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

Senate Chamber  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, May 28, 2026

The Senate was called to order at 10:26 o'clock A.M. by Hon. J. Cameron Henry, Jr., President of the Senate.

**Morning Hour**

**CONVENING ROLL CALL**

PRESENT

Mr. President	Edmonds	Mizell
Abraham	Fesi	Morris
Allain	Foil	Myers
Barrow	Hodges	Pressly
Bass	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Carter	Kleinpeter	Wheat
Cathey	Lambert	Womack
Cloud	Luneau	
Connick	Miller	
Total - 28		

ABSENT

Barthelemy	McMath	Selders
Duplessis	Miguez	Stine
Harris	Owen	Talbot
Hensgens	Reese	
Total - 11		

The President of the Senate announced there were 28 Senators present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Dr. Steve Horn, 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 Jenkins, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 27, 2026, was adopted.

**Message from the House**

**CONCURRING IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 83—**

BY SENATOR EDMONDS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Josephine Ruth Kennedy, former Medicaid Director of the Louisiana Department of Health.

Reported without amendments.

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

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **House Bill No. 368** by Representative Freeman:

Representatives Freeman, Gadberry and Knox.

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

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **House Bill No. 776** by Representative Bourriaque:

Representatives Bourriaque, Fontenot and Martinez.

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

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **Senate Bill No. 389** by Senator Connick:

Representatives Muscarello, Jr., Braud and Villio.

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

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 174—  
BY SENATOR HENRY

A RESOLUTION

To recreate and provide for the Task Force on Energy Infrastructure and Modernization to study polices that promote energy self-generation, industrial microgrids, and expedited permitting in the state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 175—  
BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study increased patient access to medically necessary breast pumps by increasing Medicaid reimbursement and coverage rates for breast pumps from eighty dollars to one hundred forty dollars.

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

Senate Resolutions on  
Second Reading

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 164—  
BY SENATOR CATHEY

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Insurance to study and make recommendations regarding issues related to insurance coverage of motor vehicle damage repairs, including the steering of insureds and claimants to preferred repair facilities and the settlement of disputes regarding the adjustment of vehicle damage claims.

Senator Cathey asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up Senate Resolution No. 164.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 165—  
BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

A RESOLUTION

To commend and express sincere appreciation to the filmmakers, producers, and contributors of Built on Zydeco on the occasion of a private screening of the documentary in Lafayette, Louisiana, and to recognize the film as an important Louisiana-made work that preserves and celebrates the stories, music, language, and cultural legacy of Zydeco.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 166—  
BY SENATOR BOUDREAU

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Lewisburg-Bellevue Water System for providing reliable public water service to the citizens of St. Landry Parish.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 167—  
BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Friday, May 29, 2026, as Youth Legislature of Louisiana Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and to commend Youth Legislature of Louisiana for its longstanding commitment to civic education, leadership development, and student engagement in the legislative process and to recognize its transformative impact on young leaders throughout the state of Louisiana.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 168—  
BY SENATOR BARTHELEMY

A RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Dream Starter Program Task Force to study the development and implementation of a unified statewide homeownership assistance program and to evaluate program design, funding mechanisms, eligibility frameworks, and market feasibility.

The resolution was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 169—  
BY SENATOR WHEAT

A RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to establish and study a two-year pilot program for the use of dispute review boards on certain highway and transportation construction projects beginning in the state fiscal year commencing July 1, 2026, and to report to the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works concerning implementation and results of the pilot program.

Senator Wheat asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up Senate Resolution No. 169.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 170—  
BY SENATOR TALBOT

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Insurance and the Louisiana Department of Health to conduct a joint comprehensive review and study of the implementation and enforcement of Louisiana's biomarker testing coverage law and to report their findings.

Senator Talbot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up Senate Resolution No. 170.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 171—  
BY SENATORS SELDERS, BARROW, BARTHELEMY, BOUDREAU, CARTER, DUPLESSIS, HARRIS, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, LUNEAU AND PRICE

A RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Troy Carter, general manager, and the voice for the Chicken Shack restaurant.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 172—  
BY SENATOR REESE

A RESOLUTION

To create the Legislative Higher Education Funding and Formula Task Force to study and evaluate the funding structure of Louisiana's public postsecondary education enterprise and the allocation of funding to higher education's two-year and four-year institutions through the outcomes-based funding formula, and to provide recommendations to the legislature and the Louisiana Board of Regents regarding potential reforms, structure, and funding considerations for public postsecondary education institutions.

Senator Reese asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up Senate Resolution No. 172.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 173—**

BY SENATOR CARTER

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to conduct a review of its public-private partnership contracting practices, comparing and contrasting the Belle Chasse Toll Bridge project in relation to active or future public-private partnership projects.

Senator Carter asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up Senate Resolution No. 173.

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

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 85—**

BY SENATOR STINE AND REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and celebrate the Sam Houston High School Broncos baseball team upon winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2026 Division I Non-Select state championship and to recognize the team for an extraordinary season marked by resilience, unity, determination, and back-to-back state titles.

The resolution was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 86—**

BY SENATOR LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the French Settlement High School girls basketball team on winning the 2026 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Division III Non-Select state championship.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Edmonds	Miller
Abraham	Fesi	Mizell
Allain	Foil	Morris
Barrow	Harris	Myers
Bass	Hodges	Pressly
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Price
Cathey	Kleinpeter	Reese
Cloud	Lambert	Seabaugh
Connick	Luneau	Talbot
Duplessis	Miguez	Wheat
Total - 30		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Jackson-Andrews	Selders
Carter	McMath	Stine
Hensgens	Owen	Womack
Total - 9		

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

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87—**

BY SENATORS LAMBERT AND PRICE AND REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, BRASS, EDMONSTON AND WILEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Walter "Wally" Taillon, "Mr. Jambalaya", beloved community leader, master cook, mentor, and longtime champion of the Gonzales Jambalaya Festival.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Edmonds	Miller
Abraham	Fesi	Mizell
Allain	Foil	Morris
Barrow	Harris	Myers
Bass	Hodges	Pressly
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Price
Carter	Kleinpeter	Reese
Cathey	Lambert	Seabaugh
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Jackson-Andrews	Selders
Hensgens	Owen	Stine
Total - 6		

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

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1259— (Substitute for House Bill No. 255 by Representative Bayham)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:313.2, relative to wearing masks while committing felonies; to provide for enhanced penalties; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

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

**House Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 117—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANA HENRY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to establish a Homeowner Protection and Efficiency (HOPE) Committee or advisory group to study methods to improve the efficiency, transparency, and fairness of the residential property insurance claims process between homeowners and Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation (Citizens) following catastrophic losses and to report its findings.

Senator Carter asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up House Concurrent Resolution No. 117.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bass, Boudreaux, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Edmonds, Fesi, Foil, Harris, Hodges, Jenkins, Kleinpeter, Lambert, Luneau, McMath, Miguez, Miller, Mizell, Morris, Myers, Pressly, Price, Reese, Seabaugh, Talbot, Wheat, Womack

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns of names: Barthelemy, Hensgens, Jackson-Andrews, Owen, Selders, Stine

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 NATURAL RESOURCES

Senator Bob Hensgens, Chair on behalf of the Committee on Natural Resources, submitted the following report:

May 27, 2026

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54— BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) to conduct a study on the impact of flooded corn on migratory waterfowl behavior and to reinstate the enforcement mechanism that restricted the growth of hunting over intentionally flooding standing crops.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79— BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress and the United States Forest Service to take such actions as are necessary to allow the use of dogs for deer hunting in the Kisatchie National Forest.

Reported with amendments.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87— BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express legislative support for the letter submitted on January 6, 2026, by United States Senator John N. Kennedy to the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94— BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to submit annual reports to the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and the Senate Committee on Natural Resources regarding boating safety.

Reported favorably.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 104— BY REPRESENTATIVE COATES A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Conservation and Energy and the Louisiana Geological Survey to establish an advisory committee to review existing laws and regulations governing subsurface data, to identify opportunities for interagency coordination and modernization regarding the collection, retention, and accessibility of well logs, core samples, and other subsurface data held by the state, and to develop a proposal for a comprehensive subsurface data system for submission to the legislature.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted, BOB HENSGENS Chair

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Returned from the House of Representatives with Amendments

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29— BY SENATOR KLEINPETER A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and provide with respect to a joint legislative committee to study and make recommendations with respect to the water quality of the Atchafalaya Basin.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 29 by Senator Kleinpeter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 23, delete "Basin Keeper." and insert "Basinkeeper."

Senator Kleinpeter moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns of names: Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Bass, Foil, Harris, Hensgens, Hodges, Mizell, Morris, Myers, Pressly

Boudreaux	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Carter	Jenkins	Reese
Cathey	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Cloud	Lambert	Talbot
Connick	Luneau	Wheat
Duplessis	McMath	Womack
Edmonds	Miguez	
Fesi	Miller	

Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barrow	Owen	Stine
Barthelemy	Selders	

Total - 5

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—**  
BY SENATOR MYERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the Work-Based Learning Coordination Task Force.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 33 by Senator Myers

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 4 through 6 and insert the following:

"(9) Two members appointed by the president of the Louisiana Association of School Superintendents and Administrators, representing urban and rural K-12 schools."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 11, after "Administrators," delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of line 12, delete "Association,"

Senator Myers moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Edmonds	Miller
Abraham	Fesi	Mizell
Allain	Foil	Morris
Barrow	Harris	Myers
Bass	Hodges	Pressly
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Price
Carter	Kleinpeter	Reese
Cathey	Lambert	Seabaugh
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack

Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Jackson-Andrews	Selders
Hensgens	Owen	Stine

Total - 6

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions  
Returned from the House of Representatives  
with Amendments**

**SENATE BILL NO. 295—**

BY SENATOR WHEAT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1042.1, relative to coverage of medically necessary treatment for persons with acquired brain injuries; to require health insurance coverage of medically necessary treatment for persons with acquired brain injuries; to provide relative to limitations and cost-sharing; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for implementation; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 295 by Senator Wheat

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 5, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

**"1. To the extent that any provision of this Section would otherwise require this state to make a payment under 42 U.S.C. 18031(d)(3)(B)(ii), a qualified health plan, as defined by 45 CFR Part 155.20, shall not be required to provide a benefit under this Section that exceeds the essential health benefits specified under 42 U.S.C. 18022(b)."**

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, line 20, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 295 by Senator Wheat

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the House Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 295 by Senator Wheat, on page 1, line 11, following "change" change ""Section 2." to "Section 3."" to ""Section 3." to "Section 2.""

Senator Wheat moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fesi	Miller
Abraham	Foil	Mizell
Allain	Harris	Myers
Barrow	Hensgens	Pressly
Bass	Hodges	Price
Boudreaux	Jackson-Andrews	Reese
Carter	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Cathey	Kleinpeter	Talbot
Cloud	Lambert	Wheat
Connick	Luneau	Womack
Duplessis	McMath	

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Edmonds	Miguez	
Total - 34		NAYS
Total - 0		ABSENT
Barthelemy	Owen	Stine
Morris	Selders	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

**SENATE BILL NO. 312—**  
BY SENATOR TALBOT AND REPRESENTATIVE MELERINE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:457 and to enact R.S. 17:438(E) through (G), relative to labor organizations; to provide relative to employee dues and fees to labor organizations; to provide relative to employee withdrawals from labor organizations; to provide relative to collective bargaining agreements or contracts; to provide for reporting and notification requirements; to provide for costs; and to provide for related matters.

The amended bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

**SENATE BILL NO. 326—**  
BY SENATOR ABRAHAM  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150.1(3) through (24), 2152(A)(2), 2155(G)(3), 2156(K)(3), (M), and (N), 2156.1(B)(1) and (D) through (J), 2156.2(B)(2), 2157(A)(15)(b), (17), and (18), 2158(C) and (E), 2159.1, and 2164 (A), (B), and (I), to enact R.S. 37:21(B)(12) and(13), 2150.1(25) through (28), 2152(A)(3), 2155(G)(6) and (7), 2156(A)(3), 2156.1(K), 2156.4(D), 2158(A)(24) through (27) and (G), 2163.1, and 2164(L), and to repeal R.S. 37:2157(A)(19), relative to the State Licensing Board for Contractors; to provide relative to domicile of the board; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to provide relative to administrative fees retained by the board; to provide relative to license requirements; to provide relative to residential roofing requirements; to provide for unfair or deceptive trade practices; to provide for exemptions; to provide for violations, prohibited acts, and civil penalties; to provide for definitions, terms, and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with amendments:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 326 by Senator Abraham

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**  
In House Committee Amendment No. 20 by the House Committee on Commerce (#4951), on page 2, delete lines 19 through 28 and insert the following:

**"C.(1) A licensee engaged as a general contractor on a mega project, or an owner acting on an exemption as a general contractor on a mega project, shall annually submit to the board a detailed listing of all subcontractors engaged to work on the mega project, including licensure information or evidence of approval by the secretary of state as a foreign entity registered to do business in this state.**

**(2) A licensee engaged as a general contractor or an owner acting on an exemption as a general contractor on a broadband project administered in accordance with the BEAD Program issued by the National Telecommunications and Information Administration of the United States Department of Commerce shall not be required to submit the listing provided for in**

**Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, but shall notify the board when a contract has been let."**

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**  
On page 20, line 25, after "violation." insert the following: **" The penalties provided for in this Subsection shall not apply to a licensee engaged as a general contractor on a mega project, or to an owner acting on an exemption as a general contractor on a mega project."**

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 326 by Senator Abraham

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**  
On page 1, line 5, change "(28)" to "(29)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**  
On page 1, line 6, after "2156.1(K)," and before "2156.4(D)," insert "2156.2(C),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**  
On page 2, line 1, change "and(13)," to "and (13)," and change "(28)" to "(29)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**  
On page 2, line 2, after "2156.1(K)," and before "2156.4(D)," insert "2156.2(C),"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**  
On page 6, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:  
**"(17) "Mega project" means a commercial construction project for which the project value is five hundred million dollars or more, or a broadband project administered in accordance with the Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment (BEAD) Program issued by the National Telecommunications and Information Administration of the United States Department of Commerce."**

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**  
On page 6, line 14, change "**(17)**" to "**(18)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**  
On page 6, line 17, change "**(18)**" to "**(19)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**  
On page 6, line 24, change "**(19)**" to "**(20)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**  
On page 7, line 2, change "**(20)**" to "**(21)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**  
On page 7, line 6, change "**(21)**" to "**(22)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 11**  
On page 7, line 11, change "**(22)**" to "**(23)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 12**  
On page 7, line 15, change "**(23)**" to "**(24)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 13**  
On page 8, line 6, change "**(24)**" to "**(25)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 14**  
On page 8, line 15, change "**(25)**" to "**(26)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 15**  
On page 8, line 20, change "**(26)**" to "**(27)**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 16**  
On page 8, line 27, change "**(27)**" to "**(28)**"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 9, line 2, change "(28)" to "(29)"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 12, line 29, change "Louisiana Legislative Auditor" to "legislative auditor"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 13, line 1, change "Louisiana State Inspector General" to "inspector general"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 15, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"C. A licensee engaged as a general contractor on a mega project, or an owner acting on an exemption as a general contractor on a mega project, shall provide all of the following written notifications to the board:

(1) Within sixty calendar days of signing a contract with a property owner for a mega project, submit a copy of that contract, and a tentative listing of subcontractors or subcontractor opportunities anticipated to be used on the mega project.

(2) Annually submit a detailed listing of subcontractors engaged to work on the mega project, including licensure information or evidence of approval by the secretary of state as a foreign entity registered to do business in this state."

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 15, line 19, change "with" to "within"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 20, delete line 20 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "legislative auditor or the inspector general."

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 21, line 1, delete "penalty" and insert in lieu thereof "costs"

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Jacob Landry to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 326 by Senator Abraham

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete the set of amendments by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs (#5491)

AMENDMENT NO. 2

Delete Amendment No. 20 by the House Committee on Commerce (#4951)

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Beaulieu to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 326 by Senator Abraham

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 13, delete lines 25 and 26 in their entirety

Senator Abraham moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS': Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bass, Boudreaux, Carter, Edmonds, Fesi, Foil, Harris, Jenkins, Kleinpeter, Lambert, Mizell, Morris, Myers, Pressly, Price, Reese, Seabaugh.

Table listing names of members who voted 'NAYS': Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Luneau, McMath, Miguez, Miller, Talbot, Wheat.

Total - 31 NAYS

Total - 0 ABSENT

Table listing names of members who were 'ABSENT': Barthelemy, Hensgens, Hodges, Jackson-Andrews, Owen, Selders, Stine, Womack.

The Chair declared the Senate concurred in the amendments proposed by the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 348

BY SENATOR EDMONDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1420.40, relative to law enforcement; to authorize local law enforcement agencies to contract for administrative and logistical assistance related to motor vehicle regulatory enforcement; to provide for limitations; to prohibit the delegation of police powers; and to provide for related matters.

The amended bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 485

BY SENATOR EDMONDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:3076 and 3078 and to enact R.S. 33:3077(8) and 3080.1, relative to the city of St. George; to provide for municipal fiscal authority; to provide relative to powers of certain municipalities in certain circumstances; to provide relative to new development; to provide relative to the sharing of the cost of certain public facilities; to provide for certain charges to be adopted by ordinance; to provide relative to the allocation and exercise of certain municipal taxing authority within the corporate limits of the city of St. George; to provide for exclusive municipal administration of insurance premium taxes; to provide for the levy of insurance premium tax; to provide for definitions; to provide for legislative findings and purpose; to provide relative to procedures, limitations, termination, applicability, and severability; to provide relative to accounting and credits; to provide relative to review of public facility charges; to provide for prospective application; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The amended bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To enact the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries rule, LAC 76:VII.363(A)(4), which provides for red drum harvest; to create an exception to the prohibition against harvesting red drum over regulatory size limits; to authorize the department to issue special permits for bull red harvest for certain limited tournaments; to provide for eligibility requirements for tournaments; to provide for related matters; and to direct the office of the state register to print the amendments in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

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

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Hensgens	Myers
Barrow	Hodges	Pressly
Bass	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack
Fesi	Miller	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Owen
Edmonds	Selders
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the concurrent resolution was passed and ordered it returned to the House. Senator moved to reconsider the vote by which the concurrent resolution was passed and laid the motion on the table.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95— BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To adopt Joint Rule No. 23 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, relative to instruments affecting sales and use tax exemptions, exclusions, credits, or rebates enacted on or after January 1, 2026; to require that such instruments result in a uniform sales and use tax base on the state and local level; and to provide for waiver by either house of the legislature.

