

- SB 4 HINES LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
Constitutional amendment to provide for consideration of certain matters during regular sessions in even-numbered years. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- SB 11 THEUNISSEN FUNDS/FUNDING
Establishes the process for legislative approval of plans for expending money from the Educational Excellence Funds. (gov sig)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 24 MCPHERSON MOTOR VEHICLES
Requires motor vehicles to be removed from any roadway after being involved in an accident.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 28 LENTINI ROADS/HIGHWAYS
Requires compliance with night work provisions on highway projects where DOTD has found night work feasible in order to qualify for contract incentives to construct expeditiously.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 52 THEUNISSEN TEACHERS
Provides a formula for the calculation of savings resulting from the elimination of Gayle pay and the revision of sabbatical leave provisions. (gov sig)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 112 C ROMERO NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT
Clarifies the powers and duties of the commissioner of conservation. (7/1/01)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 221 HINES ETHICS
Provides for an exception from the Ethics Code to allow former city/parish school board members to contract with, be employed by, or be appointed by such board to any school building level position with such board which requires a teacher's certificate.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 249 DUPRE EXPROPRIATION
Authorizes the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government to expropriate by a declaration of taking.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.
- SB 251 DUPRE EXPROPRIATION
Authorizes the Consolidation Terrebonne Parish Waterworks District No. 1 to expropriate by a declaration of taking.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.
- SB 274 DARDENNE CIVIL SERVICE
Creates the gain sharing program for certain state agencies.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 293 LENTINI CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Authorizes filings of pleadings and documents to clerks of court offices by facsimile transmission in criminal cases as permitted by the policy of each clerk of court.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.
- SB 300 CHAISSON LOCAL OFFICIALS
Requires a minimum salary paid by the parish governing authority for certain justices of the peace and constables.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 321 ELLINGTON EXPROPRIATION
Authorizes corporations that transmit or distribute electricity and stream for power to expropriate needed property. (gov sig)

Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

- SB 325 HAINKEL CIVIL SERVICE
Removes chief of police for the city of Hammond from the classified service. (2/3-CA10s18)
Reported favorably. (8,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB 345 DARDENNE CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Creates the crime of cyberstalking.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.
- SB 352 MCPHERSON PUBLIC LANDS
Provides for the transfer of certain lands in Catahoula Parish from the office of state lands to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 405 BOISSIERE ASSESSORS RETIREMENT
Provides relative to the conversion of a disability retirement to a regular retirement. (7/1/01)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 477 M SMITH SHERIFFS
Requires that the insurance premiums of sheriff and certain deputy sheriffs of Winn Parish shall be paid in full from the sheriff's general fund.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 487 BOISSIERE WATER/SEWER OPERATORS
Increases allowable amount to be invested in equities by the Employees' Retirement System of the Sewerage and Water Board of the city of New Orleans.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 488 CRAVINS PARISHES
Authorizes governing authority of St. Landry Parish to adopt ordinances and regulations in order to condemn and demolish structures by reason of their nature or condition to prevent danger to public welfare, safety, health and sanitation.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.
- SB 503 HINES NURSES
Revises definition of "authorized prescriber" in the registered nurses practice.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 510 SCHEDLER PUBLIC RECORDS
Provides relative to exceptions to the Public Records Act.
Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 523 SCHEDLER HEALTH CARE
Provides the statewide cancer registry program.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 527 BOISSIERE ASSESSORS RETIREMENT
Provides relative to the membership in the Assessors' Retirement Fund and for the part-time re-employment of retirees. (7/1/01)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 528 BOISSIERE ASSESSORS RETIREMENT
Authorizes the payment of interest on DROP funds at the end of the plan period when a member remains employed. (7/1/01)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 529 BOISSIERE ASSESSORS RETIREMENT
Provides relative to retirement options. (7/1/01)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 530 BOISSIERE ASSESSORS RETIREMENT
Provides for the payment of employee contributions upon the death of a member. (7/1/01)

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on RETIREMENT.

- SB 531 BOISSIERE ASSESSORS RETIREMENT
Authorizes members of the fund to retire with thirty years of
service at any age. (7/1/01)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 532 BOISSIERE ASSESSORS RETIREMENT
Authorizes an increase in the employee and employer
contribution rate and the accrual rate for the Assessors'
Retirement Fund. (7/1/01)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 569 ULLO FUNDS/FUNDING
Extends the Underwater Obstruction Removal Fund for three
years. (7/1/01)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 570 ULLO DEATH/MORTALITY
Provides for the release of human remains.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 575 ULLO LOBBYING
Increases the lobbyist registration fee. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
Called from the calendar.
Amended and designated duplicate of HB 271.
Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB 577 ULLO SHRIMP/SHRIMPING
Provides for the sale of shrimp by count.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 627 MICHOT CONTRACTORS
Provides relative to exemptions to the residential building
contractors licensing law.
Designated duplicate of HB 1573.
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.
- SB 653 DUPRE COURTS
Provides relative to the jurisdiction of justice of the peace
courts. (gov sig)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 667 MCPHERSON SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Authorizes an increase in per diem payable to members of the
sewerage district board in Rapides Parish.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.
- SB 673 B JONES TAX/TAXATION
Creates a tax settlement oversight committee to approve proposed
settlements of tax disputes of \$2 million or more, including
interest and penalty. (gov sig)
Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended,
read by title.
- SB 679 HOLLIS BANKS/BANKING
Provides for law applicable to certain interstate banking
activities.
Designated duplicate of HB 1249.
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.
- SB 680 MCPHERSON PUBLIC PROPERTY
Authorizes the Board of Commissioners of the Red River,
Atchafalaya, and Bayou Boeuf Levee District to exchange title
to certain properties in Rapides Parish with the Hemphill Star
Church and Hemphill Star Cemetery.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 690 HOYT TUITION
Provides for administration of, participation in, and
alternative investment options relative to the START program.
(gov sig)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
Committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 698 CRAVINS CHARITABLE GAMING

Provides with respect to the conducting and regulation of charitable gaming.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.

