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### STATE OF LOUISIANA

### SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

Thirty-Fifth Regular Session of the Legislature Under the Adoption of the Constitution of 1974

> Senate Chamber State Capitol Baton Rouge, Louisiana

> > Thursday, May 7, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 9:10 o'clock A.M. by Hon. Joel T. Chaisson II, President of the Senate.

### **Morning Hour**

### CONVENING ROLL CALL

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

### **PRESENT**

Mr. Drosidant	Domoore	Monting
Mr. President	Dorsey	Martiny
Amedee	Duplessis	McPherson
Appel	Erdey	Mount
Broome	Gray Evans	Murray
Cheek	Hebert	Nevers
Claitor	Heitmeier	Riser
Crowe	Kostelka	Shaw
Donahue	Long	Thompson

Total - 24

ABSENT

Adley	Jackson	Morrish
Alario	LaFleur	Quinn
Dupre	Marionneaux	Smith
Gautreaux B	Michot	Walsworth
Gautreaux N	Morrell	

Total - 14

The President of the Senate announced there were 24 Senators present and a quorum.

### **Praver**

The prayer was offered by Pastor Randy Johnson, 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 Nevers, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of May 6, 2009, was adopted.

### Message from the House

### CONCURRING IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 6, 2009

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37—
BY SENATORS BROOME AND DORSEY AND REPRESENTATIVES BARROW, PATRICIA SMITH AND HONEY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Leverenz Stevenson "LV" Hall.

Reported without amendments.

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

### **Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

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

### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10-

BY SENATOR DORSEY

A RESOLUTION

To designate Friday, May 8, 2009 as "Red Nose Day."

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

### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY SENATOR HEBERT

### A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to not issue any final permit decision on any construction and demolition debris solid waste facility until the end of the 2009 Regular Session of the Legislature.

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

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12— BY SENATOR HEBERT

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality ("department") to conduct a public hearing in the parish of Iberia concerning the proposed landfill near the Acadiana Regional Airport.

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

### **Message from the House**

### ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

May 7, 2009

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

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

### HOUSE BILL NO. 183-

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:7(6)(f), relative to teacher certification; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to establish an appeals process with respect to the denial of teacher certification; to provide for appeals to the Teacher Certification Appeals Council; to provide for the membership of the council; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 235—
BY REPRESENTATIVES CHAMPAGNE, DOVE, AND ST. GERMAIN AND SENATORS DUPRE AND MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:108.1(A), (C), and (D)(2) and (4), relative to flight from an officer; to provide for operating a watercraft while fleeing from an officer; to provide for marked police watercraft; to provide for circumstances where human life is endangered; and to provide for related matters.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 253— BY REPRESENTATIVES ELBERT GUILLORY AND HARDY

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:711(G) and (H), 827(A)(4), 893.1(1) and 1111(B), (C), (E), (F)(introductory paragraph), (H), (I), (J), and (K), to enact R.S. 15:1111(L), and to repeal R.S. 15:1135, relative to inmate work release programs; to provide that inmates convicted of violations of controlled dangerous substances law are eligible to participate in work release programs if otherwise eligible and approved by the sheriff or the department of corrections; to provide that inmates convicted of certain offenses are eligible to participate in work release programs during the last twelve months of their term of incarceration if otherwise eligible and approved by the department or the sheriff; to provide that deductions for work release expenses shall not exceed fifty percent of the wages received by the inmate in work release programs operated by the department; to authorize certain inmates participating in work release programs to depart from the state; to provide for technical changes; to provide relative to the collection and accounting of wages of inmates; to provide that inmates participating in work release programs shall not be permitted to work on a job or project involved in a labor dispute; to repeal provisions of law providing for work release programs for inmates at a community rehabilitation center; to provide that inmates convicted of controlled dangerous substances violations are eligible to be assigned to the J. Levy Dabadie Correctional Center; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 297— BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1354(A), relative to racketeering; to provide for a minimum mandatory sentence for the crime of racketeering in certain cases involving securities violations; and to provide for related matters.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 451— BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:1856(B) and to enact R.S. 56:1855(M), relative to historic and scenic rivers; to include certain waters within the state historic and scenic rivers system; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 462— BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 15:827.1(B)(5), (C)(1) and (2)(a), and (E) and to enact R.S. 15:827.1(F), relative to the reentry preparation program of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide technical changes to the law regarding reentry programs; to authorize the development of entrepreneurial education curriculum for eligible offenders; to provide for criteria for the program; to provide for eligibility of offenders to participate in the program; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations regarding the program; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 551-**

