

- SB 16 HOLLIS COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS
Prohibits the use of false, misleading, deceptive, and hidden information in advertisements. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 23 CAMPBELL TELECOMMUNICATIONS
Provides for a "do not call" listing for residential telephone subscribers who do not wish to receive telephone solicitations. (gov sig)
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 46 FONTENOT WORKERS' COMPENSATION
Increases benefit limits for each surviving parent from twenty thousand to one hundred thousand dollars.
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 57 HAINKEL SCHOOLS
Revises requirements regarding admission of "at-risk" students into a charter school established with the mission to meet the needs of the children of military personnel. (gov sig)
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- SB 78 MCPHERSON STATE AGENCIES
Prohibits state agencies with certain exceptions, from expending public funds for advertising on billboards. (gov sig)
Read by title and finally passed as amended 39 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House.
Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 117 THEUNISSEN SCHOOLS
Requires the availability to school employers and the Dept. of Education a record of all criminal convictions of a school employee for 10 years prior to a request for such information. (gov sig)
Reported with amendments.
- SB 121 SCHEDLER FUNDS/FUNDING
Constitutional amendment to authorize reductions in appropriations in certain circumstances. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 123 MALONE CAMPAIGN FINANCE
Requires information relative to sample ballots be included on certain campaign finance reports.
Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 124 MALONE FUNDS/FUNDING
Constitutional amendment to authorize a reduction of all constitutional and statutory mandates and dedications when funds are insufficient to meet all funding. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 150 SCHEDLER MENTAL HEALTH
Provides for administering medication to a patient admitted to a psychiatric treatment facility under certain emergency conditions without his consent.
Read by title and finally passed as amended 36 yeas and 2 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House.
Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 151 SCHEDLER MENTAL HEALTH
Provides for an area management structure in the office of mental health. (gov sig)
Read by title and finally passed, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 157 LAMBERT RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
Const. amendment to provide that any elected official of a political subdivision who had served prior to 1/1/97, and who was also a member of a retirement system covering that position during his term may participate in such retirement system.
Reported favorably.
- SB 200 ELLINGTON CAPITAL OUTLAY
Authorizes the Interim Emergency Board to make certain changes to capital outlay projects in a capital outlay act upon approval of the legislature by mail ballot. (7/1/01)
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

- SB 232 FONTENOT MARRIAGE
Prohibits the recognition of civil unions, domestic partnerships, or similar relationships of other states.
Reconsidered. Read by title and returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 240 ELLINGTON FUNDS/FUNDING
Constitutional amendment to authorize the donation, loan, or pledge of public credit for purposes of economic development. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 241 CAMPBELL POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS
Constitutional amendment to prohibit the secretary of state and the commissioner of elections from engaging in certain political activities. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
Read by title as amended, and failed to pass 25 yeas, and 14 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 244 MALONE FARMING
Constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature by law to assist certain farmers and provide funds therefor. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- SB 278 DARDENNE WORKERS' COMPENSATION
Includes occupational therapists as health care providers in the workers' compensation law.
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 282 FONTENOT CLERKS OF COURT
Authorizes the Livingston Parish Clerk of Court to establish and maintain up to two branch offices in Livingston Parish.
Received from the House without amendments.
- SB 294 MICHOT TENURE
Adds failure to achieve the standard required for satisfactory performance on an evaluation established by the employer as a cause to terminate a permanent teacher or school employee. (gov sig)
Reported favorably.
- SB 298 SCHEDLER PUBLIC CONTRACTS
Provides relative to social service contracts. (gov sig)
Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 321 ELLINGTON EXPROPRIATION
Authorizes corporations that transmit or distribute electricity and stream for power to expropriate needed property. (gov sig)
Received from the House without amendments.
- SB 322 HEITMEIER TELECOMMUNICATIONS
Provides for a "do not call" listing for residential telephone subscribers who do not wish to receive telephone solicitations. (gov sig)
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- SB 325 HAINKEL CIVIL SERVICE
Removes chief of police for the city of Hammond from the classified service. (2/3-CA10s18)
Received from the House without amendments.
- SB 341 DUPRE GAMING
Prohibits elected officials from having a pecuniary interest in excess of 10% in any business or organization which holds a riverboat license or the land-based casino operating contract.
Read by title and finally passed, 35 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 372 W FIELDS EXPROPRIATION
Requires DOTD to send to the owner of property 45 days before the filing of a petition in a "quick take" expropriation an itemized statement of the owner's loss or damage, the methodology used in the estimate, and names of the estimators.
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 373 HAINKEL FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides for funding of a program for political subdivision and non-profit entity capital outlay projects.
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SB 401 FONTENOT STATE EMPLOYEE RET
Provides for cost-of-living adjustment for retirees in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System. (6/30/01)
Reported with amendments.

