

**Chamber: Senate**

---

- SB20 Michot LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS  
Revises provisions for distribution of reports to the legislature and adds compliance with distribution procedures as an element for audit by the legislative auditor.  
- Received from the House with amendments.
- SB24 Cain CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE  
Provides relative to the sale or possession of certain substances used to manufacture methamphetamine.  
- Received from the House with amendments.
- SB27 McPherson TAX EXEMPTIONS  
Exempts sickle cell disease organizations from state and local sales taxes. (7/1/05)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB35 Barham LAW ENFORCEMENT  
Permits the retention of post-certified qualifications for five years after end of peace officer service. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB44 Lentini ADMINISTRATION DIVISION  
Requires the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to approve certain vehicle purchases for use by statewide elected officials except the governor and lieutenant governor. (7/1/05)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB45 Dupre PARISHES  
Includes Terrebonne Parish assessor within the definition of "equivalent" officer for the purposes of certain actions by parishes and municipalities relative to liens for removal and securing of dangerous structures. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB46 Murray PUBLIC CONTRACTS  
Increases the current waiver for performance bond requirements for contracts with the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board from \$50,000 to \$100,000. (gov sig)  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SB48 Theunissen LIABILITY  
Provides immunity from liability for gravity drainage or sub-drainage districts for certain clearing of vegetation or application of pesticide. (gov sig)  
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB52 Cheek ETHICS  
Provides a two-year exception to the post-service restrictions in the ethics code to allow a former member of the board of commissioners of DeSoto Parish Waterworks District No. 1 to be employed by the board.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SB53 Fields ELECTION CODE  
Provides for the election of members of congress at the general election. (1/1/06)  
- Received from the House with amendments.
- SB54 Dupre SPECIAL DISTRICTS  
Authorizes expanding Bayou Lafourche Fresh Water District to include Terrebonne Parish. (gov sig)  
- Rules suspended. Called from the calendar.

Chamber: Senate

---

- Read by title, adopted.

- SB63 Duplessis COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS  
Allows for dealer participation in certain finance charges.  
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB65 Kostelka SCHOOLS  
Authorizes the Ouachita Parish School Board to name an athletic facility at the former Calhoun High School in honor of Jerry Lee Lovett, Sr. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB70 Kostelka FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS  
Extends for a period of three years the authorization for special permits for trucks hauling containerized cargo in international trade intended for export within a 50-mile radius of the Port of Ouachita. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB79 Dupre VETERANS  
Creates board of commissioners to serve as governing authority of Veterans' Memorial District of Ward 10 of Lafourche Parish.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB84 Smith, Mike COMMUNITY TECH SYSTEM  
Phases in requirement that no less than six members appointed to the Board of Supervisors have significant experience in vocational education. (gov sig)  
- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB90 Nevers SPECIAL DISTRICTS  
Creates the Tangipahoa Parish Economic Development District. (gov sig)  
- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB102 Ellington TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT  
Re-creates the Dept. of Transportation and Development. (6/30/05)  
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB107 Duplessis BANKS/BANKING  
Authorizes banks to use recognized systems to provide FDIC insurance coverage for public funds deposits. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB108 Adley TAX/AD VALOREM  
Requires additional notice by July 15 of a public meeting at which a taxing body proposes to consider levying additional or increased millage rates without voter approval.  
- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB110 Smith, Mike LOANS  
Allows lender to charge a documentation fee in connection with certain consumer loan transactions. (gov sig)  
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB118 Barham MILITARY AFFAIRS

**Chamber: Senate**

---

Provides with respect to certain rights for employees who are in the uniformed services and called to active duty.

- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- SB119 Jackson, L. POSTSECONDARY ED  
Establishes the components of the La. State University Health Sciences Center at Shreveport. (7/1/05)  
  - Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB132 McPherson PUBLIC PROPERTY  
Provides for accountability to members of the legislature for state resources committed to private persons in certain cooperative endeavors or as it relates to litigation settlements. (1/1/06)  
  - Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB135 Dardenne STATE EMPLOYEE RET  
Changes the eligibility for survivors benefits and retirement for new members of LASERS. (gov sig)  
  - Amendments proposed by the House read and rejected, 37 yeas, and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB138 Malone TAX/TAXATION  
Provides for an innocent spouse rule for collection of taxes other than individual income taxes. (gov sig)  
  - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB142 Theunissen SEIZURES/SALES  
Provides procedure for unredeemed commercial and residential property, and property that is subject to donation which is adjudicated to a municipality for five years or more, and for payment of certain costs upon redemption.  
  - Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB149 Bajoie MEDICAID  
Provides certain patients receiving Medicaid to receive kidney disease evaluations and those who are at risk to be tracked regarding appropriate diagnostic testing and provides strategies to increase the rate of evaluation and treatment.  
  - Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB151 Gautreaux, N. MILITARY AFFAIRS  
Provides certain benefits for active military personnel regarding contractual matters. (gov sig)  
  - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB153 Michot CLERKS OF COURT  
Authorizes acceptance of electronic documents for filing and recording under certain conditions. (gov sig)  
  - Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB158 Dardenne CHILDREN  
Provides for employment contracts by minors to provide artistic or creative services.  
  - Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB161 Amedee CHILDREN

Chamber: Senate

---

Terminates voluntary relative placement of children without court supervision.