USE BILL NO. 551—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MILLS, ABRAMSON, ARMES, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BARRAS, BARROW, BILLIOT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CHAMPAGNE, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CORTEZ, CROMER, DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, EDWARDS, FANNIN, GISCLAIR, ELBERT GUILLORY, MICKEY GUILLORY, GUINN, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HILL, HINES, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, HUTTER, GIROD JACKSON, SAM JONES, KATZ, LABRUZZO, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LEBAS, LIGI, LITTLE, MONICA, MONTOUCET, MORRIS, NORTON, NOWLIN, PERRY, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, ROBIDEAUX, SIMON, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STIAES, THIBAUT, WADDELL, WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

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the posting of signs; to create the Seafood Safety Task Force; to provide for the membership of the task force; to provide for the purpose and duties of the task force; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 623— BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:881.1, relative to insurance policies; to define certificates of insurance and otherwise provide with respect to their issuance; and to provide for related matters.

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BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1125(A), (C)(introductory paragraph), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 42:1125(F), relative to gubernatorial transition and inauguration; to provide relative to contribution limits; to provide relative to reporting; to provide relative to the duties of the Board of Ethics; to provide relative to certain records; to provide for effectiveness and applicability; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 333—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY, ANDERS, CORTEZ, MONICA, PEARSON, ROY, GARY SMITH, AND TALBOT AND SENATORS DUPRE, HEBERT, MORRISH, AND QUINN AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1337, relative to homeowners' insurance and certain fire and allied lines insurance; to provide for limitations on named-storm, hurricane, and wind and hail deductibles; and to provide for related matters.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 410-

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOBBY BADON

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 56:116.1(C)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 56:116.1(C)(2)(c), relative to nuisance quadrupeds; to provide for the taking of certain quadrupeds destroying crawfish on private ponds or such ponds; to provide relative to the firearms which may be used to take nuisance quadrupeds; and to provide for related matters.

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 621-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:7(6)(f), relative to the certification of certain teachers; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to develop and implement certain policies relative to the certification of foreign associate teachers; and to provide for related matters.

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 227-**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:31(B)(2), relative to public printing; to remove certain exemptions from certain public printing requirements; to limit certain exemptions from certain public printing requirements; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

Senator Walsworth asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to read House Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time by title and refer them to Committee.

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To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1125(A), (C)(introductory paragraph), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 42:1125(F), relative to gubernatorial transition and inauguration; to provide relative to contribution limits; to provide relative to reporting; to provide relative to the duties of the Board of Ethics; to provide relative to certain records; to provide for effectiveness and applicability; and to provide for related matters.

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

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

### **SENATE BILL NO. 24**

BY SENATOR AMEDEE

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1432(A) and (B), relative to the Louisiana Real Estate Commission; to add two at-large members to the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs. On motion of Senator Duplessis, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

## SENATE BILL NO. 29— BY SENATOR RISER

AN ACT
To enact Chapter 19-C of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S.51:1741 through 1745, relative to caller ID spoofing; to provide for short title; to provide for definitions; to provide for violations of the Louisiana Consumer Protection Act; and to provide for related matters.

