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- SB10            Gautreaux, N.                            CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Provides penalty enhancements for the crime of domestic abuse battery under certain circumstances.  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB66            Cravins                                    GAMING  
Authorizes casino gaming at an eligible live racing facility in St. Landry Parish. (gov sig)  
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- SB70            Nevers                                    CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Increases penalties for illegal manufacture, possession or distribution of methadone.  
- Received from the House without amendments.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB95            Broome                                    FUNDS/FUNDING  
Creates the Louisiana Habitat for Humanity Loan Purchase Program within the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency. (7/1/06)  
- Reported with amendments.
- SB164           Mount                                    CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Prohibits the use of certain cellular phones, or other mobile telecommunication devices, by anyone eighteen years of age or younger while operating a motor vehicle.  
- Called from the calendar.  
- Read by title as amended and failed to pass 9 yeas and 27 nays..  
- Notice of reconsideration.
- SB213           Ellington                                TAX/AD VALOREM  
Provides relative to procedures for judicial review of assessed valuation property.  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB222           Mount                                    MOTOR VEHICLES  
Increases penalties for persons who allow unlicensed minors to drive a motor vehicle.  
- Called from the calendar.  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 29 yeas and 6 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB241           Shepherd                                CONTRACTS  
Provides for treatment of instruments or writings recorded subsequent to recordation of a bond for deed transaction.  
- Called from the calendar.  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 24 yeas and 9 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB340           Cain                                        CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Provides for video games and other material harmful to minors.  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB364           Romero, C.                                WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT  
Authorizes the secretary of Wildlife and Fisheries and the commissioner of administration to transfer certain state property located in St. Martin Parish.

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- Received from the House without amendments.
  - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB366 Romero, C. WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT  
Authorizes the secretary of Wildlife and Fisheries and commissioner of administration to transfer certain state property located in St. Martin Parish.
- Received from the House without amendments.
  - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB454 Ellington WEIGHTS/MEASURES  
Enacts The Louisiana Renewable Fuels Production Accountability Act.
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB467 Fontenot CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE  
Provides relative to prescriptions for controlled dangerous substances.
- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB496 Theunissen MILITARY AFFAIRS  
Provides for legal representation of certain servicemen involving enforcement under the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act.
- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB529 Jackson, L. NURSING HOMES  
Provides for submission of emergency preparedness plans by nursing homes in certain parishes. (gov sig)
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB546 Mount TAX/LOCAL  
Eliminates the local sales tax on Medicare Part D prescriptions. (7/1/06)
- 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.
- SB567 Malone ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL  
Provides for a reduction of fees and a phase-out of tire subsidy for waste tire recycling. (7/1/06)
- Read by title and failed to pass, 9 yeas and 27 nays.
  - Notice of reconsideration.
- SB569 Murray ATTORNEY GENERAL  
Authorizes the attorney general to issue cease and desist orders during a state of emergency. (2/3 - ca7s2.1(A))
- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB570 Hines HEALTH CARE  
To provide for the protection of rural hospitals and to ensure ethical referral practices by physicians.
- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB572 Jones CRIMINAL PROCEDURE  
Provides for the use of peremptory challenges in jury trials.
- Received from the House without amendments.
  - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