The concurrent resolution was read by title. Senator Miller moved the final passage of the concurrent resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Myers
Allain	Hensgens	Pressly
Barrow	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Bass	Jenkins	Reese
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Carter	Lambert	Stine
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Wheat
Connick	Miguez	Womack
Duplessis	Miller	
Fesi	Mizell	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Hodges	Selders
Edmonds	Owen	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the concurrent resolution was passed and ordered it returned to the House. Senator Miller moved to reconsider the vote by which the concurrent resolution was passed and laid the motion on the table.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 75— BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON AND KNOX AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:353(introductory paragraph), (9), and (11), relative to gaming activities; to modify definitions; to provide relative to taxable revenue; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE BILL NO. 198— BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:452, relative to ambulatory surgical centers; to provide for Medicaid reimbursement rates; to authorize the Louisiana Department of Health to promulgate rules; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE BILL NO. 244— BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article XIII, Section 2 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for constitutional conventions; to provide for the election of convention delegates from each legislative district; to provide for the vote requirement for delegates to propose a constitution or alternative propositions; to provide for the vote requirement for ratification of a new constitution by the people; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE BILL NO. 302— BY REPRESENTATIVE CHASSION AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:911(A)(7), relative to vapor products; to prohibit certain acts relative to the sale of vapor products within three hundred feet of schools; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

HOUSE BILL NO. 325— BY REPRESENTATIVES BRASS, BROUSSARD, CARLSON, CARVER, EDMONSTON, TERRY LANDRY, MARTINEZ, ST. BLANC, AND TAYLOR AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:5001 and 5042 and to enact R.S. 17:5024(D) and 5065(E), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to revise academic initial eligibility criteria for a TOPS-Tech award; to provide for qualification based on the attainment of certain early college credits; to provide for initial and continuing eligibility for certain students; to provide for funding of certain awards; to provide for applicability; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Foil	Myers
Abraham	Harris	Pressly
Allain	Hensgens	Price
Barrow	Jackson-Andrews	Reese
Bass	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Stine
Carter	Lambert	Talbot
Cathey	McMath	Wheat
Cloud	Miller	Womack
Connick	Mizell	
Duplessis	Morris	
Total - 31		

**NAYS**

Hodges	Miguez
Total - 2	

**ABSENT**

Barthelemy	Fesi	Owen
Edmonds	Luneau	Selders
Total - 6		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 623—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANCE HENRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:914.1, relative to permits for vapor products; to provide for requirements for certain permitted manufacturers and dealers of vapor products; to provide for limitations and requirements; to except certain sales of vapor products to affiliated entities; to provide for certain exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Reese proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Reese to Re-Reengrossed House Bill No. 623 by Representative Chance Henry

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, line 2, after "to provide" delete "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 1, line 4, after "requirements; to" change "except" to "exempt"

On motion of Senator Reese, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Pressly
Allain	Hodges	Price
Barrow	Jenkins	Reese
Bass	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh

Boudreaux	Lambert	Stine
Carter	Luneau	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Wheat
Connick	Miguez	Womack
Duplessis	Miller	
Fesi	Mizell	
Total - 31		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Barthelemy	Hensgens	Owen
Cathey	Jackson-Andrews	Selders
Edmonds	Myers	
Total - 8		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 719—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES EGAN AND GALLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:51(A)(1), (3) through (7), (9), (13) through (17), (19) through (25), (27), (30) through (33), (35) through (37), and (39) through (42), relative to assistant district attorneys; to provide for the number of assistant district attorneys in each judicial district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 749—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CARVER AND SENATOR FOIL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3084(A)(14), 3085(3), 3086, 3092(13) and (14), 3093(C)(3) and (D)(1)(f), 3095(A)(4) and (E)(2), 3100.2(12) and (13), 3100.3(B)(3) and (C)(1)(f), and 3100.5(A)(4) and to enact R.S. 17:3090(E), 3099(I) and (J), 3100.5(G), 3100.8(I) and (J), Chapter 22-C of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3100.21 through 3100.26, and R.S. 17:3129.4(D), relative to savings account programs; to provide for the administration of the ABLE Account Program, the Louisiana Student Tuition Assistance and Revenue Trust Program, and the Louisiana Student Tuition Assistance and Revenue Trust Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve Program; to authorize the Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority to enter into a contract with a program manager for the administration of the program accounts and the investment of account funds; to provide for the transfer of certain monies within the Louisiana Education Tuition and Savings Fund to the program manager; to provide for the powers and duties of the authority and the program manager; to require the authority to notify the presiding officers of the legislature and the state treasurer of the execution of the contract; to require the authority and the state treasurer to coordinate on the implementation of account transfers; to provide for definitions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fesi	Mizell
Abraham	Foil	Morris
Allain	Harris	Pressly
Barrow	Hensgens	Price
Bass	Jackson-Andrews	Reese

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Boudreaux	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Carter	Kleinpeter	Stine
Cathy	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	Luneau	Wheat
Connick	McMath	Womack
Duplessis	Miller	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Miguez
Total - 1

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Hodges	Owen
Edmonds	Myers	Selders
Total - 6		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 755—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER  
AN ACT

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Harris	Morris
Allain	Hodges	Myers
Barrow	Jackson-Andrews	Pressly
Bass	Jenkins	Price
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Reese
Carter	Lambert	Seabaugh
Cathy	Luneau	Stine
Connick	McMath	Talbot
Duplessis	Miguez	Wheat
Fesi	Miller	Womack
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Edmonds	Owen
Cloud	Hensgens	Selders
Total - 6		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 761—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HILFERTY, ADAMS, BAYHAM, BILLINGS, WILFORD CARTER, CHASSION, FISHER, GREEN, LACOMBE, LAFLEUR, TERRY LANDRY, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, MARTINEZ, PHELPS, SPELL, TAYLOR, WALTERS, AND ZERINGUE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1076.1, relative to the advisory board for rare cancer treatments; to provide for revisions to board composition; to provide for meetings and reporting; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Hensgens	Myers
Allain	Hodges	Pressly
Barrow	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Bass	Jenkins	Reese
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Carter	Lambert	Stine
Cathy	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack
Fesi	Miller	
Foil	Mizell	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Edmonds	Selders
Cloud	Owen	
Total - 5		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 797—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 70 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3301, relative to creating the Bayou Gold Program; to provide for definitions; to create the Bayou Gold Program; to provide for duties of the Department of the Treasury; to provide for certification requirements; to provide for application to the department; to provide for fees; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Jenkins	Myers
Barrow	Kleinpeter	Pressly
Boudreaux	Lambert	Price
Carter	Luneau	Reese
Cathy	McMath	Seabaugh
Fesi	Miguez	Stine
Foil	Miller	Talbot
Hodges	Mizell	Wheat
Jackson-Andrews	Morris	
Total - 26		

NAYS

Allain	Connick
Total - 2	

ABSENT

Abraham	Duplessis	Owen
Barthelemy	Edmonds	Selders
Bass	Harris	Womack
Cloud	Hensgens	
Total - 11		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 823—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES KNOX AND CHASSION  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 33-D of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5381 through 5386, relative to homelessness; to provide for the creation of a homeless diversion pilot program in Orleans Parish; to provide program goals, guidelines, and participation criteria; to provide for annual evaluations of the homeless diversion pilot program submitted to the Louisiana Supreme Court; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1028—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LYONS, CHASSION, EGAN, FISHER, JACKSON,  
AND SPELL  
AN ACT

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fesi	Mizell
Abraham	Foil	Morris
Allain	Hensgens	Myers
Barrow	Jackson-Andrews	Pressly
Bass	Jenkins	Price
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Reese
Carter	Lambert	Seabaugh
Cathy	Luneau	Stine
Connick	McMath	Talbot
Duplessis	Miller	Wheat
Total - 30		

NAYS

Hodges	Miguez
Total - 2	

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Harris	Womack
Cloud	Owen	
Edmonds	Selders	
Total - 7		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1049—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE OWEN  
AN ACT

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Abraham	Hensgens	Morris
Allain	Hodges	Myers
Barrow	Jackson-Andrews	Owen
Bass	Jenkins	Pressly
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Reese
Carter	Lambert	Seabaugh
Cathy	Luneau	Stine
Connick	McMath	Talbot
Duplessis	Miguez	Wheat
Fesi	Miller	Womack
Total - 33		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Edmonds	Price
Cloud	Harris	Selders
Total - 6		

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1194—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TERRY LANDRY, BAYHAM, CHANCE HENRY,  
TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCMAHEN, AND WYBLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:296(B)(4) and (5), (C), (D)(1) through (3), (4)(a)(iii), (6)(a), (7)(e), (9), and (10) and to enact R.S. 3:296(D)(11), relative to the Healthy Food Retail Act; to expand and enhance the healthy food financing program to improve access to affordable fresh food in underserved communities and food deserts; to require the LSU AgCenter to identify and map food deserts and develop an elimination plan with benchmarks; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Hensgens	Myers
Abraham	Jackson-Andrews	Owen
Allain	Jenkins	Pressly
Barrow	Kleinpeter	Price
Bass	Lambert	Reese
Boudreaux	Luneau	Seabaugh

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Carter	McMath	Talbot
Connick	Miller	Wheat
Duplessis	Mizell	
Foil	Morris	

Total - 28

NAYS

Hodges	Miguez
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Total - 2

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Edmonds	Selders
Cathey	Fesi	Stine
Cloud	Harris	Womack

Total - 9

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1199—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1049.1, relative to health insurance; to require coverage for genetic testing for SCN2A associated disorders; to require coverage for medically necessary treatment of SCN2A associated medical conditions; to provide for definitions; to provide for medical necessity determinations; to provide for coverage standards; to provide for prior authorization and cost sharing requirements; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Allain	Hensgens	Myers
Barrow	Hodges	Owen
Bass	Jenkins	Pressly
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Price
Carter	Lambert	Reese
Cathey	Luneau	Seabaugh
Connick	McMath	Talbot
Duplessis	Miguez	Wheat
Fesi	Miller	Womack
Foil	Mizell	

Total - 32

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abraham	Edmonds	Stine
Barthelemy	Jackson-Andrews	
Cloud	Selders	

Total - 7

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1201—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ILLG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:31(A), 31.1(C)(2) and (E), 502(B), 503(B), and 506(B) and R.S. 36:10, relative to compensation of elected officials; to provide for the salary of the governor and other statewide elected officials; to authorize an expense allowance and a housing allowance for statewide elected

officials other than the governor; to provide for the adjustment of the salary of statewide elected officials at the beginning of each term; to provide for the per diem compensation of members of the legislature; to provide for the mileage allowance available to members of the legislature; to provide for per diem and mileage allowance for a member when engaged in official legislative business on days not in attendance on the body; to provide for the annual adjustment of the expense allowance of statewide elected officials and legislators; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1222—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 70 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3301 through 3304, relative to grocery initiative grants and financial support; to provide for definitions; to provide for the responsibilities of Louisiana Economic Development; to provide for grocery initiative grants and financial support; to provide for technical assistance; to provide for a grocery initiative study; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barrow	Foil	Luneau
Boudreaux	Harris	Myers
Carter	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Connick	Jenkins	
Duplessis	Lambert	

Total - 13

NAYS

Mr. President	Kleinpeter	Reese
Abraham	McMath	Seabaugh
Allain	Miguez	Stine
Bass	Miller	Talbot
Cathey	Mizell	Wheat
Fesi	Morris	Womack
Hensgens	Owen	
Hodges	Pressly	

Total - 22

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Edmonds
Cloud	Selders

Total - 4

The Chair declared the bill failed to pass.

**Notice of Reconsideration**

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

**Explanation of Vote**

Senator Myers stated he intended to vote nay on House Bill No. 1222, and asked that the Official Journal so state.

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**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Pressly asked that House Bill No. 1220 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1220—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1263(B)(1) through (7), (C)(1)(a) and (2)(b), and (D)(1), 1266, and 1270(A)(introductory paragraph) and (9) and to enact R.S. 37:1263(C)(3) and (D)(4) and (5), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for membership of the board; to provide for the duties of the board; to provide for qualifications of the members of the board; to establish a procedure for filling vacancies of the board; to provide for the president of the board; to provide for executive staff of the board; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Pressly proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Pressly to Engrossed House Bill No. 1220 by Representative LaCombe

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, at the beginning of line 27, insert "A."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 4, line 2, after "expedient." insert "The board shall video broadcast live all proceedings of any public meeting and make available on the board's website a recorded copy of the live broadcast within forty-eight hours after the public meeting."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

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

"B. The board shall make available on the website maintained by the board all documents and meeting materials for all agenda items no later than two business days prior to any public meeting being held by the board."

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 4, after line 23, insert:

"Section 2. No later than July 1, 2027, the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners shall promulgate any rules and regulations necessary to provide for licenses issued by the board to be for a term of no less than two years."

On motion of Senator Pressly, the amendments were adopted.

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Jenkins asked that House Bill No. 1018 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1018—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

**AN ACT**

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fesi	Morris
Abraham	Foil	Myers
Allain	Harris	Owen
Barrow	Hensgens	Pressly
Bass	Hodges	Price
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Cathey	McMath	Talbot
Cornick	Miller	Wheat
Duplessis	Mizell	
Total - 29		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Barthelemy	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Womack
Edmonds	Miguez	
Jackson-Andrews	Selders	
Total - 10		

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Allain asked that House Bill No. 337 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 337—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:710(A), relative to the issuance of special licenses; to provide relative to charitable bingo; to increase the number of special bingo sessions that may be conducted by a licensed organization; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Myers
Allain	Hensgens	Owen
Barrow	Jenkins	Pressly
Bass	Kleinpeter	Price
Boudreaux	Lambert	Reese
Carter	Luneau	Seabaugh
Cathey	McMath	Talbot
Cornick	Miguez	Wheat
Duplessis	Miller	
Fesi	Mizell	
Total - 31		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

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ABSENT

Barthelemy	Hodges	Stine
Cloud	Jackson-Andrews	Womack
Edmonds	Selders	
Total - 8		

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Duplessis asked that House Bill No. 750 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 750—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES COX AND CHASSION AND SENATOR DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

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

The bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Kleinpeter asked that House Bill No. 1036 be called from the Calendar.

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

AN ACT

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Morris
Abraham	Hensgens	Myers
Allain	Hodges	Owen
Barrow	Jackson-Andrews	Pressly
Bass	Jenkins	Price
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Reese
Carter	Lambert	Seabaugh
Cathey	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack
Fesi	Miller	
Foil	Mizell	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Edmonds	Stine
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Cloud	Selders
Total - 5	

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Kleinpeter asked that House Bill No. 181 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 181—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BACALA  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:513(Q) and R.S. 47:1508(B)(44), relative to Medicaid program and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program integrity; to authorize the Louisiana Department of Revenue to share state income tax return data with the legislative auditor for certain limited purposes; to authorize the legislative auditor to utilize such data for purposes of Medicaid and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program fraud detection and prevention; to provide for interagency agreements relative to sharing of data; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Kleinpeter proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Kleinpeter to Reengrossed House Bill No. 181 by Representative Bacala

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 2, line 7, after "legislative auditor" and before "exclusively" insert ", upon request of the legislative auditor."

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 2, line 17, after "secretary" and before "enter" change "may" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 2, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:  
"(d) Any disclosure authorized pursuant to this Paragraph shall comply with applicable federal law, including 26 U.S.C. 6103."

On motion of Senator Kleinpeter, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Hensgens	Myers
Abraham	Hodges	Owen
Allain	Kleinpeter	Pressly
Bass	Lambert	Reese
Cathey	McMath	Seabaugh
Cloud	Miguez	Talbot
Connick	Miller	Wheat
Fesi	Mizell	Womack
Foil	Morris	
Total - 26		

NAYS

Barrow	Duplessis	Jenkins
Boudreaux	Harris	Price

Carter Jackson-Andrews  
Total - 8  
ABSENT

Barthelemy Luneau Stine  
Edmonds Selders  
Total - 5

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Talbot asked that House Bill No. 27 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 27—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCKAMIN

**A JOINT RESOLUTION**

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Myers
Allain	Hensgens	Owen
Barrow	Hodges	Pressly
Bass	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Cathey	Lambert	Talbot
Cloud	McMath	Wheat
Connick	Miguez	Womack
Duplessis	Miller	
Fesi	Mizell	

Total - 34

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Barthelemy Luneau Stine  
Edmonds Selders  
Total - 5

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

**Recess**

On motion of Senator Talbot, the Senate took a recess at 11:45 o'clock A.M. until 2:00 o'clock P.M.

**After Recess**

The Senate was called to order at 2:43 o'clock P.M. by the President of the Senate.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**PRESENT**

Mr. President	Hensgens	Morris
Abraham	Hodges	Myers
Boudreaux	Jackson-Andrews	Owen
Carter	Jenkins	Price
Cathey	Kleinpeter	Reese
Duplessis	Lambert	Seabaugh
Edmonds	LunEAU	Stine
Fesi	Miguez	Talbot
Foil	Miller	Wheat
Harris	Mizell	Womack

Total - 30

**ABSENT**

Allain	Bass	McMath
Barrow	Cloud	Pressly
Barthelemy	Connick	Selders

Total - 9

The President of the Senate announced there were 30 Senators present and a quorum.

**Senate Business Resumed After Recess**

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage, Subject to Call, Resumed**

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Kleinpeter asked that House Bill No. 487 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 487—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:232(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 32:232(3)(h), relative to traffic control signals; to provide relative to traffic violations; to provide relative to penalties for violations when no injury occurs; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Kleinpeter proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Kleinpeter to Engrossed House Bill No. 487 by Representative Bayham

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "paragraph)" insert "and 1741(K)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "occurs;" insert "to provide for immobilization of vehicles for traffic violations;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 7, after "paragraph)" delete "is" and insert "and 1741(K) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 21, insert the following:  
"§1741. Immobilization of motor vehicles by booting; private property; legislative findings  
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K.(1) Nothing in this Chapter shall be construed to prohibit any parish or municipality from enacting ordinances that impose more restrictive requirements or regulations than those provided in this Chapter.

