"

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, change "§1739." to "§773."

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, change "20 Proclamation JBE 2020-25" to "Proclamation Number 25 JBE 2020"

# AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 10, change "guidance" to "guidelines"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 12, change "coronavirus" to "COVID-19"

# AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, delete lines 14 through 17 and insert the following: "emergency as declared by Proclamation Number 25 JBE 2020, unless the injury or death was caused by gross negligence or wilful and wanton misconduct.'

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AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 2, after "by" and before "takeout" insert "dine-in,"

# AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, delete lines 3 and 4 and insert the following: "the duration of the COVID-19 public health emergency."

### AMENDMENT NO. 10

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

Section 2. Due to the imminent threat posed by COVID-19 as provided in Proclamation Number 25 JBE 2020 and any subsequent proclamation, declaring the existence of a statewide public health emergency, Section 1 of this Act shall be retroactive to March 11, 2020

### AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 7, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

On motion of Senator McMath, the amendments were adopted.

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

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Bouie Cathey Cloud Connick Fesi	Foil Henry Hensgens Hewitt Johns Lambert McMath Mills, F. Mills, R. Mizell	Peacock Pope Price Reese Smith Talbot Ward White Womack
		WOIIIack

NAYS

Harris Jackson Luneau

Total - 3

ABSENT

Milligan Boudreaux Tarver Peterson

Carter Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 145— BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 13:970(K) and (L), relative to the Twenty-sixth Judicial District Court; to provide relative to filing fees; to authorize the clerk of court to collect filing fees as determined by the judges of the district; to provide relative to transcription charges; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Senator Robert Mills moved the final passage of the bill.

## ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizeĺl	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Robert Mills moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

### SENATE BILL NO. 164-

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.48(A), 337.51(A)(2), and 337.63(B) and to enact R.S. 47:337.61(5), relative to local sales and use tax administration; to provide relative to local sales and use tax disputes; to provide for guidelines for the use of summary proceedings; to provide relative to access to the Board of Tax Appeals; and to provide for related matters.

# **Floor Amendments**

Senator Allain proposed the following amendments.

# SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Allain to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 164 by Senator Allain

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "R.S. 47:337.48(A), 337.51(A)(2), and 337.63(B)" and insert "R.S. 47:337.51(A)(2)"

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "47:337.61(5)" and insert "47:337.51(A)(4), 337.61(5), and 337.80(A)(4) and (D)"

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, delete "to provide relative to access to the Board of Tax Appeals;" and insert "to provide relative to interest on refunds of local sales and use tax;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4 On page 1, line 8, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 9, and insert: "R.S. 47:337.51(A)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 47:337.51(A)(4), 337.61(5), and 337.80(A)(4) and (D) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

## AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 17

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AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 14

AMENDMENT NO. 7 On page 2, delete lines 24 through 29, and insert: "(a) Pay the amount of the assessment.

(b) Pay under protest in accordance with R.S. 47:337.63 and then either file suit or file a petition with the Board of Tax Appeals, all as provided for in that Section.

(c) Taxpayers should consider any rights pursuant to R.S. 47:337.51(A)(4) and other applicable law."

# AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, between lines 1 and 2, insert:

(4) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, any person who receives an assessment pursuant to the provisions of Paragraph (A)(2) of this Section may take any action authorized in Paragraph (A)(1) of this Section within the applicable deadline for action stated in the notice of assessment if the assessment exceeds tax in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars or if the person has never filed a return with that local collector, has never been the subject of any action pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 47:337.45 by that local collector, and has no physical presence in the state.

# AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, after line 20, insert:

(e) A taxpayer or dealer that fails to make and file any required return or report where the collector estimates the tax due to be less than one hundred thousand dollars.

### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, delete lines 22 through 29, and insert: \$337.80. Interest on refunds or credits

A. Each collector shall compute on all refunds or credits and allow interest as part of the refund or credit as follows:

(4)(a) Beginning January 1, 2021, notwithstanding Paragraphs (1), (2), and (3) of this Subsection or any other provision of law to the contrary, on all refunds or credits the collector shall compute and allow as part of the refund or credit, interest from ninety days after the later of the due date of the return, the date that the taxpayer gave the political subdivision notice of the taxpayer's intention to file suit for the recovery of any taxes paid, the filing date of the return or claim for refund on which the overpayment is claimed, or the date the tax was paid.

(b) Interest shall be at the average prime or reference rate as computed by the commissioner of financial institutions pursuant to R.S. 13:4202(B), per year, but without the addition of one percentage point to the average prime or reference rate and without regard to the limitations contained in R.S.

