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- HB113 Powell, M. CRIME/THEFT
Creates the crime of organized retail theft
- Reported with amendments (11-0) (Regular).
- HB157 Walsworth MTR VEHICLE/BUSES-SCHOOL
Provides that BESE shall require that every school bus be equipped with a crossing control device by a specified date
- Reported favorably (14-0) (Regular).
- HB162 Burns JUDGES
Provides for two additional judgeships in the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court with specified jurisdiction
- Called from the calendar.
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 96, nays 0. The bill, having received two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB179 Morrell BESE
Requires BESE to establish a committee to advise the board on matters related to certain public elementary and secondary schools under the jurisdiction of the Recovery School District
- Involuntarily deferred in committee.
- HB182 Montgomery FUNDS/FUNDING
Dedicates a portion of state revenue from slot machines at racetracks to the Louisiana Association for the Blind
- Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB194 Frith FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides relative to the distribution of certain collections from the Vermilion Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund
- Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB197 Toomy GAMBLING/REVENUES
Provides with respect to the allocation of the portion of the riverboat admission fee levied by Jefferson Parish
- Reported favorably (8-0) (Regular).
- HB201 Crowe DISTRICTS/MOSQUITO
Provides relative to mosquito abatement districts in St. Tammany Parish
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 98, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB222 Johns CORRECTIONS
Amends prison enterprise provisions regarding the sale of products and services
- Reported with amendments (8-0) (Regular).
- HB238 Wooton GAMBLING
Increases the amount of business a supplier of non-gaming goods and services must conduct for issuance of a non-gaming supplier permit
- Reported with amendments (9-0) (Regular).
- HB277 Bowler INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE
Exempts certain vehicles from the requirement for compulsory motor vehicle liability security

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- Reported favorably (13-0) (Regular).
- HB284 Pinac CONSUMERS
Increases the origination fee a lender may charge on a consumer loan or revolving loan account
- Rules suspended, called out of its regular order.
 - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 84, nays 12. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB288 Odinet CRIMINAL/BUREAU CRIML ID
Provides for assessment of fees for Acadiana Criminalistics Laboratory
- Reported with amendments (8-0) (Regular).
- HB294 Chandler JUVENILES/DETENTION FAC
Changes name of Central Louisiana Juvenile Detention Center Authority and removes requirement that meetings of the board of commissioners be held at board domicile
- Reported with amendments (8-0) (Regular).
- HB296 Bruce WITNESSES/FEEES
Provides relative to witness fees and allocation of revenues in the Mayor's Court of the city of Mansfield
- Read by title, returned to the calendar.
 - Notice given.
- HB301 Hutter CONTRACTORS
Provides for changes to the contractor's licensing law
- Reported with amendments (8-0) (Regular).
- HB336 Montgomery TRAFFIC
Authorizes municipalities to adopt and enforce certain traffic regulations on private roads
- Read by title, returned to the calendar.
 - Notice given.
- HB360 Townsend CONTRACTS
Provides relative to state contracts for provision and processing of credit and debit cards or devices by public institutions of higher education
- Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB375 Toomy TRUSTS/PUBLIC
Provides that property of a public trust, having Jefferson Parish as its beneficiary, is public and is used for a public purpose
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 98, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB388 Guillory, Mickey FUNDS/FUNDING
Reallocates sales tax on room rentals in St. Landry Parish to capital projects related to tourism
- Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB392 Morrell CRIMINAL/JURIES
Provides for appointment of the jury commission in Orleans Parish
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB397 Smiley HUNTING/DEER

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Authorizes deer hunting with dogs in the Maurepas Swamp Wildlife Management Area

- Reported with amendments (11-0) (Regular).

HB402

Guillory, Elcie

INSURANCE/PROPERTY

Provides relative to the membership of the board of directors for the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

- Reported favorably (7-6) (Regular).

HB406

Frith

DISTRICTS/SPECIAL

Creates the Abbeville Film and Visitors Commission District

- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 100, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB409

Cazayoux

PROCUREMENT

Exempts from the state procurement code interinstitutional agreements of Louisiana higher education entities when they involve co-owners of intellectual property

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

HB429

Powell, M.

