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### STATE OF LOUISIANA

### **ELEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

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

> Senate Chamber State Capitol Baton Rouge, Louisiana

> > Wednesday, April 6, 2022

The Senate was called to order at 3:14 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	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Peterson
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope
Bernard	Jackson	Price
Boudreaux	Lambert	Reese
Bouie	Luneau	Smith
Carter	McMath	Stine
Cathey	Milligan	Talbot
Connick	Mills, F.	Ward
Fesi	Mills, R.	Womack
Fields	Mizell	

Total - 35

### ABSENT

Cloud Tarver Henry White

Total - 4

The President of the Senate announced there were 35 Senators present and a quorum.

### **Praver**

The prayer was offered by Senator Patrick McMath, 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 Barrow, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of April 5, 2022, was adopted.

### **Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 39—

BY SENATORS REESE, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CONNICK, CORTEZ, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENSGENS, HEWITT, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, POPE, PRICE, SMITH, STINE, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK

# A RESOLUTION

To commend Senator and Mrs. Stewart Arthur Cathey Jr. on the joyous occasion of their marriage.

Senator Reese asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read Senate Resolution No. 39 a first and second time.

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

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 40–**

BY SENATORS FIELDS AND PEACOCK
A RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Ray L. Belton upon his announced retirement as president of the Southern University System and chancellor of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College at Baton Rouge for his outstanding accomplishments, his years of public service, and his contributions to the Southern University System and the entire state of Louisiana.

Senator Fields asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read No. 40 a first and second time.

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

### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 41—

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend Tubby Smith for his long and distinguished career as an outstanding college head basketball coach on the occasion of his richly deserved retirement.

Senator Boudreaux asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read Senate Resolution No. 41 a first and second time.

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

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 42—**

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend and recognize the Asosyasyon Peyizan Fondwa Global (APF) for its successful efforts at empowering the poor to create wealth through co-ops and grassroots developments in their communities.

Senator Boudreaux asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read Senate Resolution No. 42 a first and second time.

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

### **Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23—
BY SENATORS POPE, HEWITT, LAMBERT AND WHITE AND REPRESENTATIVES HODGES, MACK, MINCEY AND SCHEXNAYDER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Katie "KT" Scannell (KT) for being crowned Miss Louisiana USA 2022.

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

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24—BY SENATOR CLOUD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the Avoyel-Taensa Tribe of Louisiana.

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 437—
BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVES MCFARLAND AND SEABAUGH

To enact Part IV-B of Chapter 28 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:4341.1 through 3:4341.16, relative to forestry and agriculture; to authorize the

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creation of timber and agriculture transportation group selfinsurance funds; to provide with respect to group self-insurance funds; to provide for requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to the qualifications for membership; to provide for regulatory authority; to provide for excess or reinsurance insurance; to provide for the management of assets and investments; to provide for liabilities and the payment of claims; to provide for audits, examinations, and investigations; to provide for licensed insurance agents and brokers; to provide for insolvencies; to provide for civil actions for enforcement; to provide for reporting; to provide penalties for noncompliance; to provide for due process rights; to provide for dissolution; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

#### **SENATE BILL NO. 438-**

BY SENATOR PRICE AND REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(C)(3)(a), 471(A), 532(A)(1), 533(A)(1), 538, and 542(B)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 11:102(C)(6)(e), 102.1(E), 471(G), 537(G) and (H), R.S. 24:36(N), and Part VIII of Chapter 1 of Subtitle II of Title 11 of the Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 11:641-658, roleting to the Louisings State Fembrases! Participant 658, relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to create a new retirement plan; to provide for contributions, credits, investments, eligibility, and benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Retirement.

## **SENATE BILL NO. 439-**

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1271(A), 1274, and the introductory paragraph of 1285(A), and to enact R.S. 22:1021.1 and Part I-D of Chapter 15 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1310.11 through 1310.15, relative to assistant physicians; to provide for the licensure of assistant physicians; to provide for collaborative practice agreements; to provide for the powers and duties of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for insurance reimbursement claims by assistant physicians; and to provide for related matters.

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

## SENATE BILL NO. 440-

BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:850(A) and Code of Civil Procedure Art. 253(B), relative to clerks of court; to provide relative to facsimile transmission of filings in civil actions; to provide with respect to time of filings; to provide with respect to filing fees; to provide relative to pleadings, documents, and exhibits filed; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

### SENATE BILL NO. 441—

BY SENATOR FESI

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 18:585, relative to public officers who retire or resign; to provide that public officers who retire or resign are ineligible to become candidates in certain elections; and to provide for related matters.

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 442—

BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 62 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3221 through 3226, 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; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 443-**

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 47:303.1(C) and (G), to enact R.S. 47:303.1(B)(5), and to repeal R.S. 47:303.1(D), relative to direct payment numbers; to authorize direct payment numbers for contractors within the boundaries of an Economic Development District with a state tax increment; to provide for uniform direct payment number procedures and appeal rights for local tax collectors; and to provide for related matters.

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

### **SENATE BILL NO. 444-**

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1408(D)(1), 1418(7)(d), 1432(A), 1574.2(A), the introductory paragraph of 1574.2(B), and 1574.2(D) and to enact R.S. 47:338.223, 1408(D)(3), and 1574.2(E), (F), and (G), relative to tax administration and the Board of Tax Appeals; to provide for the administration of certain occupancy taxes; to authorize the board to issue protective orders; to provide relative to notice and the opportunity to be heard for all matters and all parties before the board; to provide for the jurisdiction of the board; to authorize the board to issue preliminary injunctions during suits to enjoin certain tax preparers; to authorize the secretary of revenue to issue cease and desist orders to tax preparers who engage in certain conduct; to impose penalties on preparers who violate injunctions or orders; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 445— BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 48:250.4(A) relative to approval of department of transportation and development contracts with public private partnerships; to provide for the approval of contracts by the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

# SENATE BILL NO. 446— BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:337 and 338(A), (B), and (C), relative to insurance settlement monies paid for damages to property or contents; to require placement of certain insurance settlement monies in segregated accounts; to provide for disbursement of certain insurance settlement monies to the borrower-payee; and to provide for related matters.

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The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 447-**

BY SENATOR HENSGENS

#### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:325.5, relative to the commercial menhaden fishery; to provide for commercial menhaden harvest reporting; to provide for required data; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for reports to legislative committees; to provide for the powers and duties of the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Natural Resources.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 448-**

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:40.3(E), relative to civil and aquatic life penalties; to provide for the collection of civil penalties for restitution of wildlife; to provide with respect to hearing officer rulings; to provide with respect to legal delays; to provide relative to administrative hearing; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Natural Resources.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 449-**

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1300.26, relative to video draw poker devices; to authorize the governing authority of Natchitoches Parish to call and conduct a referendum election on a proposition to allow the operation of video draw poker devices in the parish; to provide for procedures for the calling and holding of the election; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary B.

# SENATE BILL NO. 450— BY SENATOR STINE

# AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:271.1(A), relative to microbreweries; to provide for retail sales on or off premises; to provide for transfers; to provide for conditions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary B.

# **SENATE BILL NO. 451-**

BY SENATOR CARTER

### AN ACT

To repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Arts. 983 and 984(c), relative to criminal expungement; to repeal fees related to obtaining an expungement order; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary C.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 452-**

BY SENATOR MCMATH

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:851(O), relative to health and accident insurance; to provide for health and accident programs of the office of group benefits; to provide for applicability of certain requirements to certain employees; and to provide for related

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Finance.