- SB 699 CRAVINS GAMING
Increases by 1% of the fees collected by the Office of Charitable Gaming.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.
- SB 704 FONTENOT HOUSING
Provides for regulation of manufactured housing industry.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 740 BOISSIERE INSURERS
Repeals requirement for temporary bonds prior to issuance of certificates of authority for domestic incorporated insurers.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 760 MICHOT PUBLIC LANDS
Authorizes the state to transfer certain tracts of land in Lafayette Parish to Our Lady of Lourdes Regional Medical Center. (gov sig)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 833 HOYT FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT
Provides for conversion from service retirement to service connected disability retirement for members and DROP participants.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 877 CAMPBELL ENERGY SUPPLY
Empowers the division of administration to oversee, develop policy for and compile data concerning the state's energy consumption.
Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 930 CRAVINS SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Continues per diem for governing board of fire protection districts in certain parishes. (gov sig)
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.
- SB 962 IRONS CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Provides with respect to the creation and enforcement of quiet zones.
Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 964 BOISSIERE INSURERS
Reestablishes the La. Joint Reinsurance Plan to effect the area designated as the Fair Access to Insurance Requirements Plan area.
Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SCR 12 HINES PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS
Requests necessary steps be taken to name the clinical sciences research building, located at LSU Health Sciences Center at New Orleans, the Dr. Mervin L. Trail Clinical Sciences Research Building.
Read by title. Lies over under the rules.
- SCR 20 HINES COMMITTEE STUDIES
Creates the La. Stroke Treatment Task Force to study the feasibility of implementing a comprehensive statewide education program on stroke prevention targeted to high-risk populations and to geographic areas of high incidence of stroke.
Read by title. Lies over under the rules.
- SCR 46 MCPHERSON HUNTERS/HUNTING
Requests the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to establish a recreational season on bobcats if recommended by DWF after a population and feasibility study.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SCR 50 MCPHERSON HUNTERS/HUNTING
Urges and requests the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries

Commission and the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to increase the daily bag limit on wood ducks if recommended by DWF after a population and feasibility study.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

- HB 14 BRUNEAU ELECTIONS/CAMPAIGNS
Prohibits an agency head from withholding or permitting the withholding of any portion of a public servant's wages for the purpose of making a contribution to any candidate or political committee
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 17 FARRAR CIVIL/PROCEDURE
Increases the civil jurisdictional amount in city courts to \$35,000
Discharged from the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.
Read by title, recommitted to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
- HB 31 PITRE LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
(Constitutional Amendment) Provides for annual general sessions of the legislature
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 34 RIDDLE LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
(Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes the legislature to provide for the sessions of the legislature by concurrent resolution
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 36 NEVERS CRIME/THEFT
Creates the crime of theft of anhydrous ammonia
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 61 M STRAIN COURTS/COURT COSTS
Requires a minimum mandatory special court cost to be assessed for Drug Abuse Resistance Education programs
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 74 KENNARD WEAPONS/FIREARMS
Includes coroners in the list of officials who can carry concealed handguns
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 1. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 107 SALTER JUVENILES/DETENTION FAC
Provides for the administration of medication to children in juvenile detention facilities
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 111 FAUCHEUX COURTS/DISTRICT
Repeals the date on which the authority of the 40th JDC to hold certain sessions of court on the east bank will terminate
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 95, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 118 POWELL CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL
Removes chief of police for the city of Hammond from the classified service
Reported favorably (8-0) (Regular)
- HB 119 POWELL INSURANCE/RATES
Prohibits insurers from offering property and casualty insurance rates that differ from the rates offered by an agent based on the method of distribution
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 123 ALARIO COURTS/MAYORS
Authorizes probation in mayors' courts
Reported with amendments (7-0) (Regular)
- HB 137 CROWE CIVIL SERVICE/MUNICIPAL
Repeals special Acts creating and providing for the Municipal Police Employees Civil Service system and the Municipal Employees Civil Service system for the City of Slidell
Reported favorably (8-0) (Regular)
- HB 152 BROOME HEALTH CARE/PROVIDERS
Adds "occupational therapist" to certain definitions of "health

care provider"

Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

- HB 159 DANIEL WILDLIFE & FISHERIES
Provides relative to the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the office of management and finance of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
Called from the calendar.
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 176 McDONALD CRIME
Creates crime of aggravated robbery
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 180 ODINET SCHOOLS/BOARDS
Requires a school board to reapportion itself under certain circumstances
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 201 BRUCE DISTRICTS/WATERWORKS
Prohibits diversion of certain waterworks funds in DeSoto Parish
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 99, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 207 GREEN GAMBLING
Provides for the crime of cheating and swindling and repeals those provisions contained in the La. Gaming Control Law
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 212 HUNTER LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS
Allows meetings of legislative committees held in the interim between sessions to be conducted by video conference
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 225 CROWE COURTS/CITY
Requires the clerk of the City Court of Slidell to pay off-duty witness fees to subpoenaed law enforcement officers
Reported with amendments (7-0) (Regular)
- HB 229 HUDSON FUNDS/FUNDING
Dedicates remaining one cent of sales tax on room rentals in St Landry Parish to the St. Landry Parish Tourist Commission
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 242 LEBLANC FUNDS/FUNDING
Relative to the Lafayette Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund, provides funding priority relative to bond repayment
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 104, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 253 CROWE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Extends deadline for nonpublic high schools to be approved by BESE and to have applied for eligibility for certain state funds in order for graduates to be eligible for a TOPS award
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 263 GLOVER CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL
Provides relative to the Shreveport municipal fire and police civil service board
Reported favorably (7-0) (Local and Consent)
- HB 267 LANCASTER LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
(Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to annual legislative sessions
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 268 LANCASTER CAMPAIGN FINANCE DISCLOS
Sets the aggregate limit on contributions a candidate may accept from political committees
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 94, nays 7. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 269 LANCASTER ETHICS/CODE
Define term "complainant" for use in the Code of Governmental Ethics
Becomes HB 1871.

HB 271 LANCASTER LOBBYING
Increases the registration and annual renewal fees for lobbyist registration and removes the fee for filing supplemental registration forms
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.

HB 272 LANCASTER CAMPAIGN FINANCE
Includes certain elected judicial seats within the definition of "district office" and others within the definition of "major office" for purposes of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 96, nays 2. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 298 CROWE COURTS/CITY
Provides for civil filing fees and for additional costs in juvenile matters in the City Court of Slidell
Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)

HB 299 CROWE COURTS/CITY
Provides for witness fees in criminal and traffic matters for the City Court of Slidell
Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)

HB 321 FARRAR COURTS/COURT COSTS
Provides for the assessment of fees in consolidated cases
Reported with amendments (8-0) (Regular)

HB 324 RIDDLE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Effective beginning with the 2005-2006 award year and thereafter, limits a TOPS award amount to no more than the amount for such an award during the 2004-2005 award year
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 331 PERKINS SANITARY CODE
Requires certain food service establishments to obtain a food safety certificate
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 351 PITRE CAMPAIGN FINANCE
Allows for a political party parish executive committee to accept donations and conduct fund raising and expend those funds for certain purposes
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 357 M STRAIN SANITARIANS
Provides for continuing education requirements and increases licensure, licensure renewal, and miscellaneous fees
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 88, nays 12. The bill, having received two-thirds vote of the members elect, was finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 367 DOWNER STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Defines "tuition" for purposes of the exemption program provided at state public colleges and universities for eligible members of the Louisiana National Guard also receiving TOPS benefits
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 370 FUTRELL STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Prohibits a TOPS award recipient from being restricted or otherwise delayed in first using the award due to the student having graduated from high school in less than four years
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 371 GREEN CAMPAIGN FINANCE
Prohibit the expenditure of campaign funds for the payment of certain fines, fees, and penalties
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.

HB 373 GREEN CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
Provides limitation on institution of new prosecution after dismissal
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 374 GREEN CRIMINAL/TRIALS
Provides when a trial shall commence in felony cases
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 385 MORRELL INSURANCE/HOMEOWNERS
Allows homeowner's insurance for less than the value of the

home

Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.

- HB 389 SCALISE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Prohibits a TOPS award recipient from being restricted or otherwise delayed in first using the award due to the student having graduated from high school in less than four years
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 391 TOWNSEND STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Permits graduates from La. nonpublic high schools not approved by BESE to be eligible for TOPS awards under specified conditions and provides generally relative to first use of awards by students graduating early from high school
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 395 ERDEY CORONERS
(Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes the qualifications for office of coroner in Livingston Parish to be established by law
Reported favorably (8,2) (Regular) To be recommitted to the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.
- HB 404 LEBLANC PHYSICAL THERAPISTS
Increases maximum amount for fees assessed by the Louisiana Board of Physical Therapy Examiners
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 102, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 410 K CARTER STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Provides TOPS award eligibility for certain students receiving high school equivalency diplomas and graduating from La. public high schools beginning with the 2001-2002 school year
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 421 FARRAR TRESPASS/CRIMINAL
Relative to the crime of criminal trespass
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 435 NEVERS WORKERS COMPENSATION
Increases allowable burial expenses paid by employers for work related deaths
Reported favorably (15-0) (Regular)
- HB 442 RIDDLE LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
(Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to annual legislative sessions
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 454 WELCH CLERKS OF COURT
Provides for the disposition of clerk's salary fund
Reported favorably (11-0) (Regular)
- HB 488 CROWE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Permits, beginning with the 2000-2001 school year and thereafter, graduates from La. nonpublic high schools not approved by BESE to be eligible for TOPS awards
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 495 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE
Increases the benefit accrual rate used for the calculation of benefits (to 3.5%)
Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 496 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE
Authorizes the system to pay annual 2% supplemental COLA to retirees and beneficiaries who are at least age 65
Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 497 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE
Increases survivor benefits payable to minor children and deletes the provision requiring a pro rata reduction of the total pension as each minor child attains age 18 or 23
Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 499 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE
Authorizes designees of the state treasurer, commissioner of administration, and state police superintendent to serve on the board of trustees and adds one member to the board
Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 503 BRUNEAU LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
(Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to annual legislative sessions
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.

HB 516 TOOMY SCHOOLS/BOARDS
(Constitutional Amendment) Limits state mandates increasing the financial burden of school boards
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.