- Received from the House without amendments.

SB162

Heitmeier

COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS

Prohibits price gouging during a named tropical storm or hurricane.

- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB173

Michot

TAX/SALES

Revises the formula for payment of sales tax by interstate and foreign commerce transportation dealers. (gov sig)

- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB180

Malone

TRUSTS

Eliminates the exemption from public bid law requirements authorized for public trust contracts involving economic development facilities and activities.

- Received from the House without amendments.

SB182

Dupre

MINERALS

Creates Louisiana Royalty Relief Dry Hole Credit Program. (gov sig)

- Received from the House with amendments.

SB184

Lentini

MALPRACTICE

Provides relative to notification of medical review panels.

- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB185

Cravins

GROUP INSURANCE

Permits certain certified professional staff in office of youth services and the Special School District with 20 or more continuous years of participation in the group insurance offered by the former employing local school system to qualify for a state contribution of 75% of health insurance premiums upon retirement.

- Amendments proposed by the House read and rejected, 35 yeas, and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB187

Dupre

COASTAL RESOURCES

Constitutional amendment to provide that certain federal revenues received by the state generated from Outer Continental Shelf oil and gas activity shall be credited to the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund and used only for certain purposes. (2/3 - CA13s1(A))

- Received from the House with amendments.

SB188

Fontenot

ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL

Provides relative to criminal penalties for violations of the Louisiana Pollutant Discharge Elimination System.

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB190

Broome

HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Revises the law concerning citizens with developmental disabilities. (gov sig)

- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB195

Dupre

COASTAL RESOURCES

Provides for deposit into Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund and uses of certain federal revenues generated from Outer Continental Shelf oil and gas activity.

- Received from the House with amendments.

**Chamber: Senate**

---

- SB196 Barham IMMOVABLE PROPERTY  
Provides for the definition of component parts of buildings or other constructions. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB200 Bajoie TAX/LOCAL  
Constitutional amendment to provide an exemption from the ad valorem tax for consigned art. (1/1/07) (2/3-CA13s1(A))  
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB205 Duplessis DATA BASE  
Provides for the Database Security Breach Notification Law. (1/1/06)  
- Notice House conferees appointed.  
- Senate conference committee appointed: Duplessis, Hollis, and Bajoie.
- SB208 Heitmeier SAFETY REGULATIONS  
Clarifies certain requirements with respect to tail lamps on motor vehicles. (gov sig)  
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB210 Heitmeier PUBLIC LANDS  
Provides a procedure for filing claims for the return of certain lands in the Bohemia Spillway and for the payment of certain revenues derived from such property. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB212 Marionneaux CIVIL PROCEDURE  
Requires a filing fee to be paid by the party praying for a jury in a civil trial.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB216 Dupre MILITARY AFFAIRS  
Creates Louisiana Military Family Assistance Fund and Louisiana Military Family Assistance Board, and provides for donations to fund and distribution of amounts.(gov sig)  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SB218 Dupre PUBLIC PROPERTY  
Provides for the acquisition of surplus computer equipment by certain public educational institutions. (gov sig)  
- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB219 Fontenot FUNDS/FUNDING  
Repeals the authority of PSC to establish rules for the Energy Efficiency Fund.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB222 Hollis BANKS/BANKING  
Authorizes imposition of an additional charge in a consumer credit transaction if the consumer makes an electronic payment.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB224 Hollis WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT  
Authorizes a system of special certificate agents to collect motorboat or sailboat registration certificate fees and issue registration certificates and decals, and to collect commercial fisherman's license fees and issue commercial fisherman's licenses. (gov sig) (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