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- SB597 Dardenne SECRETARY OF STATE  
Provides means to shield address of registered voters who are victims of abuse.  
- Called from the calendar.  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 32 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB612 Mount CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Provides with respect to registration of sex offenders and insurance of a sex offender identification card as a predator alert system involving sex offender.  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB613 Cheek NURSING HOMES  
Provides relative to nursing home reimbursement case mix methodology.  
- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB652 Lentini CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Creates the crime of cockfighting.  
- Ordered reengrossed.  
- Read by title and passed to a third reading.
- SB660 Barham INSURERS  
Provides for changes in the manner in which ad valorem property taxes are assessed and paid by certain insurance companies. (1/1/07)  
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- SB661 Barham EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS  
Provides relative to the duties and responsibilities of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and parish presidents.  
- Rules suspended, reported by substitute. Rules suspended, title of substitute adopted, becomes Senate Bill No. 748.
- SB688 Dardenne ELECTION CODE  
Changes the day for holding statewide presidential preference primary elections and for the opening for the qualifying period. (gov sig)  
- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB695 Cravins GAMING  
Dedicates a portion of revenues derived from the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act to the Jockeys Health and Welfare Benefit Fund. (gov sig)  
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB700 Jones EMPLOYMENT  
Establishes the state minimum wage at \$6.15 per hour. (gov sig)  
- Called from the calendar.  
- Read by title and passed to a third reading.
- SB718 Chaisson ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL  
Provide relative to certain parish landfills. (gov sig)  
- Called from the calendar.  
- 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.

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- SB728 Shepherd HISTORIC PRESERVATION  
Provides with respect to preservation of buildings and landmarks in certain historic preservation districts by changing prescriptive period in which to bring action to enforce zoning restrictions. (gov sig)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB743 Murray MOTOR VEHICLES  
Creates the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Title Loan Act. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) (gov sig)  
- Called from the calendar.  
- Read by title as amended and failed to pass 24 yeas and 11 nays..  
- Notice of reconsideration.  
- Rules suspended  
- Reconsidered.  
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 22 yeas and 12 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB748 Barham EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS  
Provides relative to the duties and responsibilities of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness. (gov sig)  
- Rules suspended, substitute for Senate Bill No. 661 ; read by title.
- SCR68 Barham AGRICULTURE/FOREST DEPT  
Establishes and provides for the Louisiana Prescribed Fire Council within the Department of Agriculture and Forestry.  
- 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.
- SCR83 Boasso CONGRESS  
Memorializes Congress to include Plaquemines Parish in the federal plan to invest funds for levee re-enhancement in south Louisiana.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR84 Boasso COMMENDATIONS  
Commends United States Coast Guard Rear Admiral Robert F. Duncan on a remarkable career and truly remarkable efforts during and following hurricanes Katrina and Rita.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR85 Ullo SHRIMP/SHRIMPING  
Expresses the support of the Louisiana Legislature for the shrimp industry and for the "Bonne Crevette" marketing campaign.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR86 McPherson COMMENDATIONS  
Commends the countless number of hospital employees in Louisiana for their bravery, courage, and selfless devotion to duty during the aftermath of hurricanes Katrina and Rita and proclaims Tuesday, May 16, 2006, as Louisiana Hospital Day.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR87 Hines COMMENDATIONS  
Commends the Tunica-Biloxi Tribe and proclaims May 17, 2006 as "Tunica-Biloxi Day."



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HB12	Greene	CRIME	Increases penalties for failing to surrender leased movables - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB52	Hammett	HUNTING	Prohibits computer-assisted remote hunting - Notice House rejected Senate amendments, and House conferees appointed.
HB54	Townsend	CRIMINAL/RECORDS	Provides for the destruction of arrest records in certain circumstances - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary C.
HB56	Johns	LIABILITY/CIVIL	Provides limitation of liability for certain horse racing activities - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB57	Toomy	CLERKS OF COURT	Streamlines the fees charged by the clerks of court for services provided - Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB66	Fannin	WATER/RESOURCES	Requires the Sparta Groundwater Commission to rotate its meeting location - Notice House rejected Senate amendments, and House conferees appointed.
HB70	Durand	EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS	Provides a limitation of liability for health care providers during a state of emergency - Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB74	Johns	CRIMINAL/BAIL	Provides for designated agent of defendant to receive written notice for appearance - Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB76	Ansardi	LIABILITY/PUBLIC	Clarifies the master-servant relationship in connection with the liability of political subdivisions - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB86	Kenney	COURTS/MAYORS	Establishes the Mayor's Court of the Town of Clarks - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB121	Johns	MARRIAGE	Provides for the dissolution of covenant marriages - Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB150	Pinac	SUNSET LAW	Re-creates the Department of Public Service - Reported favorably.
HB151	Pinac	SUNSET LAW	Re-creates the Department of Economic Development - Reported favorably.