(2) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, no person shall immobilize or boot a motor vehicle for failure to pay a citation issued through an automated traffic enforcement system for a red-light traffic violation unless the vehicle owner has first been afforded an administrative hearing relative to the traffic citation. The provisions of this Paragraph shall not apply to Orleans parish.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Hensgens, Reese. Includes Mr. President, Abraham, Cathey, Cloud, Duplessis, Edmonds, Fesi, Foil, Total - 22.

NAYS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Jackson-Andrews, Miguez. Includes Boudreaux, Carter, Harris, Total - 8.

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Bass, Myers. Includes Allain, Barrow, Barthelemy, Total - 9.

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Lambert asked that House Bill No. 1201 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1201— BY REPRESENTATIVE ILLG

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:31(A), 31.1(C)(2) and (E), 502(B), 503(B), and 506(B) and R.S. 36:10, relative to compensation of elected officials; to provide for the salary of the governor and other statewide elected officials; to authorize an expense allowance and a housing allowance for statewide elected officials other than the governor; to provide for the adjustment of the salary of statewide elected officials at the beginning of each term; to provide for the per diem compensation of members of the legislature; to provide for the mileage allowance available to members of the legislature; to provide for per diem and mileage allowance for a member when engaged in official legislative business on days not in attendance on the body; to provide for the annual adjustment of the expense allowance of statewide elected officials and legislators; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Lambert proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Lambert to Re-Reengrossed House Bill No. 1201 by Representative Illg

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, line 27, after "allowance" delete the remainder of the line and insert "for renting or leasing a residence in the capital city of one"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 28, after "thousand" and before "dollars" delete "five hundred"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, at the end of line 2, change "one" to "five hundred" and on the beginning of line 3 delete "thousand"

On motion of Senator Lambert, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Jenkins, Owen. Includes Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Boudreaux, Carter, Duplessis, Fesi, Harris, Jackson-Andrews, Total - 26.

NAYS

Table with 1 column: Name. Includes Miguez, Total - 1.

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Cloud, Hensgens. Includes Allain, Barthelemy, Bass, Cathey, Total - 12.

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Miller asked that House Bill No. 226 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 226— BY REPRESENTATIVES ROBBY CARTER AND TAYLOR AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1467(A) and to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1467(C), relative to requests for admissions; to provide that a Rule 10.1 Conference in accordance with certain district court rules be held before a request is deemed admitted; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Carter proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Carter to Reengrossed House Bill No. 226 by Representative Robby Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 14, after "before" and before "a" insert "the court orders that"

On motion of Senator Carter, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Hodges	Morris
Abraham	Jackson-Andrews	Owen
Barrow	Jenkins	Price
Boudreaux	Kleinpeter	Reese
Carter	Lambert	Seabaugh
Cathey	Luneau	Stine
Edmonds	McMath	Talbot
Fesi	Miguez	Wheat
Harris	Miller	Womack
Hensgens	Mizell	
Total - 29		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Allain	Connick	Pressly
Barthelemy	Duplessis	Selders
Bass	Foil	
Cloud	Myers	
Total - 10		

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Hodges asked that House Bill No. 690 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 690—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, EDMONSTON, AND HORTON AND SENATOR HODGES

**AN ACT**

To enact Part XIV of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:410.17 through 410.23, relative to education service providers and vendors of educational products; to prohibit education agencies from contracting with certain prohibited individuals and entities; to provide with respect to foreign adversaries, foreign terrorist organizations, and agents thereof; to provide with respect to the duties of education agencies; to provide for due process; to provide for the suspension of payments; to provide for certain provisions to be included in contracts; to provide relative to the duties and authority of the attorney general; to provide relative to the office of debt recovery; to provide for legislative findings; to provide definitions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Kleinpeter	Pressly
Abraham	Lambert	Reese
Cathey	McMath	Seabaugh
Cloud	Miguez	Stine
Edmonds	Miller	Talbot
Fesi	Mizell	Wheat
Hensgens	Morris	Womack
Hodges	Myers	
Jackson-Andrews	Owen	
Total - 25		

**NAYS**

Barrow	Duplessis	Luneau
Boudreaux	Harris	
Carter	Jenkins	
Total - 7		

**ABSENT**

Allain	Connick	Selders
Barthelemy	Foil	
Bass	Price	
Total - 7		

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Hodges asked that House Bill No. 1203 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1203—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDMONSTON, BROUSSARD, CARLSON, CARPENTER, CARVER, MARTINEZ, OWEN, TARVER, AND TAYLOR

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:236.4, relative to associations of parents; to prohibit restricting the use of a home or commercial establishment by parents participating in a parent-driven learning cooperative under certain circumstances; to define parent-driven learning cooperative; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Hodges proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Hodges to Engrossed House Bill No. 1203 by Representative Edmonston

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete the set of amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Education and adopted by the Senate on May 25, 2026.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "To" insert "amend and reenact the Chapter heading of Chapter 43-B of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 17:4036.1(A) and (B) and to" and after "R.S. 17:236.4" insert "and 407.35(D)" and after "parents;" insert "to provide for parental choice in education;"

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AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, delete "learning cooperative" and insert "learning microschool"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 5, delete "cooperative" and insert "microschools; to provide for public school learning pods"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 9, delete "Parent-driven learning cooperatives" and insert "Parent-driven learning microschools"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 15, delete "Parent-driven learning cooperatives" and insert "Parent-driven learning microschools"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, after line 20, insert the following:
"(5) Article 101 of the Louisiana Children's Code declares that (t)he people of Louisiana recognize the family as the most fundamental unit of human society; that preserving families is essential to a free society; that the relationship between parent and child is preeminent in establishing and maintaining the well-being of the child; that parents have the responsibility for providing the basic necessities of life as well as love and affection to their children; that parents have the paramount right to raise their children in accordance with their own values and traditions; that parents should make the decisions regarding where and with whom the child shall reside, the educational, moral, ethical, and religious training of the child..."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 1, after "Section 2." insert "The Chapter heading of Chapter 43-B of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 17:4036.1 (A) and (B) are hereby amended and reenacted and" and after "R.S. 17:236.4" delete "is" and insert "and 407.35(D) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 2, delete "Parent-driven learning cooperatives" and insert "Parent-driven learning microschools"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, delete lines 3 through 11, and insert the following:
"A.(1) If a building has met the occupancy requirements as a home, commercial establishment, or other classification of occupancy, then the use, rental, lease, or otherwise lawful possession of the building, whether in whole or in part, by a parent-driven learning microschool shall not alter or change the zoning or occupancy classification of the building or subject the building to any additional building code requirements or fire safety regulations due to the fact that parents are making use of all or part of the building as a parent-driven learning microschool.
(2) No governmental agency shall take any of the following actions against a parent who participates in a parent-driven learning microschool or against the parent-driven learning microschool:
(a) Restrict or deny the use of the building by parents or children, regardless of age, for the same or similar purposes as provided in R.S. 13:5233.1(A)(4), regardless of the day of the week, time, or number of hours of the day, or require compliance with Part X-B of Chapter 1 of this Title or any other provision of this Title.
(b) Require that a parent-driven learning microschool register or otherwise report to any governmental agency.
B. As used in this Section, the following definitions shall apply:
(1) "Governmental agency" shall have the same meaning as "government" or "governmental agency" as defined in R.S. 13:5234.
(2) "Parent-driven learning microschool" means a voluntary association of parents who choose to group their children together, regardless of age, for educational or instructional activities conducted at mutually agreed-upon times and days, and which may include compensated or uncompensated parents, tutors, or instructors, for the purpose of providing a personalized learning experience for each student, and that meets all of the following requirements:"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 12, change "(2)" to "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, line 13, after "week" insert ", regardless of the time of day or regardless of the week or month of the year"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, line 14, change "(3)" to "(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 2, line 16, after "C." insert "(1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 2, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:
"(2) Nothing in this Subpart shall be construed to supersede, limit, or diminish the rights guaranteed under the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution of Louisiana, or the Preservation of Religious Freedom Act, R.S. 13:5231 et seq., all of which shall prevail in the event of any conflict with any provision of this Section.

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D. Nothing in this Part shall apply to a parent-driven learning microschool, as provided in R.S. 17:236.4, or a religious education activity, as provided in R.S. 13:5233.1.

CHAPTER 43-B. PUBLIC SCHOOL LEARNING PODS

§4036.1. Learning Public school learning pods
A.(1) Each public school governing authority may establish public school learning pods as an extension of any school under its jurisdiction.
(2) For purposes of this Chapter, "public school learning pod" means a group of at least ten students enrolled in the school who receive instruction in a small group setting.
B. A student shall be assigned to a public school learning pod only if the assignment is requested by his parent or authorized by his parent upon the recommendation of school officials.

Section 3. The Louisiana State Law Institute is hereby directed, pursuant to its statutory authority, to make any technical changes necessary to change all references in R.S. 17:4036.1 from "learning pods" to "public school learning pods" and to redesignate and reletter the Subsections in R.S. 17:4036.1 in order to conform the terminology and lettering of the provisions of this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 2, line 19, delete "Section 3." and insert "Section 4."

On motion of Senator Hodges, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Includes Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Cathey, Cloud, Edmonds, Fesi, Foil, Hensgens, Hodges, Kleinpeter, Lambert, McMath, Miguez, Miller, Mizell, Morris, Myers, Owen, Pressly, Reese, Seabaugh, Stine, Talbot, Wheat, Womack.

Total - 27

NAYS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Includes Boudreaux, Harris, Price.

Carter  
Duplessis  
Total - 7

Jenkins  
Luneau

ABSENT

Barthelemy  
Bass  
Total - 5

Connick  
Jackson-Andrews

Selders

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Jackson-Andrews asked that House Bill No. 271 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 271—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WYBLE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:651(F)(8), to enact Part XIV of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:410.21, and to repeal Part XIII of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:410.11, relative to education; to create and provide for the Louisiana Commission on Foundational Education; to provide for the commission's purpose, membership, and powers and duties; to provide with respect to commission meetings; to require staff support by the state Department of Education; to abolish the Louisiana Literacy Advisory Commission and to provide for the transfer of its records to the newly created commission; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Jackson-Andrews proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Jackson-Andrews to Reengrossed House Bill No. 271 by Representative Wyble

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 3, after line 29, insert the following:

"(22) One direct provider with a membership in the Child Care Association of Louisiana appointed by the board of directors of the association."

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 4, line 4, after "through" change "(C)(21)" to "(C)(22)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 4, line 11, after "through" change "(C)(21)" to "(C)(22)"

The bill was read by title. Senator Jackson-Andrews moved the final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President  
Abraham  
Allain  
Barrow  
Bass  
Boudreaux  
Carter  
Cathey  
Cloud

Foil  
Harris  
Hensgens  
Hodges  
Jackson-Andrews  
Jenkins  
Kleinpeter  
Lambert  
Luneau

Morris  
Myers  
Owen  
Pressly  
Price  
Reese  
Seabaugh  
Stine  
Talbot

Duplessis  
Edmonds  
Fesi  
Total - 35

McMath  
Miller  
Mizell

Wheat  
Womack

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy  
Connick  
Total - 4

Miguez  
Selders

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed and ordered it returned to the House. Senator Jackson-Andrews moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Owen asked that House Bill No. 823 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 823—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES KNOX AND CHASSION

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 33-D of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5381 through 5386, relative to homelessness; to provide for the creation of a homeless diversion pilot program in Orleans Parish; to provide program goals, guidelines, and participation criteria; to provide for annual evaluations of the homeless diversion pilot program submitted to the Louisiana Supreme Court; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President  
Abraham  
Allain  
Barrow  
Bass  
Boudreaux  
Carter  
Cathey  
Cloud  
Duplessis  
Edmonds  
Total - 32

Foil  
Harris  
Hensgens  
Jackson-Andrews  
Jenkins  
Kleinpeter  
Lambert  
Luneau  
McMath  
Mizell  
Morris

Myers  
Owen  
Pressly  
Price  
Reese  
Seabaugh  
Stine  
Talbot  
Wheat  
Womack

NAYS

Hodges  
Total - 3

Miguez  
Miller

ABSENT

Barthelemy  
Connick  
Total - 4

Fesi  
Selders

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Fesi asked that House Bill No. 308 be called from the Calendar.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 308—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM
AN ACT

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of senators under the YEAS category, including Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bass, Boudreaux, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Duplessis, Edmonds, Fesi, Mizell, Morris, Myers, Owen, Pressly, Price, Reese, Seabaugh, Stine, Talbot, and Womack.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of senators under the ABSENT category: Barthelemy, Connick, Selders.

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Reese asked that House Bill No. 399 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 399—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ZERINGUE AND CHASSION
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:833.2(A), relative to temporary release of an inmate for limited purposes; to provide for the number of days in which death is expected for purposes of authorizing temporary release; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of senators under the YEAS category, including Mr. President, Abraham, Barrow, Boudreaux, Carter, Cathey, Connick, Duplessis, Foil, Harris, Hodges, Jackson-Andrews, Jenkins, Lambert, Luneau, McMATH, Mizell, Morris, Myers, Owen, Price, Reese, Talbot, and Wheat.

Table listing Edmonds and Total - 26.

Miller
NAYS

Table listing Allain, Bass, Fesi, and Total - 7.

Table listing Kleinpeter, Miguez, Pressly, and Seabaugh.

ABSENT

Table listing Barthelemy, Cloud, and Total - 6.

Table listing Hensgens, Selders, Stine, and Womack.

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Duplessis asked that House Bill No. 302 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 302—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHASSION
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:911(A)(7), relative to vapor products; to prohibit certain acts relative to the sale of vapor products within three hundred feet of schools; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Duplessis proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Duplessis to Reengrossed House Bill No. 302 by Representative Chassion

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

"(d) Nothing in this Act shall be construed to prevent a municipality or parish from enacting stricter requirements for the sale of vapor, tobacco, or alternative nicotine products than those listed in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection.

(e) Any applicant for a tobacco retail license shall demonstrate that they are in compliance with any municipal or parish ordinances adopted pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter."

On motion of Senator Duplessis, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of senators under the YEAS category, including Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bass, Boudreaux, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Edmonds, Fesi, Mizell, Morris, Myers, Owen, Pressly, Price, Reese, Seabaugh, Stine, Talbot, Wheat, and Womack.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy Selders  
Total - 2

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Cathey asked that House Bill No. 211 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 211—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLIO

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(6) and to enact Chapter 33-D of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5381 through 5386, R.S. 14:107.6, and Part IV of Chapter 3 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:581.1 through 582, relative to the Homelessness Court program; to provide for the creation of the program; to provide for a statement of legislative intent; to provide for the goals of the program; to provide for definitions; to provide for the Homelessness Court probation program; to create the crime of unauthorized camping on public property; to provide for penalties; to prohibit public camping and temporary outdoor habitation; to provide for exceptions; to provide for notification requirements; to provide for minimum standards and procedures; to provide for enforcement; to provide for housing; to establish regulations that promote sanitary conditions; to provide for duties of the Louisiana Department of Health and office of the state fire marshal; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Cathey proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Cathey to Reengrossed House Bill No. 211 by Representative Villio

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 14, after "state fire marshal;" and before "to provide for" insert "to provide for limitation of liability;"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 15, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:  
"E. The good-faith enforcement, investigation, citation, or prosecution of an alleged violation of this Section by a political subdivision or its officers or employees is a policymaking or discretionary act within the meaning of R.S. 9:2798.1, and the immunity provided by that Section shall apply."

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 17, at the beginning of line 16, delete "continuous period of no longer than one year" and insert "period of one year and which may be redesignated annually"

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 18, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:  
"§581.3. Limitation of liability; public camping  
A. Definitions. As used in this Section, the following terms have the following meanings:

(1) "Covered entity" means any political subdivision, municipality, parish, governing authority, special district, or other unit of local government, and the officials, officers, employees,

agents, contractors, and volunteers thereof acting within the course and scope of their duties.

(2) "Designated property" means property designated for public camping pursuant to R.S. 40:581.2, and any appurtenant access or service area.

(3) "Service provider" means any nonprofit, religious, faith-based, charitable, mutual-aid, harm-reduction, healthcare, or educational organization that provides covered services.

(4) "Volunteer" means any individual who, without compensation, provides covered services, whether independently or on behalf of a service provider.

(5) "Covered services" means the provision, without compensation from the recipient, of food, water, clothing, hygiene supplies, sanitation, transportation, basic medical or first-aid services, mental health or substance use counseling or referral, harm-reduction supplies and education to the extent permitted by law, legal aid, employment or housing navigation, religious or pastoral counseling, and childcare services to persons experiencing homelessness on or in connection with a designated property.

B. Discretionary act immunity. The exercise or non exercise of any duty, power, or function of a covered entity under this Part or under R.S. 14:107.6, including the decision to designate, refuse to designate, close, or non renew a designation; the adoption and enforcement of minimum standards under R.S. 40:581.2(C); the removal or relocation of persons or property; the provision of or referral to services; and the response to a notice from the Louisiana Department of Health, is a policymaking or discretionary act within the meaning of R.S. 9:2798.1, and the immunity provided by that Section shall apply.

C. Premises immunity. A covered entity that designates, owns, leases, manages, controls, or supervises a designated property shall be deemed an owner of land used for purposes equivalent to recreational purposes within the meaning of R.S. 9:2795, and the limitation of liability provided by R.S. 9:2795(B) and (E) shall apply to the designated property. The immunity extended by this Subsection includes, without limitation, claims for personal injury, illness, death, or property damage arising from fire, explosion, smoke inhalation, drug or alcohol overdose, communicable disease, exposure to weather, defects in the land or facilities, or the acts or omissions of any other camper, guest, vendor, service provider, volunteer, or third person on the designated property.

D. Service provider and volunteer immunity. A service provider, and any volunteer, who in good faith and without compensation provides covered services shall be deemed to be rendering service within the meaning of R.S. 9:2793, and the immunity provided by that Section shall apply, except that the immunity extended by this Subsection is not limited to emergency settings. This Subsection is in addition to, and does not limit, any greater protection available under R.S. 9:2793.1, 2799, or 2799.1, the federal Volunteer Protection Act of 1997 (42 U.S.C. 14501 et seq.), or the federal Bill Emerson Good Samaritan Food Donation Act (42 U.S.C. 1791).

E. Property removal and storage. Personal property of a person experiencing homelessness that is removed from public property in connection with enforcement of this Part or R.S. 14:107.6 shall be stored for not less than thirty days and returned to the owner upon request, in accordance with procedures adopted by the covered entity. A covered entity is not liable for property unclaimed after the storage period, or for property that is contaminated or perishable or constitutes a public health or safety hazard, when disposal is consistent with adopted procedures.