### SENATE BILL NO. 453

BY SENATOR MCMATH

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:378.4 relative to low speed autonomous motor vehicles; to provide for regulatory exceptions for automated vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

# SENATE BILL NO. 454— BY SENATOR MCMATH

#### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:803(A), R.S. 34:3453, R.S. 36:501(B) and (C), 502(A), 503, 504(A)(4), (5), (8), and (9)(a), the introductory paragraph of (B), and (B)(2), 505(B), 507(B), and 508.3(C)(1), R.S. 38:90.5(A), and R.S. 48:231(A)(1), relative to the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for the purposes and functions of the department; to provide for officers of the department; to provide for the appointment of a secretary; to provide for a deputy secretary; to provide for powers and duties of the secretary; to provide for the office of multimodal commerce; to provide for the secretary's responsibilities for priority projects; to provide relative to highway, airport, port, and flood control priority projects; to provide for the secretary's obligations to the Joint Legislative Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

# SENATE BILL NO. 455— BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1362 through 1364, relative to internet; to provide for broadband connectivity; to provide for development and implementation of a plan to provide access to broadband internet; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

# SENATE BILL NO. 456— BY SENATOR ALLAIN

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 30:1154(A) and 1154(A)(6), to enact R.S. 30:1154(A)(9), relative to solar energy; to provide for solar power generation facilities; to provide for financial security; to provide for site closure estimates; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Natural Resources.

# SENATE BILL NO. 457— BY SENATOR STINE

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:250.4(A) relative to approval of the Department of Transportation and Development contracts with public-private partnerships; provides for the approval of contracts by the legislature; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

### SENATE BILL NO. 458-

BY SENATOR HARRIS

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.1(C)(1)(a), and to enact R.S. 38:330.1(C)(2)(a)(xii), and (xiii), relative to flood protection authorities; to provide relative to the board of commissioners of the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East; to provide for the composition of the nominating committee; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

# SENATE BILL NO. 459— BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9075(F)(1)(d), relative to the Lake Oaks Subdivision Improvement District; to provide relative to increasing the maximum amount of the parcel fee; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 460-

BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 15 of the Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1501 through 1504, relative to electric vehicle charging equipment networks; to provide for a rate structure and limits; to provide for exceptions; to provide for terms and requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

# SENATE BILL NO. 461— BY SENATOR REESE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.30, relative to the Vinton Police Department; to authorize the police chief to discipline police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

### SENATE BILL NO. 462-

BY SENATOR WARD

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 21-B of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:7641 through 7649, relative to the municipalities and parishes; to provide relative to the creation of the Public-Private Partnerships Cooperative Endeavor Agreement Act; to provide for public-private partnerships; to provide for the authority of public entities to enter into certain public-private partnerships between the private sector and a public entity; to provide with respect to advisors and consultants; to provide for independent analysis by advisors regarding financial, tax, and legal matters; to provide for advisors' report and fees; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide relative to procedures and approval; to provide for financial reporting; to provide for terms and definitions; to provide for public notice and public hearings; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

# SENATE BILL NO. 463— BY SENATORS WHITE AND FOIL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 22 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:1501 through 1506, relative to the Coastal Area Flood Protection Authority; to create the Coastal Area Flood Protection Program; to provide for the territorial jurisdiction of the authority; to provide for the appointment and term of the members of the Coastal Area Flood Protection Board; to provide for meetings of the board of commissioners and the officers thereof; to provide relative to the powers of the authority; to create the Coastal Area Flood Protection Fund; to provide for the deposit, use, investment, and disbursement of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

# SENATE BILL NO. 464— BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1081.12, relative to Medicaid coverage for genetic testing of critically ill infants; to provide for coverage for rapid whole genome sequencing testing of certain infants; to provide for the duties of the secretary of the Louisiana Department of Health; and to provide for related matters.

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 465— BY SENATOR CONNICK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.1(C)(2)(c), (3)(a), (b), and (c), and (4)(a), relative to flood protection authorities; to provide for vacancies on a flood protection authority board; to provide for nominating committees; to provide for the custodian of records; to provide for notifications; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

# SENATE BILL NO. 466— BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1907(K), relative to assessors; to authorize assessors to increase their compensation up to five percent for four calendar years; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 467-**

BY SENATOR CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:385, relative to passenger rail service connecting the parishes of East Baton Rouge, St. John the Baptist, Ascension, Jefferson, and Orleans; to direct the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development to initiate the necessary engineering, financial and other studies to begin passenger rail service between Baton Rouge and New Orleans; to pursue the federal funds provided for in the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021; and to provide for related

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

## SENATE BILL NO. 468—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:30, the introductory paragraph of 30.1(A), and 30.1(A)(1) and (B), and to enact R.S. 14:30.1(C) and (D), relative to murder; to provide for first degree murder; to provide for second degree murder; to provide for elements of the crimes; to provide for requirements in seeking a capital verdict; to provide for punishments; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary Č.

SENATE BILL NO. 469— BY SENATORS WHITE AND CLOUD

AN ACT

To enact Subpart Q-2 of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.123, relative to special funds in the state treasury; to create the 2024 American Rescue Plan and Excess Revenue Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the

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transfer, dedication, deposit, and use, as specified, of the 2024 American Rescue Plan and Excess Revenue Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Finance.

# SENATE BILL NO. 470—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1426(E) and to enact R.S. 51:1426(F), relative to the internet; to provide relative to specific websites and domains; to provide for age verification; to provide for restrictions; to provide for unfair acts or practices; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 471— BY SENATOR MILLIGAN AND REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2191.1, relative to public contracts; to provide for foreign sources of funds for gifts and contracts involving state agencies and political subdivisions; to provide for reporting of sources of monies used as gifts or grants or in contracts involving state agencies and political subdivisions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 472— BY SENATOR MILLIGAN AND REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON AN ACT

To enact Chapter 49 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3051 through 3054, relative to homeland security; to provide relative to ownership of immovable property; to require transparency of ownership of certain types of immovable property deemed to be critical to the health, safety, and welfare of the people of the state of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary B.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 473-**

BY SENATOR MILLIGAN AND REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON AN AC

To enact R.S. 17:1818.1 through 1818.3, relative to foreign sources of funds; to provide for reporting of certain foreign sources of monies used as gifts or grants or in contracts involving certain postsecondary education institutions; to provide for use of certain monies to fund employment of and study by foreign students and faculty; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary B.

## **SENATE BILL NO. 474–**

BY SENATORS WOMACK AND MCMATH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212(M)(3) and (5), relative to change orders on public works contracts; to provide for time periods for change orders to be executed and paid; to provide for mandamus against public entities failing to act in accordance with law as well as the recovery of reasonable attorney fees and interest; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

### SENATE BILL NO. 475-

BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9038.74, relative to cooperative and economic development in East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Baker Main Street Economic Development District as a special taxing and tax increment financing district in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; to provide for the authority, powers, duties, and functions of the governing body; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes within the district; to authorize the district to issue and sell bonds; to authorize the district to engage in tax increment financing; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

### SENATE BILL NO. 476-

BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.67(B) and (C)(1), relative to the Baton Rouge North Economic Development District; to provide relative to the boundaries of the district; to provide for the governance of the district; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 477-**

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:387.2, relative to special permits; to establish a permit for the operation of a combination of vehicles or tandem loads hauling containers to and from port facilities; to provide for the adoption of administrative rules; to provide for terms, conditions, requirements, and specifications; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 478-**

BY SENATOR BERNARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:1(A)(2)(a), 32(A), (C()1)(a), and (D), 35(E)(2), and 37, relative to public records; to provide for the scope of records requests; to provide for response time; to provide for liability of custodians of records; and to provide for related matters.