(c) An overpayment shall bear no interest if it is credited to the taxpayer's account.

(d) For purposes of this Section, a claim for refund shall be submitted in the form and with the documentation provided for by rules promulgated by the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board, pursuant to R.S. 47:337.102(C)(2).

D. The accrual of interest shall be suspended during any period of time that a delay in the issuance of a refund is attributable to the taxpayer's failure to provide information or documentation required by statute or regulation.

## AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 4, delete lines 1 through 5

On motion of Senator Allain, the amendments were adopted.

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

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	

Mizell Foil Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 189—

BY SENATOR WHITE

### AN ACT

To enact Subpart L-1 of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle 1 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.36, relative to special funds; to create the 2020 Capital Project Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the dedication of certain revenues and for the deposit of and use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator White, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

# SENATE BILL NO. 272— BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(O) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for ad valorem property tax exemptions; to establish an exemption for certain property subject to a cooperative endeavor agreement requiring payments in lieu of taxes; to provide for requirements and limitations; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Abraham, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

### SENATE BILL NO. 283-

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.48(A)(1), 337.49(A), 337.50(A), and 337.51(A) and (B)(1), relative to local sales and use tax administration; to provide relative to notices; to provide relative to the time to protest to collector's determination of tax due; to provide relative to the time to appeal an assessment; and to provide for related matters.

### **Floor Amendments**

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

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#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

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

On page 2, line 9, following "This protest" change "must" to "shall"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 4, following "B." and before "If" insert "(1)"

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, line 7, delete "(1)"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	
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Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Milligan	Tarver
Carter	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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

SENATE BILL NO. 308— BY SENATOR HEWITT AND REPRESENTATIVE EDMONDS

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:308.5(B), (C)(1), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 49:308.5(C)(3)(a), and (D), relative to the Dedicated Fund Review Subcommittee of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; to provide relative to a plan of review by the Dedicated Fund Review Subcommittee of certain special funds and dedications in the state treasury, including those containing fees and self-generated revenues; to provide relative to the scheduling of funds in the plan of review; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

# Floor Amendments

Senator Barrow proposed the following amendments.

## SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Barrow to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 308 by Senator Hewitt

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 24, insert "The Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget may review and amend the list prior to submission to the subcommittee.

On motion of Senator Barrow, the amendments were adopted.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	
Total - 34		
	NAYS	
Total - 0		
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ABSENT

Tarver Boudreaux Milligan Carter Peterson Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 487— BY SENATOR ALLAIN

# AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:101(A)(1)(b), relative to capital outlay; to provide with respect to applications for capital outlay budget requests; to provide for which projects are required to reapply annually; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

#### Floor Amendments

Senator Allain proposed the following amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Allain to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 487 by Senator Allain

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 12 and insert:

"(b) The application for any (i) An updated capital outlay budget request which receives funding in the capital outlay budget shall be updated submitted each year that the project remains active in the budget process to requires new state funds in order to fully fund the project scope most recently approved by the legislature or the project has not encumbered a contract for acquiring lands, buildings, equipment, or construction of a permanent property within the twenty-four month period before the submission deadline. The updated request shall reflect all '

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, between lines 15 and 16, insert:

"(ii) An updated capital outlay budget request shall not be required for any project for which the work is complete or any project which has been abandoned. A project shall be considered abandoned when no expenditures occur within the twenty-four month period before the submission deadline.

On motion of Senator Allain, the amendments were adopted.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Milligan	Tarver
Carter	Peterson	
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Total - 5

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

# **SENATE BILL NO. 115-**

BY SENATOR CONNICK

# AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:223, relative to advertisements; to provide for advertisements of legal services; to require certain disclosures; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

# Floor Amendments

Senator Connick proposed the following amendments.

# SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Connick to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 115 by Senator Connick

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, after "verdict" and before "shall" insert "when presented in print"

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 2, after "advertisement" and before the period "." insert "and when presented verbally shall be audible, intelligible, and presented with equal prominence and in the same manner as the other parts of the advertisement.

On motion of Senator Connick, the amendments were adopted.

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

# ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	
Total - 34		
	NAYS	

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Milligan	Tarver
Carter	Peterson	
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Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 186—

BY SENATOR HARRIS

# AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2492 and 2495, relative to courts; to provide relative to the Municipal and Traffic Court of New Orleans; to provide relative to judgeships, divisions, clerks, procedures, terms, conditions, and requirements; and to provide for related matters.

# Floor Amendments

Senator Harris proposed the following amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Harris to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 186 by Senator Harris

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 24, between "more" and "salary" insert "than the"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 6, between "more" and "salary" insert "than the"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 21, between "more" and "salary" insert "than the"

On motion of Senator Harris, the amendments were adopted.

