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- SB1 McPherson HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
Authorizes the Department of Health and Hospitals to develop and implement a health care delivery system for Medicaid recipients and low-income uninsured citizens. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB3 Marionneaux TAX/SALES
Establishes annual Louisiana Sales Tax Holidays to exempt from state sales tax each year from Sunday through Saturday of the week in which the first day of August occurs the first \$2,500 of purchases made by consumers. (gov sig)
- Senate conference committee appointed: Marionneaux, Adley, and Heitmeier.
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- SB21 Smith, Mike FUNDS/FUNDING
Increases the portion of the severance tax on timber allocated to the Forestry Productivity Fund, from seventy-five percent to one hundred percent. (1/1/08)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB26 Nevers TAX/LOCAL
Expands the option given to political subdivisions to grant farm machinery and equipment an immediate or phased-in exclusion from their taxes to include granting an exclusion for any other machinery, equipment, supplies, materials, or services used or consumed in the business of farming. (7/1/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB31 Murray SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Repeals law providing for World Trade Center Taxing District. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB34 Dupre SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Provides for a tapping fee for Consolidated Waterworks District No. 1 of Terrebonne Parish. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB36 Jones JUDGES
Provides for two additional judgeships in the 4th Judicial District Court. (2/3-CA5s15(D)) (1/1/08)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB41 Adley MUNICIPALITIES
Abolishes the position of chief of police in the village of Bienville. (gov sig)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB42 Murray NOTARIES
Repeals provisions requiring custodian of notarial records to maintain list of notaries public in Orleans Parish and repeals penalties. (gov sig)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB45 Marionneaux TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL
Grants an individual income tax deduction for elementary and secondary education tuition. (gov sig)
- Called from the calendar.
- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 32 yeas and 1 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB53 Dupre FUNDS/FUNDING
Creates Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration Financing Corporation to securitize income

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stream for coastal purposes. (gov sig)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB54 Dupre ETHICS
Provides relative to insurance producers and governmental entities. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB56 Barham GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM
Enables certain state employees and officials to continue membership in State Group Benefits Insurance Plan for payment of 100 % of premium after state service ends. (gov sig)
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 31 yeas and 4 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB58 Ellington STATE POLICE RET FUND
Allows actuarial purchase of retirement credit for out-of-state law enforcement service. (7/1/07)
- Notice House conferees appointed.

SB60 Cain SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RET
Provides for reemployment of retired school bus drivers. (7/1/07)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB70 Michot TAX/TAXATION
Extends the termination date of the sound recording investor tax credit and makes other changes. (gov sig)
- Notice House conferees appointed.

SB82 McPherson NURSING HOMES
Provides for violations and penalties for nursing homes and health care facilities. (gov sig)
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 33 yeas and 2 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB83 Gautreaux, B. STATE POLICE RET FUND
Provides a cost-of-living adjustment for certain beneficiaries with twenty years of service credit. (6/30/07)
- Notice House conferees appointed.

SB86 Quinn SCHOOLS
Limits eligibility for tenure for Orleans Parish non-teacher employees. (7/1/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB90 Gautreaux, N. TAX EXEMPTIONS
Provides an individual income tax credit for the installation of a wind or solar energy system which may be carried forward for 10 tax years. (gov sig)
- Notice House conferees appointed.

SB94 Chaisson TOPS
Provides an exception to the TOPS residency requirements for certain students who are dependents of certain military personnel. (gov sig)
- Notice House conferees appointed.