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

## SENATE BILL NO. 479-

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.1(C)(1)(a) and 315.2(D), and to repeal R.S. 9:315.14, relative to child support; to provide relative to the guidelines for determination of child support; to provide with respect to the calculation of basic chid support obligation; to provide relative to the mandatory minimum child support award; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 480— BY SENATORS BOUDREAUX AND CORTEZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 34:291(B)(1) and 292(B)(1), to enact R.S. 34:291(B)(3) and 292(B)(1)(e) and (g), and to repeal R.S. 34:291.1 and 295, relative to the Lafayette Economic Development Authority; to provide for oversight responsibility; to remove certain

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responsibilities for examinations and investigations; to provide for board appointment; to provide for transition; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

## SENATE BILL NO. 481—

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1601(12), relative to unemployment insurance; to provide for the disqualification of benefits for certain workers; to provide for terms and conditions; and to provide for related

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

### SENATE BILL NO. 482—

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:344, relative to entrances and exits near highways; to provide for an appeals process; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

# SENATE BILL NO. 483-BY SENATOR CATHEY

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 1-E of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:51 through 60, relative to occupational licenses; to provide for licensure; to provide for certain criteria; to provide for an appeals process; to provide for a rulemaking process; to provide for exceptions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

## **SENATE BILL NO. 484-**

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 22:868(D), 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; authorizes a commercial insurer to select a forum or venue in a policy form; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 485— BY SENATORS PETERSON AND BOUIE

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9091.25(B) and (D), relative to Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the Delachaise Security and Improvement District; to provide relative to the boundaries and governance of the district; and to provide for related

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

### SENATE BILL NO. 486-

BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 253(B), relative to clerks of court; to provide relative to pleadings, documents, and exhibits filed with the clerk of court; to provide for electronic transmittal of filings; to provide certain procedures for electronic filing and storage of documents; to provide for the

conversion of filings into electronic records; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

# SENATE BILL NO. 487— BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1284.2, relative to insurance coverage for damage to a motor vehicle; to provide for a waiver of liability against a collision shop under certain circumstances; to provide terms and conditions; to provide rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Insurance.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 488-**

BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1705.1, relative to ad valorem tax millages; to provide with respect to constitutionally authorized millage adjustments; to provide for increases in the millage rate in certain parishes; to provide public hearing requirements; to provide for an effective date, and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

### SENATE BILL NO. 489-

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.30 and to enact R.S. 9:315.30(A) and (B), relative to child support; to provide for penalties; to provide for failure to comply with a subpoena, warrant, or court order in child support or paternity proceedings; to provide for the suspension of certain licenses; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

### SENATE BILL NO. 490-

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 12 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:681 through 685 and 691 through 693, relative to capitol security; to provide for a director of capitol security; to provide for the qualifications, compensation, duties and functions of the director; to provide for capitol security officers; to provide for the manner in which certain special officer commissions may be issued; to create the Capitol Security Council; to provide for the composition and membership of the council; to provide for the powers and duties of the council; and to provide for related matters.

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 491—

BY SENATOR FESI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 9:5363.1(B)(1), R.S. 32:471(1), R.S. 32:476(A)(3), and R.S. 476(A)(3). 33:4876(B), relative to abandoned movable property; to provide relative to abandoned mobile homes and motor vehicles; to provide with respect to the right to take possession of abandoned movable property; to provide for the removal and disposition of abandoned moveable property; to provide relative to sale by municipalities; to provide for procedure; to provide relative to funds received from the sale of an abandoned motor vehicle; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

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# SENATE BILL NO. 492— BY SENATOR ROBERT MILLS

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(B)(1)(a) and R.S. 17:15(B) and to enact R.S. 17:15.1, relative to criminal history records for certain educators and substitute educators; to provide for criminal history records; to expedite the process for obtaining criminal history records; to provide for requests for criminal history records on behalf of the school governing authorities; to provide for a secure central registry to collect and retain information related to criminal history records; to prohibit disclosure of criminal history records; to provide for definitions; to provide for due process; and to provide for related matters.

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

#### SENATE BILL NO. 493-

BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:1674.16.1, relative to drainage districts; to provide relative to parishes with a population between 245,000 and 265,000; to provide for the levy of a maintenance and operation tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

### SENATE BILL NO. 494—

BY SENATOR FOIL

#### AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 2334, 2335, and 2721(B), relative to summary and executory proceedings; to provide relative to the notice of seizure of property; to provide relative to service of the notice of seizure; to provide relative to sheriff's sales; to provide for online auction of seized property; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary A.

### **Senate Resolutions on Second Reading**

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 37— BY SENATORS BOUDREAUX AND CORTEZ A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Ben Berthelot, President & CEO of Lafayette Travel upon being elected as chairman of the Louisiana TravelPAC Board of Directors.

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

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 38—**

BY SENATOR TALBOT

### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study programs implemented in other states or through Medicaid waiver programs to evaluate options for delaying institutionalization for frail elders.

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

# **Senate Resolutions on** Second Reading, Subject to Call

### Called from the Calendar

Senator Allain asked that Senate Resolution No. 32 be called from the Calendar.

### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

## A RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, April 6, 2022, as Coastal Conservation Association Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

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

## **Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading**

### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Department of Veterans Affairs to reconsider the closure of the Alexandria Veterans Affairs Medical Center.

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

### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Medical Reimbursement Schedule (LAC 40:I.5115) that provides relative to surgery guidelines; to provide relative to implants and graft materials; provides directions relative to physician reimbursement and invoicing; to provide definitions; and to direct the office of the state register to print the amendment in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

The resolution was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and recognize Woman's Hospital and its employees and medical staff on being identified as one of the World's Best Hospitals for gynecology and maternity care.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Foil moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Peacock
Allain	Hensgens	Peterson
Barrow	Hewitt	Pope
Bernard	Jackson	Price
Boudreaux	Lambert	Reese
Bouie	Luneau	Smith
Carter	McMath	Stine
Cathey	Milligan	Talbot
Connick	Mills, F.	Tarver
Fesi	Mills, R.	Ward
Fields	Mizell	White
Total 36		

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cloud Henry Womack

Total - 3

The Chair declared the Senate adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it sent to the House.

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# Message from the House

### ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

April 6, 2022

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 Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HB No. 3	HB No. 81	HB No. 130
HB No. 157	HB No. 134	HB No. 247
HB No. 284	HB No. 416	HB No. 432
HB No. 434	HB No. 443	HB No. 210
HB No. 456	HB No. 497	HB No. 51
HB No. 261	HB No. 323	HB No. 548
HB No. 627	HB No. 693	HB No. 715
HB No. 729	HB No. 762	

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

# **House Bills and Joint Resolutions** on First Reading

HOUSE BILL NO. 3— BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP

AN ACT
To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2022, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond Commission; and to provide for related matters.

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

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 51–**

BY REPRESENTATIVES GOUDEAU AND MIKE JOHNSON AND SENATOR CATHEY

### AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 883.2(E) and R.S. 14:32.1(E), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide relative to the crime of vehicular homicide; to provide relative to penalties of the crime of vehicular homicide; to require certain payments for the support of the minor child of the victim; and to provide for related matters.

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

# HOUSE BILL NO. 81— BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:45(A)(1) and (B), relative to the Occupational Licensing Review Commission; to add additional members to the commission; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 130— BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:398(I)(1) and (a)(iii), relative to motor vehicle crash reports; to provide relative to the definition of an insurance support organization; to exempt healthcare providers from certain confidentiality requirements applicable to public records; and to provide for related matters.

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

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 134-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:67.3(C), relative to the crime of false statements and false or altered documents; to provide relative to the payment of restitution for the crime; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 157— BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIAQUE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:2121(C)(3)(f) and (g), relative to tax sale title; to add integrated coastal protection, master plan, and levee or drainage projects to the list of interests affecting third parties that cannot be terminated; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 210— BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:231, 232.1(B), 232.2(B), 232.3(B) and (D), 232.4(B), 232.7, 232.8, 236(10) and (20), 236.4(A), 237.2(10) and (20), 237.6(A), 252(C)(4), 524(2), 528(1), 553, 1564(B)(3), 1622(4)(b)(iii), 1625(J), 1722(10)(c), 1726(B), 1728(6), and 1729(F), relative to certain provisions affecting the Insurance Holding Company System Regulatory Law; to make corrective changes to certain internal citation references; to provide for technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 247-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Title XXII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the heading of Chapter 1 of Title XXII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 671 through 676, 678, and 679, the heading of Chapter 3 of Title XXII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 684, and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Article 677, relative to the recusal of judges; to provide for the grounds for recusal; to provide for recusal on the motion of the court; to provide for authority of judges; to provide for the procedure for recusal; to provide for the selection of a judge to try the motion to recuse; to provide for the selection of a judge after recusal; to provide for the recusal of an ad hoc judge, appellate judge, and supreme court justice; to provide for review of recusal rulings; and to provide for related matters.