SB 402 FONTENOT STATE EMPLOYEE RET
Provides for eligibility for cost-of-living adjustments for retirees. (gov sig)
Reported favorably.

SB 420 HAINKEL ROADS/HIGHWAYS
Requires DOTD to affix on the Crescent City Connection Bridge office building a permanent plaque commemorating captain Neville Levy.
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 438 DARDENNE TOPS
Lowers the required ACTscore for a TOPS-Tech award from 19 to 17, beginning with the 2000-2001 high school graduates. (gov sig)
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SB 455 MICHOT ELECTRONICS
Provides the electronic government structure for the executive branch of state government. (7/1/01)
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SB 508 SCHEDLER FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides for investment of funds in Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly.
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SB 512 SCHEDLER FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides for investment of funds by political subdivisions.
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 556 CAIN LEGISLATION
Provides relative to Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950.
Title of substitute adopted, becomes Senate Bill No. 1100.

SB 616 HEITMEIER TAX/TAXATION
Provides for the use of toll tags after payment of a refundable deposit by public safety personnel exercising the right of free passage on the Crescent City Connection Bridge and provides for installation and enforcement of certain systems. (gov sig)
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 619 HAINKEL TAX/TAXATION
Provides for privatized collection of delinquent "ad valorem" taxes.
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 621 HAINKEL FIRE PROTECTION
Increases per diem for governing board members of a fire protection district with a population of more than 100,000 persons.
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 623 HAINKEL SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Increases the term of office for Tangipahoa Water District's Board of Commissioners.
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 626 MICHOT MOTOR VEHICLES
Provides for the authority of the Used Motor Vehicle and Parts Commission and its participation in trade shows. (gov sig)
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 687 HEITMEIER ROADS/HIGHWAYS
Provides for compensating certain property owners affected by the addition of a down ramp exit from the Crescent City Connection Bridge. (gov sig)
Read by title, amendments adopted, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 724 IRONS SEIZURES/SALES
Provides relative to exemptions from seizures.
Reconsidered. Read by title and returned to the calendar

subject to call.