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Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs. On motion of Senator Duplessis, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

## SENATE BILL NO. 38— BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2101(D), relative to the Louisiana Immersive Technologies Enterprise Commission; to provide for the membership of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs. On motion of Senator Duplessis, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 51—
BY SENATORS HEITMEIER, DORSEY, ERDEY, GRAY EVANS, MOUNT AND NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact Part LXVI of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.291, relative to intergovernmental transfers from local governing bodies to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to provide for acceptance and use of intergovernmental transfers; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Original Senate Bill No. 51 by Senator Heitmeier

On page 2, line 12, after "and" and before "establish" delete "to"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 91— BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6035, relative to tax credits for the individual or corporation income tax or corporation franchise tax; to provide a tax credit for certain qualified energy resource; to provide terms, conditions, and definitions; to provide for promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs. On motion of Senator Duplessis, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

## SENATE BILL NO. 93— BY SENATOR THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact Part I-A of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:651 through 654, relative to food safety; to provide for definitions; to provide for written plans for food processing and food recalls; to provide for required reporting and testing of adulterated food by food processing plants; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Original Senate Bill No. 93 by Senator Thompson

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 22 and 23 insert the following:

"C. Any food processing plant which maintains a Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point Plan which meets or exceeds the criteria required for such plan by either the United States Department of Agriculture or the Food and Drug Administration shall be deemed to have satisfied the requirements of this Section.

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 23, change "C." to "D."

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

## SENATE BILL NO. 105— BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

### AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:71.3, relative to mortgage fraud, to provide for elements of the crime; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs. On motion of Senator Duplessis, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

## SENATE BILL NO. 110— BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3573.3(5), 3573.4(F), 3573.6(B), and 3573.11(B), and to repeal R.S. 9:3573.11(C), relative to the Credit Repair Services Organizations Act; to provide for the filing of a registration statement with the attorney general; to provide for certain terms, notifications, procedures, conditions, and requirements; to provide for orders, injunctions, publication, and availability of records to the general public; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 110 by Senator Marionneaux

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, delete lines 1 and 2, and insert the following: "be limited to the issuance of orders to cease and desist or to assess civil money penalties, entering into compliance agreements, seeking injunctive relief from a court"

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

# SENATE BILL NO. 183— BY SENATOR APPEL A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 2.1 (C) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the constitutional requirements and procedures for the imposition of or increase in a fee; to provide exceptions to such requirements for the increase in tuition or the imposition of or increase in fees at certain public institutions of higher education; to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors; and to provide a ballot proposition.

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

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 183 by Senator Appel

On page 1, line 5, after "at" delete "certain public" and insert "postsecondary" and after "institutions" delete "of higher education"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 16, change "higher" to "postsecondary"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 17, after "board" insert "." and delete the remainder of the line

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3

AMENDMENT NO. 5 On page 2, line 14, change "higher" to "postsecondary" and after "board" insert "." and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 15 and 16

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

## SENATE BILL NO. 191— BY SENATOR ALARIO

### AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(24) and to enact R.S. 40:2020, relative to the authority of the Department of Health and Hospitals to conduct certain mortality reviews; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for definitions and duties; to provide for records; to provide for confidentiality; to provide for a public records exception; and to provide for related matters.

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

## SENATE BILL NO. 211– BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 36:801(introductory paragraph), and to enact R.S. 36:109(U) and Chapter 40 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:2401, relative to economic development; to create the Louisiana Research Alliance Design Council within the Department of Economic Development; to provide for the membership; to provide for the duties and responsibilities; to provide for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 211 by Senator Claitor

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 4 and at the beginning of line 5, change "Research Alliance Design" to "Innovation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 1, line 14, change "Research Alliance Design" to "Innovation"

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AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 1, change "RESEARCH ALLIANCE DESIGN" to "INNOVATION"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 2, change "Research Alliance Design" to "Innovation

AMENDMENT NO. 5 On page 3, line 3, change "Research Alliance Design" to "Innovation

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete lines 9 through 29, and on page 4, delete lines 1 through 15, and insert the following:
"(1) The governor or the governor's designee.

(2) The secretary of Economic Development.