**Chamber: Senate**

---

SB232	Murray	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	Creates and provides for a "museum" alcohol beverage permit that authorizes the sale of certain commemorative bottles and the service of limited product samples in a historic museum facility operated in a historic preservation district. (gov sig) - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB237	Ullo	SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT	Authorizes Dept. of Social Services to enter into certain contingency fee contracts pursuant to the provisions of the Randolph-Sheppard Act. - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB238	Ellington	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	Provides relative to economic development activities. - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB239	Ullo	SCHOOLS	Authorizes charter schools to participate in the LA 4 program. - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB247	Mount	CONTRACTS	Provides for the retroactive effect of a partnership's or a limited liability company's existence when immovable property is acquired prior to their creation. (gov sig) - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB256	Mount	TUITION	Provides a college scholarship for a child whose parent was killed as a result of service in certain theaters of military operation. - Received from the House with amendments.
SB268	Smith, Mike	ROADS/HIGHWAYS	Provides, relative to the logo signing program, for contracts with qualified third parties to be a competitive process awarded pursuant to the procurement code. (gov sig) - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB270	McPherson	MEDICAID	Provides for the Medicaid program to develop a program to expand coverage to certain low-income uninsured through a Medicaid waiver. - Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
SB271	McPherson	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT	Establishes the direct care worker registry. (gov sig) - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB278	Nevers	SPECIAL DISTRICTS	Provides for the authority, composition, duties, functions, powers, and responsibilities of the Washington Parish Reservoir District. (gov sig) - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB292	Hines	HORSE RACING	Authorizes a Horsemen's Workers' Compensation Insurance Program. - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SB313	Marionneaux	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	

Chamber: Senate

---

Establishes the East Feliciana Parish Economic Development District. (gov sig)

- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB322 Fontenot TAX/TAXATION  
Authorizes a Brownfields Investor Tax Credit. (7/1/05)  
- Received from the House without amendments.

SB327 Jones LOCAL AGENCIES  
Authorizes an increase in per diem for the Madison Parish Hospital Service District Board of Commissioners. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB330 Gautreaux, N. MUNICIPALITIES  
Provides for disciplinary action by the chief of police in Carencro. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB332 Gautreaux, N. SPECIAL DISTRICTS  
Increases the membership of the board of commissioners of the Southeast Waterworks District No. 2 of Vermilion Parish.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB348 Cravins SPECIAL DISTRICTS  
Creates the Opelousas Downtown Development District. (gov sig)  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB355 Ullo TOPS  
Creates the TOPS-Tech Early Start Award for high school juniors and seniors. (gov sig)  
- Received from the House with amendments.

SCR86 Gautreaux, B. HOSPITALS  
Provides for the Hospital-acquired Infection Reporting Task Force to study the feasibility and cost of requiring all hospitals to report hospital-acquired infections to DHH.  
- Committee amendments read and adopted.  
- Read by title, amended, adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. Ordered engrossed and sent to the House.

SCR121 Smith, Mike COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Russell Sullivan for a lifetime of dedication to agricultural education.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 30 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.  
- Received from the House without amendments.

SCR122 Dardenne PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT  
Requests DPS and DHH to study the possibility of taking prisoners at Angola who need hospital care to Villa Feliciana Medical Complex and other rural hospitals rather than to Earl K. Long Medical Center in Baton Rouge.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 33 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

SCR123 Michot CONDOLENCES  
Offers condolences to the family of Robley P. "Shine" Domingue.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote

**Chamber: Senate**

---

of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

- SCR124 Murray HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT  
Directs office of public health to expeditiously develop and promulgate emergency and permanent rules to permit the renovation and operation of the Farmers Market Shed in the New Orleans Farmers Market.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR125 Ullo FUNDS/FUNDING  
Approves the MFP developed and adopted by BESE on June 16, 2005.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate, read first time by title.
- SR54 Marionneaux CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of Private First Class Kristian E. Parker.  
- Rules suspended. Called from the calendar.  
- Read by title, adopted.
- SR144 Ellington RAILROADS  
Establishes a group to study state participation in and implementation of the Federal Railroad Safety Program State Participation Agreement.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR145 Marionneaux CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of Linda J. Villar.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate, read first time by title.
- HB17 Powell, T. CHILDREN/ABUSE  
Increases the time limitations for instituting prosecution for certain sex offenses against children  
- Conference committee report read, rules suspended, adopted by a vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays.  
Motion to reconsider tabled
- HB30 Smith, Jack LAW ENFORCE/OFFICERS  
Provides with respect to financial security for survivors of law enforcement officers and firemen  
- Reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB36 Farrar INSURANCE/HEALTH  
Requires coverage of colorectal cancer screening  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB59 Guillory, E. BARBERS  
Prohibits the listing of complete social security information on the certificates of registration for barbers and instructors  
- Senate conference committee appointed: Mount, Hollis, and Nevers.
- HB69 Tucker INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE  
Provides for discount for automobile liability insurance for active military personnel paid by a credit against the premium taxes  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB75 Alexander LOCAL OFFL/POLICE CHIEFS  
Provides for the powers of the chief of police for the city of Broussard

Chamber: Senate

---

- 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.
  