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

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 261-**

USE BILL IVO. 201—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MAGEE, AMEDEE, BROWN, BRYANT, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FISHER, GREEN, HARRIS, LARVADAIN, MARINO, NELSON, ORGERON, PIERRE, STEFANSKI, THOMAS, THOMPSON, AND ZERINGUE

AN ACT

To enact Part II-E of Chapter 8 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1977.1 through 1977.3, and R.S. 36:651(C)(13), relative to education; to create an independent public French immersion school; to provide for the location of the school and the grade levels to be served; to provide for a board of directors and a school director and the powers, duties, and responsibilities of each; to provide for board membership, terms, and compensation; to provide for an effective date; to provide for funding; and to provide for related

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

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 284-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1339(B)(1) and R.S. 40:2844(B)(3) and (20), relative to boards and commissions; to provide for membership of the governing board of the Louisiana Emergency Response Network; and to provide for related matters.

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

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 323-**

BY REPRESENTATIVES NELSON, BRYANT, DUPLESSIS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, FONTENOT, GREEN, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, MCKNIGHT, DUSTIN MILLER, MOORE, NEWELL, PIERRE, SELDERS, AND THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:745.4, relative to the confinement of inmates; to provide relative to persons committed to the custody of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections who are confined in a parish jail; to create the Back on Track Louisiana Pilot Program; to provide relative to participation in the program; to provide relative to payments to local jails; to provide relative to funding; and to provide for related matters.

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

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 416—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARINO, BRASS, FREEMAN, CHARLES OWEN, AND SCHLEGEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:392.1(F)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and to enact R.S. 17:392.1(F)(3) and 3996(B)(67), relative to screening of public school students for impediments to learning; to provide relative to reports to the state Department of Education and to the legislature regarding students with dyslexia; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 432— BY REPRESENTATIVES PHELPS AND JENKINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 905(B), relative to progress reports of juveniles; to provide for an increased time period for reports; to provide for an additional recipient; and to provide for related matters.

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

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 434—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PHELPS AND JENKINS

AN ACT

To enact Children's Code Article 896(H), relative to deferred dispositional agreements; to provide relative to eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

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

# HOUSE BILL NO. 443— BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 875.1, relative to the financial obligations for criminal offenders; to provide relative to the payment of fines, fees, costs, restitution, and other monetary obligations related to an offender's conviction; to require the court to determine the offender's ability to pay the financial obligations imposed; to authorize the court to waive, modify, or create a payment plan for the offender's financial obligations; to provide relative to the recovery of uncollected monetary obligations at the end of a probation period; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 456— BY REPRESENTATIVE NELSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:31, relative to legislative per diem payments; to allow certain members of the legislature to receive per diem payments as non-taxable travel allowances rather than compensation; and to provide for related matters.

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

### HOUSE BILL NO. 497-

BY REPRESENTATIVES TURNER, ROBBY CARTER, AND COX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1250, relative to regulation of pharmacists and pharmacies by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide relative to facilities which engage solely in the distribution of drugs or other products necessary for home kidney dialysis for patients with end stage renal disease; to exempt such facilities from the provisions of the Louisiana Pharmacy Practice Act; and to provide for related matters.

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

### HOUSE BILL NO. 548—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FREEMAN, MOORE, AND SCHLEGEL AND SENATORS BARROW AND MIZELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3921.4, relative to digital devices in public schools; to require the state Department of Education to develop health and safety guidelines for the use of digital devices in public schools; to require collaboration with the Louisiana Department of Health and others in developing the guidelines; to provide for the content of the guidelines; to require the state Department of Education to distribute the guidelines to public school governing authorities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 627-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:68.4(C), relative to the crime of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle; to provide relative to criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 693— BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 27:3(13)(i) and 27(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1), relative to the Gaming Control Law; to provide relative to the definition of "institutional investors"; to provide relative to the criteria for suitability for institutional investors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 715— BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

691.7(A)(1)(g) through (i) and (6), and 691.10(G), relative to the Insurance Holding Company System Regulatory Law; to provide for definitions; to provide for a group capital calculation; to provide for a liquidity stress test; to provide for the continuity of essential services and functions provided by affiliates; to provide for jurisdiction of the rehabilitation court; to provide for a bond or deposit requirement; to provide for the ownership of the records of an insurer; to provide for confidentiality; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 729—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPLESSIS, BOYD, BRASS, BRYANT, WILFORD CARTER, FISHER, FREEMAN, GAINES, GREEN, HUGHES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JORDAN, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, NEWELL, PIERRE, SELDERS, STAGNI, AND WILLARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(38) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 234, relative to photo identification of an arrested person; to provide for a public records exception; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to the duty of law enforcement; to provide relative to submission of requests; to provide for criminal liability; to provide relative to time periods; to provide relative to attorney fees; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

# HOUSE BILL NO. 762— BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

AN ACT To enact R.S. 36:610(B)(13), R.S. 56:10(B)(17), and Part VI of Chapter 8 of Title 56 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 56:1931 through 1936, relative to the Louisiana Outdoors Forever Program; to create the Louisiana Outdoors Forever Program and the Louisiana Outdoors Forever Fund; to provide for executive branch organization; to create a project selection board and a technical advisory board; to provide for board membership and duties; to provide for program eligibility and applications; to provide for administrative rules; to provide for program termination; and to provide for related matters.

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

# Message from the House

### ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 6, 2022

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. 4

HCR No. 58

HCR No. 56

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

## **House Concurrent Resolutions** on First Reading

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Louisiana Department of Health rule, LAC 50:VII.32913(A) and (C), which provides for Medicaid reimbursement to non-state intermediate care facilities for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities for resident leave of absence days, and to direct the office of the state register to print the amendments in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

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

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 56—BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Chennault Aviation and Military Museum, the Monroe Regional Airport, and the Aviation Hall of Fame and to commend the museum for its role in memorializing Louisiana's aviation history.

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

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58— BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Tuesday, April 12, 2022, as CODOFIL Day at the state capitol.

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 365—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SEABAUGH, ADAMS, BACALA, BRYANT, CARRIER, CORMIER, CREWS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, GADBERRY, GAROFALO, HORTON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, CHARLES OWEN, PRESSLY, SCHAMERHORN, AND VILLIO

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.1(D) and to enact R.S. 14:2(B)(29) and 95.1(E), relative to crimes of violence; to create the crime of possession of firearm or carrying concealed weapon by a person convicted of certain felonies a crime of violence; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary C.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 460—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS AND SENATOR PRICE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1099.5(C)(1), (D), and (E), relative to early childhood programs; to provide relative to the purpose for which a parish governing authority levies an additional tax; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary B.