F. Federal and constitutional claims. Nothing in this Section limits any claim arising under the Constitution of Louisiana, the Constitution of the United States, or 42 U.S.C. 1983.

G. Cumulative effect. The provisions of this Section are in addition to, and not in derogation of, the immunities cross-referenced herein and any other applicable immunity, indemnity, or limitation of liability under law."

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 20, line 4, after "Act" and before "shall become" insert ", including R.S. 40:581.3,"

On motion of Senator Cathey, the amendments were adopted.

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Floor Amendments

Senator Mizell proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Mizell to Reengrossed House Bill No. 211 by Representative Villio

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 16, between line 12 and 13 insert:

"E. An offender who violates the provisions of this Section may be eligible for participation in a Veterans Court program, if such a program is available in the jurisdiction and the offender meets all of the requirements set forth in Chapter 33-B of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 for participation in the program."

On motion of Senator Mizell, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Includes Mr. President, Abraham, Bass, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Edmonds, Total - 21.

NAYS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Includes Allain, Barrow, Boudreaux, Carter, Duplessis, Total - 15.

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Includes Barthelemy, Total - 3.

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Duplessis asked that House Bill No. 1256 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256— (Substitute for House Bill No. 947 by Representative Mena)

BY REPRESENTATIVE MENA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:154(A)(19) and (E), 160(D), and to enact R.S. 9:153(13)(j) and (17) through (22), 154(A)(20) and (F), 159(E), 160.1 through 160.5, and 164(F), relative to digital assets; to provide for definitions; to establish standards for the custody of unclaimed digital assets presumed abandoned; to provide for a presumption for digital assets; to provide for the delivery of abandoned digital assets to the administrator's custody; to provide for the maintenance of abandoned digital assets by the holder; to provide for the sale or liquidation of abandoned digital assets by the holder, administrator, or third-party contracted by the administrator; to require annual reports by the administrator; to provide for the discontinuance of reports

by the administrator; and to provide for an effective date; to authorize the law institute to make changes; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Duplessis proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Duplessis to Engrossed House Bill No. 1256 by Representative Mena

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 8 and 9 and insert:

"(19) A digital asset account, after three years if the owner has not shown any activity or interest. If the digital asset holder sends first class mail through the United States Postal Service to the owner and the mail is returned as undeliverable, the account is presumed abandoned three years after the mail is returned."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, at the beginning of line 10, delete "(49)"

On motion of Senator Duplessis, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Includes Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bass, Boudreaux, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Edmonds, Total - 35.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Includes Barthelemy, Jackson-Andrews, Total - 4.

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Connick asked that House Bill No. 762 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 762—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:8(B) and R.S. 47:1676(C)(2)(a)(i), relative to debt referral by the office of motor vehicles; to prohibit the office of motor vehicles from referring debts arising from unpaid reinstatement fees to the office of debt recovery; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Foil	Mizell
Allain	Harris	Morris
Barrow	Hensgens	Myers
Bass	Hodges	Owen
Boudreaux	Jackson-Andrews	Pressly
Carter	Jenkins	Price
Cathey	Kleinpeter	Reese
Cloud	Lambert	Seabaugh
Connick	Luneau	Stine
Duplessis	McMath	Talbot
Edmonds	Miguez	Wheat
Fesi	Miller	Womack
Total - 36		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Abraham	Barthelemy	Selders
Total - 3		

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Connick asked that House Bill No. 1081 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1081—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT  
AN ACT

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Myers
Allain	Hensgens	Owen
Barrow	Hodges	Pressly
Bass	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack
Edmonds	Miller	
Fesi	Mizell	
Total - 37		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Barthelemy	Selders
Total - 2	

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Fesi asked that House Bill No. 1062 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1062—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONSTON  
AN ACT

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

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Myers
Allain	Hensgens	Owen
Barrow	Hodges	Pressly
Bass	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack
Edmonds	Miller	
Fesi	Mizell	
Total - 37		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Barthelemy	Selders
Total - 2	

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Cloud asked that House Bill No. 36 be called from the Calendar.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 36—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1109(A) and 1109.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (3) through (10) and to repeal R.S. 15:1109.1(A)(11), relative to the Acadiana Regional Juvenile Justice District; to remove Evangeline Parish as a member of the Acadiana Regional Juvenile Justice District; to remove a member of the board of commissioners for the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Cloud proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cloud to Engrossed House Bill No. 36 by Representative Butler

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 3 through 5, and insert the following: "R.S. 15:1109.1(A)(1) through (9) and to enact R.S. 15:1109.1(C), 1109.5(D) and (E), relative to the Acadiana Regional Juvenile Justice District; to provide for appointment to the board of commissioners; to provide for the power to levy taxes, incur debt, and issue bonds;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, delete "commissioners for the district;" and insert "to provide for vacancies."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 13 through 19, delete page 2, on page 3, delete lines 1 through 14, and insert the following: "R.S. 15:1109.1(A)(1) through (9) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 15:1109.1(C), 1109.5(D) and (E) are hereby enacted to read as follows: §1109.1. Board of commissioners; appointments; terms

A. The Acadiana Regional Juvenile Justice District Commission is hereby created to control, administer, and manage the affairs of the district. The commission shall be composed of a board of eleven commissioners who shall be appointed as follows:

(1) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing within Acadia Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney for the Fifteenth Judicial District and the sheriff of Acadia Parish, and the president of the Acadia Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

(2) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing in Allen Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney for the Thirty-Third Judicial District and the sheriff of Allen Parish, and the president of the Allen Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

(3) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing within Evangeline Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney for the Thirteenth Judicial District and the sheriff of Evangeline Parish, and the president of the Evangeline Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

(4) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing within Iberia Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney of the Sixteenth Judicial District and the sheriff of Iberia Parish, and the president of the Iberia Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

(5) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing in Jefferson Davis Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney for the Thirty-First Judicial District and the sheriff of Jefferson Davis Parish, and the president of the Jefferson Davis Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

(6) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing in St. Landry Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney for the Twenty-Seventh Judicial District and the sheriff of St. Landry

Parish, and the president of the St. Landry Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

(7) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing within St. Martin Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney for the Sixteenth Judicial District and the sheriff of St. Martin Parish, and the president of the St. Martin Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

(8) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing in St. Mary Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney for the Sixteenth Judicial District and the sheriff of St. Mary Parish, and the president of the St. Mary Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

(9) One commissioner, who shall be a qualified elector domiciled and residing within Vermilion Parish, shall be jointly appointed by the chief judge and district attorney for the Fifteenth Judicial District and the sheriff of Vermilion Parish, and the president of the Vermilion Parish police jury, for an initial term of four years.

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C. Failure of appointed members to attend two consecutive meetings shall be cause for termination from the commission and the position shall be deemed vacant by notifying the appropriate appointing party. The appointing authority shall have ninety days to fill the vacancy.

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§1109.5. Power to levy taxes, incur debt, and issue bonds

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D. The board of commissioners shall provide written notice, at least thirty days prior to the date of any meeting, at which the board may consider and take action on a matter set forth in this Section, and such written notice shall be provided to the governing authority of each of the parishes that comprise the Acadiana Regional Juvenile Justice District.

E. Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 15:1109.3(C), any action or resolution authorizing the levy of a tax pursuant to this Section shall be required to be approved by every member of the board of commissioners and shall be subsequently approved, by written resolution or other authorized form, by the governing authority of each of the parishes that comprise the Acadiana Regional Juvenile Justice District, prior to any such measure being placed on the ballot."

On motion of Senator Cloud, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fesi	Mizell
Abraham	Foil	Morris
Allain	Harris	Myers
Barrow	Hensgens	Owen
Bass	Hodges	Pressly
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Price
Carter	Kleinpeter	Reese
Cathey	Lambert	Seabaugh
Cloud	Luneau	Stine
Connick	McMath	Talbot
Duplessis	Miguez	Wheat
Edmonds	Miller	Womack

Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Jackson-Andrews	Selders
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Total - 3

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Hensgens asked that House Bill No. 166 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 166—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACOB LANDRY AN ACT

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

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President, Allain, Barrow, Bass, Boudreaux, Carter, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Edmonds, Fesi, Morris, Myers, Owen, Pressly, Price, Reese, Seabaugh, Stine, Talbot, Wheat, Womack, Mizell, Harris, Hensgens, Jenkins, Kleinpeter, Lambert, Luneau, McMATH, Miguez, Miller, Mizell

Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abraham, Barthelemy, Jackson-Andrews, Selders

Total - 4

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Carter asked that House Bill No. 712 be called from the Calendar for reconsideration.

HOUSE BILL NO. 712—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, ADAMS, BRASS, BRYANT, CHASSION, FREIBERG, GREEN, DANA HENRY, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JORDAN, KNOX, LAFLEUR, TERRY LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MENA, MILLER, MOORE, MURRAY, NEWELL, PHELPS, TAYLOR, AND WALTERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:412.4 and R.S. 40:1321.3, relative to waiver of fees for office of motor vehicles issued credentials; to provide for waiver of fees for Class "E" driver's licenses and state identification cards for homeless persons; to provide for proof of homelessness; to provide for restrictions to the waiver of fees; to limit the fee waiver for certain credentials to residents of

Louisiana; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Barrow, Boudreaux, Carter, Duplessis, Harris, Jackson-Andrews, Jenkins, Luneau, Mizell, Price

Total - 10

NAYS

Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Bass, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Edmonds, Fesi, Foil, Hensgens, Hodges, Kleinpeter, Lambert, McMath, Miguez, Miller, Morris, Myers, Owen, Pressly, Reese, Seabaugh, Stine, Talbot, Wheat, Womack

Total - 27

ABSENT

Barthelemy, Selders

Total - 2

The Chair declared the previously amended bill failed to pass.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Reese asked that House Bill No. 140 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 140—

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 813(C), 815.1(D), 843, and 877, to enact Children's Code Articles 804(10) and 877.1, and to repeal Children's Code Article 815.1(E), relative to juvenile delinquency proceedings; to provide relative to the taking of a child into custody; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to juvenile detention; to provide for time limitations relative to juvenile delinquency proceedings; to provide relative to the suspension and expiration of time limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Reese proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Reese to Reengrossed House Bill No. 140 by Representative Cox

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "Children's Code Articles" insert "315(B)(introductory paragraph),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 10, after "Children's Code Articles" insert "315(B)(introductory paragraph),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following: "Art. 315. Transfer of proper venue

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B. After adjudication, the court in which a petition is filed shall may transfer the proceeding if it receives information at any time that both of the following exist:

On motion of Senator Reese, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Bass Cathey Cloud Connick Edmonds Fesi Foil Hensgens Hodges Kleinpeter Lambert Luneau McMATH Miguez Miller Mizell Morris Myers Owen Pressly Reese Seabaugh Stine Talbot Wheat Womack Total - 29

NAYS

Barrow Boudreaux Carter Duplessis Harris Jackson-Andrews Jenkins Price Total - 8

ABSENT

Barthelemy Selders Total - 2

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Reese asked that House Bill No. 730 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 730— BY REPRESENTATIVE CREWS AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:135.1(A)(2) and (P) and to enact R.S. 2:135.1(Q), relative to the use of automatic dependent surveillance-broadcast (ADS-B) systems; to authorize airport authorities to adopt regulations, set charges and fees, enforce payment, fix penalties, and prohibit discrimination; to prohibit any entity from using certain data as a basis for calculating, generating, or collecting fees from aircraft owners or operators; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties for violations; to provide for related matters.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Abraham Allain Barrow Foil Harris Hensgens Hodges Morris Myers Owen Pressly Total - 8

Bass Boudreaux Carter Cathey Cloud Connick Duplessis Edmonds Fesi Jackson-Andrews Jenkins Kleinpeter Lambert Luneau McMATH Miguez Miller Mizell Price Reese Seabaugh Stine Talbot Wheat Womack Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy Selders Total - 2

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Pressly asked that House Bill No. 775 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 775— BY REPRESENTATIVE CHENEVERT AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1079.1 and 1165.1(B)(2) and to repeal R.S. 40:1079.2, 1079.3, and 1079.13, relative to a minor's consent to certain medical procedures and treatments; to provide for parental consent for medical procedures performed on a minor; to provide for exceptions; to revise a definition; to require parental access to medical records for minor children; to prohibit civil and criminal liability for hospitals and healthcare professionals licensed to practice medicine in this state; to repeal a school or facility's authority to provide preventive counseling or treatment to a minor without parental consent; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Pressly proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Pressly to Engrossed House Bill No. 775 by Representative Chenevert

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2026, on page 1, line 4, after "Subsection B" insert "of this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2026, on page 1, line 7, after "custodian" insert "or caregiver"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2026, on page 1, line 23, after "temporary" insert "custodian or"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2026, on page 1, line 24, after "custodian" insert "or caregiver"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 13 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2026, on page 2, line 19, after "university" insert ", not including a high school student that is dually enrolled in a post-secondary education program"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

In Senate Committee Amendment No. 13 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2026, on page 2, at the end of line 21, before the period "." insert ", with the exception of the provision of a vaccination for a sexual transmitted disease or infection"

On motion of Senator Pressly, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Harris	Owen
Abraham	Hensgens	Pressly
Boudreaux	Hodges	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miller	Womack
Edmonds	Mizell	
Fesi	Morris	
Total - 28		

NAYS

Allain	Foil	Price
Barrow	Jackson-Andrews	
Bass	Myers	
Total - 7		

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Miguez
Jenkins	Selders
Total - 4	

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Cathey asked that House Bill No. 968 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 968—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.37(B) through (D) and (E)(1) and to enact R.S. 15:571.37(F), relative to electronic monitoring; to provide relative to payment of costs for electronic monitoring supervision; to provide for conditions of electronic monitoring; to provide for penalties; to provide for duties of the court; to provide for contradictory hearings; to provide for duties of electronic monitoring service providers; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Cathey proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Cathey to Engrossed House Bill No. 968 by Representative Turner

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 18, after "only to" delete "adults" and insert "a person tried as an adult"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 27, after "surety" insert ", bail agent, or bondsman"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 1, after "notice" and before the period "." insert the following: "including using information provided on the bail undertaking pursuant to Code of Criminal Procedure Article 329"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, line 13, after "(v)" delete "Whether" and insert "Subject to the requirements of Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 319, whether"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 7, line 9, after "may be" change "affected" to "modified"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 7, line 10, after "notice" insert "of a posting"

On motion of Senator Cathey, the amendments were adopted.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Cathey proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Cathey to Engrossed House Bill No. 968 by Representative Turner

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 6, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 22, delete "initiate a contradictory hearing by filing" and insert "file"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 27, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete line 29 in its entirety and insert "setting the hearing. The court shall set the manner for"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, line 1, after "hearing within" change "ten" to "fifteen"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 3, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, line 28, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, line 4, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 6, delete lines 1 and 2

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AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 6, line 5, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 6, line 10, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 7, line 24, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 8, line 11, delete "contradictory"

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 8, at the beginning of line 13, delete "contradictory"

On motion of Senator Cathey, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' including Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bass, Boudreaux, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Edmonds, Fesi, Mizell, Morris, Myers, Owen, Pressly, Price, Reese, Seabaugh, Stine, Talbot, Wheat, and Womack.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of members who were absent: Barthelémy, Carter, and Selders.

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Jackson-Andrews asked that House Bill No. 198 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 198—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:452, relative to ambulatory surgical centers; to provide for Medicaid reimbursement rates; to authorize the Louisiana Department of Health to promulgate rules; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Jackson-Andrews proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Jackson-Andrews to Reengrossed House Bill No. 198 by Representative Echols

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 3, after the semicolon ";" and before "to" insert: "to provide for a reimbursement rate plan; to provide for implementation; to provide for a deadline;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, delete lines 7 through 19 and insert:
"\$452. Medicaid ambulatory surgical center reimbursement plan; Medicare rate comparability

A.(1) The Louisiana Department of Health shall develop and implement a plan for increased Medicaid managed care organization reimbursement rates and fee-for-service reimbursement rates for gastroenterology, dental ophthalmology, dental and otolaryngology procedures conducted at ambulatory surgical centers.

(2) The reimbursement rate established pursuant to this Section shall be the lesser of the following:

(a) The rate paid for the same or similar procedure in an outpatient hospital setting.

(b) One hundred percent of the Medicare rate for the same or similar procedure.

(3) The plan shall include procedure codes utilized for gastroenterology, ophthalmology, dental and otolaryngology procedures conducted at ambulatory surgical centers and the estimated cost of implementation of the plan.

B. The Louisiana Department of Health shall take all necessary actions to annually update the reimbursement rates for gastroenterology, dental, ophthalmology, and otolaryngology procedures conducted at ambulatory surgical centers in accordance with the methodology provided in Subsection A of this Section.

C. The Louisiana Department of Health shall submit the plan required by this Section to the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, the Senate Committee on Finance, the House Committee on Health and Welfare, and the House Committee on Appropriations no later than October 1, 2026.

D. Not later than October 1, 2026, the Louisiana Department of Health shall take all necessary actions, including but not limited to filing any Medicaid state plan amendment required by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, to implement the provisions of this Section.

E. The Louisiana Department of Health shall promulgate all rules and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act as are necessary to implement the provisions of this Section."

On motion of Senator Jackson-Andrews, the amendments were adopted.

The bill was read by title. Senator Jackson-Andrews moved the final passage of the amended bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' including Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Barrow, Bass, Boudreaux, Carter, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Edmonds, Fesi, Foil, Harris, Hensgens, Jackson-Andrews, Jenkins, Kleinpeter, Lambert, Luneau, Miller, Mizell, Myers, Owen, Pressly, Price, Reese, Seabaugh, Stine, Talbot, Wheat, and Womack.

NAYS

Table listing names of members who voted 'NAYS': Hodges and Miguez.