- HB95            Smith, Gary                                    MILITARY AFFAIRS/NATL GD  
Provides relative to members of LANG and their survivors

  - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
  
- HB120          Hill    STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP  
Provides, relative to initial eligibility for a TOPS award beginning with the 2005-2006 award year, for minimum scores on specified standardized tests that are required of certain home study students

  - Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
  
- HB121          Odinet    NURSING HOMES  
Requires criminal background checks on nursing home and long-term care facility residents

  - Reconsidered. Read by title and returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.
  
- HB133          Cazayoux                                        CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL  
Provides relative to removal of employees who have served less than three months of their working tests

  - 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.
  
- HB145          Thompson                                        DISTRICTS/RAILROAD  
Changes authorized boundaries of railroad development districts and maximum rate of ad valorem tax levied by such districts

  - 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.
  
- HB151          Dove    COURTS/COURT REPORTERS  
Changes fees for court reporters in the 32nd JDC

  - 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.
  
- HB152          Guillory, E.                                     ELECTIONS  
Prohibits the use of electronic communication devices while a voter is in a voting machine

  - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
  
- HB154          Pitre    MUNICIPAL/ORDINANCES  
Prohibits certain municipalities from enacting ordinances forbidding fishermen or their employees from selling or peddling fish in public places in the municipality

  - Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
  
- HB158          Marchand                                         EDUCATION  
Relative to compulsory K-12 school attendance, authorizes La. licensed nurse practitioners to substantiate certain illnesses permitting temporary absence and removes exemptions based on child's residence

  - 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.
  
- HB160          Honey     DISTRICTS/TAXING  
Prohibits tax increment financing involving school systems without prior approval of the system

  - Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**Legislative Day History**  
**Thursday June 16th, 2005**  
**Chamber: Senate**

Jun 16, 2005 - 7:40 PM  
Page 10 of 22

- 
- |       |             |                          |   |
|-------|-------------|--------------------------|---|
| HB161 | Bruce       | COURTS                   | Provides for court reporter fees in the Eleventh Judicial District Court<br>- 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.  |
| HB178 | Hutter      | SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES        | Prohibits, except under certain circumstances, public school boards and nonpublic schools and school systems from hiring specified persons convicted of certain crimes<br>- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.                         |
| HB184 | Frith       | PROPERTY/PUBLIC          | Provides for the transfer of certain sixteenth section land in Vermilion Parish<br>- 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.   |
| HB187 | Arnold      | TAX/AD VALOREM-EXEMPTION | (Constitutional Amendment) Removes prohibition against extending exemption for motor vehicles to municipal taxes<br>- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.  |
| HB194 | Faucheux    | TAX/LOCAL                | Authorizes sheriff to retain attorney at an hourly rate for tax and fee collection<br>- Senate conference committee appointed: Amedee, Shepherd (Sen), and Marionneaux.   |
| HB197 | Dove        | COASTAL RES/COASTAL ZONE | Creates the Coastal Passes Stabilization and Restoration Program and Fund<br>- 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.   |
| HB204 | Cazayoux    | WATERWAYS/LAKES          | Exempts from royalty payments the dredging of False River to remove sediment or to enhance recreation and navigation<br>- 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.      |
| HB224 | Dartez      | FUNDS/FUNDING            | Increases the balance in the Dept. of Justice Legal Support Fund dedicated to support the Department of Justice<br>- Read by title and finally passed as amended 36 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled. |
| HB228 | Jefferson   | CRIMINAL/EXTRADITION     | Provides with respect to bail in extradition cases<br>- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.  |
| HB238 | St. Germain | WILDLIFE & FISHERIES     | Provides relative to the Lifetime License Endowment Fund<br>- 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.  |
| HB242 | Crowe       | ABORTION                 | Requires certain informed consent information to be offered to rape and incest victims prior to obtaining an abortion   |