(3) The commissioner of Higher Education.

(4) The executive director of the Louisiana Workforce Commission.

(5) The president of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System.

(6) The state superintendent of Education.

(7) The chair of the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs, or his designee.
(8) The chair of the House of Representatives Committee on

Commerce, or his designee. (9) Two statewide representatives, appointed by the president of the Senate, of which one shall be an entrepreneur.

(10) Two statewide representatives, appointed by the speaker the House of Representatives, of which one shall be an entrepreneur.

(11) Eight entrepreneurs in the state, appointed by the

governor. (12) Four statewide representatives, appointed by the

governor. (13) The chief executive officer of the Council for A Better

Louisiana, or his designee.
(14) The chair of Blueprint Louisiana, or his designee.

(15) The chair of the Committee of 100 for Economic

Development, or his designee.
(16) The president of the Southern University System, or his

designee

(17) The president of the University of Louisiana System, or his designee.

(18) The president of the Louisiana State University System, or his designee.

(19) One representative appointed by the Louisiana Association of Independent Colleges and Universities.

C. The council shall have as its mission to shape an innovation-based vision for Louisiana and coordinate activities in the statewide innovation agenda.

D. The duties of the council shall include, but are not limited

(1) Recognize and communicate economic diversification and innovation efforts as key state economic development priorities.

(2) Shape the Louisiana innovation agenda, including strategic objectives, activities and investment opportunities related to targeted research investments, commercialization efforts, entrepreneurship services, risk capital development, and the development of new, high-growth industry segments.

(3) Assist in the development of a workforce pipeline that supports innovation, including efforts to cultivate talent in Louisiana's pre-kindergarten through twelfth grade education systems, community and technical colleges, universities, and other relevant workforce development programs.

(4) Assist in the coordination of related policies, programs, and investments, including those already in place, including but not limited to angel investor tax credits and state venture capital investments.

(5) Develop prioritized recommendations on an annual basis to address part or all of the Louisiana innovation agenda.

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(6) Evaluate in the first year topics such as technology transfer, high-growth industry segments and a Georgia Research Alliance model for Louisiana, including an organizational model, operational model and a proposed start-up budget for a Louisiana Research Alliance based on best practices of other

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, delete line 20, and insert the following:

(3) The governor shall appoint the chair and vice-chair of the council from its membership. All other officers, if any, shall be elected by the council from its membership.

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 4, at the end of line 21, add the following: "Council members who are employees or elected public officials of the state of Louisiana or a political subdivision thereof may seek reimbursement of travel expenses from their agency or department, in accordance with PPM 49."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, delete lines 5 and 6, and insert the following: "for review by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget.

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 212-

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:134(A), relative to registrars of voters; to provide for office hours of registrars of voters; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. On motion of Senator Kostelka, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

### **SENATE BILL NO. 247-**

BY SENATORS CHEEK AND DORSEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2742(B)(7) and to enact R.S. 46:2742(B)(11), relative to case mix reimbursement for nursing homes; to provide for a case mix reimbursement; and to provide for related matters.

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

### SENATE BILL NO. 278-

BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:5, relative to public records; to provide for the application of laws relative to public records; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs. On motion of Senator Kostelka, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

### SENATE BILL NO. 290-

BY SENATORS QUINN AND HEBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1317, relative to surplus lines insurers; to exempt surplus lines insurers from provisions regarding coinsurance clauses in policies of fire and extended coverage insurance; and to provide for related matters.