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HB152	LaFonta	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	Provides relative to the membership of the Small Business Entrepreneurship Commission - Reported with amendments.
HB153	Johns	HEALTH CARE	Creates the Prescription Monitoring Program - Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HB186	Ansardi	CHILDREN/LEGITIMATION	Provides relative to the acknowledgment of paternity - Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB190	Martiny	WEAPONS/FIREARMS	Provides circumstances when local government can enact ordinances more restrictive than state statutes regarding the securing of firearms in a declared emergency or disaster - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary B.
HB193	LaFonta	ELECTIONS	Provides for the reinstatement of prior voter registration information for a voter who re-registers to vote in a parish in which he was previously registered, provided that he re-registers within three years of cancellation of his registration in that parish - Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
HB203	Pinac	CORPORATIONS	Authorizes conversion of business entities - Reported favorably.
HB205	LaFonta	HEALTH CARE	Extends the termination date of the Louisiana Commission on HIV, AIDS and Hepatitis C - Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HB210	Badon	SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES	Extends the deadline for certain school psychologists to have obtained an initial credential from the National School Psychology Certification Board in order to be eligible for a salary increase based on having such credential - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB236	Schneider	PROPERTY/PUBLIC	Authorizes the St. Tammany Parish School Board to sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of certain unused school lands including sixteenth section lands by public sale - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB237	Bruce	FUNDS/FUNDING	Provides with respect to the use of monies in the DeSoto Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB247	Pinac	SUNSET LAW	Re-creates the Louisiana Economic Development Council and certain other agencies within the office of the governor - Reported favorably.
HB256	Walker	EXCEP PERSON/DEV DISABLE	Provides relative to the intermediate care facilities for people with developmental disabilities



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HB347	Frith	ANIMALS/LIVESTOCK AT LG	Increases the payment for retrieval of escaped livestock in Vermilion Parish - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.
HB358	Pinac	CONSUMERS/PROTECTION	Provides exemption to unfair trade practices law for federally insured financial institutions - Reported favorably.
HB379	Martiny	CORRECTIONS	Amends provisions regarding diminution of sentence - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB389	Triche	TAX EXEMPTIONS/HOMESTEAD	(Constitutional Amendment) Extends the homestead exemption to property owned in a revocable living trust - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB393	Hammett	TAX/SALES & USE	Changes the termination date of Louisiana Tax Free Shopping Program from 2007 to 2009 - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB394	Hammett	TAX/TAXATION	Changes penalties for late payment of certain taxes - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB418	Alario	PUBLIC FACILITIES	Provides for oversight of construction of improvements on property owned by a state college or university which is leased to a nonprofit organization - Notice House rejected Senate amendments, and House conferees appointed.
HB433	Alario	CAPITAL OUTLAY	Relative to university or higher education facilities and payment of contracts for projects administered by the office of facility planning and control - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB436	Greene	BONDS/SURETY & FIDELITY	Requires courier services that transport public funds to provide a fidelity bond - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB438	Hammett	FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS	Authorizes the Louisiana Tax Commission to assess fees for its services through June 30, 2008 - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB506	Pinac	PAWNSHOPS	Provides for changes to pawnshop act - Reported favorably.
HB512	Martiny	CRIME	Creates the crime of aggravated assault with a firearm on a utility service worker - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB534	Gallot	RECORDS/RECORDATION	

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Provides relative to the recordation of a notice of pendency of a court action

- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB541 Arnold TAX/AD VALOREM TAX

Adds water transportation company to definition of public service property

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

HB553 Hebert CHILDREN/ABUSE

Limits those persons who can be present in the courtroom during child abuse proceedings

- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB563 Geymann CRIME

Amends provisions of felony carnal knowledge of a juvenile

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB587 Jefferson ELECTIONS/CANDIDATES

