
SB15	Hines	PARISHES	Authorizes the Allen Parish governing authority to name the library plaza in Oakdale after a living person. (gov sig) - Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB19	McPherson	HUNTERS/HUNTING	Exempts certain disabled resident hunters from permit fees levied for hunting on lands administered by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries. (8/15/07) - 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.
SB36	Jones	JUDGES	Provides for two additional judgeships in the 4th Judicial District Court. (2/3-CA5s15(D)) (1/1/08) - Rules suspended, recalled from committee. - Read by title and passed to a third reading.
SB39	Lentini	CRIME/PUNISHMENT	Creates the crime of cockfighting and provides for penalties. (8/15/07) - Read by title and finally passed as amended 34 yeas and 4 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
SB41	Adley	MUNICIPALITIES	Abolishes the position of chief of police in the village of Bienville. (gov sig) - Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB53	Dupre	FUNDS/FUNDING	Creates Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration Financing Corporation to securitize income stream for coastal purposes. (gov sig) - Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB58	Ellington	STATE POLICE RET FUND	Allows actuarial purchase of retirement credit for out-of-state law enforcement service. (7/1/07) - Reported with amendments.
SB60	Cain	SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RET	Provides for reemployment of retired school bus drivers. (7/1/07) - Reported favorably.
SB76	Dupre	COASTAL RESOURCES	Provides relative to exemptions from payment of amounts to Wildlife and Fisheries for certain coastal restoration projects using dredged material. (8/15/07) - Read by title and finally passed as amended 38 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
SB91	Nevers	CHILDREN	Provides relative to the care of abused and neglected children. (gov sig) - Called from the calendar. - 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.
SB95	Amedee	MOTOR VEHICLES	Authorizes certain service-connected disabled veterans to obtain a free driver's license. (8/15/07)

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- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB96 Amedee STATE EMPLOYEE RET
Provides relative to reemployment of retirees. (7/1/07)
- Reported with amendments.
- SB116 Theunissen RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
Authorizes the LASERS and Teachers' boards of trustees to grant a supplemental cost-of-living increase of 0.5%, beginning July 1, 2007, from their respective experience accounts for a maximum of 3.0%, which would otherwise be limited to 2.5%. (6/30/07)
- Read by title and passed to a third reading.
- SB123 Ullo NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT
Changes the termination date of the Underwater Obstruction Removal Fund from 2007 to 2012. (6/29/07)
- 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.
- SB125 Malone COURTS
Constitutional amendment to provide relative to the jurisdiction and location of the Louisiana Supreme Court. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
- Reported favorably.
- SB129 Ullo SHERIFFS
Provides for the payment of off-duty Plaquemines Parish deputy sheriffs subpoenaed to appear in certain cases. (gov sig)
- Reported with amendments.
- SB134 Adley FIRE PROTECTION
Authorizes, pursuant to election, Springhill Fire Protection District No. 11 to increase fire service charge. (gov sig)
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB139 Shepherd INSURERS
Requires certain insurers that sell automobile insurance to a veteran or person serving in the military services to also provide homeowner's insurance. (gov sig)
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title as amended and failed to pass 13 yeas and 15 nays..
- Notice of reconsideration.
- SB140 Shepherd LOCAL AGENCIES
Creates the Manhattan Boulevard Economic Development District. (gov sig)
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB144 Duplessis LAW ENFORCEMENT
Relative to the rights of fire employees and law enforcement officers while under investigation. (8/15/07)
- Reported favorably.
- SB148 Schedler HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
Provides for the lease of certain state property in St. Tammany Parish by DHH to the Methodist Home for Children. (gov sig)