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

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### SENATE BILL NO. 294-

BY SENATOR NEVERS

### AN ACT

AN ACT
To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 905.5.1(F), R.S. 9:2800.2(A), R.S. 15:560.2(B)(1), R.S. 17:7.1(D), R.S. 22:998(A) and (C), and 1043(A)(4), R.S. 23:1371.1(2), R.S. 28:2(12.1) and (22)(b) and 51.1(A)(2)(a), R.S. 37:1745.14(C)(4), 2360(A)(1), (2) and (3), 2365(A) and (B), and 3386.1(15)(b), R.S. 40:1098.2(5)(b) and 2114(B), and R.S. 444(20) and the part Market Part Market 15 of 14(B), 27 of 14(B), and 14(B), and 15 of 14(B), and 15 of 1 R.S. 44:4(29) and to enact Part VI of Chapter 15 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1360.51 through 1360.72, and to repeal Part II of Chapter 28 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 37:2371 through 2378, relative to medical psychologists; to transfer the regulation of medical psychologists from the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for definitions; to provide for powers and duties of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide for licensure; to provide for a certificate of advanced practice; to provide for standards of practice; to create the Medical Psychology Advisory Committee; to provide for privileged communications; to provide for continuing medical education; to provide for violations and penalties; to provide for orders to nurses; to provide for transfer of files; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to make certain language corrections to current law; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 294 by Senator Nevers

### AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "Article" and before "905.5.1(F)" insert "644(A) and (D)(1) and"

### AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "22(b)" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: ", 51.1(A)(2)(a) and 221(10), R.S. 37:1744(A)(2), 1745(A)(2), 1745.14(C)(4),"

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "1360.72" and before the comma "," insert "and R.S. 37:2356.1"

### AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 5, after "Art." delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: "644(A) and (D)(1) and 905.5.1(F) are hereby amended and"

### AMENDMENT NO. 5

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

"Art. 644. Appointment of sanity commission; examination of defendant

A. Within seven days after a mental examination is ordered, the court shall appoint a sanity commission to examine and report upon the mental condition of the defendant. The sanity commission shall consist of at least two and not more than three members who are licensed to practice medicine in Louisiana, who have been in the actual practice of medicine for not less than three consecutive years immediately preceding the appointment, and who are qualified by training or experience in forensic evaluations. The court may appoint, in lieu of one physician, a clinical psychologist or medical psychologist who is licensed to practice psychology in Louisiana, who has been engaged in the practice of clinical or counseling psychology for not less than three consecutive years immediately preceding the appointment, and who is qualified by training or experience in forensic evaluations. Every sanity commission shall have at least one psychiatrist as a member of the commission, unless one is not reasonably available, in which case, the commission shall have at least one clinical psychologist as a member of the commission. No more than one member of the sanity commission shall be the coroner or any of his deputies.

D.(1) The court, in any judicial district which enters into a cooperative endeavor agreement with the local mental health unit, in lieu of appointing a sanity commission as provided in Paragraph A, may appoint the local mental health unit to examine and report on the mental condition of the defendant. If the local mental health unit is ordered to conduct the examination, it shall form a clinical team, consisting of at least two but not more than three members, to conduct the examination. The clinical team shall be composed of one or more licensed physicians with at least three years experience in the study of psychiatry in an approved United States General Psychiatry Residency Program; if only one such licensed physician is a member of the clinical team, the remaining members of the clinical team may be composed of clinical psychologists, medical psychologists, or licensed clinical social workers, who are qualified by training or experience in forensic evaluations.

### <u>AMENDMENT NO. 6</u>

On page 5, line 28, after "(22)(b)" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: ", 51.1(A)(2)(a) and 221(10) are hereby amended and'

### AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, line 17, after "licensed to" change "proactive" to "<u>pra</u>ctice"

### AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 7, between lines 1 and 2 insert the following:

'§221. Definitions

As used in this Part:

(10) "Psychologist" means a clinical **or medical** psychologist who is licensed to practice psychology in Louisiana.

AMENDMENT NO. 9 On page 7, line 2, after "R.S. 37:" and before "1745.14(C)(4)," insert "1744(A)(2), 1745(A)(2),"

### AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 7, line 3, after "reenacted" and before "to read" insert "and R.S. 37:2356.1 is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 11 On page 7, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

'\\$1744. Disclosure of financial interest by referring health care providers

A. For the purposes of this Section, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(2) "Health care provider" means a person, partnership, or corporation, licensed by this state to provide health care or professional services as a physician, dentist, chiropractor, podiatrist, optometrist, physical therapist, psychologist, medical psychologist, licensed professional counselor, registered or licensed practical nurse, pharmacist, and any officer, employee, or agent thereof acting in the course and scope of his employment.