SB96 Amedee STATE EMPLOYEE RET

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Relative to the rights of fire employees and law enforcement officers while under investigation.
(8/15/07)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

- SB146 Dupre FUNDS/FUNDING
Creates the Windfall Highway, Infrastructure, and Protection (WHIP) Fund and requires the deposit in the fund of certain mineral revenues in excess of the amount required to be deposited in the Budget Stabilization Fund, dedicated to certain infrastructure, hurricane protection, and coastal restoration projects. (7/1/08)
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
 - Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- 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)
 - Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB150 Barham LEGISLATORS
Provides for the disposition of certain furniture and equipment purchased for legislators, upon their termination of office. (8/15/07)
 - Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB153 Dupre INSURERS
Provides for depopulation of the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation. (See Act)
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
- SB154 Ullo SCHOOLS
Grants the Recovery School District the same authority and autonomy to procure or contract for materials, goods, services, and public works afforded to local school districts. (gov sig)
 - Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB156 Gautreaux, B. LEVEES
Creates and provides for a levee district for that portion of St. Mary Parish which is not embraced within the limits of any other levee district and provides for the territorial jurisdiction of the Atchafalaya Basin Levee District and its board. (7/1/07)
 - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB158 Marionneaux MILITARY AFFAIRS
Provides for insurance allowances for Louisiana National Guard members. (gov sig)
 - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB160 Nevers EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY
Creates a pilot program for universal dyslexia screening and intervention in grades K-3. (gov sig)
 - Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB161 Nevers ABORTION
Prohibits partial birth abortions. (gov sig)
 - Called from the calendar.
 - Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 31 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB162 Shepherd JUDGES

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Provides relative to a vacancy in the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal. (8/15/07)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

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)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

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)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB172 Chaisson CRIMINAL JUSTICE
Relative to compensation for wrongful conviction and imprisonment. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB175 Murray PLANNING/ZONING
Provides for running of prescription in certain actions to enforce zoning restrictions or regulations in the Vieux Carre section of New Orleans. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB179 McPherson HOSPITALS
Transfers Huey P. Long Hospital to LSU Health Sciences Center at Shreveport. (gov sig)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB180 McPherson PUBLIC LANDS
Authorizes the transfer of certain state properties. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB181 Nevers NURSING HOMES
Provides relative to the bed abeyance program and exempts Washington Parish from the moratorium on any additional nursing facilities or additional beds in nursing facilities. (gov sig)
- Called from the calendar.
- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB182 Quinn TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL
Grants a "construction code retrofitting deduction" against taxable income equal to 50% of the cost of voluntarily retrofitting residential property, for which the taxpayer claims the homestead exemption for ad valorem tax purposes, excluding rental property, to bring it into compliance with the State Uniform Construction Code, not to exceed a \$5,000 deduction. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB183 Quinn PROPERTY INSURANCE
Requires that the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation give a preference for insurance adjuster work to Louisiana companies and authorizes legislative auditor to access records of Property Insurance Association of La. and La. Automobile Insurance Plan. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB188 Duplessis TAX/TAXATION
Restructures the "new markets tax credit." (See Act)
- Rules suspended. Called from the calendar.

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- Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 39 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB190 Murray GAMING
Provides for the calculation of franchise payments for video draw poker devices. (7/1/08)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB194 Barham LAW ENFORCEMENT
Provides for maintaining qualifications for certain Police Officer Standards and Training academy graduates. (7/1/07)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB195 Cain INSURERS
Provides for privatization of the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation. (8/15/07)
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- SB204 Cravins, Jr. INSURANCE PREMIUMS
Provides for changes in homeowner insurance policy deductibles. (8/15/07)
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- 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)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB208 Mount CHILDREN
Provides for the appointment and duties of a parenting coordinator in child custody cases. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB211 Mount TAX/TAXATION
Provides for claiming of the tax credit for assessments levied by Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation on forms provided by the secretary of revenue after the payment is made. (gov sig)
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.
- SB217 Murray SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Establishes the New Orleans City Park Taxing District. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB221 Lentini GAMBLING
Relative to gambling or wagering at any cockfight. (8/15/07)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB223 Michot AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE
Increases minimum motor vehicle liability insurance limits. (1/1/08)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB226 Fontenot HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
Provides for home-generated sharps waste. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