**Legislative Day History**  
**Thursday June 16th, 2005**  
**Chamber: Senate**

Jun 16, 2005 - 7:40 PM  
Page 11 of 22

- 
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB244            Walsworth                            PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT  
Requires preparation of an annual report on the salaries of state troopers  
- Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB252            Arnold                                    PUBLIC MEETINGS  
Relative to school board meetings, makes provisions for public comment at meetings of other public bodies applicable to school board meetings  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB268            Burrell                                    FUNDS/FUNDING  
Dedicates a portion of revenues derived from the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming Control Fund for the Compulsive and Problem Gaming Fund  
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- HB272            Baldone                                    CRIME/BURGLARY  
Provides with respect to looting  
- Conference committee report read, rules suspended, adopted by a vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled
- HB285            Cravins, Jr.                                RAILROADS  
Increases the civil penalties for certain railroad grade crossing violations  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB295            Townsend                                    COURTS/COURT REPORTERS  
Provides for court reporter fees in the 39th JDC  
- Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB303            Hammett                                    TAX/TAXATION  
Authorizes an income or corporation franchise tax for ad valorem taxes paid for certain natural gas  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB304            Hammett                                    TAX/SALES-USE, STATE  
Excludes purchases of certain natural gas  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB310            LaFleur                                    DISTRICTS/RECREATION  
Provides with respect to the Evangeline-Ville Platte Recreation District board of commissioners  
- Reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB314            Walsworth                                    PUBLIC BLDGS/GROUNDS-ST  
Authorizes the Ouachita Parish School Board to name the ROTC building at West Monroe High School in honor of James Donald Halsell, Jr.  
- Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB327            Quezaire                                    MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES  
Provides relative to the creation and issuance of military honor license plates for veterans and military personnel

Chamber: Senate

---

- Rules suspended; reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- HB356            Richmond                            ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
Defines qualified equity investment and qualified low-income community investments for purposes of the new markets tax credit  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB370            Fauchoux                            ASSESSORS/PROPERTY ASSMT  
(Constitutional Amendment) Freezes the tax assessment of the homestead of a person who is designated as disabled by the U.S. Social Security Administration  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB372            Quezaire                            MTR VEHICLE/WEIGHT REGS  
Provides relative to exceptions to the assessment of penalties for certain overweight and over-axle violations  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB377            Downs                                TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL  
Authorizes the Union Parish School Board, subject to voter approval, to levy and collect an additional sales tax  
- 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.
- HB380            Arnold                                RETIREMENT/STATE SYSTEMS  
Continues requirement that state retirement systems direct ten percent of trades through broker-dealers located in the state and ten percent through those incorporated and domiciled in the state  
- Read by title and finally passed, 21 yeas and 13 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB386            Smiley                                BOARDS/COMMISSIONS  
Abolishes certain boards, commissions, authorities, districts, and like entities  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB387            Salter                                SABINE RIVER AUTHORITY  
Authorizes the Sabine River Authority to create and maintain a law enforcement division  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB393            Bruneau                              GAMING/REVENUE  
Increases the amount of monies dedicated for deposit into the Beautification and Improvement of the New Orleans City Park Fund from the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming Control Fund  
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.
- HB397            Baldone                              FISHING/NETS  
Removes certain restrictions on unattended nets  
- 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.
- HB401            Tucker                              TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY  
Provides with respect to the hotel occupancy tax in the city of New Orleans and in certain parishes  
- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

**Legislative Day History**  
**Thursday June 16th, 2005**  
**Chamber: Senate**

Jun 16, 2005 - 7:40 PM  
Page 13 of 22

---

HB406	Lambert	PUBLIC RECORDS	Provides for distribution of copies of the state official journal containing acts of the legislature to judges only upon request - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB415	Powell, M.	ELECTIONS/DATES	Eliminates the January election date for bond, tax, and other proposition elections - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB427	Badon	DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD	Creates and provides for the Kingswood Subdivision district and its board of commissioners - 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.
HB428	Pierre	ENERGY/ALTERNATE	Authorizes the Department of Natural Resources to lease state lands for the development or production of wind energy - Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB429	Honey	SCHOOLS/LOCAL SUPERINTDT	Provides prospectively relative to the employment and removal of a superintendent of schools by a city, parish, or other local public school board - Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB432	Alario	PROCUREMENT	To authorize the use of the request for proposal process for the procurement of certain supplies, services, or major repairs - Read by title and finally passed as amended 36 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB440	Faucheux	HEALTH/DHH	Provides for the imposition and collection of certain fees relative to the office of addictive disorders - Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB458	Downs	STUDENT/DISCIPLINE	Requires, with certain exceptions, a public school principal to recommend expulsion of a student age 11 or older in pre-kindergarten through grade five for carrying or possessing a knife of a specified size - Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB460	Alario	FUNDS/FUNDING	Establishes the Rapid Response Fund in the state treasury for purposes of economic development and provides for the dedication and deposit of certain monies into the fund - 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.
HB477	Dove	WATERWAYS/LAKES	Provides relative to the authority of game and fish commissions, and political subdivisions to regulate certain vessels - Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB478	Heaton	RETIREMENT/JUDGES - CT OFF	

Chamber: Senate

---

Provides for cost-of-living adjustments for judges and surviving spouses of judges who did not opt to become members of the retirement system

- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

HB481

Arnold ASSESSORS

Creates funding for the Board of Assessors for Orleans Parish

- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB505

Smith, Jack HIGHER EDUCATION

Requirements of budget requests for higher education agencies

- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 34 yeas and 4 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB509

Triche MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS

Provides relative to violations on an individual's official operating record

- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB519

McVea SCHOOLS/BOARDS

Provides for equal allocation of ad valorem taxes remitted to the Teachers' Retirement System from East Baton Rouge Parish among local school systems in the parish

- 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.