HB 519 CRANE SCHOOLS/LOCAL SUPERINTDT
(Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to the employment and duties of superintendents and for school board participation in system administrative affairs through the superintendent pursuant to board policies and procedures
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 532 ANSARDI GAMBLING
Authorizes slot machine gaming at eligible live horse racing facility in Orleans Parish
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.

HB 540 ERDEY CORONERS
Provides for an exception in Livingston Parish to the qualification for office
Reported favorably (8-1) (Regular)

HB 543 PITRE COURTS/COURT REPORTERS
Increases certain fees for transcribed testimony in the Seventeenth Judicial District Court, parish of Lafourche
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 545 J D SMITH LEGISLATORS/TERMS
(Constitutional Amendment) To limit legislators to two terms of office, applicable to service after the effective date of congressional action to limit the terms of members of the United States Congress
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.

HB 546 R ALEXANDER CLERKS OF COURT
Eliminates mandatory recordation of medical licenses
Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular)

HB 548 R CARTER ETHICS/CODE
Provides for an exception to the Code of Governmental Ethics to allow a physician to contract for the provision of health care services with the health insurer of the employees of his agency.
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 551 MARTINY CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
Requires the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice to develop a plan to categorize criminal offenses
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 558 CROWE PARDON/PAROLE
Provides for the membership of the Board of Pardons
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 575 NEVERS BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS
Creates the Louisiana Boat and Motor Titling Act.
Read by title, amended, returned to the calendar subject to call.
Notice given subject to call.

HB 577 PERKINS STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Grants TOPS eligibility to otherwise qualified graduates of out-of-state high schools that meet BESE non-public school standards and are accredited by certain regional accrediting organizations
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 583 PINAC INSURANCE
Provides for privacy of consumer nonpublic personal information with regard to insurance products and services offered by financial institutions
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 40, nays 37. Failed to pass, motion to reconsider pending.

HB 601 DANIEL CHILDREN
Adds members to the Children's Cabinet Advisory Board
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 631 McMANS INSURERS
Provides for the keeping of books, records, and securities of

domestic insurers

Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.

- HB 650 FUTRELL STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Requires an ACT score of at least 20 (or equivalent SAT score) for a TOPS Opportunity Award and limits initial use of the award by certain students to pursuing associate level academic degrees at eligible institutions
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 651 FUTRELL TEACHERS
Creates the Critical Teacher Shortage Incentive Program
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 652 HUDSON HOSPITALS
Provides penalties for smoking in hospitals
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 654 HUDSON CHILDREN
Establishes a program for biennial issuance of special identification cards for children under the age of sixteen
Reported with amendments (9-0) (Regular)
- HB 657 LANCASTER ELECTIONS/COMMISSIONERS
Allows the parish board of election supervisors to opt out of the selection process for appointing the commissioner-in-charge and one commissioner in each precinct
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 94, nays 1. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 677 G SMITH ETHICS/DUAL OFFICEHOLDG
Deletes the time limitation on the exception allowing deputy sheriffs to serve as constables or marshals in certain jurisdictions
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 685 DEVILLIER CRIME/ASSAULT
Provides with respect to the crime of aggravated assault with a firearm
Becomes HB 1872.
- HB 686 DEVILLIER CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
Authorizes investigators employed by the attorney general to serve subpoenas in criminal cases
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 688 MURRAY INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID
Provides for joint negotiation by physicians with health plans
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 704 K CARTER HOSPITALS
Decreases time period within which to claim property abandoned to hospitals
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 707 CLARKSON INSURANCE/HMO
Requires that certain insurers and health maintenance organizations provide for continuity of care by health care providers
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 708 CLARKSON INSURANCE/HMO
Requires health maintenance organizations to allow specialists to be primary care physicians under certain circumstances
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 709 CLARKSON INSURANCE/HMO
Requires health maintenance organizations to have a process for standing referrals for certain enrollees
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 710 CLARKSON INSURANCE/HMO
Requires health maintenance organizations to provide for referral to non-network providers when medically necessary
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 719 McMains INSURANCE/LIABILITY
Requires written notice by liability insurers to a payee-obligee of payment of claims in third party settlements

Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.

- HB 745 FAUCHEUX CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
Provides that carnal knowledge of a juvenile is a responsive verdict to a charge of forcible rape
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 771 TOOMY DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD
Authorizes the creation of a special district for green space purposes in the Woodland West Subdivision in Jefferson Parish
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 776 TOWNSEND GAMBLING
Provides that elected public officials can do business with riverboat gaming licensees as musicians
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 800 DONELON INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE
Allows exclusion of named insured in automobile liability policy
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 801 DONELON INSURANCE/POLICIES
Provides for the notice of non-renewal or cancellation of certain policies
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 815 K CARTER STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP
Provides relative to initial eligibility for TOPS-Tech and Opportunity awards and limits first-use of the Opportunity Award by certain students to pursuing associate level academic degrees at eligible institutions
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 817 CRANE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP
Relative to TOPS, lowers, for the 2001-2002 award year and thereafter, the specified ACT (or equivalent SAT) score required for a TOPS-Tech award from 19 to 17
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 818 CRANE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP
Extends through the 2002-2003 school year the time period for a TOPS waiver from meeting high school core curriculum requirements due to course unavailability
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 830 JOHNS INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID
Provides relative to individual health insurance coverage, including allowing certain exclusions
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 833 MARTINY CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
Provides for funding of rewards paid by crime stoppers organizations
Reported with amendments (8-0) (Regular)
- HB 838 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL POL
Provides for use of funds in the insurance premium tax fund for paying COLAs to certain members whose merger into the system deprived them of certain benefits
Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 843 HEBERT STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP
Effective with initial TOPS awards for 2002-2003 and thereafter and for the continuation of such awards, limits eligibility to students with families having an annual adjusted gross income of less than \$250,000
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 847 J D SMITH FIRE PROTECT/FIREMEN
Provides benefits for firefighters not scheduled to work on a holiday
Reported favorably (5-4) (Regular)
- HB 851 HOLDEN CRIMINAL/VICTIMS
Provides for submission of the victim's preference of punishment at a sentencing hearing
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 864 JOHNS INSURANCE
Exempts premiums on crop and livestock insurance and federal flood insurance from the insurance fraud fee assessment