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

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### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Hensgens	Peacock
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope
Bernard	Jackson	Price
Bouie	Johns	Reese
Cathey	Lambert	Smith
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Ward
Fesi	Mills, F.	White
Fields	Mills, R.	Womack

Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux	Henry	Peterson
Carter	Milligan	Tarver
Total - 6	e	

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 188— BY SENATOR WHITE

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:2(B)(29), relative to crimes of violence; to make the crime of possession of firearm or carrying concealed weapon by a person convicted of certain felonies a crime of violence; and to provide for related matters.

### **Floor Amendments**

Senator White proposed the following amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator White to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 188 by Senator White

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, at the beginning of the line after "To" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.1(D) and to" and after "14:2(B)(29)" insert "and 95.1(E)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 1, line 6, after "Section 1." insert "R.S. 14:95.1(D) is hereby amended and reenacted and" and after "14:2(B)(29)" delete "is" and insert "and 95.1(E) are'

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the end of line 1 after "felonies" insert ", when the predicate felony offense is enumerated in R.S. 14:95.1(D)"

On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following: "§95.1. Possession of firearm or carrying concealed weapon by a person convicted of certain felonies

D. Except for drug offenses in violation of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substance Law that are punishable by a sentence of imprisonment at hard labor for ten years or less, if any offense listed in Subsection A of this Section is a predicate offense for a prosecution under this Section, then the conviction shall be designated as a crime of violence.

**E.** For the purposes of this Section, "firearm" means any pistol, revolver, rifle, shotgun, machine gun, submachine gun, black powder weapon, or assault rifle which is designed to fire or is capable of firing fixed cartridge ammunition or from which a shot or projectile is discharged by an explosive."

On motion of Senator White, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Senator White, the amended bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

# SENATE BILL NO. 229-BY SENATOR MCMATH

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:500 through 502, relative to evidence from criminalistics laboratories; to provide relative to information pertaining to certificates of analysis; to provide with respect to admissibility as evidence; to provide with respect to notice of opposing party and certification of subpoena request; to provide with respect to time delays to provide notice; to provide relative to testimony by simultaneous broadcast; and to provide for related matters.

# **Floor Amendments**

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 229 by Senator McMath

## AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 1, following "delivery of" and before "evidence" change "said" to "the"

On page 2, line 12, following "district attorney" and before "or" insert "2"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 2, line 26, following "attorney," delete "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 2, line 27, following "district attorney" and before "or" insert ","

# AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 29, delete "\* \* \*" and insert
"E. The filing of a demand by the defendant does not prevent the admission of the certificate or its contents in any other manner otherwise appropriate pursuant to the Louisiana Code of Evidence or its ancillaries.

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

# ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mills, R.
Abraham	Harris	Mizell
Allain	Henry	Morris
Barrow	Hensgens	Peacock
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope
Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Cathey	Johns	Smith

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Cloud Lambert Talbot Connick Ward Luneau Fesi McMath White Fields Mills, F. Womack Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Price Carter Tarver Peterson Total - 6

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 270-

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3049(B)(1)(a) and (b), and (2)(a), relative to juror compensation; to provide for daily compensation; to provide for mileage; and to provide for related matters.

### Floor Amendments

Senator Fields proposed the following amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fields to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 270 by Senator Fields

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 15, after "be" insert "an amount"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17, change "at" to "equal to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 2, line 4, between "amount" and "that" insert "equal to the amount"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 5, after "and" insert "an amount equal to"

On motion of Senator Fields, the amendments were adopted.

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

## **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

# YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Bernard	Hewitt	Price
Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Cathey	Lambert	Smith
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Ward
Fesi	Mills, F.	White
Fields	Mills, R.	Womack
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Johns Peterson Milligan Carter Tarver

Total - 6

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 398—

BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:735.4(E), relative to the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness; to provide for qualifications of volunteers to cyber response and recovery support efforts; and to provide for related matters.

#### Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398 by Senator Foil

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 16, following "criminal registry" change ", including," to "including"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 17, following "limited" change "," to "to"

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

# **Floor Amendments**

Senator Foil proposed the following amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Foil to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398 by Senator Foil

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 15

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, change "(5)" to "(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 1, change "(6)" to "(5)"

On motion of Senator Foil, the amendments were adopted.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope Price

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Bernard Bouie Cathey	Jackson Johns Lambert	Reese Smith Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Milligan Boudreaux Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 407—

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1199.22, 1199.24(A)(1), (2), (7), and (8), (B), (C), (D), (E), and (F), 1199.25, and 1199.26 and to enact R.S. 15:1199.24(A)(11), (12), and (G), relative to the Post-Conviction Veterans Mentor Program; to provide for the extra conviction of the Rest Conviction Veterans Mentor Program. authorization of the Post-Conviction Veterans Mentor Program; to provide for eligibility criteria; to provide for veteran mentors; to provide for screening of eligible mentors; to provide for work opportunities for inmates participating in the program; to provide for transitional facilities; and to provide for related matters.