HB528

Doerge HEALTH/DHH

Transfers licensing of certain long-term care providers from the Department of Social Services to the Department of Health and Hospitals

- Senate conference committee appointed: Jackson, L., McPherson, and Cheek.

HB542

Johns TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY

Authorizes the Southwest Louisiana Convention and Visitors Bureau to increase the hotel occupancy tax in Calcasieu Parish and provides for its applicability to certain complimentary rooms

- Reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB560

Alario BUDGETARY PROCEDURES

Provides relative to the contents of the executive budget

- Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB561

Lancaster INSURERS/AGENTS

Requires six hours of continuing education per year for title insurance agents to renew license

- Senate conference committee appointed: Cravins, Cain, and Kostelka.

HB562

Hammett STATE AGENCIES

Authorizes the attorney general to collect debts owed to state agencies

- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB563

Gray FIRE PROTECT/FIRE DEPTS

Requires the fire department of the city of New Orleans to adopt a written policy establishing a maximum age requirement for any person hired as a fire suppression employee of such department

Chamber: Senate

---

- Reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB573 Kennard TAX/AD VALOREM-EXEMPTION  
(Constitutional Amendment) Provides for an exemption for honorably discharged disabled military veterans based upon their percentage of disability  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB574 Barrow INSURANCE/HEALTH  
Provides relative to credentialing and recredentialing of health care providers by health insurance issuers  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB586 Jefferson DISTRICTS/REDEVELOPMENT  
Provides relative to the New Orleans Community Improvement Act  
- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 38 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB587 Odinet FISHING/OYSTERS  
Authorizes the use of fish excluder devices around oyster leases  
- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB598 LaFonta DISTRICTS/HISTORIC  
Provides for procedures for approval of applications for certificates of appropriateness for certain new construction in certain historic preservation districts  
- Senate floor amendment read and adopted.  
- Tabled by a vote of 18 yeas and 15 nays.
- HB628 Quezairé PROCUREMENT  
Creates the Louisiana Initiative for Small Entrepreneurships  
- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 36 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB630 Hebert PROPERTY/PUBLIC  
Authorizes sale of state land in Iberia Parish  
- 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.
- HB631 Carter, K. TAX CREDITS  
Authorizes sound recording investor tax credits  
- Rules suspended, reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB636 Daniel LOCAL GOVERNMENT  
Provides relative to the maintenance of roads, drainage, and utilities within incorporated areas of East Baton Rouge Parish  
- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB639 Martiny TAX/SALES & USE  
Defines hotel and places of amusement for excluding certain entities exempt from federal income

---

	taxation		
			- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB640	LaFonta	TAX/AD VALOREM TAX	
	Authorizes the city of New Orleans to impose upon certain governing authorities a fee to defray cost of collecting ad valorem taxes		
			- Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB644	Barrow	CHILDREN/ABUSE	
	Repeals certain provisions relative to the disposition of reports and investigations of child abuse		
			- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB651	Carter, K.	EDUCATION	
	Provides relative to the release of certain information to public health insurance programs that cover children		
			- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB654	Montgomery	BONDS	
	Authorizes securitization of unclaimed property revenues to provide funds for I-49 North and South projects		
			- Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB655	Montgomery	TAX/SALES-USE, ST-EXEMPT	
	Provides with respect to enterprise zone sales tax exemption requirements		
			- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB663	Glover	PARDON/PAROLE	
	Creates an application process for persons incarcerated to apply for compensation upon proof of factual innocence		
			- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB665	Tucker	DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL	
	Provides relative to the Algiers Development District		
			- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB668	Kleckley	PARISH/CALCASIEU	
	Provides relative to the demolition, removal, replacement, repair, and maintenance of any community or individual sewerage system, or parts thereof, situated within the parish which endangers the public welfare or safety		
			- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 1 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB675	Beard	HEALTH/DEATH-DYING	
	Provides with respect to life-sustaining declarations		
			- Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB682	Geymann	RETIREMENT/STATEWIDE SYS	
	Relative to contributions for the Municipal Employees' Retirement System (MERS), the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System (MPERS), and the Firefighters' Retirement System (FRS)		
			- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 38