Provides relative to residency or domicile requirements for qualifying for or holding office when a person has been temporarily displaced by a gubernatorially declared state of emergency

- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB601 Ansardi CHILDREN/SUPPORT

Provides for medical support orders

- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB611 Carter, R. CRIME

Increases the fine for misdemeanor battery

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB612 Carter, R. CRIME

Increases the fine for misdemeanor theft of goods

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB613 Carter, R. CRIME

Increases the fine for misdemeanor possession of stolen property

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB614 Carter, R. CRIME

Increases the fine for misdemeanor criminal damage to property

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB626 Baldone HUMAN SERVICES

Creates the South Central Louisiana Human Services Authority

- Designated a duplicate of SB No. 125.
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call

HB628 Montgomery ETHICS

Provides relative to a parish governing authority member or former member serving as the parish manager

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB635 Burns CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE

Adds second degree robbery to aggravating circumstances in capital sentencing



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- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB742 Pinac BUILDING CODES  
Provides for changes to the State Uniform Construction Code  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB773 Alario PUBLIC BLDGS/GROUNDS-ST  
Provides with respect to the Percent for Art program  
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB775 Hunter WORKERS COMPENSATION  
Provides the direct pay of benefits to children who have reached the age of majority  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.
- HB787 Pinac MTR VEHICLE/SALES FIN  
Creates a uniform sales and finance contract for sales of motor vehicles  
- Reported with amendments.
- HB791 Lancaster BOARDS/COMMISSIONS  
Abolishes certain boards, commissions, authorities, districts, and like entities  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.
- HB800 Trahan SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES  
Requires that a local school board employee be provided paid leave to attend meetings of certain public entities on which the employee serves as an elected or appointed member  
- Notice House rejected Senate amendments, and House conferees appointed.
- HB802 Frith FISHING/OYSTERS  
Provides for opening and closing dates for oyster harvest in Calcasieu Lake and Sabine Lake and allows for use of mechanical dredges  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Natural Resources.
- HB813 Kennard MUNICIPALITIES  
Provides for the termination of the effectiveness of provisions relative to the Central Transition District and the levy of a sales tax by the district  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
- HB814 Kennard DISTRICTS/CRIME PREVENT  
Creates the Wedgewood Civic Association District in East Baton Rouge Parish  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
- HB816 Salter RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS  
Provides for employee contributions and calculation of benefits for Department of Public Safety and Corrections police officers in LASERS  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Retirement.
- HB833 Baldone STATE SYMBOL  
Provides uniformity in the description of the Louisiana state bird as it appears on the state flag and state seal  
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB846 Dorsey EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS  
Authorizes temporary registration of health care providers during a declared state of public health emergency



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Authorizes East Baton Rouge Parish to contract for operation and maintenance of water treatment facilities

- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB947 Alario PROCUREMENT  
Relative to the Louisiana Procurement Code

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB979 Guillory, E. LA RECOVERY AUTH  
Requires the Louisiana Recovery Authority to contract with minority-owned businesses

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

HB982 Lambert MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC  
Creates a Class "A" driver's license restriction

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB985 Baldone MTR VEHICLE/MOTORCYCLES  
Prohibits infants and certain children from being transported on motorcycles

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB1001 Gray HOSPITALS  
Provides for state reimbursement for certain medical care delivered by nonstate hospitals to persons evacuated from a state hospital in the event of emergency

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

HB1017 Montgomery RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS  
Provides relative to the computation of service credit in LASERS

- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB1023 Hutter COLLEGES/COMMUNITY  
Requires the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges to work with BESE to improve linkages and career and technical education pathways between high schools and community and technical colleges

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB1026 Arnold RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS  
Provides for Firefighters' Retirement System's compliance with certain mandatory provisions of the Internal Revenue Code

- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB1029 Dorsey TELECOMMUNICATIONS  
Provides for the use of monies in the Telecommunications for the Deaf Fund