### Floor Amendments

Senator Fred Mills sent up floor amendments.

### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 407 by Senator Foil

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 11, change "deems" to "considers"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 3, line 2, change "equivalency" to "equivalent"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 8, change "deemed" to "considered"

AMENDMENT NO. 4 On page 3, line 27, change "deemed" to "considered"

#### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 5, line 4, following "shall serve" and before "of the presiding" change "upon the approval, in writing," to "upon written approval

# AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 6, delete line 10

On motion of Senator Fred Mills, the amendments were adopted.

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

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 435— BY SENATORS ABRAHAM AND FOIL

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 29:735(A)(1), and to enact R.S. 29:773, relative to immunity from civil liability; to provide relative to certain immunity by public entities and persons from civil liability during disasters and emergencies; to provide relative to the Louisiana Homeland Security and Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act; to provide relative to limitation of liability during the COVID-19 public health emergency; to provide certain terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

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

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

NAYS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizell	
Total - 34		

Total - 0

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#### ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Abraham moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

# SENATE BILL NO. 452—

BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:9029(A)(3), relative to the lottery; to provide for the amount of gross revenues the Lottery Corporation is to annually transfer to the state treasury; and to provide for related matters.

#### Floor Amendments

Senator Foil proposed the following amendments.

## SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Foil to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 452 by Senator Foil

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, after line 7, insert the following:
"Section 2. R.S. 47:9029(A)(3) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Deposit of revenues; expenditures and investments authorized; transfer of revenues to state treasury;

dedication and use of proceeds; corporation operating account; audit of corporation books and records; audits

(3) Within twenty days following the close of each calendar month, the corporation shall transfer to the Lottery Proceeds Fund in the state treasury the amount of net revenues which the corporation determines are surplus to its needs. Net revenues or proceeds shall be determined by deducting from gross revenues the payment costs incurred or estimated to be incurred in the operation and administration of the lottery. This shall include the expenses of the corporation and the costs resulting from any contract or contracts entered into for promotional, advertising, or operational services or for the purchase or lease of lottery equipment and materials, fixed capital outlays, and the payment of prizes to the holders of winning tickets. After the first year of operation the corporation shall transfer each year not less than twenty-five thirty-five percent of gross revenues to the state treasury.

Section 3. R.S. 47:9029(A)(3) as amended and reenacted by Section 2 of this Act shall supersede R.S. 47:9029(A)(3) as amended and reenacted by Section 1 of this Act and become effective on July 1, 2023, only if the revenues received by the state pursuant to R.S. 47:9029(A)(3) do not increase in amount by Fiscal Year 2023 from that amount received during Fiscal Year 2020."

On motion of Senator Foil, the amendments were adopted.

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

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

# YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Bernard	Hewitt	Price

Bouie	Jackson	Reese
Cathey	Johns	Smith
Cloud	Lambert	Talbot
Connick	Luneau	Ward
Fesi	McMath	White
Fields	Mills, F.	Womack
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 32

NAYS

Mills, R.

Total - 1

ABSENT

Barrow Carter Peterson Milligan Boudreaux Tarver Total - 6

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 489-

BY SENATOR MCMATH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:773, to limit the liability of governmental entities which require employees to work during a declared state of emergency; and to provide for related matters.

# **Floor Amendments**

Senator McMath proposed the following amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Fred Mills on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 489 by Senator McMath

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, following "by the" and before ", shall not" change "Center for Disease Control" to "Centers for Disease Control and Prevention'

On motion of Senator McMath, the amendments were adopted.