ABSENT

Barthelemy            McMath            Selders  
 Cathey                Morris  
 Total - 5

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

**Senator Talbott in the Chair**

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Jackson-Andrews asked that House Bill No. 1242 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1242— (Substitute for House Bill No. 628 by Representative Terry Landry)**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:407.39(I), relative to early learning centers; to authorize the state Department of Education to issue more than one early learning center a license at the same location under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

**Mr. President in the Chair**

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Reese asked that House Bill No. 1252 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1252— (Substitute for House Bill No. 1165 by Representative Deshotel)**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1952(introductory paragraph) and (7), 2488.51(A) through (C), 2488.57, 2488.58(A), and 2488.59 and to enact R.S. 13:2488.51(F), relative to the city courts of Avoyelles Parish; to provide for the jurisdiction of the city court of Bunkie; to provide for the jurisdiction of the city court of Marksville; to provide for elections; to provide for the appellate review of justice of the peace decisions; to provide for the imposition and payment of fees in the city courts of Bunkie and Marksville; and to provide for related matters.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Fesi	Morris
Abraham	Foil	Myers
Allain	Harris	Owen
Barrow	Hensgens	Pressly
Bass	Hodges	Price
Boudreaux	Jackson-Andrews	Reese
Carter	Jenkins	Seabaugh
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miller	Womack
Edmonds	Mizell	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0  
 ABSENT  
 Barthelemy            Miguez  
 Kleinpeter            Selders  
 Total - 4

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

**Quorum Call**

Senator Talbot asked for the absence of a quorum.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

PRESENT

Mr. President	Hensgens	Myers
Abraham	Hodges	Owen
Allain	Jenkins	Pressly
Bass	Kleinpeter	Price
Cathey	Lambert	Reese
Cloud	Luneau	Seabaugh
Connick	McMath	Stine
Edmonds	Miguez	Talbot
Fesi	Miller	Wheat
Foil	Mizell	Womack
Harris	Morris	
Total - 32		

ABSENT

Barrow	Carter	Selders
Barthelemy	Duplessis	
Boudreaux	Jackson-Andrews	
Total - 7		

The President of the Senate announced there were 32 Senators present and a quorum.

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Pressly asked that House Bill No. 1220 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1220—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1263(B)(1) through (7), (C)(1)(a) and (2)(b), and (D)(1), 1266, and 1270(A)(introductory paragraph) and (9) and to enact R.S. 37:1263(C)(3) and (D)(4) and (5), relative to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for membership of the board; to provide for the duties of the board; to provide for qualifications of the members of the board; to establish a procedure for filling vacancies of the board; to provide for the president of the board; to provide for executive staff of the board; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Miller proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Miller to Engrossed House Bill No. 1220 by Representative LaCombe

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 4, delete "and (D)(4) and (5)" and insert ", (D)(4) and (5), and 1270(A)(10)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, after "37:1263(C)(3)" delete "and (D)(4) and (5)" and insert ", (D)(4) and (5), and 1270(A)(10)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, after line 22, insert the following:
"(10) Maintain contact information of all licensees subject to the jurisdiction of the board including business email addresses and phone numbers."

On motion of Senator Miller, the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of senators under the YEAS category, including Mr. President, Abraham, Allain, Bass, Boudreaux, Cathey, Cloud, Connick, Duplessis, Edmonds, Fesi, Mizell, Morris, Owen, Pressly, Price, Reese, Seabaugh, Stine, Talbot, Wheat, and Womack.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of senators under the ABSENT category, including Barrow, Barthelémy, Carter, Jackson-Andrews, Myers, and Selders.

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

Called from the Calendar

Senator Seabaugh asked that House Bill No. 1098 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND AN ACT

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

The previously amended bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Reese asked that House Bill No. 719 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 719—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EGAN AND GALLE AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:51(A)(1), (3) through (7), (9), (13) through (17), (19) through (25), (27), (30) through (33), (35) through (37), and (39) through (42), relative to assistant district attorneys; to provide for the number of assistant district attorneys in each judicial district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments

Senator Reese proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Reese to Reengrossed House Bill No. 719 by Representative Egan

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Committee Amendments No. 1 through 22 proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on May 27, 2026

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 3 and insert "R.S. 16:51(A), relative to"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and delete line 9 and insert "R.S. 16:51(A) is hereby amended"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 17 through 19, delete pages 2 and 3, and insert the following:

- (1) In the First Judicial District, ~~thirty-five~~ thirty-nine assistant district attorneys;
(2) In the Second Judicial District, ten assistant district attorneys;
(3) In the Third Judicial District, ~~nine ten~~ nine assistant district attorneys;
(4) In the Fourth Judicial District, ~~twenty-six~~ twenty-seven assistant district attorneys;
(5) In the Fifth Judicial District, ~~seven~~ eight assistant district attorneys;
(6) In the Sixth Judicial District, ~~seven~~ eight assistant district attorneys;
(7) In the Seventh Judicial District, ~~six~~ seven assistant district attorneys;
(8) In the Eighth Judicial District, ~~four~~ five assistant district attorneys;
(9) In the Ninth Judicial District, ~~fifteen~~ sixteen assistant district attorneys;
(10) In the Tenth Judicial District, ~~five~~ six assistant district attorneys;
(11) In the Eleventh Judicial District, ~~four~~ five assistant district attorneys;
(12) In the Twelfth Judicial District, eight assistant district attorneys;
(13) In the Thirteenth Judicial District, ~~five~~ six assistant district attorneys;
(14) In the Fourteenth Judicial District, ~~twenty-five~~ twenty-seven assistant district attorneys;
(15) In the Fifteenth Judicial District, ~~twenty-eight~~ thirty assistant district attorneys;
(16) In the Sixteenth Judicial District, ~~twenty-three~~ twenty-four assistant district attorneys;
(17) In the Seventeenth Judicial District, ~~thirteen~~ sixteen assistant district attorneys;
(18) In the Eighteenth Judicial District, thirteen assistant district attorneys;
(19) In the Nineteenth Judicial District, ~~fifty-five~~ seventy-one assistant district attorneys;

(20) In the Twentieth Judicial District, five assistant district attorneys;  
 (21) In the Twenty-First Judicial District, ~~nineteen~~ twenty assistant district attorneys;  
 (22) In the Twenty-Second Judicial District, ~~thirty~~ forty-four assistant district attorneys;  
 (23) In the Twenty-Third Judicial District, ~~nineteen~~ twenty assistant district attorneys;  
 (24) In the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District, ~~fifty-four~~ fifty-eight assistant district attorneys;  
 (25) In the Twenty-Fifth Judicial District, ~~five~~ six assistant district attorneys;  
 (26) In the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District, thirteen assistant district attorneys;  
 (27) In the Twenty-Seventh Judicial District, ~~twelve~~ fifteen assistant district attorneys;  
 (28) In the Twenty-Eighth Judicial District, three assistant district attorneys;  
 (29) In the Twenty-Ninth Judicial District, ten assistant district attorneys;  
 (30) In the Thirtieth Judicial District, six assistant district attorneys;  
 (31) In the Thirty-First Judicial District, ~~four~~ five assistant district attorneys;  
 (32) In the Thirty-Second Judicial District, ~~twenty-one~~ twenty-two assistant district attorneys;  
 (33) In the Thirty-Third Judicial District, ~~four~~ five assistant district attorneys;  
 (34) In the Thirty-Fourth Judicial District, ~~nine~~ ten assistant district attorneys;  
 (35) In the Thirty-Fifth Judicial District, ~~four~~ five assistant district attorneys;  
 (36) In the Thirty-Sixth Judicial District, ~~five~~ six assistant district attorneys;  
 (37) In the Thirty-Seventh Judicial District, three assistant district attorneys;  
 (38) In the parish of Orleans, ~~eighty-three~~ seventy-three assistant district attorneys;  
 (39) In the Thirty-Eighth Judicial District, two assistant district attorneys;  
 (40) In the Thirty-Ninth Judicial District, two assistant district attorneys;  
 (41) In the Fortieth Judicial District, ~~nine~~ ten assistant district attorneys;  
 (42) In the Forty-Second Judicial District, ~~four~~ five assistant district attorneys."

On motion of Senator Reese, the amendments were adopted.

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

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Hensgens	Morris
Abraham	Hodges	Myers
Allain	Jenkins	Owen
Bass	Kleinpeter	Pressly
Cathey	Lambert	Reese
Cloud	Luneau	Seabaugh
Connick	McMath	Stine
Edmonds	Miguez	Talbot
Fesi	Miller	Wheat
Foil	Mizell	Womack
Total - 30		

**NAYS**

Boudreaux	Duplessis	Jackson-Andrews
Carter	Harris	Price
Total - 6		

**ABSENT**

Barrow	Barthelemy	Selders
Total - 3		

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

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Reese asked that House Bill No. 75 be called from the Calendar.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 75—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON AND KNOX  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:353(introductory paragraph), (9), and (11), relative to gaming activities; to modify definitions; to provide relative to taxable revenue; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments**

Senator Reese proposed the following amendments.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Reese to Reengrossed House Bill No. 75 by Representative Jackson

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

Delete all Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary B and adopted by the Senate on May 27, 2026.

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1 line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 3, and insert the following: "enact R.S. 27:393.2, relative to gaming activity; to provide for an enhanced promotional play pilot program; to provide for limitations; to provide for a termination date; and to"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, line 6, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 7 through 17, delete page 2, and insert the following:

" R.S. 27:393.2 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

**§ 393.2. Enhanced promotional play pilot program**

A. Notwithstanding R.S. 27:353(9) or any other law to the contrary, beginning on July 1, 2026 and terminating on June 30, 2027, for the purposes of this Chapter, "net slot machine proceeds shall mean the total of all cash and property received by a licensee from slot machine gaming operations minus the amount of cash or prizes paid to winners and seven million dollars directly attributable to promotional play wagers.

B. The additional two million dollars directly attributable to promotional play wagers provided by this Section shall not be assigned to another licensee or casino gaming operator as provided by Act No. 258 of the 2026 Regular Session.

C. No later than March 1, 2027, the licensees shall provide a comprehensive report to the Gaming Control Board, the Senate Committee on Judiciary B, and the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice demonstrating any additional net slot machine proceeds directly attributable to the enhanced promotional play for the period of July 1 through December 31, 2026, and the effect on the collection and disposition of fees and taxes on credits deposited into local governing authority funds described in R.S. 27:392.

Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall cease as of June 30, 2027."

On motion of Senator Reese, the amendments were adopted.

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

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Jenkins Price
Boudreaux Lambert Reese
Connick McMath Stine
Duplessis Morris Talbot
Harris Myers
Hensgens Owen
Total - 16

NAYS

Abraham Fesi Mizell
Allain Foil Pressly
Bass Hodges Seabaugh
Cathey Kleinpeter Wheat
Cloud Miguez Womack
Edmonds Miller
Total - 17

ABSENT

Barrow Carter Luneau
Barthelemy Jackson-Andrews Selders
Total - 6

The Chair declared the amended bill failed to pass.

Notice of Reconsideration

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

Quorum Call

Senator Talbot asked for the absence of a quorum.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS

Mr. President Foil Morris
Abraham Harris Myers
Allain Hensgens Owen
Barrow Hodges Pressly
Bass Jackson-Andrews Price
Boudreaux Jenkins Reese
Carter Kleinpeter Seabaugh
Cathey Lambert Stine
Cloud Luneau Talbot
Connick McMath Wheat
Duplessis Miguez Womack
Edmonds Miller
Fesi Mizell
Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy Selders
Total - 2

The President of the Senate announced there were 37 Senators present and a quorum.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Seabaugh asked that House Bill No. 1098 be called from the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT

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

Floor Amendments

Senator Connick proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Connick to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1098 by Representative McFarland

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Floor Amendment Nos. 4, 6, and 7 proposed by Senator Talbot and adopted by the Senate on May 27, 2026

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 6, after "flight entity" insert the following: "that owns and occupies a minimum of twenty thousand contiguous acres in this state"

On motion of Senator Connick, the amendments were adopted.

Floor Amendments

Senator Luneau proposed the following amendments.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Luneau to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1098 by Representative McFarland

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 23, after "(4)" change "Physical damage" to "Injury to persons or property"

Senator Luneau moved the adoption of the amendments.

Senator Seabaugh objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Fesi Mizell
Abraham Harris Morris
Allain Hodges Myers
Barrow Jackson-Andrews Owen
Bass Jenkins Pressly
Boudreaux Kleinpeter Price
Carter Lambert Reese
Cathey Luneau Stine
Cloud McMath Talbot
Connick Miguez Wheat
Duplessis Miller Womack
Total - 33

NAYS

Edmonds Hensgens Seabaugh
Total - 3

ABSENT

Barthelemy Foil Selders  
Total - 3

The Chair declared the amendments were adopted.

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

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Myers
Allain	Hensgens	Owen
Barrow	Hodges	Pressly
Bass	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh
Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack
Edmonds	Miller	
Fesi	Mizell	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Barthelemy Selders  
Total - 2

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

Rules Suspended

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

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

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

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Honorable Cameron Henry  
Louisiana Senate President  
Louisiana State Senate  
Post Office Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

RE: 2026 Regular Session Submission List for Senate Confirmation

Dear President Henry and Members of the Senate:

I have appointed the following persons on the attached list to the offices indicated.

In compliance with Article IV, Section 5(H)(3) of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, I do hereby present these names for your review.

For Louisiana

JEFF LANDRY  
Governor

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**Administration, Division of**  
Bryan C. McClinton

**Amite River Basin Drainage and Water Conservation District**  
Darren Wade Evans  
James W. Falgout  
Christopher P. Knotts

**Associated Branch Pilots for the Port of Lake Charles**  
Anthony B. Chapman  
John M. Rodriguez Rivera

**Associated Branch Pilots for the Port of New Orleans**  
Charles B. DeMetz Jr.  
Hunter B. Robert  
William J. Rodgers II

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RE: 2026 Notaries Public Submission List

Dear President Henry:

The individuals on the attached list were commissioned as Notaries Public for the parishes indicated from June 13, 2025 to May 28, 2026.

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statutes 35:1, I hereby submit their names for confirmation by, and with the advice and consent of, the Senate.

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**Conference Committee Reports Received**

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**SENATE BILL NO. 300—**  
BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:197(13) and (19) through (21), 198(E)(2), (H)(1)(c), the introductory paragraph of (J), (J)(1)(d), 199(D)(4), 200(K), 1556(31) and (62), 1594(C)(3), 1597, 1600.2(C)(4), the introductory paragraph of 1602.1(C)(2), the introductory paragraph of 1606(B), 1619(A)(1)(i), 1630, and 1691(A), to enact R.S. 39:1600.2(G), 1619(A)(2)(k), (3)(h), (4)(f), and (5)(d), 1685(F), and 1692(D) through (G), and to repeal R.S. 39:197(22), relative to the Louisiana Procurement Code; to provide for definitions; to provide for requirements of information technology contractual review procedures; to provide for applicability; to provide for negotiation and award of contracts; to provide for bidding on contracts; to provide for advertisement and notice requirements for procurement; to provide for certain prohibitions; to provide for contract types; to provide for legal and contractual remedies; to provide relative to administrative appeals; to provide relative to commencement of actions relative to procurement; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 449—**  
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212.1(O), relative to procurement requirements for materials and goods by public entities; to provide for the purchase of certain non-new rail equipment; to provide for the purchase of related parts by a railroad operated or owned by a political subdivision; to provide for exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 341—**  
BY SENATOR EDMONDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:1853, the introductory paragraph of 1854, 1854(3) and (7), the introductory paragraph of 1855(B)(1), 1855(B)(2)(b)(xiii), 1856(A)(3) and (4), and 1870 and to enact R.S. 12:1856(H), relative to the Louisiana Churches and Nonprofit Religious Organizations Self-Insured Fund; to provide for definitions; to provide for initial financial requirements; to provide for technical changes by the Louisiana State Law Institute; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 274—**  
BY SENATOR EDMONDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2351.28, relative to environmental quality; to provide for data and records related to lead hazard detection; to provide for risk assessments of certain facilities; to provide for applicability; to provide for authority of state departments to enter agreements; to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 382—**  
BY SENATOR SEABAUGH

AN ACT

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

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

AN ACT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 134—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHLEGEL AND EDMONSTON  
AN ACT

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

**Appointment of Conference Committee  
on Senate Bill No. 389**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House to consider the disagreement on **Senate Bill No. 389**:

Senators Connick,  
Hensgens  
and Luneau.

**Appointment of Conference Committee  
on Senate Bill No. 469**

The President of the Senate appointed the following members to confer with a like committee from the House to consider the disagreement on **Senate Bill No. 469**:

Senators Abraham,  
Miller  
and Talbot.

**Appointment of Conference Committee  
on House Bill No. 368**

The President of the Senate appointed to the Conference Committee on **House Bill No. 368** the following members of the Senate:

Senators Barthelemy,  
Luneau  
and Miller.

**Appointment of Conference Committee  
on House Bill No. 414**

The President of the Senate appointed to the Conference Committee on **House Bill No. 414** the following members of the Senate:

Senators Cloud,  
Kleinpeter  
and Morris.

**Appointment of Conference Committee  
on House Bill No. 552**

The President of the Senate appointed to the Conference Committee on **House Bill No. 552** the following members of the Senate:

Senators Myers,  
Cloud  
and Kleinpeter.

**Appointment of Conference Committee on House Bill No. 732**

The President of the Senate appointed to the Conference Committee on **House Bill No. 732** the following members of the Senate:

Senators Reese,  
Foil  
and Luneau.

**Appointment of Conference Committee on House Bill No. 848**

The President of the Senate appointed to the Conference Committee on **House Bill No. 848** the following members of the Senate:

Senators Cloud,  
Fesi  
and Hodges.

The Conference Committee Reports for the above legislative instruments lie over under the rules.

**Message from the House**

**PASSED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

May 28, 2026

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 the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions:

**SENATE BILL NO. 121—**  
BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1276 and to repeal R.S. 18:1276.1, relative to congressional districts; to provide for the redistricting of Louisiana's congressional districts; to provide with respect to positions and offices, other than congressional, which are based upon congressional districts; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **House Bill No. 414** by Representative Chenevert:

Representatives Chenevert, Miller and Spell.

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**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **House Bill No. 552** by Representative Bryant:

Representatives Bryant, Villio and Bacala.

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**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **House Bill No. 732** by Representative Owen:

Representatives Owen, Bourriaque and Freiberg.

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

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to **Senate Bill No. 469** by Senator Abraham:

Representatives St. Blanc, Deshotel, and Riser.