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

HB1034 Frith AGRICULTURE  
Provides for an assessment on crawfish tail meat

- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB1043 Greene CRIME/HOMICIDE  
Increases penalties for vehicular homicide

- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB1073 Hutter INSURANCE

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- Provides relative to explanation of insurance premium increases  
- Notice House rejected Senate amendments.
- HB1080 Pitre BRIDGES/FERRIES  
Names the new La. Hwy. 1 bridge in Leesville, Louisiana  
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB1081 Durand CRIME  
Provides relative to the Acadiana Criminalistics Laboratory Commission  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary B.
- HB1082 Walsworth SCHOOLS/BOARDS  
Provides relative to the hiring of employees by local public school boards  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Education.
- HB1083 Thompson MUSEUMS  
Transfers the Louisiana Political Museum and Hall of Fame from the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism to the Department of State  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Education.
- HB1093 Durand CRIME/THEFT  
Increases penalties for oil and gas theft  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB1120 St. Germain POLICE/STATE  
Provides relative to fees for use of the state police training schools  
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB1133 Dartez DISTRICT ATTORNEYS  
Provides for the payment of health insurance premiums for certain retired district attorneys in the Twenty-Third Judicial District  
- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB1134 Guillory, E. GAMING/REVENUE  
Authorizes the Calcasieu Parish Gaming Revenue District to incur debt and issue bonds and other evidences of indebtedness  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB1146 Triche ANIMALS/CRUELTY  
Amends the definition of bird for purposes of animal cruelty statute to include additional species  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB1172 Tucker PROCUREMENT  
Requires the disclosure of certain information for certain contracts let during a state of emergency  
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB1189 Ritchie FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS  
Allows the Office of Financial Institutions to collect a fee when payment is returned unpaid or is refused or declined  
- Reported favorably.
- HB1201 Honey CRIMINAL/RECORDS  
Adds crimes to the list of crimes and requires reporting of convictions or pleas available for

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- background checks for persons working with children  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB1204 Quezaire MTR VEHICLE/TRUCKS  
Provides relative to violation tickets issued to motor carriers  
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB1210 LaFonta CRIME  
Amends littering provisions to include roofing nails  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB1225 Dove DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL  
Provides relative to certain economic development authorities  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
- HB1231 Walker WILDLIFE & FISHERIES  
Establishes a special license for Louisiana National Guard members  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Natural Resources.
- HB1249 Odinet FISHING/OYSTERS  
Authorizes acquisition of oyster leases subject to direct impact from coastal protection projects and provides generally for oyster lease terms  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Natural Resources.
- HB1255 Durand COUNSELORS/SUBST ABUSE  
Reestablishes a board to regulate addiction counselors  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Health and Welfare.
- HB1258 Kleckley CRIME/RAPE  
Provides for available responsive verdicts for the crime of aggravated rape and responsive verdicts for the crime of aggravated rape of a child under the age of thirteen  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB1262 Salter MEDICAID  
Provides with respect to reimbursement of prescription drugs  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB1269 Ritchie FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS  
Authorizes the commissioner of the Office of Financial Institutions to obtain certain state and federal criminal history records  
- Reported favorably.
- HB1270 Ritchie SECURITIES  
Provides for certain additional emergency powers of the commissioner of securities and authorizes the imposition of certain fees and civil monetary penalties  
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.
- HB1271 Ritchie FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS  
Provides relative to licensure under the Residential Mortgage Lending Act  
- Reported favorably.
- HB1274 Toomy HOLIDAYS

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Authorizes a clerk of a district, parish, and city court to close his office on any day an emergency has been declared

- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB1275 Toomy CLERKS OF COURT  
Reimburses the clerk of court for all postage costs incurred related to appearance bonds

- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary B.

HB1276 Toomy COURTS  
Provides for the expiration of the service charges imposed relative to the court building for the 24th JDC (Jefferson Parish)

- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary A.