HOUSE BILL NO. 501— BY REPRESENTATIVE DUBUISSON AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to authorize the transfer of certain state property in St. Tammany Parish; to provide for the property descriptions; to provide for the reservation of mineral interests; to provide terms and conditions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 515— BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:1333(A) and to enact R.S. 12:1333(E) and 1333.1, relative to succession proceedings involving limited liability companies; to provide for death of board members; to allow for inheritance of interest in a single-person limited liability company; to allow the succession representative to exercise the rights of the deceased member; to provide for membership of the heir or legatee; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International

**HOUSE BILL NO. 529-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

AN ACT

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To amend and reenact R.S. 22:3, 1921(A), (C), and (D), 1922(A), 1926, 1928(A)(introductory paragraph), 1929(A), 2132(G)(2), 2161(J), 2171(L), R.S. 36:681(C), 683, 687, 689, and 691.1, to enact R.S. 36:681(D), 686(C)(3) and (4), and 694.1, and to repeal R.S. 36:686(D) and (E), relative to the organization of the Department of Insurance; to provide for the offices within and officers for the department; to provide for the administration of certain commissions within the department; to provide for the chief deputy commissioner of the department; to create the office of policy, innovation, and research; to provide the duties and functions of the office and the deputy commissioner of policy, innovation, and research; to make technical changes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Insurance.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 545-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

1808.2(C)(6) and (E), and 1808.6(A) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 22:513(B)(6), 1545(C), 1546(A)(4), 1571, 1574(A)(4), 1808.2(C)(1) through (5), and 1808.3(A)(4), relative to prelicensing requirements for insurance producers and bail enforcement agents; to repeal the prelicensing requirement for certain persons; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Insurance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 550—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3996(I), relative to elementary and secondary education; to provide relative to student learning pods; to provide relative to policies and procedures; to provide relative to domicile; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 679—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1111(E)(2)(d), relative to ethics; to provide relative to certain required statements regarding assistance in connection with certain transactions; to provide for the time period for certain actions by the Board of Ethics regarding such statements; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 691—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON

AN ACT

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

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 695-

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:456, 1547(F) and (I)(introductory paragraph), 1551(C)(introductory paragraph), (3), and (4), 1564(B)(2), 1573(C), (E), and (G), 1575(A)(1), and 1808.4(A)(2), relative to insurance producers and consultants; to provide for appointments of producers; to provide for technical corrections relative to exemptions from examinations, licensing, and continuing education of producers and consultants; to modify terminology relative to accident and health insurance; to provide for technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Insurance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 706— BY REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:40.1 and 107.2(A) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 814(A)(69), relative to the crime of terrorizing; to create the crime of menacing; to provide for penalties; to provide relative to hate crimes; to add the crime of menacing to the list of hate crimes; to provide for responsive verdicts; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 717— BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAHEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1248.1(6) and 1248.3(1) and (2), relative to financing by the state Medicaid program of health services in certain parishes; to provide with respect to a local healthcare provider participation program; to designate the parishes in which the program may be operated; and to provide for related matters.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 753— BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ

AN ACT

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

The bill was read by title and referred by the President to the Committee on Natural Resources.

## **House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading**

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 52— BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Wednesday, April 6, 2022, as Southern University Day at the state capitol.

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

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Peterson
Abraham	Harris	Pope
Allain	Hensgens	Price
Barrow	Hewitt	Reese
Bernard	Jackson	Smith
Boudreaux	Luneau	Stine
Bouie	McMath	Talbot
Carter	Milligan	Tarver
Cathey	Mills, F.	Ward
Connick	Mizell	White
Fesi	Morris	Womack
Fields	Peacock	

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

**ABSENT** 

Cloud Lambert Henry Mills, R.

Total - 4

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

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53-

BY REPRESENTATIVES PRESSLY, BAGLEY, CREWS, HORTON, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MCCORMICK, MCMAHEN, PHELPS, SEABAUGH, AND TURNER AND SENATORS MILLIGAN, ROBERT MILLS, PEACOCK, AND TARVER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Shriners Hospitals for Children on the occasion of the one hundredth anniversary of the healthcare network.

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

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### ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

#### YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Pope Price
Abraham	Harris	Price
Allain	Hensgens	Reese
Barrow	Hewitt	Smith
Bernard	Jackson	Stine
Boudreaux	Luneau	Talbot
Bouie	McMath	Tarver
Carter	Milligan	Ward
Cathey	Mills, F.	White
Connick	Mizell	Womack
Fesi	Morris	

Fields Peacock Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Peterson

Cloud Lambert Mills, R. Henry

Total - 5

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

# **Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

### SENATE AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

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

April 6, 2022

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 BILL NO. 34—
BY SENATOR FRED MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVES BUTLER, CHARLES OWEN AND BAGLEY

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1270.1(F), 1314(G), 1357.1(B), 1360(5), 1360.63(E), 1360.102(F), 2864(D), and 3356(E) and to enact P.S. 37:620, 1164(20)(c), 1270(F), 1240(F), 2017 enact R.S. 37:629, 1164(39)(c), 1270(D), 1340(7), 3015, 3303(E), and 3434 and R.S. 42:17.2, relative to meetings of statewide advisory committees of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to authorize certain meetings to be conducted electronically; to provide for public notice and participation requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 35— BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:149.34, relative to the names of state buildings; to name the Carl W. Aron Building; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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### SENATE BILL NO. 67-

BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:951(9), 953, the introductory aniella and reenact R.S. 4,931(9), 953, the introductory paragraph of 953.1(A)(1), 953.1(A)(5), and (C), 954(A) and (B)(2), 954.1(A), 955(B), (C), (E), and (F), 959(A), 960(B), 964(A)(1), (F), and (G), 964.1(C), 966(A), 967, the introductory paragraph of 968(B), 968(B)(24)(b), (C)(2) and (4), (D)(1)(a), and the introductory paragraph of (D)(1)(b), (D)(1)(b)(i), and (c)and (3), (E)(1)(a), the introductory paragraph of 968(F)(1), (G), (H), (J), and (K)(2), 969(A), 970(A), 971(A)(1) and (3) and (B), 974(B), (C), and (E), 978.1, 978.4(A)(2), 978.5(B) and (C), the introductory paragraph of 978.7, and 978.7(1), and 978.8(A) and (B), to enact R.S. 49:953.1(G), 963, and 964, and to recodify Chapter 13 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 in its entirety, relative to the Administrative Procedure Act; to make technical updates to the Administrative Procedure Act; to provide for public hearings; to provide for publication of executive orders; to provide for judicial review; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate the current provisions of Chapter 13 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 into a new format and number scheme, to be comprised of R.S. 49:950 through 978.3, without changing the text of the provisions except as provided herein; to make technical and conforming changes to reflect the format and number scheme provided herein; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to change references to segments of law in existing statutes and codes as necessary to reflect the redesignation of such segments as provided herein; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 135— BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(31) and R.S. 46:123(D)(1)(c), relative to the Military Family Assistance Fund; to provide an exception relative to public records for Military Family Assistance Fund applications; to clarify the requirements for need-based Military Family Assistance Fund applications; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

### SENATE BILL NO. 218—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:148(B)(12) through (15) and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(8) and to enact R.S. 15:148(B)(16) and 148.1, relative to raw data collected by the Louisiana Public Defender Board; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for a public records exception; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# **SENATE BILL NO. 228-**

BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:42, relative to public records custodians; to provide for immunity from suit in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 279— BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:149.35, relative to names of state buildings; to name the J. Burton Angelle Building; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

### SENATE BILL NO. 350—

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1313.1(G)(3), (H)(2), and (I)(3) and 1315(C) and to enact R.S. 18:1315(D) and (E), relative to elections; to provide relative to absentee by mail ballots; to provide for the challenge of certain ballots; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for processes and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

### SENATE BILL NO. 369-

BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:423(E), 426.1(A)(2), and 1309(J), relative to compensation for certain election workers; to provide for increased rates of compensation; and to provide for related

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 392— BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:170.20, relative to state symbols; to designate St. Landry Parish as the Equine Capital of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, SHARON W. HEWITT Chairwoman

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

## **COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION** AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Senator Rick Ward III, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs, submitted the following report:

April 6, 2022

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to submit the following report:

### SENATE BILL NO. 133-

BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 6:314(A) and 766.1(A), relative to banking; to provide for state banks; to provide for savings and loan associations; to provide for payable on death accounts; to provide for affidavit requirements; to provide for requirements, procedures, and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 152— BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1261(A)(1)(I), relative to unauthorized acts of manufacturers, distributors, wholesalers, distributor branches, factory branches, and converters; to provide for protests; to provide for hearings performed by the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide for terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

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**SENATE BILL NO. 183-**BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT To enact R.S. 37:23.2 and R.S. 49:1308, relative to certain boards, commissions, and agencies; to require boards, commissions, and agencies to publish on the Internet certain information concerning permits and licenses; to provide for the information that must be published; to require reports; and to provide for

Reported with amendments.