§1745. Prohibition on payment for patient referrals

A. For the purposes of this Section, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(2) "Health care provider" means a person, partnership, or corporation licensed by the state to provide health care or professional services as a physician, chiropractor, dentist, dental hygienist, podiatrist, optometrist, physical therapist, psychologist, medical psychologist, licensed professional counselor, registered or licensed practical nurse, pharmacist, and any officer, employee, or agent thereof acting in the course and scope of his employment.

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AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 7, delete lines 16 and 17, and insert the following: "Dentistry, or if a medical psychologist, cooperates with the Impaired Psychologist Program of the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 7, at the beginning of line 18, add "a" and after "program" change "provided" to "approved"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 7, between lines 19 and 20, add the following:

"§2356.1. Authorization to obtain criminal history record information

A. As used in this Section, the following terms shall have the

following meaning:

(1) "Applicant" means an individual who has made (1) "Applicant" means an individual who has made application to the board for the issuance or reinstatement of any license, registration, certificate, permit, or any other designation deemed necessary to engage or assist in the practice of psychology that the board is authorized by law to issue.

(2) "Bureau" means the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information of the office of state police within

the Department of Public Safety and Corrections.

- (3) "Criminal history record information" means information collected by state and federal criminal justice agencies on individuals consisting of identifiable descriptions and notations of arrests, detentions, indictments, bills of information, or any formal criminal charges, and any disposition arising therefrom, including sentencing, criminal correctional supervision, and release, but does not include intelligence for investigatory purposes, nor does it include any identification information which does not indicate involvement of the individual
- in the criminal justice system.

  (4) "FBI" means the Federal Bureau of Investigation of the United States Department of Justice.

(5) "Licensure" means the granting of any license, permit, certification, or registration that the board is authorized to issue.

B. In addition to any other requirements established by

- regulation, the board may require an applicant, as a condition of
- licensure:
  (1) To submit a full set of fingerprints, in a form and manner

prescribed by the board.

(2) To permit the board to request and obtain state and national criminal history record information on the applicant.

(3) To collect from the applicant, in addition to all other applicable fees and costs, such amount as may be incurred by the board in requesting and obtaining state and national criminal

history record information on the applicant.

C. In accordance with the provisions and procedures prescribed by this Section, the board may request and obtain state and national criminal history record information from the bureau and the FBI relative to any applicant for licensure whose fingerprints the board has obtained pursuant to this Section for the purpose of determining the applicant's suitability and

eligibility for licensure.

D. Upon request by the board and upon the board's submission of an applicant's fingerprints and such other identifying information as may be required, the bureau shall conduct a search of its criminal history record information relative to the applicant and report the results of its search to the board within sixty days from receipt of any such request. The

bureau may charge the board a processing fee for conducting and reporting on any such search.

E. If the criminal history record information reported by the bureau to the board does not provide grounds for disqualification of the applicant for licensure under the applicable law administered by the board, the board shall have the authority to forward the applicant's fingerprints and such other identifying information as may be required to the FBI with a request for a search of national criminal history record information relative to the applicant.

F. Any and all state or national criminal history record information obtained by the board from the bureau or FBI which is not already a matter of public record shall be deemed nonpublic and confidential information restricted to the exclusive use of the board, its members, officers, investigators, agents, and attorneys for the purpose of evaluating the applicant's eligibility or disqualification for licensure. No such information or records related thereto shall, except with the written consent of the applicant or by order of a court of competent jurisdiction, be released or otherwise disclosed by the board to any other person or agency.

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 10, line 29, after "distribute" delete the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 11, line 2, change "Chapter" to "Part"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 11, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"(10) "Nurse" for the purpose of this Part means a licensed practical nurse or a registered nurse.'