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

**Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 176—**  
BY SENATOR MIZELL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the office of alcohol and tobacco control and the Board of Regents to jointly study the feasibility, security implications, and administrative requirements of enabling student identification cards issued by Louisiana postsecondary institutions to function as a form of digital identification verification, and to report findings to the legislature.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 177—**

BY SENATOR MIZELL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Criminal Justice to study and make recommendations regarding the development, adoption, and implementation of lethal assessment protocols for peace officers in Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 178—**

BY SENATOR MIZELL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study and make recommendations regarding modernization of the state's problem gambling prevention and education efforts, particularly among youth and young adults, and to examine opportunities for school-based education, higher education engagement, digital support resources, and early intervention strategies.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 179—**

BY SENATOR MIZELL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to review the Community Water System Accountability letter grade point values and make modifications as needed to ensure the public is getting an accurate and reliable letter grade for Louisiana water systems.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 180—**

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Sharon Courtney and to honor her life, legacy, and contributions to the political fabric of the city of New Orleans and state of Louisiana.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 181—**

BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to establish the Tumor Registry Expansion and Data Modernization Task Force to study and develop recommendations for expanding and modernizing the Louisiana Tumor Registry through enhanced electronic health record interoperability, real-time cancer surveillance capabilities, expanded cancer-related data collection, and statewide collaboration among healthcare organizations.

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

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Womack asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to recall House Bill No. 944 from the Committee on Finance and discharge said committee.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 944—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILFERTY, BILLINGS, BOYD, CARRIER, CHASSION, DOMANGUE, EDMONSTON, CHANCE HENRY, LAFLEUR, LYONS, SAWYER, AND SCHLEGEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:259(B)(23) and R.S. 46:2527, relative to the creation of the Women's Health Consortium within the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for the membership of the consortium; to provide for the functions of the consortium; to provide for the organization of the consortium; to require an annual report; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Wheat asked that Senate Bill No. 35 be called from the Calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 35—**

BY SENATOR WHEAT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:103.4, relative to offenses affecting the general peace and order; to create the crime of disturbing the peace at a place of religious worship; to prohibit the petitioning, picketing, protesting, or assembling with other persons in or near a place of religious worship; to provide for penalties; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Wheat, the bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Luneau asked that Senate Bill No. 246 be called from the Calendar.

**SENATE BILL NO. 246—**

BY SENATORS LUNEAU AND BARROW

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1260.44(E)(2) and to enact R.S. 22:1260.49 and 2401(4), relative to the use of artificial intelligence and automated decision systems by insurers; to provide for definitions; to provide for notice; to provide for utilization review and determination by a human; to provide for appeals; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Luneau, the bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

**Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau**

May 28, 2026

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the following report:

The following instruments are approved as to construction and duplication.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 944—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILFERTY, BILLINGS, BOYD, CARRIER, CHASSION, DOMANGUE, EDMONSTON, CHANCE HENRY, LAFLEUR, LYONS, SAWYER, AND SCHLEGEL

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Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
GREGORY A. MILLER  
Chair

**Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report**

On motion of Senator Gregory A. Miller, the Bills and Joint Resolutions were read by title and passed to a third reading.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

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

May 28, 2026

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following Senate Bill has been properly enrolled:

**SENATE BILL NO. 495—**

BY SENATOR KLEINPETER AND REPRESENTATIVES BAYHAM, BOUDREAUX, DEVILLIER, FISHER, JACKSON, KNOX, MARTINEZ, MCFARLAND, MENA AND WYBLE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1463(C), the introductory paragraph of 1483(7)(a), 1483(7)(b)(i), (10), (11)(b)(ii), (11)(d)(i), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 18:1483(21)(b) and (d), 1491.5(B)(2)(a), 1491.6(D)(1), (D)(3)(a) and (b), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 18:1491.6(E), (E)(1), (J), 1491.7(B)(4)(a) and (b), (5), and (8), 1491.9(C)(2), 1495.3(B)(2)(a), 1495.4(D)(1), (D)(3)(a) and (b), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 18:1495.4(E), (E)(1), 1495.5(B)(5) and (7), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 18:1501.3(C), 1505.2(B)(2), (H)(1)(c), (2)(e), and (3)(a)(iii), (b), and (c), 1505.2(I)(1)(b)(i)(cc) and (iii) and (c)(iii), (I)(2)(a)(i)(dd), (I)(2)(a)(ii)(cc), (I)(2)(a)(v), (I)(7), 1505.2.1(A)(1) and (G)(2), 1505.4(A)(2)(a)(i), and 1505.5(B)(1), to enact R.S. 18:1463(H) and 1483(7)(a)(vi) and (11)(d)(vi), and to repeal R.S. 18:1491.7(B)(22), relative to campaign finance; to provide relative to campaign contributions and expenditures; to define and provide for electioneering communications; to define a recognized party legislative delegation; to provide for contributions and expenditures by a delegation; to provide for contributions and expenditures under joint fundraising agreements; to provide for the joint fundraising committee representative; to define a recognized political party and parish executive committee and provide for contributions to and expenditures by a recognized political party, a parish executive committee, or leadership committee; to provide that the term "committee" includes a recognized political party parish executive committee, recognized party legislative delegation, or gubernatorial transition or inauguration; to provide reporting requirements; to provide for the use and transfer of surplus campaign funds; to provide for penalties owed by a gubernatorial transition or inauguration; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 379—**

BY SENATOR HENSGENS

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:3(7), 4(C)(14), (D)(1)(a) and (5), (G), and (I)(2), 5(C)(1), the introductory paragraph of (C)(2), and (6), and (D)(1), 5.1(A)(1) and (B)(1), 6.1(A) and (C), 12(A)(2), 21.1(A)(3) and (D)(5), 23(D)(2), 26, 29(A) and (I)(4), 73(1), 74(A)(3) and (B), 98.3(B), 101.2(A), 101.5(A), 127(A),

136.3(B)(1) and (C), 153(A), the introductory paragraph of 548, 917(F), 1110(A)(2) and (C)(1)(f) and (g), R.S. 36:356.1(D) and 358(B), (E)(2), and (G), and R.S. 49:214.35(B), (E), and (F) and to enact R.S. 30:12(A)(3), 84(A)(9) and (10), and 2050.22(C) and R.S. 49:214.35(G) and 978.1(A)(3), and to repeal R.S. 30:4(O)(3), 85, and 101.6, relative to the Department of Conservation and Energy; to provide for technical corrections to the structure and organization of the department; to provide for powers and duties of the secretary of the Department of Conservation and Energy; to provide for the office of state resources; to provide for leasing authority; to provide for the Mineral and Energy Operation Fund; to provide for instructions to the Louisiana Law Institute; to provide for definitions; to provide for judicial review of administrative decisions; to provide for investment of funds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 398—**

BY SENATOR FOIL

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150.1 and 2155(A) and R.S. 40:1730.23(B) and to enact Part II of Chapter 24 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2176.1 through 2176.19, Part II-A of Chapter 24 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2177.1 through 2177.10, Part III of Chapter 24 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2177.21 through 2177.30, and Part IV of Chapter 24 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2177.51 through 2177.53, and to repeal R.S. 51:911.21 through 911.47 and 912.1 through 912.53, relative to the Uniform Standards Code for Manufactured and Modular Housing; to provide for the Residential Contractors Subcommittee; to provide relative to factory-built housing; to provide for factory-built housing residential contractors and factory-built housing developers; to provide for warranties; to provide for fees and penalties; to establish the Residential Subcommittee Manufactured Housing Dedicated Fund Account and to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the account; to provide for exemptions; to provide for suspension or violations of license; to provide relative to severability; to provide for notices; to provide relative to minimum standards for installation of manufactured and modular homes; to provide for licensure; to provide for enforcement of building codes by municipalities, parishes, and the fire marshal; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 484—**

BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2048.51(C)(1) and (G)(1)(b)(i), the introductory paragraph of 3128.1(A), 3128.1(B) and (C), 3134, 3138(A), (B), and (E), 3138.5(B)(1), (D)(1), (2), the introductory paragraph of (D)(4), 3138.5(D)(4)(f), and (5), and (E), and 3138.9(A)(3) and (5), (B)(1), and (C), R.S. 39:128(B)(1) and (4)(a)(i), and R.S. 42:375.2(A), the introductory paragraph of (B) and (B)(1), (C), and (D)(3) and to enact R.S. 17:3128.1(D), 3138(G), and 3454(E), R.S. 36:309(E)(3), and R.S. 42:375.2(D)(4) and to repeal R.S. 36:651(F)(6) and (L)(1)(a), relative to higher education and the duties of the Board of Regents; to transfer of certain powers, duties, and functions from the Board of Regents to other agencies; to provide with respect to the Louisiana Health Works Commission; to provide with respect to incubator facilities on postsecondary campuses; to provide with respect to the Louisiana Education Tuition and Savings Plan and Fund; to provide for the development of a uniform fiscal policy and accountability framework for public postsecondary education institutions; to provide requirements for fiscal reports and early warning metrics; to provide for corrective action measures; to provide relative to reporting; to provide with respect to the state common admission application for postsecondary institutions; to provide with respect to Hunger-Free campus designations; to provide with respect to Purple Star Campus designations;

provides with respect to the Cybersecurity Talent Initiative Fund and the Cybersecurity Education Management Council; provides with respect to the Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium; to provide with respect to agency attrition analysis; to provide with respect to the minor repairs, renovation, or construction of facilities undertaken on higher education campuses; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 259—**

BY SENATORS BARROW, ABRAHAM, BARTHELEMY, CARTER, DUPLESSIS, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, LUNEAU, MIZELL, PRICE, SELDERS AND WHEAT

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:2136.2(H), relative to domestic abuse assistance; to authorize the creation of a statewide portal to allow an online application for a protective order; to provide relative to a petition for a temporary restraining order; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 276—**

BY SENATOR MYERS

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1558.1, relative to the appointment of a bail bond producer; to provide for a preappointment affidavit; to provide for cancellation of an appointment if the bail bond producer fails to satisfy all forfeitures and judgments on prior bonds; to provide for reappointments; to provide for appeals; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 279—**

BY SENATOR MORRIS

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:255(A) and (G) and 1204 and R.S. 12:1-625(A) and to enact R.S. 6:707(E), relative to banks; to provide for certificates of stocks; to provide for uncertificated shares; to provide for terms, conditions, exceptions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 333—**

BY SENATOR CLOUD

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Arts. 603(24) through (32), 623(A), (B), and (E), 679(D) and (F), 695(A) and (D), 705(A) and (D), 710(A)(2), and 1004.2 and to enact Children's Code Arts. 581.1 through 581.4 and 603(33), relative to child in need of care proceedings; to provide relative to disposition and permanency hearings; to provide relative to a caregiver providing care to a child in need of care proceedings in certain circumstances; to provide relative to notice requirements and right to be heard; to provide relative to civil procedure and evidence; to provide relative to written reasons for judicial findings; to provide for termination of parental rights in certain circumstances; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to rights, conditions, and limitations of a caregiver in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 353—**

BY SENATOR SELDERS AND REPRESENTATIVES CHASSION AND TERRY LANDRY

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3351(H), relative to student identification cards; to authorize each postsecondary system management board to make student identification cards available as a digitized credential; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 367—**

BY SENATOR EDMONDS

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:3310, relative to the Watershed Restoration and Conservation Fund; to provide for establishment of the fund; to provide for a purpose; to provide for the transfer, deposit, and use of monies in the fund; to provide with respect to the Amite River Basin Drainage and Water Conservation District; and to provide for an effective date; to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 384—**

BY SENATOR HARRIS AND REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON AND MENA

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2211.3, relative to innovation and economic development; to create the Pilot Innovation Hub; to provide for designation of a Pilot Innovation Hub; to provide relative to fostering and testing innovative technologies; to provide for requirements to complete the program; to provide relative to awarding contracts; to provide for public notice; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 431—**

BY SENATOR FOIL

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1734(F) and to enact R.S. 32:1734(G) through (I), relative to towing and storage company hours; to provide for requirements for towing and storage companies; to provide for business hours relative to towing and storage of vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 448—**

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:142(F), 168(E), and 175(B)(1), and to enact R.S. 15:142(G) and 175(E), relative to the Louisiana Public Defender Act; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for the judicial district indigent defender fund; to provide for proceedings to determine indigency; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 450—**

BY SENATOR EDMONDS AND REPRESENTATIVES EDMONSTON, MARTINEZ, OWEN, ST. BLANC AND TAYLOR

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:409.3(A) and (C), R.S. 29:726.6(B)(2), and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(9) and to enact R.S. 17:409.3(D) and (E) and 416.16.2, relative to school safety; to provide for mandatory reporting of certain threats of violence or terrorism; to provide for physical security school assessments of certain elementary and secondary schools; to provide with respect to public schools, charter schools, and nonpublic schools; to provide for options of consideration; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for limitation of liability; to provide with respect to the admissibility of certain evidence; to provide with respect to grant programs for security measures; to provide with respect to confidentiality of certain public records; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 465—**

BY SENATOR MCMATH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1155(C), 1832(A) and (D), 1833(B) and (E), 1834, 1838(F) and (G), 1853(A), the introductory paragraph of 1853(B)(1), and 1853(C) and (D), 1854(A), the introductory paragraph of 1854(B), and 1854(C), and R.S. 33:5151(A) and to enact R.S. 22:1839, relative to payments to healthcare providers; to provide for recoupment of dental service claims payments; to provide for standards for receipt and processing of claims; to provide for recoupment of health insurance claims payments; to prohibit waivers; to provide for payments to pharmacists and pharmacies; to provide for payment of individual policies of certain public employees under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 468—**

BY SENATOR SEABAUGH AND REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:422.1(F), relative to fuel points discount limits; to provide for the sale of motor fuel to participants of fuel rewards programs; to prohibit a limit on the allowable discount of fuel purchased with fuel rewards points; to prohibit a limit on the value of fuel rewards points earned through a fuel rewards program; and to provide for related matters.

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SENATE BILL NO. 4—

BY SENATOR FESI AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, COATES, CREWS, DICKERSON, EDMONSTON, JACKSON, MACK, OWEN AND VENTRELLA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:5.11 (B)(1) and (3), the introductory paragraph of 5.11(B)(4), and 5.11(G), relative to public water systems; to allow local governments to vote to exempt public water systems from fluoridation requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 52—

BY SENATOR CATHEY AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, MIKE JOHNSON, TAYLOR AND YOUNG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:525(C)(14) and R.S. 46:109, relative to public assistance benefits; to provide for the duties of the Department of Children and Family Services and the Louisiana Department of Health; to provide for reporting; to provide for the adjustment of benefits under certain circumstances; to provide for the duties of the state child ombudsman; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 57—

BY SENATOR MCMATH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:661(C)(1) as enacted by Section 3 of Act No. 463 of the 2025 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana and Section 5(D) of Act No. 463 of the 2025 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana and to repeal R.S. 40:661(A)(1) as enacted by Section 3 of Act No. 463 of the 2025 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana and R.S. 17:197.2(B)(13) as enacted by Section 1 of Act No. 463 of the 2025 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to nutrition; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 83—

BY SENATOR EDMONDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:51(16), the introductory paragraph of 51(16)(b), 2161, and 2161.1 and Children's Code Art. 610(A)(4)(b) and (E)(4) and to enact R.S. 17:419.5, 3996(B)(92), R.S. 46:51(16)(c), and Children's Code Art. 508.1, relative to human trafficking; to require each city, parish or other local public school board to adopt a policy to provide for training with respect to the prevention of human trafficking; to provide for training to identify victims; to provide for designation of certain school employees for certain purposes; to provide for assistance and services for child and youth victims of human trafficking; to provide for procedures; to provide for investigations; to provide for reporting; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 131—

BY SENATOR PRESSLY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:21, relative to professions and occupations; to provide relative to limiting recovery of attorney fees and costs in disciplinary proceedings initiated by professional or occupational licensing boards; to provide relative to licensees; to provide relative to negotiations; to provide relative to suspension and probationary periods; to provide relative to monetary fees; to provide relative to certain offers of judgments; to provide relative to consent order negotiations; to provide relative to attorney fees and costs incurred by the board; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 143—

BY SENATOR EDMONDS AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BOUDREAU, BOYER, BRAUD, BROUSSARD, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARRIER, DICKERSON, FONTENOT, FREIBERG, HORTON, ILLG, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, LACOMBE, MACK, MARTINEZ, NEWELL, OWEN, SAWYER, SCHAMERHORN, STAGNI AND VENTRELLA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2405.2, relative to the issuance of bulletproof vests to peace officers; to provide relative to funding the acquisition

and distribution of bulletproof vests; to create the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement Bulletproof Vest Fund; to provide for the purpose and use of the fund; to provide for eligibility; to provide for administration by the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice; to provide for the transfer, deposit, and use of monies in the fund; to provide for definitions; to require the promulgation of rules and regulations with regard to the standards of bulletproof vests; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 145—

BY SENATORS WOMACK, ABRAHAM, BARROW, BARTHELEMY, BASS, BOUDREAU, CARTER, CLOUD, DUPLESSIS, FESI, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, MCMATH, MIZELL, MORRIS, MYERS AND PRICE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2166.11, relative to adult residential care providers; to provide for generators or alternative electrical power sources; to provide for requirements; to provide for duties of the Louisiana Department of Health; provide for waivers; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for duties of the office of the state fire marshal; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 152—

BY SENATOR FESI AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, BAYHAM, COATES, EGAN, OWEN, SCHAMERHORN AND WYBLE

AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 30 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:4750.1 through 4750.5, relative to cell cultured food products; to prohibit the sale of cell cultured food products for human consumption; to provide for penalties; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for certain exceptions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 194—

BY SENATORS MIGUEZ AND HODGES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:233.4, relative to public assistance; to provide for referral of applicants for assistance who are not valid citizens or immigrants; to require notification to federal authorities; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 197—

BY SENATOR MORRIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:312.1(D), relative to judges on the court of appeal; to provide for the number of judges on the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal; to reduce the number of judges serving on the fourth circuit; to provide for implementation of the reduced number of judges; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 251—

BY SENATORS PRESSLY, ALLAIN, BARROW, BASS, BOUDREAU, JACKSON-ANDREWS, SELDERS AND WHEAT

AN ACT

To enact Part B of Chapter 51 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3081 through 3089, and to designate R.S. 51:3071 through 3080 as Part A of Chapter 51 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to critical infrastructure protection; to provide for critical infrastructure that needs protection from foreign adversaries accessing state critical infrastructure; to provide for assessing the state's vulnerability to sanctioned communications equipment; to prohibit use of adversary cameras and laser sensor technologies in Louisiana transportation systems; to provide enforcement of protected activities; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 254—**  
BY SENATOR MIZELL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 52 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:3081 and 3082, relative to debit card surcharges; to prohibit certain excess surcharges; to provide for liability; to provide for a private right of action; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for enforcement; to provide for civil penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 56—**