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to
3rd reading - regular calendar.

- HB 865 JOHNS PHARMACISTS
Permits equivalent drug substitution unless the practitioner
specifies the brand is medically necessary
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 868 GREEN SOCIAL WORKER
Allows graduates of nonaccredited schools with relevant work
experience to be eligible for certification and licensure
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 872 FUTRELL STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Permits, under specified conditions and limitations, subsequent
use of certain TOPS awards at eligible La. institutions by
otherwise qualified students who enroll as first-time freshmen
in out-of-state colleges or universities
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 880 SCHWEGMANN HOSPITALS
Specifies that hospital record rules grant a health care
provider up to 30 days to sign or countersign a verbally or
electronically transmitted order
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 881 TOWNSEND CRIMINAL/SUBPOENAS
Limits the use of criminal subpoenas by the district attorney
or attorney general
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 885 LEBLANC LEGISLATIVE BUDG CONTROL
Adds the chairman of the House Appropriations Committee and the
chairman of the Senate Finance Committee to the membership of
the Legislative Budgetary Control Council
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 889 WINSTON CHILDREN/ADOPTION
Requires the state to agree in all adoption contracts to
provide for future in-hospital mental health care for children
formerly in state custody who have been adopted
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 907 DONELON STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Relative to TOPS, increases the ACT (or SAT) score required for
an Opportunity Award by one point over current requirements and
deletes ability to pay as a factor in making awards in the
event of insufficient appropriations
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 911 CRANE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
For TOPS, provides relative to residency and citizenship
requirements, certain required agency rules, and eligibility of
students for multiple awards and refers to court ordered
custodians rather than legal guardians
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 921 M JACKSON CHILD DAY CARE FACILITY
Enacts "Children's Product Safety Act"
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 941 KENNARD EXPLOSIVES
Repeals provisions which allow unlicensed persons to work with
explosives under the supervision of a licensed blaster
 Read third time by title, roll called on final passage,
 yeas 98, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,
 ordered to the Senate.
- HB 967 MARTINY CRIMINAL/SENTENCING
Repeals requirement for post-sentence investigations
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 1003 McMAINS WORKERS COMPENSATION
Allows claims for medical expenses after payment by Medicaid
 Reported with amendments (11-0) (Regular)
- HB 1014 LANCASTER LEGISLATION/BILLS
Provides for the definition of "germane" as applicable to the
call for an extraordinary legislative session
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 1025 CLARKSON RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS
Allows radiologic technologists to perform screening mammograms
without a prescription
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1052 MORRELL SCHOOLS
Relative to public school social workers, requires minimum staffing levels for school systems and schools and specifies certain duties
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1060 LEBLANC STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Relative to continuation of initial TOPS awards, provides that credit hours earned for remedial courses and for repeated courses shall not be used in determining if a student is making steady academic progress
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1061 LEBLANC STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Extends through the 2002-2003 school year the time period for a TOPS waiver from meeting high school core curriculum requirements due to course unavailability
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1062 LEBLANC STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Provides TOPS award eligibility for certain students receiving high school equivalency diplomas and graduating from La. public high schools beginning with the 2001-2002 school year
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1073 DOWNER HEALTH/SMOKING
Repeals provision relative to smoking in public places that prohibits the imposition of local ordinances more restrictive than state law
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1112 SCHNEIDER JUDGES
Provides for an additional judgeship in the 22nd Judicial District
Reported favorably (7-0) (Regular)

HB 1160 PITRE ETHICS/CODE
Repeals the exception to the code of ethics that allows certain persons to serve as a member of the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans and the recusal provision related thereto
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1161 MARTINY HEALTH CARE
Creates the Louisiana Board of Opticianry and provides for the licensing and regulation of dispensing opticians
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1175 HEBERT GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER
Provides that licensees do not have to submit designated representative information
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1194 LAFLEUR INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE
Provides for coverage on liability policies
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.

HB 1199 THOMPSON ENERGY
Provides for assessments levied by the Louisiana Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1201 WELCH HEALTH/MEDICAL TREATMENT
Authorizes a minor to consent to certain medical treatments
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1207 MONTGOMERY GAMBLING
To provide the definition of "Louisiana Business" for purposes of the Louisiana Gaming Control Law
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1212 MARTINY CRIMINAL/SENTENCING
Provides for notice to victims of felonies of hearings on sentencing or change of sentence
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1215 ERDEY RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
Allows certain employees of DED to retire with 20 years of

service regardless of age and with no actuarial reduction of benefits unless an option is selected to leave a lifetime benefit to a designated beneficiary

Read by title.