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

# ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Henry	Peacock
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Bernard	Hewitt	Pope Price
Bouie	Johns	Reese
Cathey	Lambert	Smith
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Ward
Fesi	Mills, F.	White
Fields	Mills, R.	Womack
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

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#### ABSENT

Boudreaux Jackson Peterson Milligan Carter Tarver

Total - 6

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 505— BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 320(G), (H), (I)(1)(a), and (J), and Art. 321(C)(5) and (6), R.S. 14:79(A)(3)(c) and (E), R.S. 15:574.4.2(A)(5), R.S. 46:1846(A) and (C) and 2132(4), to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 320(L) and R.S. 15:574.2(A)(6), relative to protective orders; provides for domestic offenses, stalking, and sex offenses; provides for uniform abuse prevention orders; provides for types of bail; provides for violation of protective orders; provides for decisions of committee on parole; prohibits communication between offender and victim; provides for exceptions; makes technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

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

# **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizeĺl	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Boudreaux Milligan Tarver Carter Peterson

Total - 5

The Chair declared the bill was passed and ordered it sent to the House. Senator Smith moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

### **Rules Suspended**

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

# Message from the House

### **CONCURRING IN** SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 13, 2020

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53—
BY SENATORS ALLAIN, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, PETERSON, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK

### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of the Honorable Dudley Anthony "Butch" Gautreaux Jr., renowned public servant, beloved gentleman, and a former member of both the Louisiana House of Representatives and the Louisiana Senate, and to celebrate his service and devotion to the law and the welfare of the people of the state of Louisiana.

Reported without amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58—
BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the singere condolonces of the Legislature of Louisiana.

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Melinda Waller Mangham, educator.

Reported without amendments.

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60—

BY SENATOR JOHNS AND REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Michael "Tubby" Lee Bergeron Sr.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted, MICHELLE D. FONTENOT Clerk of the House of Representatives

# **Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 43-**

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Peace Officers Memorial Day and Police Week.

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

# SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 44—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Denver Loupe, PhD, longtime 4-H leader and expert in sugarcane science.

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

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# 11th DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

# Introduction of **Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

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

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64— BY SENATOR PEACOCK A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana the provisions of R.S. 27:91 with respect to the compensation attributable to promotional play wagers and R.S. 27:241.1 with respect to all franchise fees levied on promotional play wagers pursuant to R.S. 27:241.1.

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

# **Message from the House**

# ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 13, 2020

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: HCR No. 82

> Respectfully submitted, MICHELLE D. FONTENOT Clerk of the House of Representatives

# **House Concurrent Resolutions** on First Reading

# **HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82-**BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO AND SENATOR ABRAHAM A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Hathaway High School girls' basketball team on an outstanding 2020 season.

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

## Message from the House

# SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 14, 2020

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

#### **HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38–**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO AND SENATOR ABRAHAM A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Bennett R. Lapoint, assistant district attorney of Jefferson Davis Parish, on his retirement.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 44—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIAQUE, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARPENTER, CARRIER, GARY CARTER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, COMBIER, COUSSAN, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER, DUBUISSON, DUPLESSIS, DWIGHT, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, FREEMAN, GADBERRY, GAINES, GAROFALO, GLOVER, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HARRIS, HENRY,

HILFERTY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HORTON, HUGHES, HUVAL, ILLG, IVEY, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JÖNES, JORDAN, KERNER, LACOMBE, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MACK, MAGGE, MARCELLE, MARINO, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCKNIGHT, MCMAHEN, MIGUEZ, DUSTIN MILLER, GREGORY MILLER, MINCEY, MOORE, MUSCARELLO, NELSON, NEWELL, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, PHELPS, PIERRE, PRESSLY, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, TARVER, THOMAS, THOMPSON, TURNER, VILLIO, WHEAT, WHITE, WILLARD, WRIGHT, AND ZERINGUE AND SENATORS ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, PETERSON, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD, WHITE, AND WOMACK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the members of

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the members of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Reggie Paul Bagala and their enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Jefferson Parish and Lafourche Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY AND SENATORS BERNARD AND MILLIGAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize June 2020 as Post-traumatic Stress Injury Awareness Month and to recognize Saturday, June 27, 2020, as Post-traumatic Stress Injury Awareness Day in Louisiana.

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 55-

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO AND SENATOR ABRAHAM A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Jennings High School football team on their outstanding playoff run during the 2019 season.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the

Respectfully submitted, MICHELLE D. FONTENOT Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

# ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

#### **PRESENT**

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Henry	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hewitt	Price
Bernard	Jackson	Reese
Bouie	Johns	Smith
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Ward
Connick	McMath	White
Fesi	Mills, F.	Womack
Fields	Mills, R.	
Foil	Mizeĺl	
Total 24		

Total - 34

#### ABSENT

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Boudreaux	Milligan	Tarver
Carter	Peterson	
Total - 5		

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# Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Boudreaux 1 Day Carter 1 Day Milligan 1 Day Peterson 1 Day Tarver 1 Day

# **Announcements**

The following committee meetings for May 15, 2020, were announced:

Natural Resources 8:00 A.M. Room A

# Adjournment

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 4:35 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Friday, May 15, 2020, at 10:00 o'clock A.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON Secretary of the Senate

> DIANE O' QUIN Journal Clerk