BY SENATORS CONNICK, ABRAHAM, BARTHELEMY, BASS, CARTER, DUPLESSIS, FESI, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, LUNEAU, MORRIS, STINE AND WOMACK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(Y), 330.1(B)(2)(a), the introductory paragraph of 330.1(C)(1)(b), 330.1(C)(1)(b)(iii), 330.3(A), (B)(1), and (C)(1), and 330.10(A) and to enact R.S. 38:330.1(C)(1)(b)(iv), 330.5(C) and 330.7(D), relative to the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-West Bank and Lafitte Area Independent Levee District; to provide for renaming the Lafitte Area Independent Levee District; to provide for the board of commissioners for the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-West Bank and Lafitte Area Independent Levee District; to provide for legal proceedings; to modify the responsibilities of the chief law enforcement officer; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to change statutory references as necessary; to provide for a compliance officer of the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 487—**

BY SENATOR OWEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:715(A)(7) and 719(B) and to repeal R.S. 4:727, relative to the Charitable Raffles, Bingo and Keno Licensing Law; to provide for premises rental agreements; to provide for terms; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 496—**

BY SENATOR CONNICK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1962, 1964(8), 1972(C), the introductory paragraph of 1973(A)(1), and 1973(A)(2) and (C), and to enact R.S. 37:1968(C) and 1972(D), relative to scrap metal recycling; to provide for recordkeeping and reporting requirements for certain transactions; to provide for payment requirements for certain metal transactions; to provide for duties of operators; to provide for exemptions; to provide for definitions and terms; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 509—**

BY SENATOR CLOUD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:901(C)(2), relative to bank-owned life insurance; to provide for an insurable interest; to provide for the exchange of bank-owned life insurance policies; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,  
CALEB SETH KLEINPETER  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Bills were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on  
Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

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

May 28, 2026

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—**

BY SENATOR MIZELL AND REPRESENTATIVES DICKERSON AND MCMACKIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the Louisiana-Ireland Trade Commission.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—**

BY SENATORS CONNICK, ALLAIN, BARROW, BARTHELEMY, BASS, BOUDREAUX, CARTER, DUPLESSIS, HARRIS, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, MCMATH, MILLER, MIZELL, MYERS, PRICE, STINE AND TALBOT AND REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, BOYER, CARRIER, CHASSION, CHENEVERT, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, GREEN, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, KNOX, LAFLEUR, TERRY LANDRY, MARCELLE, MCCORMICK, MILLER, MOORE, OWEN, SCHLEGEL, SPELL, STAGNI, THOMPSON, WALTERS AND WILDER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to ensure that all individuals implicated in the Jeffrey Epstein files, including those involved in alleged criminal activities such as child sex trafficking, blackmail, and bribery are fully disclosed, investigated, prosecuted, and held responsible through every available legal process.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37—**

BY SENATOR FESI

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the surgeon general to review Louisiana's informed consent laws and submit a report to the legislature on whether any gaps exist in current laws.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—**

BY SENATORS SELDERS, ALLAIN, BARROW, BARTHELEMY, BASS, CARTER, CATHEY, FOIL, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, MYERS, PRESSLY, PRICE AND WOMACK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to ensure the timely passage of appropriation measures that fully fund and align with the National Defense Authorization Act in order to support the readiness, stability, and well-being of United States military personnel and their families.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 63—**

BY SENATORS BASS, ABRAHAM, BARROW, CARTER, JENKINS, MCMATH, MIZELL, MYERS, STINE, TALBOT, WHEAT AND WOMACK AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, BAMBURG, BOUDREAUX, FISHER, FREEMAN, GLORIOSO, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, LARVADAIN, MARCELLE, NEWELL, WALTERS AND YOUNG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the legislative auditor to examine and evaluate the process of developing and preparing legislative fiscal notes and to submit a written report to the Legislature of Louisiana no later than February 1, 2027.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65—**

BY SENATOR EDMONDS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create and provide for the K-12 Student Success Pathways Task Force to study and make recommendations on a statewide plan for advising students on career and academic pathways in K-12 public schools.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81—**

BY SENATOR STINE AND REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Westlake High School Rams baseball team upon winning the 2026 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Non-Select Division III Baseball Championship and to recognize the team for its outstanding perseverance, sportsmanship, and historic achievement.

Respectfully submitted,  
CALEB SETH KLEINPETER  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on  
Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

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

May 26, 2026

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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

The following Senate Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 125—**  
BY SENATOR ALLAIN

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Navy to expeditiously execute a transparent and competitive Medium Unmanned Surface Vessel (MUSV) acquisition strategy to protect the maritime workforce at Conrad Shipyard in Morgan City, Louisiana, to safeguard vital private industrial investments, and to ensure the continued growth of a high-tech autonomous manufacturing ecosystem within the state.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 145—**  
BY SENATOR HODGES

A RESOLUTION

To recreate and provide for the Task Force on Protecting Louisiana's Critical Infrastructure from Foreign Adversaries to study real-world threats that foreign adversaries pose to Louisiana's critical infrastructure, including threats to our United States' military bases, oil and gas production and refining facilities, industrial manufacturing plants, energy generation infrastructure, and agriculture and food production lands.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 147—**  
BY SENATOR HODGES

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Katherine "Katy" Wells.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 148—**  
BY SENATORS BARROW AND ALLAIN

A RESOLUTION

To create the Utility Assistance Coordination Task Force to study and make recommendations regarding coordination of utility assistance programs in the state.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 149—**  
BY SENATOR BARTHELEMY

A RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Transportation and Development to review and study any potential hazards of the increasing railroad activity on the Norfolk Southern Railway originating at the Alabo Street Wharf.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 150—**  
BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Robert H. "Bob" Baumann, longtime director of the Louisiana State University Center for Energy Studies and trusted advisor on Louisiana energy policy.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 151—**  
BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Edith Kay Kirkpatrick.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 152—**  
BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Susan Ann Traylor Bittick and to celebrate a remarkable woman whose brilliance, spirit, and unforgettable presence left a lasting mark on all who knew her.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 153—**  
BY SENATOR MCMATH

A RESOLUTION

To commend Madison Elizabeth Hogan on being crowned the 100<sup>th</sup> Miss St. Tammany Parish Fair Queen.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 154—**  
BY SENATOR MCMATH

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health to study the adequacy of the in-home skilled nursing services market in Louisiana and to report its findings and recommendations to the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 134—**  
BY SENATOR HENRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Isaac Herzenberg of Metairie Park Country Day School upon winning his fourth-consecutive Class 2A state track and field championship in the javelin and to recognize his outstanding athletic achievements and dedication to excellence.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 135—**  
BY SENATOR KLEINPETER

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Kathleen "Kathy" Sessums and to honor her life, legacy, and extraordinary contributions to the state of Louisiana.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 136—**  
BY SENATOR HARRIS

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request Louisiana Economic Development to study and report on the governance, financing, jurisdiction, duties, coordination, transparency, and public-benefit obligations of boards, commissions, districts, authorities, and related public or quasi-public entities operating on, adjacent to, or materially affecting the riverfront and adjacent neighborhoods and districts in Orleans Parish.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 137—**  
BY SENATOR PRESSLY

A RESOLUTION

To commend and recognize the historical significance of U.S. Highway 80 and to commemorate the approaching 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of its designation.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 140—**  
BY SENATOR MILLER

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and recommend legislation relative to the acknowledgment of acts under private signature pursuant to Civil Code Article 1836 by simultaneous audiovisual transmission as a procedure separate from remote online notarization.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 141—

BY SENATOR HODGES

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the boards of trustees of the state retirement systems to study and make recommendations regarding refraining from investing in the securities of companies domiciled in China or whose management and direction are subject to the control of the Chinese government, Chinese military, or the Chinese Communist Party.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 142—

BY SENATOR HODGES

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Braxton Whitesell on being named reserve champion of the Hondo Rodeo Fest in New Orleans

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 144—

BY SENATOR WHEAT

A RESOLUTION

To establish the Upper Pontchartrain Basin Task Force; to urge and request the Water Institute to conduct a comprehensive scientific assessment of the basin; to urge and request the governor and state agencies to suspend permitting for certain industrial activities pending completion of the assessment; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 155—

BY SENATOR MILLER

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and evaluate legislation relative to the creation of mineral servitudes in connection with certain economic development projects.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 156—

BY SENATOR BARTHELEMY

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Education to study implementation and accountability implications of student nonenrollment determinations.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 162—

BY SENATOR EDMONDS

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Acadiana Veterans Hockey (AVH) of Louisiana on winning the 2026 USA Hockey-Long Drink Warrior National Championship.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 163—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

A RESOLUTION

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

Respectfully submitted,  
CALEB SETH KLEINPETER  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate.

Message to the Governor

SIGNED SENATE BILLS

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable Governor of the State of Louisiana:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Bills:

SENATE BILL NO. 319—

BY SENATOR PRESSLY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:431(A)(1)(b)(iii) and (B)(1), 433(A)(3), 562(A), 571(A)(8), 573(E), and 1309(D), relative to election commissioners; to provide for course of instruction for commissioners; to provide for instructions to voters without picture identification; to provide for identification documentation requirements for voters; to provide for voting termination procedures; to provide for election result evidence; to provide for early voting voter verification identification; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 388—

BY SENATORS HODGES, BARROW, BASS, EDMONDS, FESI, HENRY, MIGUEZ, MIZELL, MORRIS, PRESSLY, SEABAUGH, STINE AND TALBOT AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, DICKERSON, EGAN, HORTON, MILLER, OWEN, SCHAMERHORN AND TAYLOR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:112.14 and R.S. 39:1602.3 and to repeal Section 4 of Act No. 670 of the 2024 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to homeland security; to provide an effective date for Act No. 670 of the 2024 Regular Session of the Legislature; to authorize the division of administration to review state contracts involving foreign adversaries or foreign terrorist organizations or their agents; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 501—

BY SENATOR JACKSON-ANDREWS AND REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CARPENTER, CARRIER, WILFORD CARTER, CHASSION, FARNUM, ILLG, JACKSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, LAFLEUR, MANDIE LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LYONS, MARCELLE, MURRAY, TAYLOR, WALTERS AND YOUNG

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3384.1, relative to public postsecondary education institutions; to provide for the posting of certain information; to provide information and resources for STI prevention, screening, and treatment; to provide relative to the design and content of the poster; to provide for requirements; to provide for donations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 518—

BY SENATOR FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351(A)(9), relative to the transfer of certain property; to provide for the sale of immovable property by state agencies; to provide for exceptions; to provide for postsecondary education management board authority; to provide for boards of supervisors; to provide for Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College; to provide for the purchase, sale, transfer, or exchange of property; to provide for geographic boundaries; to provide for consideration; to provide for fair market value; to provide for notice; to provide for ratification; and to provide for related matters.

and they are hereby presented for executive approval.

Respectfully submitted,  
YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

Message to the Secretary of State

SIGNED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable Secretary of State:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3—

BY SENATOR MYERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend the Department of Public Safety and Corrections rule LAC 55:I.207 which provides relative to criminal history background checks on licensed ambulance personnel and nonlicensed persons; to direct the office of the state register to incorporate the amendments into the Louisiana Administrative Code; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU AND REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—

BY SENATOR OWEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate Friday, May 29, 2026, as Bonfouca Museum and Research Center Day at the Louisiana State Capitol, to recognize the dedication of the Bonfouca Museum and Research Center by the Tchefuncta Nation, Chahta Tribe, and to express sincere appreciation to the Tchefuncta Nation, Chahta Tribe for the preservation of the indigenous history of the tribal nation in historic Bonfouca for the cultural enrichment and civic pride of Louisiana citizens.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 79—

BY SENATOR LUNEAU

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 74—

BY SENATORS LAMBERT AND PRICE AND REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, BRASS, EDMONSTON AND WILEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of former State Senator Louis Joseph Lambert Jr., and to record the legislature's enduring appreciation for his distinguished public service to the state of Louisiana.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—

BY SENATOR SEABAUGH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dewain Strother on being inducted into the 2026 class of the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

Respectfully submitted,  
YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 85—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KNOX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Task Force on Illegal Dumping Prevention and Enforcement to study the extent of illegal dumping of waste and enforcement mechanisms and to report its findings to certain enumerated House and Senate committees.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 100—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Gaming Control Board to review proposed acquisitions and to consider economic development in northwest Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health and Louisiana commercial health insurance payors to increase reimbursement rates for Behavioral Health Crisis Centers (BHCCs) operating under a Crisis Receiving Center (CRC) license.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 107—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) to require enhanced reporting and legislative oversight of the Medicaid Care Incentive Payment program.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 114—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEWITT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and direct the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to study the feasibility and advisability of establishing a physician review panel process for certain complaints against physicians prior to escalation to formal disciplinary proceedings, with respect to the scope of the study, for consultation with interested parties, for a report of findings and recommendations, and to provide for related matters.

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

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

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

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 54—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT AND CHASSION

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.7(B)(4) and (C)(2)(b) and to enact R.S. 15:574.7(C)(2)(c), relative to parole violations; to provide for the placement of parolees in certain programs as an alternative to revocation of parole; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 59—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MARCELLE, BAYHAM, BILLINGS, EGAN, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, KNOX, LAFLEUR, LYONS, MURRAY, TAYLOR, WALTERS, WRIGHT, AND YOUNG AND SENATORS BARROW, CARTER, DUPLESSIS, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, LUNEAU, AND MIZELL

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:161.1, relative to the funding of the district public defender in the Nineteenth Judicial District Court; to provide for funding of the office personnel; to provide for funding of the expenses of the office; to provide for allocation of responsibility for funding the office personnel and expenses of the office; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 137—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON AND CARLSON

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:40.1(A)(1), R.S. 15:951(E), and Children's Code Article 897.1(D) through (G) and to enact R.S. 14:40.1(A)(3) and (B)(3), 92.2(A)(2)(g), (h), (i), and (j), R.S. 17:416.20.1 and 3996(B)(92), and Children's Code Article 897.1(H) and (I), relative to the crimes of terrorizing and menacing; to provide for penalties when the communication is directed toward a school; to provide relative to offenders under the age of eighteen; to require school dissemination of certain information; to provide relative to disposition after adjudication of certain felony-grade delinquent acts; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 386—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHENEVERT

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3995(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (4)(a)(ii), (H), and (I) and to enact R.S. 17:3995(L), relative to charter schools; to provide for charter school funding; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 431—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARLSON, BILLINGS, CARVER, COX, DOMANGUE, FARNUM, FREIBERG, GADBERRY, JACKSON, LYONS, MARCELLE, MURRAY, SAWYER, AND STAGNI AND SENATOR LUNEAU

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1420.31, relative to local government officials; to provide relative to training requirements for certain local government officials; to provide relative to resources and training offered by state agencies, associations, or groups that provide municipal governance training; to provide relative to subject matter requirements for such resources and training; to provide for reporting of certain information; to provide exceptions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 578—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MIKE JOHNSON, AMEDEE, BAYHAM, BUTLER, CHENEVERT, CREWS, DEWITT, DICKERSON, EDMONSTON, EGAN, FARNUM, FIRMENT, HORTON, OWEN, SAWYER, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, AND WILDER

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 14, Code of Civil Procedure Article 5055, Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 4, 795(C), (D), and (E), 989, 992, 994, 997, 998, and 999.1, Children's Code Articles 106, 720(B)(1), 725, 1217.1(A)(4), and 1239.1(A)(4), R.S. 1:8, R.S. 3:1493(E) and 2074(E), R.S. 4:158.2(A)(2) and 193(B), R.S. 9:2720(D), R.S. 11:3390 and 3662, R.S. 13:1856(1) and 1857(A)(8)(d)(ii) and (iii), R.S. 14:107.2(A), R.S. 15:827.3(A)(2)(c)(i), 832(A), 905(F)(13)(b) and (14)(a)(ii) and (d)(ii), 933(D)(4)(introductory paragraph) and (E)(1)(introductory paragraph), 934(B)(4), 1110(D)(3), 1204.2(B)(4), and 1228.9(D)(1)(a), R.S. 17:17.5(B)(2), 100.13(G)(2)(f) and (J), 221.3(B)(2)(d), 416(M), 416.21(N)(3)(a) and (b)(i)(aa) and (bb), 1519.7(C), 1871(A)(3), 1998, 3047.7(B)(2)(a), 3351(B)(2)(b)(ii), 3399.12(5)(i), 3911(B)(1)(i)(introductory paragraph) and (4)(a)(introductory paragraph), 3991(A)(1)(c)(iv) and (B)(3), and 5067(B)(7), R.S. 22:1204(A)(10)(b), 1504(1), 1545(I)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (J), 1808.2(H), 2161(B), 2187(D)(4), and 2503(9)(b)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 23:2043(B)(1), R.S.

27:46(B), R.S. 32:398.10(A)(2) and 429.3, R.S. 33:130.302(A)(2), 130.882(A)(2), 363(D), 2740.70.3(B)(2), 4071(A)(6), and 4720.301(G)(2), R.S. 36:108(B)(5), R.S. 37:832(A)(2), 914(B)(3), 962(C), 1042(B)(1)(b), 1104(A), 1172(A), 2102(A)(2), 2353(A)(2), 2403(H), 2407(D), 2455(B)(1), 2704(A)(introductory paragraph), 3061(A)(2)(c), 3084(B)(2), 3201(B)(2), 3386.2(C), 3389(C), 3444(A), 3463(B)(1), 3554(A)(2), and 3703(B)(3), R.S. 40:31.61, 101(D)(1), 600.151(D)(1)(i)(hh) and (m)(iv), and 2403(H)(1), R.S. 42:2.1(A) and 1132(B)(1)(a) through (c), R.S. 46:153.3(D)(1), 288.5(1), 460.37(B)(10), 1095(A), and 1941.8(A)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 47:337.14(E)(2) and 1702(6), R.S. 48:2134(C)(introductory paragraph), R.S. 49:1112(B)(1), R.S. 51:942(A) and 1762(A)(8)(a)(iii), R.S. 56:108(A) and 1705(C), relative to use of terms; to provide for the Restoring Biological Truth Act; to change references from gender to sex; to provide with respect to definitions; to provide for the use of gender and number; to provide for boards, commissions, and councils; to provide for statistical data collection and reporting; to provide for various technical revisions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 590—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES GLORIOSO, ADAMS, BERAULT, BILLINGS, BOUDREAUX, BOYD, BOYER, BRASS, ROBBY CARTER, CARVER, CHASSION, DEWITT, EGAN, FREIBERG, DANA HENRY, HILFERTY, HORTON, JORDAN, KNOX, LAFLEUR, TERRY LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, PHELPS, SPELL, AND TAYLOR

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:403.3(B)(2)(c), relative to motor vehicle traffic stops; to require the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to create specially designed envelopes for individuals with certain disorders and disabilities; to improve traffic stop interactions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 593—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANCE HENRY

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:429(A), relative to office of motor vehicles field offices; to provide relative to service and transaction fees local governments may levy to fund office of motor vehicles field offices, not fully funded by the state; to increase the maximum fee allowed per service or transaction statewide; to remove specific authority granted to certain parishes regarding maximum service and transaction fees; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 638—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACOB LANDRY

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2784, relative to the prompt payment to contractors and subcontractors; to establish procedure; to provide time delays; to provide penalties; to provide relative to accrued interest; to provide for contract nullity; to provide for a cause of action; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 707—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1851(E)(1) and (F), relative to the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission and advisory board; to authorize the commission to enter into cooperative endeavor agreements for market development; to provide for the membership of the advisory board; to provide for meetings of the advisory board; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 708—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE VENTRELLA

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2602 and to enact R.S. 13:2586(C)(9), relative to justice of the peace court districts and jurisdiction in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for jurisdiction over evictions for justice of the peace courts in East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for concurrent jurisdiction with the city courts of East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide for district boundaries of the justice of the peace courts in East Baton Rouge Parish; and to provide for related matters.