HB1281 Dorsey TAX INCREMENT FINANCING  
Provides relative to tax increment financing and specifies those taxes and tax increments which may be included in such financing

- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

HB1285 Odinet MUNICIPAL  
Provides with respect to building and zoning regulations in parishes and municipalities affected by Hurricane Katrina or Hurricane Rita

- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB1289 Morrell PRESCRIPTION  
Provides with respect to the time within which certain insurance claims arising from Hurricane Katrina or Rita must be filed

- Designated a duplicate of SB No. 740.

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

HB1304 Robideaux CRIME  
Creates the crime of unauthorized use of the identity of a deceased soldier

- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB1322 Downs TAX INCREMENT FINANCING  
Authorizes expansion of scope of projects and extension of use of state sales tax for certain tax increment financings

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

HB1328 Katz TAX INCREMENT FINANCING  
Authorizes use of state sales tax for certain designated tax increment financings

- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB1335 Glover CRIME  
Provides for penalties for the crime of identity theft against persons sixty years of age or older or disabled

- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB1341 Faucheux BOARDS/COMMISSIONS  
Relative to the Southeast Louisiana Regional Criminalistics Laboratory Commission

- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary B.

HB1354 Gray MEMORIALS  
Creates the Hurricane Katrina Memorial Commission and provides for its powers and duties



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Provides relative to certain public power authorities

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

HB1390

Gray

ELECTIONS

Authorizes the secretary of state to include the conduct of early voting in certain parishes as part of an emergency plan to conduct elections impaired by a gubernatorially declared disaster or emergency

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

HCR2

Smiley

LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR

Requests the legislative auditor, in auditing state agencies, to determine the relationship between fees charged and services rendered and to report excessive fees to the Legislative Audit Advisory Council and appropriate legislative oversight committees

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

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LaFonta

ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT

Amends rules relating to length of time which a business may participate in the Small and Emerging Business Development Program

- Reported favorably.

HCR16

Lancaster

PUBLIC RECORDS

Directs state agencies to provide to the Dept. of State's division of archives, records management, and history locations of public records storage and directs the division to work with LAGIC to develop mapping relative to such locations

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

HCR28

Smith, John

CIVIL/LAW

Authorizes the Louisiana State Law Institute to review certain laws regarding usufruct

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

HCR29

Odinot

FISHING/OYSTERS

Suspends laws setting oyster season closure dates

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Natural Resources.

HCR34

Smith, Gary

ENVIRONMENT/LITTERING

Directs the Dept. of Environmental Quality and the office of environmental education to cooperate with Keep Louisiana Beautiful, Inc. to conduct a campaign to educate the public to prevent cigarette litter

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Environmental Quality.

HCR65

Smith, Gary

MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS

Directs the office of state police in conjunction with the Louisiana Highway Safety Commission to conduct a public awareness campaign informing the public the left lane is for passing and requests state police to enforce the applicable law

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HCR69

Burrell

PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE

Directs the Louisiana State Law Institute to study tax sales in order to insure merchantable title of tax adjudicated properties

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the





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Memorializes congress to require a minimum time period for a business to refund unauthorized overcharges on debit cards

- Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR209

Kleckley

CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences upon the death of Joseph Dickson Dorroh, Jr. of Lake Charles

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR210

Crowe

COMMENDATIONS

Commends Chris Duhon for being named the Grand Winner of the Superintendent's Award for Outstanding Character and Citizenship

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 27 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR211

Kleckley

COMMENDATIONS

Commends the Barbe High School Bucs of Lake Charles for winning the State 5A baseball championship

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 27 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR212

Winston

COMMERCE

Memorializes congress to support the negotiation of a Taiwan-United States free trade agreement

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

HCR213

Baylor

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH

Recognizes Thursday, May 18, 2006, as Omega Psi Phi/Purple and Gold Day at the Capitol and commends Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 32 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR214

Honey

CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences of the legislature upon the death of Ryan Francis

- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 33 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.