### SENATE BILL NO. 305—

BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 62 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3221 through 3227, relative to deceptive and unfair trade practices; to provide relative to electronic dissemination of third-party commercial recordings or audiovisual works; to require disclosures; to provide for a private right of action; to provide for injunctive relief, orders to compel compliance, costs, and attorney's fees; to provide that violations constitute a deceptive and unfair trade practices; to provide for definitions, terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 367— BY SENATOR HENRY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:3392, R.S. 37:3392(8), (12) through (14), 3393(A) through (E), (G), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:3393 (J), R.S. 37:3393(J) through (L), 3394(B)(1)(b), and (c), and (B)(2), 3395(A)(1), (2), (4), (C) and (D), 3396(A), 3397, 3398(A), 3405, 3408(A), (B), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:3408(D) and R.S. 27:3409(C), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:3408(D) and R.S. 37:3408(F), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:3409(A), R.S. 37:3409(A), (6), (B)(2) and (3), (C)(2), (D), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 37:3409(F), 3410, and 3411, to enact R.S. 37:3392 (15) through (26), and R.S. 37:3399, and to repeal R.S. 37:3392(11) and 3397.1, relative to the Louisiana Real Estate Appraisers Board; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to real estate appraisers; to provide relative to real estate appraisers board; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 120-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(1) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(10)(e), relative to the Department of Economic Development, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Economic Development and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 121—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(1) and to repeal 49:191(10)(h), relative to the Department of Public Service, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Public Service and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 169—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RISER

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 37:711.12(D)(2), relative to geoscientists; to provide an exemption for geoscientific work performed by an officer or employee of the state; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 822— BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 37:563(introductory paragraph) and (6) and R.S. 40:2831(introductory paragraph) and (1)(b) and to enact R.S. 37:581(B)(6), relative to ear piercing; to exempt ear piercing from certain regulatory requirements; to provide for persons engaged in piercing; to provide requirements for exemption; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted, RICK WARD III Chairman

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

### **HEALTH AND WELFARE**

Senator Fred H. Mills Jr., Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Health and Welfare, submitted the following report:

April 6, 2022

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Health and Welfare to submit the following report:

# SENATE BILL NO. 32— BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1856(B) and 1856.1(A), the introductory paragraph of 1856.1(B), 1856.1(B)(2)(a), (3)(a), and (4)(a), (E)(5), and (G), and to enact R.S. 22:1856.1(H) and 1856.2, relative to pharmacy audits; to provide for the time limit for pharmacy audits; to provide for the prescriptions audited; to provide for compensation of auditors; to require an attestation prior to an audit; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

### SENATE BILL NO. 40-

BY SENATOR MCMATH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:286.2, relative to protections for foster children; to provide for special identification cards for children in foster care; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

### SENATE BILL NO. 59-

BY SENATOR FRED MILLS AND REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:460.76, relative to claim reviews conducted by Medicaid managed care organizations; to provide for prepayment reviews; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

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### SENATE BILL NO. 82-

BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:460.32, relative to Medicaid reimbursement for pharmacy services; to provide for enhanced reimbursements using drug rebates; to provide for a state plan amendment; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 83-**

BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:460.37, relative to Medicaid pharmacy reimbursement; to provide for the Council on Medicaid Pharmacy Reimbursement; to provide for council membership; to provide for meetings; to provide for the duties and powers of the council; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 98-BY SENATOR HEWITT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2351 through 2354, to enact R.S. 46:2355, and to repeal R.S. 46:2356, relative to the Louisiana Commission for the Deaf; to provide for definitions; to provide for the Louisiana Commission for the Deaf; to provide for a governing board; to provide for commission employees; to provide for commission funds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 257— BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:450.8, relative to Medicaid coverage for continuous glucose monitors; to require Medicaid coverage for continuous glucose monitors; to provide for the method of coverage; to provide for duties of the Louisiana Department of Health; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 268—

BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2156(B)(4) and to enact R.S. 40:2159.2, relative to opioid treatment programs for pregnant women; to establish requirements for treatment facilities licensed as behavioral health services providers that provide treatment for opioid use disorder to pregnant women; to prohibit certain actions against behavioral health services provider licenses prior to a specific date; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 298-BY SENATOR BARROW

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2018.3.1, relative to Medicaid coverage for sickle cell disease; to require an annual review of available treatments for sickle cell disease; to require an assessment of Medicaid coverage for sickle cell treatments; to provide for public input, to provide for annual reporting by the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for a short title; and to provide for related

Reported favorably.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 328-**

BY SENATOR FRED MILLS

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1042(A), (B), the introductory paragraph of (C)(1), and (D), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Optometry Examiners; to provide for board membership; to provide for a nomination process; to provide for term limits; to provide for board members who are also members in an optometrist trade association; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, FRED H. MILLS JR. Chairman

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

### **INSURANCE**

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

April 6, 2022

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 118—

BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1028.3(B)(2) relative to the medical necessity for genetic testing of certain cancer mutations; to require medical necessity for genetic testing of certain cancer mutations is based on nationally recognized clinical practice guidelines; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

## **SENATE BILL NO. 141-**

BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:860.1, relative to insurance contract requirements; to prohibit insurers from requiring or requesting a vaccination status for individuals, family members, and businesses; to prohibit insurers from requiring or requesting that a business adopt policies and procedures for vaccination status, or from requiring or requesting information on whether a business has adopted such policies and procedures; to prohibit the use of vaccination status for underwriting purposes; to prohibit insurers from using vaccination status for underwriting purposes; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 146-BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1054.1(A), relative to insurance coverage for cancer treatments; to prohibit denial of coverage in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

#### **SENATE BILL NO. 154-**BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1028.4 relative to health insurance coverage of genetic testing for critically ill infants with no diagnosis; to require health insurance coverage of genetic testing for critically ill infants with no diagnosis; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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Reported with amendments.

#### **SENATE BILL NO. 168-**

BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1267.1(B) and to enact R.S. 22:1267.1(E) relative to the application of named storm, hurricane, wind, and hail deductibles in commercial property and commercial multi-peril insurance policies; to provide for a separate deductible for commercial coverage; to provide for a limitation of the separate deductible to property in this state; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# SENATE BILL NO. 209— BY SENATOR STINE

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1969(A)(1), relative to the commissioner of insurance; to authorize the commissioner to order certain penalties to persons engaging in an unfair method of competition or an unfair or deceptive act or practice; to increase the maximum penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

# SENATE BILL NO. 276-BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1007(K) and to enact R.S. 22:1007(L), relative to health insurers contracts with healthcare providers; to provide the legislature's original intent was to allow contracts between health insurers and healthcare providers and the health insurer may make benefits available to its affiliates; to provide this practice is not an antitrust violation; to provide a retroactive date of August 1, 2016; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

## SENATE BILL NO. 366-

BY SENATOR HARRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:976.1(E), relative to health insurance; to prohibit certain health insurance cost-sharing practices; to provide definitions; to provide for fairness in enrollee cost-sharing practices; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

# **SENATE BILL NO. 412-**

BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2361 through 2370, relative to the Insure Louisiana Incentive Program; to provide for purposes and public purpose; to provide for administration and funding; to provide for cooperative endeavor agreements; to provide for matching grants; to provide for rulemaking; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, KIRK TALBOT Chairman

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 71— BY SENATOR CONNICK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Art. 305(A)(2) and (B)(3) and to enact Children's Code Art. 305(A)(3), relative to criminal court jurisdiction over children; to provide relative to the divestiture of the juvenile court's jurisdiction over serious crimes committed by juveniles; to provide relative to the district attorney's discretion to prosecute a juvenile as an adult for certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 72— BY SENATOR CONNICK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Art. 657, 658, 763, and 764, relative to juvenile court proceedings; to remove the authority of the juvenile court to dismiss petitions in Child in Need of Care and Families in Need of Services petitions on its own motion; and to provide for related matters.