May 28, 2026

**HOUSE BILL NO. 718—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE  
AN ACT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 748—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BRAUD AND CHASSION  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:157 (A) and (B) and 158(A)(1), relative to toll exemptions on ferries, bridges, and roads for all Louisiana school board-owned or leased vehicles; to provide for the free passage of all Louisiana school board-owned or leased vehicles over all public tolled ferries operated by the state; to provide for the free passage of all Louisiana school board-owned or leased vehicles over all public tolled roads and bridges operated by the state; to provide for technical changes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 789—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 1499.2(A),(B)(2), and (B)(3)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 14:99.3 and 99.4 and to repeal R.S. 14:99.2(E)(4), relative to the seizure of off-road vehicles; to provide for forfeiture; to provide for the sale of seized off-road vehicles and disbursement of funds; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 796—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES STAGNI AND CHASSION  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2801(4) and (5) and 2807, relative to chiropractors; to provide for definitions; to provide for the duties and responsibilities as defined by the Louisiana Board of Chiropractic Examiners; and to provide for related matters.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 89—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TURNER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 16:117 and 694, relative to the district attorney's office of the Third and Thirtieth Judicial Districts; to provide relative to group health insurance coverage for eligible retired employees; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 153—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES MANDIE LANDRY AND CHASSION  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:571.11(P), relative to the collection and reporting of debts for criminal court fines or fees; to prohibit the reporting of a debt for criminal fines or fees to a credit bureau or consumer reporting agency; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 243—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 682, relative to the recusal of a district attorney; to provide for the notification to the attorney general; to provide for the appointment of an attorney for the recused district attorney; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 321—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LAFLEUR, ADAMS, BAYHAM, BILLINGS, BOUDREAU, BOYD, BOYER, BRASS, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CHASSION, CHENEVERT, COX, EGAN, FISHER, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, GLORIOSO, GREEN, DANA HENRY, HORTON, JACKSON, KNOX, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MILLER, MOORE, MURRAY, NEWELL, OWEN, PHELPS, RISER, SCHLEGEL, SPELL, TAYLOR, VILLIO, WALTERS, WILEY, WYBLE, AND YOUNG AND SENATORS ABRAHAM, BARROW, BARTHELEMY, BASS, BOUDREAU, CARTER, CONNICK, DUPLESSIS, FESI, HODGES, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, KLEINPETER, MORRIS, PRICE, AND WHEAT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:46.2(F)(1), 46.3(A)(1) and (E), 82(G), 82.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1), (B), (D)(2) and (3)(b), (E), and (F), 82.2(E), 83(C), 83.3(D), 83.4(C), 89(C)(2), and 89.2(D)(1) and (5) and Children's Code Articles 804(3) and (5) and 839(D) and to enact R.S. 14:83.1(C), 83.2(C), and 84(C), relative to victims of human trafficking and prostitution offenses; to provide for an exemption from criminal responsibility and delinquency proceedings; to provide relative to affirmative defenses for prosecution of certain offenses; to provide eligibility for specialized services; to provide relative to conduct that constitutes prostitution; to revise certain terminology relative to prostitution involving persons under eighteen years of age; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 407—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LARVADAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3047.2(A)(1), relative to the M.J. Foster Promise Program; to provide relative to initial eligibility requirements for the program; to revise the initial age requirements; to require reporting; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 451—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:98, 295, and 919(A), relative to notice of hearings by the office of alcohol and tobacco control of the Department of Revenue; to provide for the timeframe for notice of hearings; to provide for the method of notice of hearings; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 555—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CARVER, BOYD, CHASSION, COX, DOMANGUE, JORDAN, JACOB LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, MCMAKIN, MENA, NEWELL, RISER, AND ST. BLANC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1373(B)(2) and 1374(E)(2) and (F)(1) and to enact R.S. 6:1372(5)(c) and (d) and (7), 1373.1, and 1374(G), relative to protection of eligible adults from financial exploitation; to provide for definitions; to provide for notice; to provide for training; to provide for delays of financial transactions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 595—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE JACOB LANDRY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:4.4, relative to development of the state's natural resources; to prohibit local governing authorities from taking actions that impede the state's ability to develop natural resources, including local road permitting; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 618—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:104(A)(17)(d), (C), and (D) and 104.1(B)(1) and (2), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 36:104(E), relative to fees and costs assessed by Louisiana Economic Development; to provide for reporting requirements; to provide for the amounts of certain fees and costs of the department; to authorize a new fee of the department; to authorize reductions in and waiving of certain fees at the discretion of the secretary of the department; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 626—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JORDAN AND CHASSION  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1819, relative to suicide prevention; to implement recommendations made by the Task Force on African American Suicide Rates; to require public post-secondary education institutions to provide certain information regarding suicide prevention; to provide for the collection and sharing of aggregated, nonidentifiable data on suicide risk assessments; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 670—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES OWEN, ADAMS, BAYHAM, BILLINGS,  
EDMONSTON, EGAN, FIRMENT, HORTON, SCHAMERHORN, TAYLOR,  
AND WALTERS

AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 3 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:955.1 and 955.2, relative to wood pellet manufacturing; to provide for legislative findings and purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for permissions of Louisiana Economic Development; to provide incentives for wood pellet manufacturing; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 688—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:8(70)(b), relative to saltwater game fish; to add Atlantic tarpon to the definition of saltwater game fish; to update the names of certain saltwater game fish; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 692—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROUSSARD  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212.1(Q) and (R), relative to local governmental subdivision agreements with qualified group purchasing organizations; to provide for definitions; to authorize local governmental subdivisions to purchase materials, equipment, supplies, or services through qualified group purchasing organizations under certain circumstances; to provide for sole source procurement purchases; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 741—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, ADAMS, BILLINGS, CHASSION,  
DOMANGUE, FISHER, FREIBERG, GREEN, JORDAN, KNOX, LAFLEUR,  
TERRY LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARTINEZ, MOORE,  
NEWELL, PHELPS, SPELL, AND TAYLOR

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3-I of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:600.161, relative to housing for victims of human trafficking; to provide for definitions; to provide for preference for housing vouchers; to provide for verification; to provide for privacy for certain addresses; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 802—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SAWYER AND MCMAKIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:3310, relative to watershed restoration and conservation; to create the Watershed Restoration and Conservation Fund and establish its mechanism for funding; to provide for the expenditures, administration, and reporting of the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 807—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRASS, ADAMS, BERAULT, BILLINGS,  
BOUDREAU, BOURRIAQUE, BOYD, BROUSSARD, CARPENTER,  
WILFORD CARTER, CARVER, CHASSION, EGAN, FISHER, FREEMAN,  
FREIBERG, GREEN, DANA HENRY, JACKSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON,  
KNOX, LAFLEUR, TERRY LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MACK,  
MARTINEZ, MENA, MURRAY, NEWELL, SAWYER, TAYLOR, TURNER,  
AND YOUNG AND SENATORS BARROW, BOUDREAU, CARTER,  
CATHEY, HARRIS, JACKSON-ANDREWS, JENKINS, LUNEAU, MILLER,  
MIZELL, PRICE, AND REESE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1877, relative to the Workforce Instructor Capacity Investment Program; to provide for establishment and administration of and reporting on the program; to establish a special fund in the state treasury and provide for deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to prohibit program funds from supplanting certain higher education funding; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, and the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College; to require reporting; to provide legislative findings; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 822—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.70.11, relative to economic development districts; to provide relative to the board of commissioners of economic development districts located in certain municipalities; to provide relative to the appointment of board members; to provide for limitations on appointments; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 844—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT  
AN ACT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 856—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FONTENOT AND THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(34) and to enact R.S. 48:250.5, relative to Indefinite Delivery, Indefinite Quantity construction contracts; to authorize the Department of Transportation and Development and the office of Louisiana highway construction, respectively, to use Indefinite Delivery, Indefinite Quantity (ID/IQ) contracting for certain projects; to provide for solicitation of single or multiple competitive low-bid and best value ID/IQ construction phase contracts including multiple work orders and multiple awards; to provide for definitions; to provide for procedures and requirements for procurement and contracting; to provide for confidentiality of the evaluation process; to provide contract term limits; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 887—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2225.2.4(B)(5) through (7), (E)(1), and (F)(1), (2)(e), (3)(a), and (4) and to enact R.S. 38:2225.2.4(B)(8), (F)(7) through (9), and (I), relative to construction management at risk contracts; to modify the composition of the committee; to provide quorum requirements; to provide for definitions; to establish uniform rules for scoring, ranking, score sheets, interviews, and presentations of proposers; to require public training and transparent advertising; to provide for severability, and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 888—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES MELERINE, CREWS, ILLG, AND WALTERS  
AN ACT

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

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of temporary registration plates to prevent counterfeiting; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 917—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1664.7(F), 1664.8(A), (C), (G), and (H), 1664.9(B), (E), (F), and (G) and to enact R.S. 40:1664.3(82) and 1664.5(A)(15) and (16) and to repeal R.S. 40:1664.3(22), 1664.8(B) and (I), 1664.9(J), and 1664.17 relative to life safety and property protection licensing; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to certain licensing requirements; to provide for licensure exemptions; to provide for criminal history verification; to provide relative to license application requirements; to provide for criminal background checks; to provide for licensing fees; to provide for license validity periods; to provide for procedures subsequent to cancellation of contracts; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 921—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3270, 3271, 3272(A)(2), (5), (6), (9), (11), (13) through (15), (17), and (18), 3273(B) and (C), 3274(A)(1) through (5), (7), and (11), (B)(1) through (4), (6), (7), (10), and (11), (C), and (D), 3275, 3279(A)(3), 3283(A), (D), and (F)(1) and (2), 3284(B)(1), (4), and (5), (E), (F), and (J), 3287(C), 3288, and 3293(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 37:3272(21) through (25), 3273(I), 3274(A)(12), 3279.1, and 3284.1, relative to private security examiners; to provide for purpose; to provide for short title; to provide for definitions; to provide for membership; to provide for qualifications of the board; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to provide for the duties of the executive director; to provide for the procedures of approval, denial, and appeals regarding licensees; to provide for a security officer and security operations manager registration card; to provide for training of security officers; to create security canine and detector canine programs; to provide for license renewals; to provide for violations and penalties; to provide for cease and desist orders; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1003—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3982(B)(2)(a), and to enact R.S. 17:10.7.1(J), relative to certain schools returned from the Recovery School District; to provide relative to certain charter schools; to provide relative to overcapacity in a school district; to provide for reporting; to provide for the lease or sale of certain property; to provide for the powers and duties of a local school board; to provide for the powers and duties of a local superintendent; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1011—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FREIBERG, BAYHAM, BEAULLIEU, BERAULT, BILLINGS, BOUDREAUX, CARVER, CHASSION, COX, ECHOLS, EDMONSTON, FISHER, FREEMAN, GADBERRY, GLORIOSO, GREEN, DANA HENRY, HILFERTY, JACKSON, MIKE JOHNSON, LACOMBE, LAFLEUR, TERRY LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARCELLE, MILLER, MURRAY, OWEN, TAYLOR, THOMAS, WALTERS, AND WYBLE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3049.2 and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(6), relative to juror per diem compensation; to authorize jurors to voluntarily donate their per diem compensation to court appointed special advocates; to provide for the use of the donations; to exempt certain information from public records; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1053—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES VENTRELLA AND KNOX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:2(7) and 241(24) and to enact R.S. 26:4 and 273.1, relative to alcoholic beverages; to provide for definitions; to provide for complimentary alcoholic beverage

service; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for exemptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1058—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BAMBURG  
AN ACT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1064—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES FREIBERG, CHASSION, FREEMAN, GREEN, LAFLEUR, TERRY LANDRY, MARCELLE, AND WALTERS  
AN ACT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1079—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOUDREAUX  
AN ACT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1082—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT, BUTLER, FIRMENT, TRAVIS JOHNSON, AND OWEN  
AN ACT

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1155—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1274.2, relative to physicians; to provide for the use of nitrous oxide in certain circumstances; to provide for guidance established by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for rules; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1189—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:302.9(A)(1)(b) and (3), relative to charter boat fishing guides; to require that freshwater charter boat fishing guides obtain a United States Coast Guard captain's license if operating on waters of the United States located in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1243— (Substitute for House Bill No. 573 by Representative Hilferty)**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HILFERTY, BAYHAM, BOYD, COX, DEVILLIER, DOMANGUE, FISHER, JACKSON, AND TAYLOR  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4071, 4072(A) and (B), 4073, 4074, 4123, and 4159.2(A), (B)(1), and (C), relative to the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of

New Orleans; to provide relative to the composition of the board; to provide relative to the officers of the board; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the board; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the city council with respect to the board; to provide relative to billing policies of the board; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1246— (Substitute for House Bill No. 264 by Representative Glorioso)**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES GLORIOSO AND MANDIE LANDRY  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:98.9, relative to operating a vehicle while impaired; to provide for the detention and release of persons arrested for operating while impaired; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1248— (Substitute for House Bill No. 934 by Representative Ventrella)**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE VENTRELLA  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:129, relative to possession of wildlife; to permit the possession of white-tailed deer by wildlife rehabilitators; to provide for requirements and prohibitions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1251— (Substitute for House Bill No. 541 by Representative LaCombe)**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:71(A)(8), relative to a manufacturing distiller; to provide for a permit; to provide for the cost of the permit; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1253— (Substitute for House Bill No. 454 by Representative Butler)**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BUTLER, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAYHAM, BERAULT, BILLINGS, BOUDREAUX, BOYD, BOYER, BROUSSARD, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CARVER, CHASSION, CHENEVERT, COATES, DEVILLIER, DEWITT, DICKERSON, DOMANGUE, EGAN, FISHER, FREIBERG, GEYMAN, GLORIOSO, GREEN, HEBERT, HILFERTY, HORTON, ILLG, JACKSON, JORDAN, KERNER, LACOMBE, LAFLEUR, JACOB LANDRY, TERRY LANDRY, LYONS, MARTINEZ, MILLER, MOORE, NEWELL, OWEN, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, SPELL, ST. BLANC, TAYLOR, VILLIO, WALTERS, WILDER, WYBLE, AND YOUNG AND SENATORS BARROW, BASS, CLOUD, DUPLESSIS, EDMONDS, HENRY, JACKSON-ANDREWS, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MIGUEZ, AND PRESSLY  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:19(E)(4), relative to the treatment of human remains; to provide for death investigation documentation requirements for human remains and internal organs; to provide for the content of autopsy reports in accounting for the treatment of human remains; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1257— (Substitute for House Bill No. 123 by Representative Bayham)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM  
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:835(D), relative to electronic monitoring; to provide for prohibitions relative to ownership or financial interests in electronic monitoring service providers; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1258— (Substitute for House Bill No. 662 by Representative Geymann)**

BY REPRESENTATIVES GEYMAN AND VENTRELLA  
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:126.1, relative to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; to provide for the disposition of sick, injured or orphaned wildlife species seized as a result of unlawful possession; to establish a preference for release, rehabilitation, and placement with licensed facilities; to provide for euthanasia only when no feasible alternatives exist and under specified circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

The House Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Message from the House**

**SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

May 28, 2026

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON  
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To enact the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries rule, LAC 76:VII.363(A)(4), which provides for red drum harvest; to create an exception to the prohibition against harvesting red drum over regulatory size limits; to authorize the department to issue special permits for bull red harvest for certain limited tournaments; to provide for eligibility requirements for tournaments; to provide for related matters; and to direct the office of the state register to print the amendments in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE BEAULLIEU  
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To adopt Joint Rule No. 23 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, relative to instruments affecting sales and use tax exemptions, exclusions, credits, or rebates enacted on or after January 1, 2026; to require that such instruments result in a uniform sales and use tax base on the state and local level; and to provide for waiver by either house of the legislature.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 117—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE DANA HENRY  
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to establish a Homeowner Protection and Efficiency (HOPE) Committee or advisory group to study methods to improve the efficiency, transparency, and fairness of the residential property insurance claims process between homeowners and Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation (Citizens) following catastrophic losses and to report its findings.

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

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

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

**ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**

PRESENT

Mr. President	Foil	Morris
Abraham	Harris	Myers
Allain	Hensgens	Owen
Barrow	Hodges	Pressly
Bass	Jackson-Andrews	Price
Boudreaux	Jenkins	Reese
Carter	Kleinpeter	Seabaugh

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Cathey	Lambert	Stine
Cloud	Luneau	Talbot
Connick	McMath	Wheat
Duplessis	Miguez	Womack
Edmonds	Miller	
Fesi	Mizell	
Total - 37		

ABSENT

Barthelemy	Selders
Total - 2	

**Leaves of Absence**

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Barthelemy	1 Day	Selders	1 Day
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**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Talbot, at 6:41 o'clock P.M. the Senate adjourned until Friday, May 29, 2026, at 10:00 o'clock A.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned.

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

FRANCINE K. OGNIBENE  
Journal Clerk