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- SB230 Hines HEALTH CARE
Authorizes certain activities involving health care providers and public rural hospitals. (gov sig)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB232 Bajoie HOUSING
Creates the Louisiana Housing Counseling Assistance Act. (gov sig)
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 35 years and 1 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB233 Cravins, Jr. TAX/LOCAL
Authorizes the governing authority of the city of Opelousas to levy a hotel/motel occupancy tax within the city of Opelousas. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB234 Smith, Mike ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Creates the Winn Parish Economic Development District. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB235 Smith, Mike EMPLOYMENT
Permits hospital service districts with a population of 100,000 or less and hospital public trust authorities to enter into initial recruiting contracts with a health care provider when such person is a member of the immediate family of any district board or authority member or the chief executive of the district or authority. (8/15/07)
- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB240 Amedee COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS
Requires that certain state-funded major facility projects meet energy efficient standards. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB245 Gautreaux, N. HORSE RACING
Provides for proper venue for lawsuits against the Louisiana State Racing Commission and for the allocation of certain proceeds from exotic wagering during a race meeting. (See Act)
- Signed by the Governor. Becomes Act No. 129.
- Effective date 6/25/07.
- SB250 Michot TAX/TAXATION
Authorizes a business to receive a \$2,500 enterprise zone credit if 35% of its employees are residents of any enterprise zone, not just an enterprise zone within the parish of its location or a contiguous parish. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB255 Hollis TAX/TAXATION
Provides relative to tobacco tax discounts to out-of-state wholesale tobacco dealers. (8/15/07)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB262 Adley PUBLIC SERVICE COMN
Prohibits certain parties from disconnecting a natural gas pipeline to a municipality without prior notice and hearing. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB275 Gautreaux, N. PETROLEUM PRODUCTS
Excepts certain drivers transporting liquefied petroleum gas from the requirement of a personnel

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competency test and card. (gov sig)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB280

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TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT

Increases the "contract limit" for DOTD contracts which are subject to certain advertising and bid requirements from \$250,000 to \$500,000; increases from \$25,000 to \$50,000 contracts for which advertisement is optional; and provides for electronic bidding. (7/1/07)

- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB282

Schedler

HEALTH CARE

Provides for the timely reporting of impaired health care professionals to state licensing boards. (8/15/07)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB286

Heitmeier

LAW ENFORCEMENT

Extends eligibility for supplemental pay for police officers and firefighters of certain agencies servicing levees, waterways and riverfront areas in municipalities with a population exceeding 450,000. (See Act)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB291

Quinn

CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Provides relative to stalking. (8/15/07)

- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB294

Shepherd

LOCAL AGENCIES

Authorizes the Jefferson Parish Housing Authority to levy a tax with approval of the parish governing authority. (7/1/07)

- Change in Senate conference committee membership: Hollis vice Fields.
- Notice House conferees appointed.

SB301

Murray

ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT

Establishes the Louisiana Infrastructure Bank. (gov sig)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB313

Adley

TAX EXEMPTIONS

Provides a state sales tax exemption for the purchase of a motor vehicle that has been or will be modified for use by orthopedically handicapped persons. (1/1/08)

- Notice House conferees appointed.

SB319

Murray

TRADEMARKS/TRADE NAMES

Provides penalties for unauthorized use of Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans "Crescent Cover Logo." (gov sig)

- Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB331

Ellington

TAX/SALES

Excludes from state sales tax natural gas and electricity purchased by paper or wood products manufacturing facilities and exempts from all sales taxes to the sale of water conservation equipment for use in the Sparta Groundwater Conservation District. (7/1/07)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB332

Nevers

TAX/TAXATION

Grants employers a non-refundable "apprenticeship tax credit" each tax year against any income tax or franchise tax equal to \$1.00 for each hour of employment of each apprentice, not to exceed 1,000

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hours for each apprentice. (gov sig)

- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

- SB334 Shepherd PARISHES
Provides procedures for eliminating deleterious property in Jefferson Parish and requires a separate environment docket of the 24th JDC. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB339 Fontenot TAX/TAXATION
Provides relative to income tax credits for brownfields sites. (8/15/07)
- Senate conference committee appointed: Fontenot, Adley, and Mount.
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- SB341 Jackson, L. TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL
Provide a refundable state earned income tax credit equal to 3.5 % of the federal earned income tax credit. (1/1/08)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB352 Michot TAX/TAXATION
Requires employees eligible for Enterprise Zone job credits to be United States citizens and domiciled in Louisiana, or to establish such domicile within 60 days of their employment. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB364 Murray SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Establishes and provides for the French Quarter-Marigny Historic Area Management District in the city of New Orleans. (gov sig)
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR8 Heitmeier COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES
Requests public postsecondary education institutions of higher education to develop and implement a comprehensive emergency response and crisis communication plan.
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR64 Jones VOTERS/VOTING
Requests every mayor, sheriff and chief of police in the state of Louisiana to make available the opportunity for every person who is incarcerated, but not convicted of a crime, the right to vote absentee in the fall 2007 elections.
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- SCR67 Broome ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Establishes the Task Force on Poverty.
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- SCR111 McPherson GOVERNOR
Requests the Patient's Compensation Oversight Board to direct the staff of the Patient's Compensation Fund to publish an annual report on the status of the Patient's Compensation Fund.
- Received from the House with amendments.
- Rules suspended. Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 39 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SCR121 Jones FARMING
Directs the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry to study ways to address the decline in numbers of minority and small farmers in Louisiana.

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- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR122 Malone CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences upon the death of Ronald Stewart Wehlander.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR123 Jackson, L. COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests the Senate Finance Committee and the House Appropriations Committee to jointly study the inclusion of the annual tax exemption budget as part of the General Appropriations Bill.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR124 Mount ROADS/HIGHWAYS
Requests DOTD to memorialize a certain portion of Enterprise Boulevard in Lake Charles as Nellie Lutchter Memorial Parkway.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR125 Hines CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences upon the death of John M. LaPlante, Jr.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR126 Broome EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS
Requests the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness to study the appropriate housing of registered sexual offenders during emergencies.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR127 Quinn COMMENDATIONS
Commends the Falcons of St. Thomas Aquinas in Hammond upon winning the Class 2A Basketball Championship.
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR128 Jackson, L. COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests Senate and House committees on health and welfare to jointly study the current status of the chronic disease of asthma in Louisiana.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR129 Murray CONGRESS
Memorializes Congress to direct the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to take all necessary actions and steps to provide the state the proposed one hundred year flood protection.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR130 Shepherd ADMINISTRATION DIVISION
Requests division of administration to create a master plan to address the non-flood assets of the Orleans Levee District and to establish an advisory council consisting of designated members from certain community-based organizations in Orleans Parish.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR131 Jones ASSESSORS
Request tax assessors throughout the state to adopt the capitalized income approach when assessing the valuation of Low Income Housing Tax Credit properties.
- 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.

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- SCR132 Malone COMMENDATIONS
Commends the Reverend Dr. Will K. Andress upon his retirement from Centenary College.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR133 Marionneaux COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests joint committee study of the legal issues, costs, and feasibility of providing live audio and video broadcasts of all Senate, House, and other legislative committee meetings and floor proceedings and the download and archiving of such broadcasts.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 33 yeas and 1 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR134 Duplessis CONGRESS
Memorializes Congress to urge and request the respective executive branch departments to take a proactive role in assisting the communities of New Orleans East in protecting their health and safety and in promoting economic development.
- 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.
- SCR135 Barham REVENUE DEPARTMENT
Requests the Department of Revenue to adopt regulations and take other steps to insure the non-taxability of sales of tangible personal property for use outside the state of Louisiana.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR136 Barham REVENUE DEPARTMENT
Requests the Department of Revenue to adopt regulations and take other steps to insure the continued implementation of the three-part test for identifying non-taxable raw materials for sales and use tax purposes.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR137 Hines CONGRESS
Memorializes Congress to provide funding for the Louisiana University of Medical Sciences, Inc., College of Primary Care Medicine.
- 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.
- SR126 McPherson COMMENDATIONS
Commends Lisa A. Deaton for her more than thirty years of outstanding service to the state of Louisiana.
- Rules suspended. Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted.
- SR140 Jackson, L. SENATE
Expresses support for the All Healthy Children Act of 2007.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR141 Murray COMMENDATIONS
Commends Seedco Financial on their meritorious work in Louisiana, and congratulates them on their tremendous success.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR142 Smith, Mike COMMENDATIONS