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- 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.
- SB168 Kostelka PARISHES
Authorizes Ouachita Parish Police Jury to extend the grass and weed ordinances to certain residential areas outside the municipalities in Ouachita Parish. (gov sig)
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB171 Mount FUNDS/FUNDING
Amends the description of property to be transferred from the Chennault airport authority to the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges for the use and benefit of Sowela Technical-Community College in exchange for forgiveness of debt owed by the airport authority to the state. (gov sig)
- Read by title and finally passed, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB187 Ullo STUDENTS
Provides relative to truancy and assessment and service centers.
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB204 Cravins, Jr. INSURANCE PREMIUMS
Provides for changes in homeowner insurance policy deductibles. (8/15/07)
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 2 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB205 Cravins, Jr. INSURANCE DEPARTMENT
Creates an office of consumer advocacy in the Department of Insurance and for enforcement of a property insurance consumer's bill of rights by the office. (8/15/07)
- Read by title and finally passed, 39 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB207 Mount MOTOR VEHICLES
Clarifies exceptions for certain persons who drive without a license. (gov sig)
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB221 Lentini GAMBLING
Relative to gambling or wagering at any cockfight. (8/15/07)
- Reported with amendments.
- SB230 Hines HEALTH CARE
Authorizes certain activities involving health care providers and public rural hospitals. (gov sig)
- Read by title and finally passed, 39 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB236 Smith, Mike PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT
Provides for equal payments by the office of youth services to non-state owned secure detention facilities housing children while they are in the process of being placed in either a secure or non-secure facility. (gov sig)
- Reported favorably.
- SB238 McPherson FUNDS/FUNDING
Establishes the Health Care Redesign Fund in the state treasury. (gov sig)

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- SB291 Quinn CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Provides relative to stalking. (8/15/07)
- Reported with amendments.
- SB293 Shepherd LOCAL AGENCIES
Provides for the Manhattan Boulevard economic development district. (gov sig)
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB294 Shepherd LOCAL AGENCIES
Authorizes the Jefferson Parish Housing Authority to levy a tax with approval of the parish governing authority. (7/1/07)
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB298 Shepherd HOUSING
Requires that the board of each housing authority include a least one tenant. (gov sig)
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB304 Duplessis COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS
Provides relative to mutual savings banks. (gov sig)
- 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.
- SB319 Murray TRADEMARKS/TRADE NAMES
Provides penalties for unauthorized use of Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans "Crescent Cover Logo." (gov sig)
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB327 Jackson, L. MUNICIPALITIES
Authorizes the governing authority of the city of Shreveport to name the Shreveport Civic Center as the James C. Gardner Building. (gov sig)
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB329 Adley CIVIL SERVICE
Provides relative to promotions in the Bossier City Fire Department. (8/15/07)
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB334 Shepherd PARISHES
Provides procedures for eliminating deleterious property in Jefferson Parish. (gov sig)
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB336 Fontenot TOURISM
Provides relative to the powers and duties of the Baton Rouge Area Convention and Visitors Bureau. (gov sig)
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SCR3 Gautreaux, B. TEACHERS RETIREMENT
Authorizes the board of trustees of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana to grant cost-of-living increases payable from the employee experience account.
- Committee amendments read and adopted.
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

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- SCR8 Heitmeier COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES
Requests public institutions of higher education to develop and implement a comprehensive emergency response and crisis communication plan.
- Committee amendments read and adopted.
- Read by title, amended, adopted by the vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. Ordered engrossed and sent to the House.
- SCR11 Dupre COASTAL RESOURCES
Approves CPRA Comprehensive Master Plan for Coastal Protection.
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted by the vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR12 Dupre COASTAL RESOURCES
Approves CPRA annual Coastal Protection Plan for Fiscal Year 2007-2008.
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR20 Adley LOCAL AGENCIES
Requests the governing authority of each parish to post its official journals and announcements, and meeting dates, times and places on its website, if the governing authority has one.
- Read by title, adopted by the vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR31 McPherson ROADS/HIGHWAYS
Requests DOTD, in consultation with local authorities, to study the feasibility of constructing an Alexandria-Pineville metro beltway.
- Read by title, adopted by the vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR34 Gautreaux, B. COASTAL RESOURCES
Requests CPRA and other entities to consider feasibility of certain activities in implementing coastal protection and restoration projects.
- Called from the calendar.
- Senate floor amendment read and adopted.
- Read by title, amended, adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. Ordered engrossed and sent to the House.
- SCR44 Ellington CONDOLENCES
Extends condolences upon the death of Nell McLemore.
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR46 Ellington CONDOLENCES
Extends condolences upon the death of Jack Keahey.
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR47 Mount COMMENDATIONS
Commends Rev. Dr. Doug Ezell upon the occasion of his retirement as Lake Charles District Superintendent of the United Methodist Church.
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR48 Barham COMMENDATIONS
Commends the LSU Fighting Tigers football team for its accomplishments in the 2006 season and for winning the Allstate Sugar Bowl.
- Received from the House without amendments.