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 130— BY SENATOR CONNICK

AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Art. 3493.11, relative to liberative prescription; to provide for delictual actions resulting from motor vehicle accidents; to provide for two-year prescription; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 130 by Senator Connick

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "actions resulting from" change "motor vehicle accidents" to "the operation or control of any motor vehicle, aircraft, watercraft, or other means of conveyance"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "two-year prescription;" insert "to provide for an effective date;"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "which arise due to" insert "injury or"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line at the end of line 8, change "a" to "an accident caused by the operation or control of any motor vehicle, aircraft, watercraft, or other means of conveyance,

### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 9, delete "motor vehicle accident"

### AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, at the end of line 10, after the period "." insert the following: "It does not run against minors or interdicts in actions involving permanent disability and brought pursuant to the Louisiana Products Liability Act or state law governing product liability actions in effect at the time of the injury or damage.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 148— BY SENATORS MIZELL, ABRAHAM, BARROW, CARTER, FOIL, WARD AND WHITE

AN ACT To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 987 and R.S. 14:46.2(A)(1), (C)(1) and (3)(b) and (f), and (D), to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 987.1, R.S. 14:46.2(C)(3)(k) and (l), 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

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

victims of human trafficking; and to provide for related matters.

# SENATE BILL NO. 149— BY SENATOR TALBOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Arts. 3492 and 3493.10, relative to delictual actions; to provide for liberative prescription of delictual actions; to provide for delictual actions resulting from the operation or control of any motor vehicle, aircraft, watercraft, or other means of conveyance; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 149 by Senator Talbot

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 2 and insert the following: "To enact Civil Code Art. 3493.11, relative to liberative prescription;"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, delete "provide for liberative prescription of delictual actions;"

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "means of conveyance;" insert "to provide for two-year prescription;"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert "Civil Code Art. 3493.11 is hereby enacted to read as follows:'

# AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete line 8

On page 1, line 9, change "Art. 3492. Delictual Actions" to "Art. 3493.11. Delictual Actions; two-year prescription; operation of a vehicle, aircraft, watercraft'

### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page I, delete lines 10 through 17 and insert the following: "Delictual actions which arise due to injury or damage sustained as a result of an accident caused by the operation or control of any motor vehicle, aircraft, watercraft, or other means of conveyance, are subject to a liberative prescription of two years. This prescription commences to run from the day the injury or damage is sustained. It does not run against minors or interdicts in actions involving permanent disability and brought pursuant to the Louisiana Products Liability Act or state law governing

product liability actions in effect at the time of the injury or damage.

### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 10

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 182—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2405(J)(1) and (2) and enact R.S. 14:134(A)(4), relative to mandatory P.O.S.T. certification revocation; to provide relative to malfeasance in office by public officers and employees; to provide additional conditions under which a peace officer's P.O.S.T. certification will be revoked; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Original Senate Bill No. 182 by Senator Fields

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 2, after "reenact R.S." and before ", relative to" delete "40:2405(J)(1) and (2) and enact R.S. 14:134(A)(4)" and insert "14:134(A)(3) and R.S. 40:2405(J)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 14:134(À)(À) and R.S. 40:2405(J)(1)(c)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 4 and the beginning of line 5, delete "additional conditions under which" and insert "for a revocation hearing to determine whether"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 1, line 8, after "Section 1." insert "R.S. 14:134(A)(3) is hereby amended and reenacted and"

## AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 13 and 14 and insert the following:

"(3) Knowingly permit any other public officer or public employee, under his authority, to intentionally refuse or fail to perform any duty lawfully required of him, or to perform any such duty in an unlawful manner.; or

(4) Willfully and knowingly subject any person to the deprivation of any right, privilege, or immunity secured or protected by the United States Constitution and laws, if serious bodily injury or death results.

### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page I, line 16, after "(J)" delete the remainder of the line and insert "(2)(a) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 40:2405(J)(1)(c) is hereby enacted to read as"

# AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 6 through 8, and insert the following:

## AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete line 13 through 17

# AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the end of line 24, insert the following: "The officer has been terminated by his employing law enforcement agency, or allowed to retire or resign, as a result of disciplinary action taken against the officer for any conduct during the course and scope of employment that would constitute an unauthorized use of force, and the officer has exhausted all administrative remedies.

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# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 17, after "name" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: "so similar to the name used by a recording group as to cause confusion among members of the public.

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## AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 13, after "apply" delete the remainder of line and insert: "if any of the following occurs:"

On page 2, line 24, after "is not" insert "so" and after "group" and before the period "." insert "as to cause confusion among members of the public"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 29, after "conducting, or" insert "a person who"

# AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete lines 3 through 5 and insert:

(2) In connection with the permanent injunction issued pursuant to this Subsection, the court shall order a person who violates the provisions of this Section to restore actual damages and property that may have been acquired as a result of a violation of this Section.

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 334-BY SENATOR JACKSON

# AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 978, 987, and 989, and to enact R.S. 14:134(D), relative to expungement of records; to provide relative to the crime of attempted malfeasance in office; to provide that convictions for attempted malfeasance in office may be set aside; to provide relative to expungement of records of arrest and conviction for attempted malfeasance in office; and to provide for related matters.

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

## SENATE BILL NO. 338-

BY SENATOR JACKSON

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 814(C) and 815, relative to responsive verdicts; to allow the court to exclude lesser-included offenses in responsive verdicts upon motion of the defendant; to exclude the crime of malfeasance in office from having a lesser-included responsive verdict; and to provide for related matters.

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 396-

BY SENATOR MORRIS

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 331(A)(1), relative to bail; to provide relative to bail obligations after a conviction; to provide relative to the rights of the district attorney; to provide relative to the obligations owed at the time of conviction; to provide relative to a judgment of bond forfeiture; and to provide for related matters.

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 400-

BY SENATORS FIELDS AND FOIL

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2804, the introductory paragraph of 2805(A) and (B), and 2815, R.S. 11:1302(A)(3), R.S. 17:3399.18(B)(9), R.S. 22:2171(C)(21), R.S. 27:11(D), R.S.

## AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, delete lines 25 through 29, and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 3

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 219-BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:168(F), relative to the judicial district indigent defender fund; to provide for payments to expert witnesses; to provide for who qualifies for the funds; to provide for disbursement of the funds; and to provide for related matters.

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 315-BY SENATOR WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:967(B)(4) and to enact R.S. 40:967(F) and 1024.1, relative to fentanyl; to provide for enhanced criminal penalties for certain acts involving fentanyl; to provide for the possession or sale of fentanyl testing equipment; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

# SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 315 by Senator Womack

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 15, change "three" to "five"

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 17, change "three" to "five"

# AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 18 and 19, insert

"(3) This Subsection shall be known and may be cited as

"Millie's Law";"

# AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 21 through 23 and insert the following: "Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the term "drug paraphernalia" shall not include rapid fentanyl test strips (FTS) or any testing equipment or devices solely used, intended for use, or designed to determine whether a substance contains fentanyl or its analogues.