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- To commend the Louisiana Moral and Civic Foundation and its executive director Dr. Ken Ward.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR143 Shepherd COMMENDATIONS
Commends Missionary Rose Small Palmer Jones of Thompson Temple Church of God upon her accomplishments.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR144 Murray CONGRESS
Memorializes Congress to direct the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to take all necessary actions and steps to provide the state the proposed one hundred year flood protection.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR145 Adley CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences upon the untimely death of Hannah McFarland.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR146 Jackson, L. COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests the Senate Health and Welfare Committee study the current status of the chronic disease of asthma in Louisiana.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR147 Uilo CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences upon the death of Randolph Peter Gros.
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR148 Barham COMMENDATIONS
Commends the Saintsations for their efforts to boost the spirits of all Saints fans everywhere and for their willingness to travel to Iraq to support our troops.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR149 Mount COMMITTEE STUDIES
Requests the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to study the feasibility of enacting certain proposed legislation that was heard by the committee in the 2007 Regular Session.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR150 Marionneaux SENATE
Requests the Senate and Governmental Affairs Committee to study the legal issues, costs, and feasibility of providing live audio and video broadcasts of all Senate committee and floor proceedings and the download and archiving of such broadcasts.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR151 Barham REVENUE DEPARTMENT
Requests the Department of Revenue to adopt regulations and take other steps to insure the non-taxability of sales of tangible personal property for use outside the state of Louisiana.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR152 Barham REVENUE DEPARTMENT
Requests the Department of Revenue to adopt regulations and take other steps to insure the continued implementation of the three part test for identifying non-taxable raw materials for sales and use tax purposes.
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HB3 Townsend CAPITAL OUTLAY

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Provides for the Omnibus Bond Act

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB4

Alario SUPPLEMENTAL PAY

Increases state supplemental pay for firefighters and certain law enforcement officers

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

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

- Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.
- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB25

Crowe ABORTION

Provides relative to a Woman's Right to Know

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB29

Frith TAX/SALES-USE, ST-EXEMPT

Provides relative to the effectiveness of the state sales tax exemption for certain farm irrigation equipment

- Notice House conferees appointed.

HB108

Ritchie CRIME/COCKFIGHTING

Prohibits promoting or conducting cockfights

- Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.
- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB148

Farrar DISTRICT ATTORNEYS

Increases the annual salaries of ADAs payable by the state

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

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

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB170

Farrar TAX/SALES & USE

Provides for a state sales and use tax exclusion for machinery and equipment for certain utilities

- Notice House rejected Senate amendments, and House conferees appointed.
- Senate conference committee appointed: Hollis, McPherson, and Mount.

HB182

Montgomery FUNDS/FUNDING

Dedicates a portion of state revenue from slot machines at racetracks to the Louisiana Association for the Blind

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB194

Frith FUNDS/FUNDING

Provides relative to the distribution of certain collections from the Vermilion Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

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HB213	Johns	CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	Provides for penalties for "doctor shopping" of prescriptions for controlled dangerous substances and Carisoprodol - Signed by the President of the Senate.
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 - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB222	Johns	CORRECTIONS	Amends prison enterprise provisions regarding the sale of products and services - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB225	St. Germain	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT	Authorizes an annual "sales tax holiday" for the purchase of certain hurricane-preparedness items or supplies - Senate conference committee appointed: Mount, Adley, and Nevers. - Notice House conferees appointed. - Change in Senate conference committee membership: Marionneaux vice Nevers.
HB229	Gallot	WITNESSES/FEEES	Specifies manner of payment of witness fees to certain off-duty law enforcement officers - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB231	Montgomery	TAX/SALES-USE, STATE	Exempts certain purchases of off-road vehicles from state sales and use taxes - Signed by the President of the Senate.
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 - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB240	Townsend	TAX/SALES & USE	Provides for a sales and use tax exemption for certain trucks and trailers - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB246	McDonald	NURSING HOMES	Provides for the certification of medication attendants to work in licensed nursing homes until August 1, 2011 - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB247	McDonald	INSURANCE/GROUP-STATE	Health benefits plans and coverages to be consistent for employees throughout the state - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB260	Smith, Jack	TAX/AD VALOREM-EXEMPTION	(Constitutional Amendment) Exempts consigned jewelry from ad valorem taxation - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB269	Hutter	HOSPITALS	Adds to the definition of rural hospital