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- SB 776 B JONES SCHOOLS
Establishes a program of universal early childhood education
and care classes for four-year olds in any public school system
that wishes to participate. (gov sig)
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- SB 778 DARDENNE ADMINISTRATION DIVISION
Provides for the disposition of non-productive property. (gov
sig)
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 794 CAMPBELL RAILROADS
Requires traffic control devices at all public railroad grade
crossings located within one-half mile of any public or private
school.
Read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the
committee on FINANCE.
- SB 795 MARIONNEAUX CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Requires notice to be given to the defendant, surety of bail
bonds, and the bondsman when the bail bond fixes the date of
appearance when the defendant fails to appear or an appearance
date is changed. (gov sig)
Read by title and finally passed as amended 20 yeas and 17
nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House.
Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 801 LENTINI FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT
Creates Options 5A and 5B with 50% benefit for surviving spouse
and increases contributions to pay cost of benefit. (7/1/01)
Reported with amendments.
- SB 822 HAINKEL JUDGES
Provides for an additional judgeship and the office of
commissioner in the 22nd Judicial District. (01/01/02)
Read by title and finally passed as amended 39 yeas and 0
nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House.
Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 829 THEUNISSEN HIGHER EDUCATION
Authorizes the Board of Regents to establish learning centers
and to provide for their operation, management and supervision.
(gov sig)
Reported with amendments.
- SB 835 HEITMEIER FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides for changes in funding amounts for mass transit
purposes for certain local governments.
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 853 MCPHERSON COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES
Recognizes and defines LSU-A as an institution authorized to
offer baccalaureate degrees. (gov sig)
Read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the
committee on FINANCE.
- SB 866 CAMPBELL ANIMALS
Allows for the introduction of dogfighting paraphernalia as
prima facie evidence of dogfighting. (gov sig)
Read by title and finally passed, 39 yeas and 0 nays. Title
read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.
- SB 878 MARIONNEAUX CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Provides that a bail bond is null and uncollectable when the
time for prosecution has lapsed unless the bond has been
previously forfeited.
Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title
read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.
- SB 911 BOISSIERE COURTS
Provides for the exemption of parking violations from the
jurisdiction of certain courts in the parish of Orleans and in
certain district courts of the parishes within the limits of
the Port of Orleans. (gov sig)
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 913 FONTENOT COURTS
Provides for drug testing performed by certified laboratories
in custody or visitation proceedings.

Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- SB 918 HOYT GAMING
Provides for the redistribution of certain video poker revenues. (gov sig)
Read by title and finally passed, 35 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 941 HAINKEL WORKERS' COMPENSATION
Provides relative to the Horsemen's Workers Compensation Relief Act.
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 965 HOYT WATER/WATERWAYS
Provides relative to the management of ground water resources in the state. (gov sig)
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- SB 979 BOISSIERE LOCAL AGENCIES
Authorizes the Board of Commission of the Port of New Orleans to conduct administrative hearing for parking violations. (7-1-01)
Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 987 JOHNSON PRESCRIPTION
Provides relative to the acquisition of blighted property by acquisitive prescription.
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 996 HINES TAX/TAXATION
Exempts the sale of certain health products under the Medicare program from local sales and use taxes. (7/1/01)
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 1003 JOHNSON PARISHES
Authorizes an increase in the penalty for illegal dumping in Orleans Parish.
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 1022 JOHNSON LOCAL FINANCE
Authorizes local sales tax increment financing in New Orleans. (gov sig)
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 1025 MCPHERSON ROADS/HIGHWAYS
Prohibits stacked configuration of more than one sign if the total area of the signs exceeds 576 square feet.
Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 1046 ELLINGTON TAX/TAXATION
Requires public service companies to pay protested property taxes in full in order to appeal certain decisions of the tax commission and provides for a credit against future taxes if they win.
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 1072 B JONES REAPPORTIONMENT
Repeals certain prohibitions against school boards subdividing precincts in parishes having a population of ten thousand or fewer.
Reported favorably.
- SB 1096 CRAVINS RETIREMENT BENEFITS
Authorizes military service time as creditable service time in certain retirement systems.
Reported with amendments.
- SB 1100 CAIN ROADS/HIGHWAYS
Names Louisiana Highway 110 in Merryville as the "A.C. Schiro Memorial Highway."
Substitute for Senate Bill No. 556 ; read by title.
- SR 15 IRONS CONGRESS
Requests United States Senator Mary Landrieu to support the repeal of the federal death tax.
Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