SCHOOLS

Requires, beginning with the 2007-2008 school year, public elementary and secondary schools (including charter schools) to be closed on statewide election dates except for election purposes

- Reported favorably (12-0) (Regular).

HB430

Burns

ENVIRONMENT/LITTERING

Provides relative to littering during activities of certain solid waste collection and transportation services

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

HB455

Toomy

DISTRICTS/SPECIAL

Provides relative to the membership of the boards of supervisors of community development districts in Jefferson Parish

- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 96, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB460

Guillory, Mickey

ELDERLY

Increases mandatory imprisonment when crime of identity theft involves elderly or disabled victims

- Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular).

HB467

Townsend

ASSESSORS

Increases the compensation of assessors

- Rules suspended, called out of its regular order.

- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 66, nays 33. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB484

Triche

GAMING

Authorizes the conducting of promotional poker tournaments at specific locations under specified conditions

- Rules suspended, called out of its regular order.

- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 55, nays 45. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB488

LaFleur

PUBLIC RECORDS

Provides relative to criminal arrest and disposition records

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- Read by title, returned to the calendar.
 - Called from the calendar.
 - Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 73, nays 25. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB490 Gray DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD
Creates the Hurstville Security and Neighborhood Improvement District in Orleans Parish
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB491 Barrow PARISH/EAST BATON ROUGE
Creates the Greenwell Springs-Airline Economic Development District in East Baton Rouge Parish
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 100, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB519 Guillory, Elcie CRIME/BATTERY
Amends the crime of domestic abuse battery
- Reported with amendments (9-0) (Regular).
- HB528 Morrell INSURANCE/RATES
Eliminates the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation's noncompetitive rating structure for residential property insurance policies in any noncompetitive market and provides for the use of actuarially sound rates
- Reported by substitute (9-8-1) (Regular)
- HB547 Martiny GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER
Increases the amount wagered and maximum amount won per video draw poker device game
- Called from the calendar.
 - Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 57, nays 44. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB552 Frith TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY
Requires the Vermilion Parish Tourist Commission to enter into a cooperative endeavor agreement with the sheriff of the parish for certain purposes
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB567 Frith TAX/AD VALOREM TAX
Authorizes the Cameron Parish governing authority and other local tax recipient bodies to grant future ad valorem tax credits based upon prior tax collections pursuant to certain voluntary agreements
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 95, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB579 St. Germain FIRE PROTECTION
Creates the Cigarette Fire Safety and Firefighter Protection Act
- Read by title, returned to the calendar.
 - Called from the calendar.
 - Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 60, nays 38. The bill, not having received two-thirds vote of the elected members, failed to pass. Motion to reconsider pending.
- HB599 Waddell HUNTING/DEER
Defines primitive firearms which may be used during muzzleloader deer hunting season

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- Reported with amendments (9-0) (Regular).
- HB613 Dorsey GAMBLING/RIVERBOAT
Authorizes East Baton Rouge Parish local governing authority to levy riverboat boarding fees
- Reported favorably (11-0) (Regular).
- HB614 Beard ABORTION
Provides with respect to partial birth abortion
- Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular).
- HB632 Strain HEALTH/HOSPICES
Imposes a moratorium on hospice facilities for a period of eighteen months
- Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular).
- HB633 Townsend TAX/SALES & USE
Provides for the immediate, full phase-in of the reduction in taxes for motor vehicle manufacturers
- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB645 Guillory, Elbert CORRECTIONS
Provides for a pilot program for drug counseling for certain offenders
- Reported with amendments (8-0) (Regular).
- HB651 Curtis WORKERS COMPENSATION
Provides for the liabilities of the workers' compensation Second Injury Fund
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 1. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB682 Johns OPTOMETRISTS
Provides relative to the practice of optometry
- Reported with amendments (6-4) (Regular).
- HB694 Carter, K. HOUSING/AUTHORITIES
Provides relative to the powers granted to the New Orleans Redevelopment Authority
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 100, nays 1. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB712 Toomy MEDICAID
Provides for certification of public expenditures for health care services in Jefferson Parish for purposes of the state Medicaid program
- Rules suspended, called out of its regular order.
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 102, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB717 Baylor INSURANCE/POLICIES
Provides for the elimination of contents coverage on residential properties following a catastrophe
- Reported favorably (14-0) (Regular).
- HB720 Marchand PUBLIC LANDS/STATE
Authorizes the transfer of certain state lands in Orleans Parish to an adjacent landowner
- Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular).
- HB723 Baylor TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY
Provides for disposition of state sales tax on hotel occupancy in the city of Shreveport