On motion of Senator Foil, 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 FOIL

### AN ACT

To enact Chapter 62 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3221, relative to advertising; to provide for the advertisement, promotion, and conduction of live musical performances in a deceptive manner; to provide for injunctions; to provide for penalties; to provide for terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Original Senate Bill No. 318 by Senator Foil

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29:726.5(B)(5), R.S. 32:267(A) and (B)(1)(b), 692(A)(2), and 863.2(F)(2), R.S. 33:2341, 2344(C), and 2345(H), R.S. 36:3(4), the introductory paragraph of 405(A)(1) and (2) and (B), and 407(B) and (C), R.S. 37:36(E)(1)(x), R.S. 40:1005(A)(8), 1312.27, 1379.1(A), (C), (D), (I), (J), (L), and (M), 1379.1.2(A) and the introductory paragraph of (C), 1386, 1392(C)(2)(a), 2019(C)(4), 2024.3(A)(7), 2403(B)(1)(e), and 2531(B)(7), R.S. 46:2166(A)(10), and R.S. 49:219.2(B)(1)(a)(iii), 219.5(B)(5), and 220.26(F), and to enact R.S. 36:407(D), relative to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services; to provide for the appointment of the superintendent of state police; to provide for qualification of the superintendent; to provide for definitions; to provide for the appointment of the provide for definitions; to provide for the appointment of the deputy secretary to various boards, commissions, task forces and advisory groups; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Original Senate Bill No. 400 by Senator Fields

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, line 2, after "2805(A) and" and before "(B)" insert "2805"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 1, line 6, after "405(A)(1)" change "and" to ", and 405(A)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 2, line 1, after "2805(A) and" and before "(B)" insert "2805"

AMENDMENT NO. 4 On page 8, line 20, after "405(A)(1)," insert "and 405(A)"

### AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 11, delete line 13

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

## **Senate Concurrent Resolutions** on Second Reading **Reported by Committees**

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—

BY SENATOR FOIL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the Cybersecurity Redhibition Task Force and to recognize the task force as the unified and coordinated body of information technology and security professionals from various branches of federal and state government to consider creating a distinct cause of action for state agencies that respond to cyber incidents as part of the state's emergency support function to recover qualifying expenses from managed service providers and managed security service providers servicing public bodies and critical infrastructure whose actions or omissions contributed to the cyber incident.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B.

# SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 by Senator Foil

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"(10) The president of the Cyber Innovation Center in Bossier City, or another employee of the center as designated by the president."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 8, after "Security," change "and" to "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 4, line 9, after "Guard" and before the period "." insert ", and the president of the Cyber Innovation Center"

On motion of Senator Smith, the committee amendment was adopted.

### Floor Amendments

Senator Foil proposed the following amendments.

#### SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Milligan to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 by Senator Foil

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:
"(11) The chairman of the Senate Select Committee on Homeland Security.

"(12) The chairman of the House Select Committee on Homeland Security."

On motion of Senator Foil, the amendments were adopted.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Foil moved to adopt the amended Senate Concurrent Resolution.

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Boudreaux Bouie Carter Cathey Connick Fesi Fields Foil Total - 37	Harris Hensgens Hewitt Jackson Lambert Luneau McMath Milligan Mills, F. Mills, R. Mizell Morris Peacock	Peterson Pope Price Reese Smith Stine Talbot Tarver Ward White Womack
Total - 0	ABSENT	

Cloud Total - 2 Henry

The Chair declared the Senate had adopted the amended Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it engrossed and sent to the House.

# **Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on** Third Reading and Final Passage

SENATE BILL NO. 6—
BY SENATORS PRICE, FIELDS, HENSGENS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, PEACOCK AND TALBOT AND REPRESENTATIVE LARVADAIN AN ACT

To provide a permanent benefit increase to retirees and beneficiaries of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to authorize payments funded by the retirement system's experience account; to provide for qualifications for receipt of such payments; to

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provide relative to the amount of such payments; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Boudreaux Bouie Carter Cathey Connick Fesi	Foil Harris Hewitt Jackson Lambert Luneau McMath Milligan Mills, F. Mills, R. Mizell	Peacock Peterson Pope Price Reese Smith Stine Talbot Tarver Ward White
Fesi	Mizell	White
Fields Total - 36	Morris	Womack

NAYS

Total - 0

**ABSENT** 

Cloud Henry Hensgens

Total - 3

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

SENATE BILL NO. 7—
BY SENATORS PRICE, ROBERT MILLS, PEACOCK AND TALBOT AND REPRESENTATIVE LARVADAIN

AN ACT

To provide a permanent benefit increase to retirees and beneficiaries of the Louisiana State Police Retirement System; to authorize payments funded by the retirement system's experience account; to provide for qualifications for receipt of such payments; to provide relative to the amount of such payments; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

## **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

### YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Boudreaux Bouie Carter Cathey Connick	Harris Hensgens Hewitt Jackson Lambert Luneau McMath Milligan Mills, F. Mills, R.	Peacock Pope Price Reese Smith Stine Talbot Tarver Ward White
	Mills, F.	
Fesi Foil	Mins, R. Mizell Morris	Womack

Total - 35

NAYS

Fields Peterson Total - 2

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#### ABSENT

Cloud Total - 2 Henry

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 242-

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.63(A)(3), (D), and (E), 337.69(B), 337.70(A)(1) and (2), and 337.80(A)(4)(b) and (B) and to enact R.S. 47:337.69(C) and 337.70(A)(4), relative to interest and penalties applicable to local sales and use tax; to provide for remittance of tax under protest; to provide for a limitation on the maximum interest rate on unpaid taxes; to equalize interest rates for taxes due, taxes paid under protest, and refunds of overpayments; to provide for the calculation of late filing and payment penalties; 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. 242 by Senator

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 3, following "E" and before "." insert " of this

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	Peterson
Abraham	Hensgens	Pope
Allain	Hewitt	Price
Barrow	Jackson	Reese
Bernard	Lambert	Smith
Boudreaux	Luneau	Stine
Bouie	McMath	Talbot
Carter	Milligan	Tarver
Cathey	Mills, F.	Ward
Connick	Mills, R.	White
Fesi	Mizell	Womack
Fields	Morris	
Foil	Peacock	
Total - 37		
	NAYS	
Total - 0		
	ABSENT	

Henry

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.

Cloud

Total - 2

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# **Rules Suspended**

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

### **Introduction of Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY SENATOR FOIL
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mrs. Lydia Smith Grant on the occasion of her 95th birthday on April 25, 2022.

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

# **Rules Suspended**

Senator Allain asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall Senate Bill No. 95 from the Committee on Finance.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 95-**

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 47:337.36, 337.102(H) and (I)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:337.26(D)(1)(f) and 337.102(C)(10), relative to the Uniform Local Sales Tax Board; to create a multi-parish audit program; to provide for confidentiality of taxpayer information; to provide for the operations of the program; to provide relative to the funding of the board; to provide for reporting on the program to legislative committees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters

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

### **Rules Suspended**

Senator Allain asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall Senate Bill No. 244 from the Committee on Finance.

## SENATE BILL NO. 244—

BY SENATOR ALLAIN

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:337.14.1, relative to reporting requirements for certain local tax collectors; to require the legislative auditor and the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board to develop uniform reporting schedules for collectors compensated on the basis of cost of collection; to provide for minimum reporting requirements; to provide for the due date of required reports; and to provide for related matters.

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

### ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

### PRESENT

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Bernard Boudreaux Bouie Carter Cathey Connick Fesi Fields Foil	Harris Hensgens Hewitt Jackson Lambert Luneau McMath Milligan Mills, F. Mills, R. Mizell Morris Peacock	Peterson Pope Price Reese Smith Stine Talbot Tarver Ward White Womack
Total - 37		

#### ABSENT

Cloud Total - 2 Henry

### Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Cloud 1 Day 1 Day Henry

### Announcements

The following committee meetings for April 7, 2022, were announced:

Education	At Adj	Hainkel Room
Labor and Ind. Rel.	At Adj	Room C
Local and Mun. Affairs	At Adj	Room F
Natural Resources	At Aďi	Room A
Transportation	At Adj	Room E

# Adjournment

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 4:28 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Thursday, April 7, 2022, at 9:00 o'clock A.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON Secretary of the Senate

> FRAN OGNIBENE Journal Clerk