- SCR 28 BAJOIE HEALTH CARE
Expresses and declares support of the legislature for a women's health platform.
 Read by title, adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 60 DARDENNE COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to study the feasibility of relocating the Louisiana School for the Visually Impaired to the campus of the Louisiana School for the Deaf.
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- SCR 76 THOMAS CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences upon the death of former two-term state representative Tyrus Cobb "TY COBB" Lanier.
 Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 31 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 77 W FIELDS COMMENDATIONS
Expresses support of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.'s "Voter Education and Registration Campaign 2001."
 Introduced in the Senate, rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SCR 78 C D JONES COMMENDATIONS
Commends Chancellor B.K. Agnihotri of Southern University Law Center on being selected to receive the YWCA Racial Justice Award.
 Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 79 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
Requests DHH to apply for a federal grant to study the feasibility of establishing an optional categorically needy Medicaid eligibility group for working individuals with disabilities.
 Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 80 ELLINGTON COMMENDATIONS
Commends and congratulates Chris Shivers on his numerous accomplishments as a professional bull rider.
 Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 81 W FIELDS LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS
Proclaims the week of Oct. 7-13, 2001 as Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.'s "Project Alpha Week".
 Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SCR 82 W FIELDS COMMENDATIONS
Expresses support of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated in its efforts to improve voting systems and address the results of the 2000 census as it applies to the redistricting.
 Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SCR 83 W FIELDS COMMENDATIONS
Commends the members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated for their devoted service to promoting Buckle-Up America, a partnership with the National Transportation Safety Board to promote seat belt safety.
 Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- SCR 84 CRAVINS ADMINISTRATION DIVISION
Suspends part of administrative rule governing payroll deductions for state employees.
 Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on FINANCE.
- HB 6 RIDDLE CIVIL/PROCEDURE
Provides for partial final judgments for court-imposed

sanctions and disciplinary actions related to violations of health care provider-patient privilege

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

- HB 48 HAMMETT HUNTING/DEER
Authorizes the use of dogs for trailing wounded or unrecovered deer
Reported favorably.
- HB 57 ANSARDI CHILDREN/PARENTAL RIGHTS
Provides relative to the name change of minors
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- HB 69 PITRE PROPERTY/EXPROPRIATION
Authorizes the Lafourche Parish Water District No. 1 to expropriate by a declaration of taking
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- HB 98 R CARTER CEMETERIES
Provides for the preference of a surviving spouse in disposing of the remains of the decedent spouse
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- HB 155 R CARTER PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE
Provides for a co-owner's right to rescind a partition in certain cases
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- HB 175 ILES TELECOMMUNICATIONS
Provides for a "do not call" listing for telephone subscribers who do not wish to receive telephone solicitations
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 191 BRUNEAU SUCCESSIONS
Provides that the law in effect at the date of the testator's death governs the construction of the testament
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- HB 192 CRANE TEACHERS/CERTIFICATION
Extends the deadline for certain teachers to have obtained national board certification in order to receive a mandated salary adjustment
Reported with amendments.
- HB 221 CRANE TEACHERS/CERTIFICATION
Extends, from one to three years, the length of time for which certain out-of-state teachers are granted nonrenewable provisional teaching certificates
Reported with amendments.
- HB 233 McDONALD TAX/AD VALOREM TAX
Provides for a procedure for applying for the special assessment level for certain persons sixty-five years of age or older
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- HB 254 DAMICO ENVIRONMENT/SOLID WASTE
Removes authority of the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality to impose fees on certain solid waste facilities
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.
- HB 263 GLOVER CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL
Provides relative to the Shreveport municipal fire and police civil service board
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

HB 293 PINAC SUNSET LAW
Re-creates Department of Economic Development
Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB 330 PERKINS CRIME
Provides for the abatement of public nuisances based on a
pattern of criminal activity involving violence or weapons
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY C.

HB 382 MARTINY PRISONERS/GOOD TIME
Provides with respect to good time earned by prisoners in
parish prisons and multiparish facilities
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY B.

HB 388 QUEZAIRE RAILROADS
Provides relative to the penalty provision for violating
traffic regulations at railroad grade crossings
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 393 R CARTER SEIZURES/SALES
Provides for the exemption from seizure for all firearms
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY C.

HB 409 BROOME CHILDREN/SUPPORT
Provides a mechanism by which non-legal custodians may
consent to medical and educational services for the
children in their care
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY A.

HB 482 PRATT SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES
Provides relative to the investigation of school employees
accused of irregularities or improprieties in administering
standardized tests
Reported favorably.

HB 489 CRANE EDUCATION/SPECIAL
Provides relative to procedures for hearings and appeals
regarding the provision of special education and related
services to children with exceptionalities
Reported favorably.