Chamber: Senate

- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.

- HB308 Baldone JUDGMENTS/CIVIL
Provides for venue in examination of judgment debtors
- Senate conference committee appointed: Dupre, Lentini, and Chaisson.
- HB312 Smith, Gary INSURERS
Authorizes certain investments by domestic insurers in limited liability companies
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB313 Scalise CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
Amends speedy trial provisions
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB315 LaFleur MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES
Creates the "Chez nous autres" prestige license plate
- Senate conference committee appointed: Dupre, Ellington, and Romero, C..
- HB329 St. Germain FISHING/SHRIMP
Makes uniform certain references to shrimping gear
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB347 Gallot ELECTIONS/COMMISSIONERS
Increases the compensation for commissioners-in-charge and certified commissioners
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB359 Townsend TAX EXEMPTIONS
Provides relative to tax exemptions and credits in cultural product districts
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- 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
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Senate conference committee appointed: Chaisson, Murray, and Mount.
- HB366 Townsend TAX EXEMPTIONS
Provides with respect to tax exemptions and tax credits for the Atchafalaya Trace Heritage Area Development Zone
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB386 Morris TAX/SALES & USE
Provides for an exclusion from state and local sales and use taxes for newspapers
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB391 Erdey INSURANCE/GROUP-SHERIFFS
Creates a fund to pay group insurance premiums for retired sheriffs and deputies in Livingston Parish
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB402 Guillory, Elcie INSURANCE/PROPERTY

Chamber: Senate

HB440	Schneider	RETIREMENT/SHERIFFS FUND	Provides relative to a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) for Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB441	LaFleur	MILITARY AFFAIRS	Provides for various changes to the laws relating to the administration of the Military Department - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB452	Baldone	HEALTH CARE/RECORDS	Provides relative to obtaining health care records - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB453	Odinot	FISHING/OYSTERS	Provides relative to penalties for illegal taking of oysters - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB455	Toomy	DISTRICTS/SPECIAL	Provides relative to the membership of the boards of supervisors of community development districts in Jefferson Parish - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB460	Guillory, Mickey	ELDERLY	Increases mandatory imprisonment when crime of identity theft involves elderly or disabled victims - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB479	Gray	EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS	Provides for potential participation of the nongovernmental nonprofit organization Louisiana Family Recovery Corps as part of the state's recovery from public emergencies and disasters - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB483	Tucker	INSURANCE COMMISSIONER	Authorizes the commissioner of insurance to adopt rules to protect military personnel in insurance matters - Senate conference committee appointed: Cravins, Jr., Cheek, and Shepherd. - Notice House conferees appointed. - Change in Senate conference committee membership: Cain vice Cheek.
HB488	LaFleur	PUBLIC RECORDS	Provides relative to criminal arrest and disposition records - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB493	Barrow	ETHICS	Provides for certain education and training regarding laws under the jurisdiction of the Board of Ethics - Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB498	Anders	HOUSING/MANUFACTURED	Provides relative to owners or operators of manufactured home parks or communities - Senate conference committee appointed: Ellington, Smith, Mike, and Hollis.
HB499	Carter, K.	INSURANCE COMMISSIONER	Provides for fees collected by the commissioner of insurance - Senate conference committee appointed: Cravins, Jr., Broome, and Hines.