Chamber: Senate

---

yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- HB683 Dove MINERALS/LEASES  
Relative to the management and administration of mineral leases on state land  
- 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.
- HB689 Walsworth INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE  
Provides for restitution to insurers subject to automobile insurance fraud  
- Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB692 Wooton DWI  
Provides with respect to ignition interlock devices as a condition of bail  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB701 Baudoin PROPERTY/PUBLIC  
Prohibits permanent deer hunting stands on state lands  
- Read by title and finally passed, 33 yeas and 3 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB711 Morrell LAW ENFORCE/OFFICERS  
Provides relative to information retained in the personnel files of police officers  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB715 Hopkins FUNDS/FUNDING  
Authorizes the state to forgive the debt owed to the state by the Sabine River Authority  
- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 37 yeas and 1 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB724 Erdey RETIREMENT/STATE SYSTEMS  
Allows the director of the LSU Laboratory School to be a member of LASERS rather than TRSL  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 36 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB742 Carter, K. DISTRICTS/SPECIAL  
Creates the Greater New Orleans Biosciences Economic Development District  
- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB744 Crowe COMMERCE  
Restricts the duplication of motor vehicle keys based on vehicle identification numbers  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB746 Curtis DISTRICTS/TAXING  
Provides for tax increment financing in a parish with a population of not more than 130,000 and not less than 120,000 persons for certain purposes  
- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB747 Hammett TAX/SALES & USE  
Establishes sales price of refinery gas sold to another person  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the

**Legislative Day History**  
**Thursday June 16th, 2005**  
**Chamber: Senate**

Jun 16, 2005 - 7:40 PM  
Page 18 of 22

---

Legislative Bureau.

- HB749 Hutter HEALTH  
Provides for licensing for pain management clinics  
- Notice of change in House conferees.
- HB778 Heaton PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS  
Exempts certain airport property leases from public lease laws  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB786 Salter SMALL BUSINESS  
Provides relative to the Louisiana Community Development Financial Institution Act  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB796 Morrell SCHOOLS  
Provides for the effectiveness of legislation providing for the creation of the Northeast Louisiana Delta Learning Center  
- Reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB797 Beard FUNDS/FUNDING  
Creates the Louisiana Film Institute  
- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB820 Dove DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL  
Provides relative to the board of commissioners, budget, financial reports, and powers of the Terrebonne Economic Development Authority  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB826 Erdey TAX/LOCAL  
Authorizes the Livingston Parish governing authority to levy a documentary transaction tax or immovable property transaction fee  
- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB829 Jackson, M. PUBLIC TRANSPORT/MASS TR  
Provides relative to the Capital Area Transit System  
- Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB835 Daniel TAX/SEVERANCE-EXEMPTION  
Exempts from the severance tax production from certain inactive wells from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2010  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB840 Alario FUNDS/FUNDING  
Provides for the dedication of the sales tax collected by the Louisiana Tourism Promotion District  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB862 Burrell TAX/TAXATION  
Establishes tax credits and rebates in order to provide for an urban revitalization program  
- Rules suspended, reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read

---

and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- HB867 LaBruzzo MTR VEHICLE/REGISTRATION  
Provides a credit against state and local use tax for motor vehicles purchased and titled in another state  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB870 Gray DISTRICTS/SPECIAL  
Creates the Orleans Parish Juvenile Services Financing District  
- Reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB878 Thompson SHERIFFS  
Provides for the payment of insurance premiums for certain retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs in Richland Parish  
- 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.
- HB879 Frith TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY  
Requires a tourist commission within certain parishes to levy and collect an additional hotel occupancy tax and dedicates the proceeds of the tax increase to youth athletic programs and tourism  
- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 35 yeas and 1 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB880 Lancaster CHILDREN  
Provides for the release or exchange of information concerning children and their families  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB882 Carter, R. INSURANCE/HMO  
Provides relative to coverage by health maintenance organizations of certain services performed by chiropractors  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB886 Smith, Jane STUDENTS  
Provides relative to alternative educational programs for certain adjudicated students and those in the custody of the office of youth development  
- 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.
- HCR1 Farrar SANITARY CODE  
Provides with respect to manufacturer's endorsements  
- Reported with amendments.
- HCR22 Jefferson VOTING/REGISTRATION  
Directs the Louisiana Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections to create a system to notify those convicted of a felony who have completed their terms of confinement or parole relative to reinstatement of voter registration  
- Committee amendments read and adopted.  
- Read by title. Amended, concurred in by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR39 Crowe SCHOOLS/PRAYER

Chamber: Senate

---

Expresses support for the practice of prayer at the beginning of school board meetings, recognizes that such prayer is a protected act, and disapproves of a court decision ruling that such prayer is unconstitutional

- Reported favorably.