- HB 1216 FRITH HOSPITALS
Adds certain hospitals to the definition of rural hospitals in the Rural Hospital Preservation Act
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - local and consent calendar.
- HB 1217 MARTINY GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER
Requires adoption of rule incorporating application package
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 1230 PERKINS LEGISLATIVE OFFICERS
Provides for term limits for certain legislative officers
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HB 1250 DEVILLIER HOSPITALS
Adds certain hospitals to the definition of rural hospitals in the Rural Hospital Preservation Act
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1269 PIERRE PETROLEUM/OIL-GAS
Provides for Oilfield Site Restoration Commission membership and meetings
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1270 DANIEL CONSERVATION/COMMISSR
Removes the cap on revenue collected by the office of conservation from application fees in a fiscal year
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 104, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1271 PIERRE NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT
Removes the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources from the Louisiana Resource Recovery and Development Authority
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.
- HB 1272 PIERRE SUNSET LAW
Re-creates the Department of Natural Resources
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 100, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1273 DAMICO CONSERVATION/OFFICE
Provides relative to funding of site-specific trust accounts
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1280 DONELON INSURERS/AGENTS
Creates limited and speciality credit insurance licenses
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 1291 TOWNSEND INSURERS
Requires affidavit showing liability insurance information to be delivered to claimant
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 1293 SCHNEIDER COURTS/COMMISSIONERS
Provides for the office of commissioner for the 22nd JDC
Reported by substitute.
- HB 1300 SNEED MUNICIPAL/ANNEXATION
Provides relative to municipal annexation procedures in Jefferson Parish
Reported favorably (7-0) (Regular)
- HB 1304 BRUNEAU RETIREMENT/ASSESSORS
Provides relative to the payment and remittance of contributions
Read by title.
- HB 1315 DAMICO CONSERVATION/OFFICE
Authorizes the office of conservation to let contracts in response to a declared emergency without public bid
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 104, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1339 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/TEACHERS
 Authorizes the use of funds in the "employee experience account" to pay the actuarial cost of increasing survivor benefits, increasing annual COLAs, and to pay a one-time increase in benefits
 Reported with amendments (5-2) (Regular)

HB 1342 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/TEACHERS
 Requires benefits to be paid by electronic funds transfer
 Reported favorably (7-0) (Regular)

HB 1343 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/TEACHERS
 Provides for certain "administrative corrections" relative to definitions, enrollment, service credit, retirement applications, employer contributions, benefits and beneficiaries, DROP interest, and reversion of assets to the emp
 Reported favorably (4-3) (Regular)

HB 1431 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
 Provides relative to the membership and voting requirements of the Public Retirement Systems Actuarial Committee
 Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)

HB 1460 L JACKSON PROPERTY
 Provides an additional mechanism by which a political subdivision is empowered to more readily obtain and sell or otherwise dispose of abandoned properties
 Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)

HB 1461 BROOME MUSEUMS/STATE MUSEUM
 Authorizes the board of directors of the Louisiana State Museum to lease commercial space within any owned property in the French Quarter
 Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 91, nays 7. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1468 LANCASTER CORONERS
 Requires coroners to promptly deliver anatomical gifts if no autopsy is necessary
 Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular)

HB 1471 WINSTON CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
 Provides with respect to the release of certain information
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1498 ANSARDI INSURANCE/POLICIES
 Establishes standards for stop-loss or excess policies of insurance
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.

HB 1514 DANIEL FAMILY VIOLENCE
 Provides for restraining orders to prevent domestic abuse
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1517 CLARKSON CIVIL/RESTRAINING ORDER
 Provides that dating partners are eligible to receive all benefits, services, and assistance provided by the Protection from Family Violence Act
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1534 CRANE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP
 Relative to TOPS and beginning with the 2003-2004 award year, increases the number of high school core curriculum units that must be successfully completed for eligibility for an Opportunity, Performance, or Honors award
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1539 MARTINY CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
 Provides for peremptory challenges
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1544 MORRISH STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP
 Relative to certain TOPS awards, provides for retention of award amounts by the state for the first year of a student's college enrollment and for subsequent payment to the student upon successful completion of specified requirements
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1564 MARTINY CRIMINAL/VICTIMS
 Requires notice of plea arrangements to victims of crimes
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1590 RICHMOND INSURERS/AGENTS

Prohibits acceptance of an application for coverage under a Medicare+Choice plan unless certain requirements are met
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.

- HB 1625 GALLOT STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Provides for a loan repayment program for certain social workers in exchange for service in the state or political subdivision of the state
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 1629 MORRISH STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Permits certain students to qualify for a TOPS award for a reduced eligibility period based on student performance as a college freshman and sophomore
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 1635 HOPKINS GAMING
Authorizes a video poker device licensee to advertise or participate in certain promotions
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 1644 DEVILLIER STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Relative to TOPS, provides, under specified circumstances, for the repayment by a student of an award amount that is paid on his behalf by the state to an eligible institution
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 1645 HEBERT STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Relative to TOPS, provides, under specified circumstances, for the repayment by a student of an award amount that is paid on his behalf by the state to an eligible institution
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 1646 MARTINY GAMING
Provides with respect to the regulation of gaming
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 1648 TOWNSEND ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
Provides relative to applicants for state or local permits
Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)
- HB 1661 DONELON CRIME
Provides relative to the crime of theft of a business record
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1671 MORRISH INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID
Voids laws mandating health insurance benefits and options unless periodically reenacted by the legislature
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.
- HB 1678 WALSWORTH SCHOOLS/BOARDS
Authorizes the Monroe City School Board to levy and collect an additional sales tax
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - local and consent calendar.
- HB 1680 PRATT TEACHERS/LEAVE
Relative to extended sick leave for teachers and certain others,
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1682 TOWNSEND ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
Provides requirements for Class A-General retail permits
Reported with amendments (9-0) (Regular)
- HB 1689 LEBLANC WELFARE/REFORM
Requires submission of federal quarterly reports to the legislature
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 1707 DEVILLIER STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Relative to TOPS, provides, under specified circumstances, for the repayment by a student of an award amount that is paid on his behalf by the state to an eligible institution
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 1710 PITRE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
Relative to TOPS, provides, under specified circumstances, for the repayment by a student of an award amount that is paid on his behalf by the state to an eligible institution
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 1721 DONELON INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID
Regulates the recoupment of health insurance claims payments by