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- SCR50 Ellington CONDOLENCES
Extends condolences upon the death of Pete Mercer.
- Read by title, adopted by the vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR51 Ellington COMMENDATIONS
Commends Ken Ardoin on the occasion of his retirement.
- Read by title, adopted by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR52 Broome COMMENDATIONS
Commends the LSU Women's Basketball program for its accomplishments during the 2006-2007 season and for reaching the NCAA Final Four tournament.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR54 Hines PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS
Acknowledges May 16, 2007, as the seventy-fifth anniversary of the dedication of the La. State Capitol.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 25 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR55 Cassidy COMMENDATIONS
Commends LSU student, Nita Clark, upon her selection as a 2007 Udall Scholar.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 31 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR56 Malone CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences to the family of Lauren Leigh Colvin.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SR23 Broome LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS
Recognizes Thursday, May 17, 2007, as Louisiana Legislators Wear Red for Women Day.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR24 Nevers LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS
Proclaims May 16, 2007, as "Dyslexia Awareness Day."
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate, read first time by title.
- SR25 Nevers TOURISM
Recognizes Tuesday, May 15, 2007, as Tourism Awareness Day.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR26 Cheek COMMENDATIONS
Commends Azelea Estates Assisted Living and Retirement Community upon celebrating eleven years of dedicated service to the community.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HB24 Smith, John CLERKS OF COURT
Provides for payment of medical insurance premiums of certain retirees of the clerk of court's offices in Beauregard, Rapides, and Vernon parishes
- Reported favorably.

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HB32	Hill	COURTS/JUSTICE OF PEACE	Authorizes the constable of Ward 1, justice of the peace court of Allen Parish to use certain surplus automobiles - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB33	Hill	COURTS	Increases transcription fees for court reporters in the 33rd JDC - Reported favorably.
HB72	Carter, R.	JUDGES	Provides for an additional judgeship in the 21st Judicial District Court with subject matter jurisdiction limited to juvenile matters as provided by law - Reported favorably.
HB103	Smith, Gary	CORPORATIONS	Provides for recognition of converted entities by state boards and commissions - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.
HB121	Walsworth	JUDGES	Creates two additional judgeships in the Fourth Judicial District - Reported favorably.
HB148	Farrar	DISTRICT ATTORNEYS	Increases the annual salaries of ADAs payable by the state - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB149	Martiny	LOTTERY	Provides for the assignment of deferred annuity lottery prizes - Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB184	Martiny	CRIME	Creates the crime of theft of utility property - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary C.
HB192	Alario	TAX INCREMENT FINANCING	Repeals the authorization for sales tax increment financing for Jefferson Parish - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB193	Salter	ETHICS	Allows a former member of the board of commissioners of the Ebarb Waterworks District No. 1 to be employed by the board - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB198	McVea	PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS	Requires East Feliciana Parish to follow the prequalified bidding process for state-owned historic buildings during the restoration of the East Feliciana Parish courthouse - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.
HB199	Cazayoux	LIBRARIES	Provides relative to the use of certain donations received by the West Baton Rouge Parish Library - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

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HB221	Morrell	UNEMPLOYMENT COMP	Provides for reimbursement of unemployment benefits of state and local governments and eligible nonprofit organizations during a gubernatorially declared disaster or emergency - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB229	Gallot	WITNESSES/FEEES	Specifies manner of payment of witness fees to certain off-duty law enforcement officers - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB273	LaFleur	CAMPAIGN FINANCE	Excludes from consideration a contribution by a candidate for his own campaign in determining whether the contribution threshold for an office other than a major or district office is met for campaign finance reporting requirements - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB283	Carter, R.	COURTS/DISTRICT	Provides for the assessment of additional costs in the 21st JDC to pay court reporter fees for transcripts prepared for indigents - Reported favorably.
HB292	LaFleur	TOURISM/COMMISSION	Increases maximum rate of hotel occupancy tax authorized to be levied by the St. Landry Parish Tourist Commission - Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB305	LaBruzzo	JURY DUTY	Provides for compensation and costs for jury service in civil and criminal cases in the 24th JDC - Reported favorably.
HB307	Damico	REAL ESTATE/COMMISSION	Provides for the renewal time period and delinquent fees of certain real estate licenses - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.
HB308	Baldone	JUDGMENTS/CIVIL	Provides for venue in examination of judgment debtors - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary A.
HB309	Johns	INSURANCE/HEALTH	Decreases the minimum aggregate stop-loss limit for group health plans - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Insurance.
HB311	Smith, Jack	FISHING/CRAWFISH	Exempts the commercial sale of crawfish from the trip ticket program for two years - Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
HB322	Lambert	JUDGMENTS	Provides for the delays in signing an order for appeal - Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary A.
HB332	Chandler	DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL	Creates the Olla, Urania, Tullos, Standard Economic and Industrial Development District in LaSalle Parish

