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SB18	Fields	ELECTION CODE	Provides for a closed party primary election system for congressional offices with candidates and voters participating in a first and second primary according to party affiliation. (1/1/07) - Reported favorably.
SB83	Jones	ETHICS	Reduces from six to three years the required time that the Board of Ethics must retain Campaign Finance Disclosure reports. - Reported with amendments.
SB150	Jones	ELECTION CODE	Provides for a closed party primary election system for congressional offices with candidates and voters participating in a first and second primary according to party affiliation. (1/1/07) - Reported favorably.
SB219	McPherson	TAX/TAXATION	Constitutional amendment to remove the prohibition on levying a further tax or license in addition to the severance tax on oil, gas, or sulphur leases or rights. (2/3 CA13s1(A)) - Rules suspended. Called from the calendar. - Read by title and referred to the committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.
SB286	Fields	PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS	Provides for the naming of the floor on which the executive offices of the Department of Social Services are housed in memory of Mia George. - Reported favorably.
SB291	Fields	VOTERS/VOTING	Allows a displaced voter to receive an absentee ballot without requesting one. (gov sig) - Reported with amendments.
SB306	Jones	ETHICS	Provides that a former member or members of his immediate family or any entity that the former member or his immediate family member has controlling interest of a board or commission may not enter into a contract with that board or commission. - Reported favorably.
SB343	Hollis	FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	Authorizes the commissioner of the office of financial institutions to obtain certain state and federal criminal history records. (CA7s2.1(A)) (gov sig) - Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB344	Hollis	FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	Authorizes the commissioner of the office of financial institutions to disclose certain records. (gov sig) - Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB357	Hollis	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS	Provides relative to the enforcement of building codes by municipalities and parishes. (gov sig) - Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB372	Hollis	FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	

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Allows the office of financial institutions to collect a fee when payment is returned unpaid or is refused or declined. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) (gov sig)

- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB384 Hollis COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS
Provides relative to collection agents and collection agencies. (gov sig)

- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB541 Ullo ETHICS
Permits a former employee to contract to provide sign language or interpreting services at any time with any agency, including his former agency.

- Reported with amendments.

SB551 Michot SECURITIES
Provides for the powers of the commissioner of securities. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) (gov sig)

- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB552 Michot SECURITIES
Defines certain terms for purposes of the Louisiana Securities Law. (gov sig)

- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB554 Ullo CEMETERIES
Provides for cemetery business activities by limited liability companies and by cemetery sales organizations and cemetery management organizations.

- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB578 Michot SECURITIES
Provides for the registration of investment advisors pursuant to the Louisiana Securities Law. (gov sig)

- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB584 Michot SECURITIES
Provides technical changes relative to the Louisiana Securities Law. (gov sig)

- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SCR4 Michot COMMENDATIONS
Commends Amanda Harb for exemplary volunteer service by receiving a 2006 Prudential Spirit of Community Award.

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR5 Michot COMMENDATIONS
Commends Tara Doucet for exemplary volunteer service by receiving a 2006 Prudential Spirit of Community Award.

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR6 Jones VOTERS/VOTING
Provides for the creation of a task force to identify and locate displaced Louisiana citizens and to aid in their return to Louisiana.

- Reported favorably.

SCR7 Cheek LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS
Designates March 2006 as "Kidney Cancer Awareness Month."

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- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR12 Ellington COMMENDATIONS
Commends Tony Culp upon the occasion of his retirement as the director of the aviation section at DOTD.

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR15 Jones SECRETARY OF STATE
Provides for the creation of a study committee to review and recommend a proposal for the development and location of regional records center outside of the State Archives Building and a records recovery complex.

- Introduced in the Senate, rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SCR16 McPherson FISH/FISHING
Urges and requests Wildlife & Fisheries to allow an incidental catch of spoonbill catfish.

- Introduced in the Senate, rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Natural Resources.

SR8 Marionneaux CONDOLENCES
To express sincere heartfelt condolences to the families of Vietnam War Veterans Major Jack L. Barker, Captain John F. Dugan, Sergeant William E. Dillender, and Private First Class John J. Chubb.

- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

HCR43 LaFleur COMMENDATIONS
Commends CODOFIL upon its acceptance of the Venet d'Or de la Francophonie on behalf of the state, recognizes the pride this award brings to the state, and expresses gratitude to the International Organization of la Francophonie

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 25 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR44 Fannin TRANSPORTATION DEPT
Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to designate U.S. Hwy. 167 within Jackson Parish as a Blue Star Memorial Highway

- Received in the Senate. Read by title.

HCR45 Crowe INSURANCE/FLOOD
Urges and requests the Federal Emergency Management Agency to finalize and issue federal floodplain maps for those parishes affected by the 2005 hurricanes as soon as possible

- Received in the Senate. Read by title.

HCR46 Durand HIGHWAYS/INTERSTATE
Requests that the portion of Interstate 49 South corridor in St. Martin Parish be designated as Veterans Memorial Expressway

- Received in the Senate. Read by title.

HCR48 Alexander HIGHWAYS/INTERSTATE
Requests that the portion of Interstate 49 South corridor in Lafayette Parish be designated as Veterans Memorial Expressway

- Received in the Senate. Read by title.