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- Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB734 Daniel PUBLIC LANDS/SCHOOLS
Provides relative to the income beneficiary of revenues generated on certain 16th Section and indemnity lands claimed by the state
- Reported with amendments (12-0) (Regular).
- HB746 Carter, R. CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL
Provides for filling vacancies in the position of district fire chief for Tangipahoa Fire Protection District No. 1
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 100, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB747 Baudoin MTR VEHICLE/OFF ROAD
Provides relative to the operation of all-terrain and other off-road vehicles
- Read by title, reconsidered, returned to the calendar, under the rules.
- HB756 DeWitt GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER
Amends provisions of law regarding fuel sales requirements and the location of qualified truck stops licensed to operate video draw poker devices licensed after certain date
- Reported with amendments (9-0) (Regular).
- HB770 Salter PODIATRY
Defines scope of practice of podiatry
- Reported with amendments (9-0) (Regular).
- HB771 Jefferson DISTRICTS/CRIME PREVENT
Provides relative to a parcel fee imposed within the Twinbrook Security District in Orleans Parish
- Rules suspended, called out of its regular order.
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB775 Jefferson SCHOOLS
Requires that certain school fund accounts for schools closed due to disaster be controlled by local school boards or the Recovery School District and provides relative to investment, withdrawal, and expenditure of monies in such accounts
- Reported with amendments (15-0) (Regular).
- HB778 Pitre TRANSPORTATION
Facilitates the imposition and collection of tolls by video or photo-monitoring on Louisiana Highway 1
- Notice given.
- HB802 Beard PROPERTY
Provides relative to the purchase of immovable property by political subdivisions
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 99, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB832 Hunter WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
Provides relative to the Incumbent Worker Training Program
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 99, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB846 Bruce COURTS/DISTRICT
Creates a new judicial district out of the 11th JDC

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- Taken by the Clerk of the House and presented to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

HCR108 Fannin COMMENDATIONS
Commends the Quitman High School golf team upon winning the 2007 Class B state championship for the third consecutive year

- Taken by the Clerk of the House and presented to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

HCR111 Downs CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences upon the death of Jo Anne Maxwell of Ruston

- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HCR112 Downs CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences upon the death of Pat Cardwell of Ruston

- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HCR117 Smith, Jane COMMENDATIONS
Commends the Benton High School baseball team upon reaching the 2007 Class 3A state championship game

- Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR119 Dorsey CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences upon the death of Mike V, LSU's tiger mascot

- Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR121 Richmond COMMENDATIONS
Commends Rev. Jerome G. LeDoux, S.V.D., upon the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood

- Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR124 Alario FUNDS/FUNDING
Approves the declaration of intent to sell or convey up to one hundred percent of the state allocation of the tobacco settlement payments to the Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation, including the re-securitization of sixty percent of such allocation, as authorized in the Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation Act

- Read by title. Lies over under the rules.

HCR125 Gallot COLLEGES/GRAMBLING U
Records accomplishments of Fred Hobdy, former head basketball coach and athletic director at Grambling State Univ.; urges GSU and the U. of La. System to consider naming the school's basketball arena in his honor

- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HCR126 Salter FUNDS/FUNDING
Approves the business plan submitted by the office of facility planning and control within the division of administration for the new Medical Center of Louisiana in New Orleans

- Read by title. Lies over under the rules.