HB 563 FRITH MTR VEHICLE/TRUCK REGS
Requires reflective tape on trucks hauling sugarcane
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 626 FLAVIN CREDIT/CARDS
Restricts the amount of information that may appear on an
electronically printed credit card receipt
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
COMMERCE.

HB 637 QUEZAIRE MOTOR CARRIERS
Provides for driving time requirements for certain for-hire
carriers
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 680 PINAC LICENSING
Provides for the licensure of persons who engage in money
transmission
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
COMMERCE.

HB 731 MURRAY SEIZURES/SALES
Authorizes the New Orleans Redevelopment Authority to purchase
certain property
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY A.

HB 883 RIDDLE CIVIL/PROCEDURE
Provides for the transfer of structured settlement payment rights
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 932 JOHNS UTILITIES
Provides procedures relative to safety of persons engaged in activities in proximity of high voltage overhead electric lines
Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 978 MURRAY CHILDREN/VISITATION RGTS
Provides contempt of court provisions for the violation of a visitation order
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 981 MURRAY CHILDREN
Provides for juvenile jurisdiction in visitation cases
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 984 HAMMETT TAX/SALES-USE, STATE
Increases effective period for advance sales tax exemption
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 985 HAMMETT TAX/TAXATION
Authorizes collection of federal refund offset fees
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 987 HAMMETT TAX/TAXATION
Authorizes use of collection remedies for rebates, reimbursements, or refunds later disallowed
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 988 HAMMETT REVENUE DEPARTMENT
Authorizes the Department of Revenue to require electronic filing of tax returns or reports for certain taxpayers
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 989 HAMMETT TAX/INCOME TAX
Increases the Department of Revenue's fee for income tax refund offsets
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 992 HAMMETT TAX/TAXATION
Enacts the Tax Delinquency Amnesty Act
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 993 HAMMETT CAPITAL OUTLAY
Provides for exemption from requirement of inclusion in the capital outlay budget for certain projects for certain higher education institutions
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 994 HAMMETT TAX/SALES & USE
Enacts the Uniform Sales and Use Tax Administration Act
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1049 MURRAY PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE
Provides relative to the acquisition of blighted property by acquisitive prescription
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 1076 HAMMETT ASSESSORS
Provides relative to the requirements for certification of assessors
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1103 LEBLANC TAX/TAXATION
Clarifies the actions which constitute the filing of a "false or fraudulent return" and provides that the failure to file any state tax return shall interrupt the running of prescription
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

HB 1105 LEBLANC TAX/TAXATION
Provides for a rule to cease business for failure by certain

persons to remit taxes collected on behalf of the state to the Department of Revenue

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

- HB 1111 PINAC ASSESSORS
Deletes certain obsolete election provisions and provides relative to the filing of bonds and oaths of office for assessors
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1119 PINAC ASSESSORS
Provides for additional types of insurance and penalties for delinquent payments to the Assessors' Insurance Fund
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1138 PINAC BANKS/BANKING
Provides for share exchanges
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 1172 LEBLANC REVENUE DEPARTMENT
Authorizes the publishing of the names of certain delinquent taxpayers
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- HB 1179 FARRAR ENVIRONMENT/AIR
Exempts municipalities of less than five thousand persons from prohibition against burning yardwastes within city limits
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.
- HB 1216 FRITH HOSPITALS
Adds certain hospitals to the definition of rural hospitals in the Rural Hospital Preservation Act
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HB 1227 PINAC BANKS/BANKING
Prohibits certain loan practices
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 1233 PINAC FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
Relative to annual directors' examinations
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 1237 PINAC FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
Makes illegal the submission of false or misleading information on certain applications
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 1258 PINAC GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER
Requires establishment licensees to notify division when there is a change in ownership
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- HB 1269 PIERRE PETROLEUM/OIL-GAS
Provides for Oilfield Site Restoration Commission membership and meetings
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1272 PIERRE SUNSET LAW
Re-creates the Department of Natural Resources
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1273 DAMICO CONSERVATION/OFFICE
Provides relative to funding of site-specific trust accounts
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 1274 PINAC ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT
Provides relative to funding for economic development activities
Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB 1284 CRANE EDUCATION/SPECIAL
Provides relative to the responsibilities of local educational agencies in the provision of special education and related services to children with exceptionalities
Reported favorably.