health insurance issuers
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.

HB 1732 LEBLANC WELFARE/REFORM
 Allows TANF funds to be deposited in Individual Development
 Accounts
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1734 ANSARDI HEALTH CARE/FACILITIES
 Creates the Children's Comfort Care Center pilot program to
 provide care for terminally ill children
 Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to
 3rd reading - local and consent calendar

HB 1740 SCALISE EMPLOYMENT/UNIONS
 Provides relative to contracts
 Reported with amendments (10-4) (Regular)

HB 1745 MURRAY INSURANCE DEPARTMENT
 Provides for additional minority representation on the list of
 nominees who may be appointed by the governor to the Advisory
 Committee on Equal Opportunity
 Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to
 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1759 LEBLANC WELFARE/REFORM
 Specifies that adult basic education and literacy training are
 within the definition of vocational educational training for
 purposes of TANF programs
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1761 POWELL WORKERS COMPENSATION
 Clarifies provisions in workers' compensation act relating to
 group self insurance funds
 Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd
 reading - regular calendar.

HB 1765 TOWNSEND NURSES
 Repeals the requirement that a registered nurse be under a
 physician or dentist when administering anesthetics
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1772 DONELON INSURANCE DEPARTMENT
 Provides for fees for the Department of Insurance
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 2.

HB 1779 FAUCHEUX COMMERCE
 Provides relative to the registration of massage establishments
 Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to
 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1784 GUILLORY GAMING
 Authorizes withholding of winnings from persons in arrearage
 for child support
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1796 FRUGE ETHICS/CODE
 Provides for an exception to the ethics code to allow a public
 servant, legal entity in which he has a controlling interest,
 or member of his immediate family to donate services, property,
 or funds to such public servant's agency
 Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to
 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1800 CROWE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP
 Relative to TOPS, provides eligibility for TOPS-Tech and
 Opportunity awards for certain students who graduate from high
 schools or complete home study programs outside the U.S. and
 its territories
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 8:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1803 DEWITT PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECTIONS
 Relative to the payment to sheriffs or local governing
 authorities for the feeding and keeping of certain prisoners
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1805 HUNTER CRIMINAL/RECORDS
 Amends provisions relating to notice to schools when students
 are involved in the juvenile correction system
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1806 HUNTER PARDON/PAROLE
 Changes number of votes needed to grant parole
 Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1834 LANCASTER CAMPAIGN FINANCE
Prohibits certain transactions with regard to campaign advertising
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1838 SCHWEGMANN EMERGENCY MED TECH
Authorizes all emergency medical technicians to carry and administer epinephrine
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1840 WOOTON CORRECTIONS
Re-creates the Department of Public Safety and Corrections
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1860 WRIGHT CEMETERY/BOARD
Repeals provisions of law creating the Louisiana Cemetery Board
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.

HB 1861 DAMICO ENVIRONMENT/FEES
Authorizes the Department of Environmental Quality to increase fees paid into the Environmental Trust Fund over a two year period beginning in FY2003 and changes maximum statutory fee caps
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ENVIRONMENT.

HB 1862 HOLDEN POLICE/MUNICIPAL
Provides for longevity pay for employees of police departments of certain municipalities
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.

HB 1863 FRUGE CONTRACTS
Provides relative to retainage bonds for construction contracts
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.

HB 1864 DIEZ PUBLIC CONTRACTS
Provides relative to the waivering of public bid law requirements for certain contracts by public entities
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1865 TUCKER LOCAL FINANCE
Provides relative to sales tax increment financing of economic development projects in certain parishes
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.

HB 1866 SCHWEGMANN CRIME
Creates the crime of battery of a bus driver
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.

HB 1867 WINSTON CRIME
Creates the crime of criminal failure to pay child or medical support
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.

HB 1868 HUTTER FISHING/SHRIMP
Authorizes use of a test trawl to sample for the presence of shrimp prior to the opening of shrimp season
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

HB 1869 HUTTER BRIDGES/FERRIES
Provides that retired teachers and retired or disabled firemen and policemen shall have free and unhampered passage over all toll ferries
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1870 LEBLANC APPROPRIATIONS/SUPPLEML
Provides for supplemental appropriations for the 2000-2001 Fiscal Year
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1871 LANCASTER ETHICS/CODE
Provides for notification to be sent to a person who files a non-sworn complaint with the Board of Governmental Ethics
Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the

same order of business, substitute for HB No. 269.