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- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB333 Chandler DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL
Provides relative to the board of commissioners of the Grant Parish Economic Development District
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB343 Powell, M. DISTRICTS/FIRE PROTECT
Provides relative to the composition of the board of commissioners of Caddo Parish Fire District Number Five
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB345 Badon UNEMPLOYMENT COMP
Requires Internet filing for unemployment insurance taxes
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB350 Geymann LAW ENFORCE/OFFICERS
Provides relative to rights of certain law enforcement officers while under investigation
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB381 Bowler INSURANCE
Provides an insurance policy may not limit the insured's right of action against the insurer to a period of less than two years
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Insurance.
- HB414 Kleckley TRANSPORTATION
Creates the Interstate 10 Corridor District in portions of Calcasieu, Jefferson Davis, Acadia, Lafayette, and St. Martin parishes
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.
- HB439 Doerge RETIREMENT/DROP
Provides relative to DROP redeposits for members of Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana and Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System who received qualified hurricane distributions pursuant to the Katrina Emergency Tax Relief Act of 2005 or the Gulf Opportunity Zone Act of 2005
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB453 Odinet FISHING/OYSTERS
Provides relative to penalties for illegal taking of oysters
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB457 Arnold RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS
Allows the board of trustees of the Firefighters' Retirement System to audit a participating employer and allows the board and the legislative auditor to have access to an employer's books, accounts, and records
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB464 Townsend TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT
Provides for the effectiveness of the sales and use tax exemption for utilities purchased by steelworks, blast furnaces, coke ovens, and rolling mills
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.
- HB472 Morrish INSURANCE/PROPERTY
Provides relative to the recoupment of Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation assessments and deletes its credit schedules under the Coastal and FAIR plans

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- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Insurance.
- HB483 Tucker INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
Authorizes the commissioner of insurance to adopt rules to protect military personnel in insurance matters
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Insurance.
- HB501 Arnold FAMILY LAW
Provides for venue in certain child support and custody cases post Katrina and Rita
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Judiciary A.
- HB507 LaBruzzo BRIDGES/FERRIES
Provides relative to free and unhampered passage on toll bridges and ferries for firemen
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.
- HB509 Guillory, Elbert ETHICS/CODE
Allows physicians on hospital service district boards to engage in certain transactions
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB514 Kenney WILDLIFE & FISHERIES
Provides relative to the sale of largemouth bass
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB524 Smith, Jack BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS
Authorizes certain vessels to be titled
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB526 Anders TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY
Relative to the Vidalia Riverfront Development District and its governing authority, provides that the district shall be a political subdivision of the state and authorizes it to levy a hotel occupancy tax the proceeds thereof to be used for a convention center in Vidalia
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB536 Robideaux ETHICS/CODE
Authorizes employees of public elementary and secondary schools to receive awards for innovative classroom projects or outstanding achievement
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB542 Walker INSURANCE/HEALTH
Creates the Louisiana Children and Youth Health Insurance Program
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB566 Burrell MUSEUMS
Changes the name of the McNeill Street Pumping Station Museum to the Water Works Museum
- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB578 Morris TAX/AD VALOREM TAX
Provides relative to tax sales of certain indivisible property
- Read second time by title and referred to committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.
- HB633 Townsend TAX/SALES & USE
Provides for the immediate, full phase-in of the reduction in taxes for motor vehicle manufacturers

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Salter

AGRICULTURE/SUGAR

Memorializes congress to continue the current U.S. sugar program in the 2007 Farm Bill

- Reported favorably.