HB 1297 DURAND PUBLIC LANDS/STATE
Authorizes the exchange of certain state property in St. Martin Parish for certain properties owned by the St. Martin Land Company
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 1313 PINAC FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
Relative to holding of immovable property by certain financial institutions
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

HB 1314 PINAC MORTGAGES
Requires notification to property insurer upon transfer of mortgage
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

HB 1315 DAMICO CONSERVATION/OFFICE
Authorizes the office of conservation to let contracts in response to a declared emergency without public bid
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 1401 CRANE SCHOOLS/CHARTER
Permits, as provided for in a charter, a nonprofit organization to contract with a for-profit organization to manage the charter school and allows delegation of authority over employment decisions at the charter school to the for-profit entity
Reported favorably.

HB 1402 LEBLANC TAX/INCOME TAX
Authorizes any state agency to file an offset claim against individual income tax refunds
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

HB 1436 PINAC MORTGAGES
Relative to the Residential Mortgage Lending Act
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

HB 1448 PINAC ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT
Transfers various boards and commissions from the Department of Economic Development to the office of the governor and other agencies
Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB 1492 DEWITT INSURANCE/GROUP-STATE
Provides for reorganization of the state employee's group life and health group programs
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 1502 WADDELL ENVIRONMENT/HAZ MATERIAL
Provides for transporting hazardous materials on certain roadways within Caddo and Bossier Parishes
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1528 THOMPSON BUDGETARY CONTROLS
Procedures relative to avoidance of budget deficits
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

HB 1666 PINAC ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT
Reorganizes the Department of Economic Development

Signed by the President of the Senate.

- HB 1673 PINAC BANKS/BANKING
Relative to state banks
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 1734 ANSARDI HEALTH CARE/FACILITIES
Creates the Children's Comfort Care Center pilot program to provide care for terminally ill children
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HCR 7 ILES RETIREMENT BENEFITS
Urges the United States Congress to enact the Railroad Retirement and Survivor's Improvement Act of 2001
Reported favorably.
- HCR 15 CROWE SCHOOLS/CLASS SIZE
Encourages local public school boards to reduce fourth and eighth grade class sizes to a maximum of 20 students and requests BESE to revise LEAP 21 policies to encourage such reduction
Reported favorably.
- HCR 96 WINSTON SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Proclaims April 26, 2001, "Take Our Daughters to Work Day"
Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 97 TOWNSEND COMMENDATIONS
Commends head coach John Michael McConathy and the players, assistant coaches, and other staff members of the Northwestern State University mens' basketball team for a remarkable season
Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 98 SCHNEIDER COMMENDATIONS
Commends internationally recognized pianist Ronnie Kole
Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 99 SCHNEIDER COMMENDATIONS
Commends the 2000-01 Saint Paul's High School swimming team
Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 100 SCHNEIDER COMMENDATIONS
Commends the 2000-01 Saint Paul's High School wrestling team
Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 101 SCHNEIDER COMMENDATIONS
Commends the 2000-01 Saint Paul's High School cross country team
Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 102 BRUNEAU CONDOLENCES
Expresses the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of former Representative Vernon J. Gregson
Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 103 BROOME COMMENDATIONS
Commends Marsha Johnson "Marty" Evans
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR 105 POWELL COMMENDATIONS
Commends and salutes the Patient Relations Section of the Health Care Services Division
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR 106 McMANS COMMENDATIONS
Commends the recipients of the Louisiana Young Heroes Awards for 2001
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR 108 KENNARD SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Recognizes May 1, 2001, as Louisiana Family Day and urges the citizens and leaders of Louisiana to appropriately observe this significant occasion
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to

the House.

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Judge Gus A. Fritchie, Jr.

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and
concurrent in by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to
the House.