HR45 Beard COMMENDATIONS
Commends the Baton Rouge Blaze girls soccer team for winning the state title and proceeding to nationals

- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

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- HR46 Bruce SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Recognizes Tuesday, May 22, 2007, as "Louisiana Emergency Medical Services Appreciation Day"
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR47 Durand COMMENDATIONS
To commend and congratulate St. Martinville jockey Calvin Borel for riding Street Sense to victory in the 133rd Kentucky Derby
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR48 Montgomery CONDOLENCES
Expresses sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of the Honorable Roy "Hoppy" Hopkins and recognizes his legacy of dedicated service
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR49 Morrish COMMENDATIONS
Commends Iowa High School baseball team upon winning the 2007 Class 3A state championship
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR50 St. Germain SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Recognizes Wednesday, May 23, 2007, as Louisiana Chemical Industry Day
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- SB39 Lentini CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Creates the crime of cockfighting and provides for penalties. (8/15/07)
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.
- SB58 Ellington STATE POLICE RET FUND
Allows actuarial purchase of retirement credit for out-of-state law enforcement service. (7/1/07)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Retirement.
- SB103 Jackson, L. REGISTRARS OF VOTERS
Provides relative to the compensation of registrars of voters and their chief deputies and confidential assistants. (7/1/07)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
- SB129 Ullo SHERIFFS
Provides for the payment of off-duty Plaquemines Parish deputy sheriffs subpoenaed to appear in certain cases. (gov sig)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Judiciary.
- SB137 Fontenot MOTOR VEHICLES
Removes requirement of a buyer's identification card for Internet based salvage pool or salvage disposal sales of motor vehicles by a used motor vehicle dealer. (see Act)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
- SB144 Duplessis LAW ENFORCEMENT

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- Relative to the rights of fire employees and law enforcement officers while under investigation. (8/15/07)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
- SB153 Dupre INSURERS
Provides for depopulation of the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation. (See Act)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
- SB164 Cassidy HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
Authorizes the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners to retain the proceeds from improvements to immovable property and the sale and lease of land. (gov sig)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
- SB196 Michot MOTOR VEHICLES
Prohibits coercion of retail motor vehicle dealers by certain motor vehicle manufacturers and distributors. (gov sig)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
- SB221 Lentini GAMBLING
Relative to gambling or wagering at any cockfight. (8/15/07)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.
- SB236 Smith, Mike PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT
Provides for equal payments by youth services, office of youth development, to non-state owned secure detention facilities housing children in the process of being placed in a secure or non-secure facility. (gov sig)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
- SB261 Quinn CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Provides relative to the Electronic Surveillance Act. (8/15/07)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.
- SB277 Jones CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Provides with respect to a first technical violation of the conditions of probation and parole. (8/15/07)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.
- SB291 Quinn CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Provides relative to stalking. (8/15/07)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.
- SB321 Heitmeier PUBLIC LANDS
Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Plaquemines Parish. (8/15/07)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
- SCR11 Dupre COASTAL RESOURCES
Approves CPRA Comprehensive Master Plan for Coastal Protection.
- Reported favorably (9-0). To be recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.
 - Rules suspended, read by title, recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.
- SCR12 Dupre COASTAL RESOURCES
Approves CPRA annual Coastal Protection Plan for Fiscal Year 2007-2008.

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- Reported favorably (9-0). To be recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.
- Rules suspended, read by title, recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SCR25 Duplessis CONGRESS
Memorializes Congress to exempt benefits received under the Road Home Program from inclusion in taxable income.
- Received in the House from the Senate.

SCR39 Jones LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS
Requests the president of the Senate and the speaker of the House of Representatives to permanently display a photograph of Coach Eddie Robinson in Memorial Hall at the state capitol.
- Read by title, referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

SCR57 Hines LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS
Proclaims May 22, 2007, as Junior League of Louisiana Day.
- Signed by the Speaker of the House.