- HCR63 Daniel PUBLIC OFFLS/EMPS  
Urges and requests all public bodies and officers to give information to the public about applicants and candidates for public positions of authority and to discontinue the practice of oral only contacts and interviews  
- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR80 Thompson SCHOOLS  
Requests the UL system board of supervisors to study the feasibility of establishing a university laboratory school on or near the ULM campus  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR112 Powell, M. HIGHER ED/MEDICAL SCHLS  
Urges and requests Louisiana Medical Schools to consider requiring medical students participation in clinical rotations in rural areas of the state in order to give medical students exposure to rural care medical practices as part of a strategy to attract and increase more new physicians to these historically underserved areas of the state in the future  
- Reported favorably.
- HCR130 Beard HEALTH/DHH  
Requests the Department of Health and Hospitals to take steps to facilitate donation of blood from umbilical cords for the extraction of stem cells  
- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR132 Fannin WATER/RESOURCES  
Requests the office of conservation to develop a model water conservation education program  
- Reported favorably.
- HCR138 Smith, Gary MILITARY AFFAIRS  
Memorializes congress to make permanent the increases in Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance coverage and Death Gratuity benefits  
- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR151 Morrell MUNICIPALITIES/NO  
Requests the New Orleans City Council to establish and enforce a moratorium on establishment or expansion of hotels or motels in the Downtown Development District and the French Quarter in New Orleans  
- Reported with amendments.
- HCR169 Glover ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
Requests that the House Commerce Committee and the Senate Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs Committee to function as a joint committee to conduct a thorough study of the current status of the automobile manufacturing industry in the state  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR170 Gray UNEMPLOYMENT COMP  
Requests the House Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations and the Senate Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to function as a joint committee to study domestic abuse and its effect in the workplace  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

**Chamber: Senate**

---

- HCR172 Robideaux CHILD DAY CARE FACILITY  
Requests the Department of Social Services to study the feasibility of promulgating and adopting rules and regulations to provide for the licensing of "drop-in" programs  
- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 38 yeas and nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR173 Dove HIGHWAYS  
Urges and requests the Department of Transportation and Development to consider restricting the weight limit of commercial vehicles traveling on Bayou Blue Road in Terrebonne Parish and to consider lowering the posted speed limit for such highway  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HCR174 Odinet FISHING/OYSTERS  
Request the secretary of the U.S. Dept. of Commerce not to list the eastern oyster under the Endangered Species Act  
- Reported favorably.
- HCR178 Gallot RECORDS/RECORDATION  
Urges the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the duties of clerks of court and recorders of mortgages and conveyances to maintain original, electronic, and historic records affecting immovable property  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR179 Gray JUVENILES  
Provides with respect to juvenile competency  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR182 Glover DRUGS/PRESCRIPTION  
Requests the Department of Health and Hospitals to study all viable opportunities to offer prescription drugs at no cost or reduced cost to Louisiana's uninsured and under-insured populations  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR185 Quezaire RAILROADS  
Urges railroads operating in Louisiana to increase contributions for railroad grade crossing safety improvements  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR189 Walsworth MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES  
Urges and requests the attorneys representing the state of Louisiana in the Henderson v. Stalder case to seek relief from the injunction prohibiting issuance of special prestige license plates  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR192 Beard PLANNING/ZONING-LOCAL  
Relative to the Horizon Plan of the East Baton Rouge Parish Planning and Zoning Commission, the City Council, and land developments  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR193 Smith, John COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Trooper First Class Rodney Helton upon his receipt of the 2005 Governor Jimmie Davis Sunshine Award  
- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 29 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR195 Scalise ECONOMIC DEVEL/COMMUNITY  
Requests the governor to select a university or universities to conduct a study of the economic impact of the state's film industry on the local economies of the state's parishes and municipalities

Chamber: Senate

---

- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 28 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR196 Pitre COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Marian Cooper of Grand Isle High School for being named Educator of the Year by the American Legion, Department of Louisiana

- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 29 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR197 Jefferson ELECTIONS/POLLING PLACES  
Urges and requests the City Council of New Orleans to examine the possibility of establishing a polling place on the Tulane University campus

- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 30 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR198 Walker COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Louisiana Economic Development for obtaining ISO 9001:2000 registration and recognizes its outstanding contributions

- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HCR199 Hutter LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS  
Designates St. Bernard Parish as the "Redfish Capital of Louisiana"

- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HCR200 Scalise COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Taylor Hackford, director, upon the nomination of "Ray" for the Academy Award for Best Motion Picture of the Year and his nomination as Best Director

- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HCR201 Scalise COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Jamie Foxx upon winning an Academy Award for his portrayal of Ray Charles

- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HCR202 Scalise COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Stuart Benjamin, executive producer, for his involvement in the production of "Ray"

- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.