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 11, line 19, change "(10)" to "(11)" and after "individual" delete the remainder of the line, and at the beginning of line 20, delete "certification, or registration issued" and insert "licensed'

AMENDMENT NO. 19 On page 12, line 2, after "practice" delete ", as well"

 $\frac{AMENDMENT\ NO.\ 20}{On\ page\ 12,\ line\ 7,\ after\ "} \underline{\textbf{license}}"\ and\ before\ the\ period\ "\underline{\textbf{.}}"\ insert\ "\underline{\textbf{or}}$ 

AMENDMENT NO. 21
On page 12, line 14, after "psychologist" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 15, and insert the following: "shall be issued a medical psychology license by the board upon satisfaction of all of the following criteria:

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 12, line 16, after "license" delete "or certificate"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 12, line 18, change "Psychology" to "Psychologists"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 12, line 20, change "Psychology" to "Psychologists"

AMENDMENT NO. 25 On page 12, line 29, after "license" delete "or certificate"

AMENDMENT NO. 26 On page 13, line 2, change "Psychology" to "Psychologists"

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 13, line 14, change "for" to "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 14, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

"(5) The completion of a minimum of one hundred hours of continuing medical education relating to the use of medications in the management of patients with psychiatric illness commencing with the issuance of a certificate of prescriptive authority by the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists prior to January 1, 2010, or by the board after this

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 14, line 21, after "license" and before "to" insert "or certificate"

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AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 14, line 23, after "respective" delete "license"

AMENDMENT NO. 31 On page 14, line 28, after "license" and before "issued" insert "or certificate"

AMENDMENT NO. 32
On page 15, line 8, after "license" and before "that" insert "or certificate"

AMENDMENT NO. 33 On page 15, line 18, after "Standards" change "or" to "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 15, line 27, after "<u>defined in</u>" delete the comma "," and after "<u>by</u>" delete the comma ","

AMENDMENT NO. 35 On page 17, line 12, after "receiving" delete "medical"

AMENDMENT NO. 36 On page 17, line 12, after "psychologist" and before "shall" insert "who holds a certificate of advanced practice issued under this Part'

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 17, line 19, change "advance" to "advanced"

AMENDMENT NO. 38 On page 18, line 15, after "shall be a" delete the remainder of the line and insert the following: "physician who is certified by the American Board of Medical Specialties or the American Association of Osteopathic Physicians equivalent in the specialty of psychiatry and who is licensed to practice"

On page 18, line 17, after "Society" and before the period "." insert the following: "and who is recommended by the Louisiana Psychiatric Medical Association and the Louisiana Academy of Medical Psychology

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 21, line 4, after "relating to" insert "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 21, line 7, after "practice" insert "psychology or"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 22, line 8, after "medications" delete "or medical devices"

AMENDMENT NO. 43 On page 23, line 11, after "practice" and before "medical" insert "psychology or'

AMENDMENT NO. 44 On page 26, at the beginning of line 28, delete "licensed"

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

SENATE BILL NO. 299-

BY SENATORS DUPLESSIS AND MICHOT AND REPRESENTATIVE ROSALIND JONES

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3-D of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:296, relative to the Healthy Food Retail Act; to provide for a financing program to stimulate

investment in healthy food retail outlets in underserved areas of Louisiana; to provide for administration of the program; to provide for eligible projects and uses for funding; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs.

### SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 299 by Senator Duplessis

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 9, after "R.S. 3:296" and before "is" insert a comma

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 4, delete lines 12 and 13

<u>AMENDMENT NO. 3</u>

On page 4, line 14, after "eligible" and before "funding" insert "for"

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

### **Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

### **ENROLLMENTS**

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

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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. 15— BY SENATOR MICHOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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

## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 25—BY SENATOR DUPRE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, May 5, 2009, as Louisiana Society of Professional Surveyors Day in Louisiana.

### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30— BY SENATOR MOUN'

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Myrtle Houston Golemon on the momentous occasion of her one hundredth birthday and on her lifetime of commitment and devotion to her family, friends and to education in Louisiana.

### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31-BY SENATOR MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To To commend and congratulate Pearl Cordier Dupart for her years of community service on the occasion of her eightieth birthday.

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### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33-BY SENATOR MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE DIXON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate May 12, 2009 as "Youth Tobacco Legislative Day."

Respectfully submitted, ROBERT W. "BOB" KOSTELKA Chairman

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

### Message from the House

### SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

May 6, 2009

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. 43— BY REPRESENTATIVE ELLINGTON AND SENATOR THOMPSON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve a proposed amendment, Action Plan Amendment Number 1, to the State of Louisiana Action Plan for the Utilization of Community Development Block Grant Funds in Response to Hurricanes Gustav and Ike proposed by the Louisiana Recovery Authority and approved by the governor and the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for the Louisiana Farm Recovery Loan and Grant Program and the Louisiana Critical Farm Infrastructure Grant Program; and to provide for other matters pertaining thereto.

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 81— BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, May 5, 2009, as Louisiana Society of Professional Surveyors Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and to commend the society's members.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROY, ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BARRAS, BARROW, BILLIOT, BURPORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANDLER, CHANCY, CONNICK, CORTEZ, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, EDWARDS, ELLINGTON, ERNST, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GALLOT, GEYMANN, GISCLAIR, GREENE, ELBERT GUILLORY, MICKEY GUILLORY, GUINN, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HENRY, HILL, HINES, HOFFMANN, HONEY, HOWARD, HUTTER, GIROD JACKSON, MICHAEL JACKSON, JOHNSON, ROSALIND JONES, SAM JONES, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LIGI, LITTLE, LOPINTO, MCVEA, MIILS, MONICA, MONTOUCET, MORRIS, NORTON, NOWLIN, PEARSON, PERRY, PETERSON, PONTI, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SCHRODER, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STIAES, TALBOT, TEMPLET THIBAUT, TUCKER, WADDELL, WHITE, WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTTON AND SENATORS ADLEY, ALARIO, AMEDEE, APPEL, BROOME, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CLAITOR, CROWE, DONAHUE, DORSEY, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ERDEY, B. GAUTREAUX, N. GAUTREAUX, GRAY EVANS, HEBERT, HEITMEIER, JACKSON, KOSTELKA, LAFLEUR, LONG, MARIONNEAUX, MARTINY, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MORRELL, MORRISH, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, RISER, SHAW, SMITH, THOMPSON, AND WALSWORTH

### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of former state representative John Wyeth "Jock" Scott of Alexandria.

### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 86—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend C. H. "Sonny" Savoie of St. Charles Parish upon being named president of the National School Boards Association.

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87— BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the East Baton Rouge Parish School System upon being recommended for AdvancED district accreditation.

### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 88—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA SMITH
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend McKinley Senior High School upon receiving a 2009 Siemens Award for Advanced Placement.

### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 91-

BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER AND SENATOR CHAISSON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Academy of Family Physicians and to recognize Wednesday, May 6, 2009, as Family Medicine Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Anna Loftin of Elm Grove upon her outstanding accomplishments.

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80—BY REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the month of April as Child Abuse Month and to commend the Children's Advocacy Center for their efforts in serving abuse survivors.

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

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

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

### ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

### **PRESENT**

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

Marionneaux

Morrell

### **Leaves of Absence**

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Gautreaux N. 1 Day LaFleur 1 Day Marionneaux 1 Day Morrell 1 Day Quinn 1 Day

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Total - 5

LaFleur

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### Adjournment

On motion of Senator Thompson, at 9:30 oʻclock A.M. the Senate adjourned until Monday, May 11, 2009, at 4:30 oʻclock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until  $4:30\ \text{o'clock P.M.}$  on Monday, May 11, 2009.

GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

> DIANE O' QUIN Journal Clerk