- HB 1872 DEVILLIER CRIME/ASSAULT
Provides with respect to aggravated assault with a firearm
(Substitute for HB685)
Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the
same order of business, substitute for HB No. 685.
- HB 1873 BRUCE MTR VEHICLE/SEAT BELTS
Provides relative to the use of safety belts and child
restraint in motor vehicles
Read by title.
- HB 1874 E ALEXANDER CREDIT/SALES
Provides relative to credit sales of tobacco products and
defines terms
Read by title.
- HB 1875 ANSARDI DISTRICTS/TAXING
Creates a special taxing district known as the Kenner
Assistance District
Read by title.
- HB 1876 DONELON CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES
Makes changes with respect to the classification of Synthetic
Dronabinol
Read by title.
- HR 8 DOWNER CORRECTIONS/PRISONERS
Directs the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and
requests the House Committee on Administration of Criminal
Justice to study the effectiveness of developing a restorative
justice program
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HR 25 LEBLANC HOUSE/RULES
Provides for recommittal to the Appropriations Committee of
bills amending provisions for special funds in the state
treasury
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 3.
- HR 35 MURRAY COMMENDATIONS
Commends the Louisiana Division of the Ancient Order of
Hibernians on celebrating their 125th anniversary
Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by
the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in
accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 36 MURRAY COMMENDATIONS
Commends Patrick J. Sens on being chosen the "Irishman of the
Year" by the Louisiana Division of the Ancient Order of
Hibernians
Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by
the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in
accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 37 THOMPSON CONDOLENCES
Expresses the condolences of the House of Representatives upon
the death of Paul K. Adams
Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by
the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in
accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 38 TOWNSEND CONDOLENCES
Expresses the condolences of the House of Representatives upon
the death of Judge Richard B. Williams
Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by
the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in
accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 39 PERKINS COMMENDATIONS
Commends Rebekah Lynn Perkins upon the occasion of her
twenty-fifth birthday
Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HR 40 PINAC SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Designates April 23, 2001, as "FFA Day" at the Louisiana
Legislature
Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HR 42
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HCR 6 FAUCHEUX EDUCATION
Encourages city, parish, and other local public school systems

to implement HOSTS programs for students
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading.

- HCR 9 THOMPSON ENERGY/PIPELINES
Memorializes congress to support federal legislation strengthening safety regulations of natural gas and liquid pipeline operations
Read by title, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR 27 MARTINY EVIDENCE
Requests the Disposition of the Pornographic Evidence committee of the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the tracking, confiscation, limitation of access to and disposition of pornographic and other materials and to reports its finding
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HCR 29 FUTRELL TEACHERS/CERTIFICATION
Requests BESE to adopt certification reciprocity agreements with other states and to streamline certification requirements for out-of-state teachers
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading.
- HCR 55 LEBLANC MEDICAID
Urges and requests DHH to activate boards and committees involved in setting Medicaid drug policies and solicit their input on cost saving measures
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HCR 56 LEBLANC MEDICAID
Urges and requests DHH to consider incentives to encourage more generic drug use
Scheduled to be heard on 4/25 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HCR 83 QUEZAIRE SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Proclaims April 26, 2001, as Retired Teachers Day in St. James Parish
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HCR 84 MURRAY COMMENDATIONS
Commends Captain Edwin Compass and all of the men and women of the 1st Police District, New Orleans for receiving the Crime Reduction Award
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HCR 85 LAFLEUR FISHING/CATFISH
Names Melville the Catfish Capital of Louisiana
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
- HCR 86 FAUCHEUX WATERWAYS
Endorses the expeditious implementation of the proposed Maurepas Swamp Diversion from the Mississippi River
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- HCR 87 MORRELL MEDICAID
Amends the Medicaid rule prohibiting mental health rehabilitation providers from admitting new clients while under appeal
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HCR 88 FAUCHEUX TRANSPORTATION DEPT
Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to perform drainage improvements on a section of U.S. Hwy. 61 in LaPlace, La.
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- HCR 90 HUDSON NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT
Authorizes the study of certain proposals for possible inclusion in the state master plan for the Atchafalaya Basin
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- HCR 91 LEBLANC JOINT RULES
Provides that supplemental appropriation bills shall not count against the five-bill limit on bill introductions after the prefiling deadline
Read by title, lies over under the rules.
- HSR 1 WALSWORTH COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests the House Committee on Ways and Means to study the feasibility of imposing a tax on sales of dog and cat food to raise money to adequately fund animal shelters.

Received on 3/26.
Requests study by committee on WAYS & MEANS.
Study request list distributed to members on 4/4 .
Approved on 4/10.

- HSR 2 FAUCHEUX COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests study of the feasibility and benefits of providing an individual income tax credit for health insurance premiums
Received on 3/26.
Requests study by committee on WAYS & MEANS.
Study request list distributed to members on 4/4 .
Approved on 4/10.
- HSR 3 FARRAR OFFICIAL JOURNALS
Requests the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to study policy issues relating to utilizing an internet website rather than official journals for disseminating legal notices and other governmental information to citizens
Received on 3/27.
Requests study by committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
Study request list distributed to members on 4/4 .
Approved on 4/10.
- HCS 1 LAFLEUR HIGHWAYS
Requests study of widening U.S. Highway 167 to four lanes from its intersection with Interstate 49 to the Ville Platte municipal boundary
Received on 3/26.
Requests study by committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
Study request list distributed to members on 4/4 .
- HCS 2 LANCASTER COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests study to review the law with regard to the limitations on the power of the legislature to legislate in an extraordinary session called by the governor, and examination of alternatives to the current system
Received on 3/26.
Requests study by committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
Study request list distributed to members on 4/4 .