Chamber: Senate

- Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.
 - Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 23 yeas and 13 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB505 Richmond TAX/SALES & USE
Authorizes a sales and use tax exemption for certain manufacturers
- Senate conference committee appointed: Mount, Adley, and Nevers.
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
- HB514 Kenney WILDLIFE & FISHERIES
Provides relative to the sale of largemouth bass
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB515 Carter, R. SUNSET LAW
Re-creates the Department of Justice
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB523 Thompson PHARMACISTS
Prohibits pharmacists from issuing a prescription based solely upon the results of an electronic questionnaire
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB524 Smith, Jack BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS
Authorizes certain vessels to be titled
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB525 Jackson, M. TAX INCREMENT FINANCING
Provides for a tax increment financing district in East Baton Rouge Parish
- Notice House conferees appointed.
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Fields, McPherson, and Duplessis.
- HB531 Montgomery FUNDS/FUNDING
Dedicates unclaimed property to funding for certain highway construction
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB532 Daniel ETHICS/BOARD
Provides for the position of ethics administrator and prohibits him from engaging in certain activities
- Senate conference committee appointed: Dupre, Michot, and Duplessis.
- HB535 Anders ELDERLY
Creates the Aging and Disability Information Station program
- Senate conference committee appointed: Hines, Cheek, and Schedler.
 - Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
 - Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.
- HB542 Walker INSURANCE/HEALTH
Creates the Louisiana Children and Youth Health Insurance Program
- Senate conference committee appointed: Bajoie, Hines, and Jackson, L..
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
 - Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.

Chamber: Senate

- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- HB547 Martiny GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER
Increases the amount wagered and maximum amount won per video draw poker device game
- Signed by the President of 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
- Senate conference committee appointed: Fields, Amedee, and Fontenot.
- HB556 McVea COURTS/COURT COSTS
Imposes fees in criminal and traffic cases to fund the juvenile detention facility in the Feliciana Juvenile Justice District
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB557 Honey COMMERCE
Provides for identification of sellers of scrap metal
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB558 Salter INSURANCE/PROPERTY
Provides for premium discounts or other adjustments for compliance with building codes and for damage mitigation
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB566 Burrell MUSEUMS
Changes the name of the McNeill Street Pumping Station Museum to the Water Works Museum
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB568 Townsend TAX EXEMPTIONS
Authorizes a culinary arts and food science investor tax credit
- Senate conference committee appointed: Mount, Adley, and Nevers.
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- HB573 Morrish HEALTH CARE/FACILITIES
Provides for changes to the names of the developmental centers in the state
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB580 LaBruzzo RETIREMENT/STATE-STWIDE
Provides relative to interruptions in post-DROP employment periods occasioned by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita for members of Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB588 Thompson HOSPITALS
Provides for Medicaid reimbursement methodology for rural hospitals
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB603 Curtis NURSING HOMES
Provides for sprinkler systems in nursing home facilities
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB607 Alario LOCAL FINANCE

Chamber: Senate

Authorizes Jefferson Parish to create a special district and to provide for its governance and powers

- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Senate conference committee appointed: Heitmeier, Ullo, and Lentini.
- Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.

HB612 Alario FUNDS/FUNDING

Provides relative to the use of certain state funds

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB615 Alario FUNDS/FUNDING

Provides relative to the use of certain state funds

- Senate conference committee appointed: Heitmeier, Bajoie, and Hines.
- Notice House conferees appointed.

HB627 Williams RETIREMENT/PAROCHIAL EMP

Authorizes an additional PERS benefit for certain court reporters employed by Caddo Parish who are paid separately for "per-page" transcriptions

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB628 Carter, K. LEVEES

Clarifies and provides for the ownership and management of certain property of the Orleans Levee District

- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Senate conference committee appointed: Broome, Duplessis, and Bajoie.

HB629 Ritchie INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT/BDS

Creates the Louisiana Industrialized Building Act

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB632 Strain HEALTH/HOSPICES

Imposes a moratorium on hospice facilities for a period of eighteen months

- Senate conference committee appointed: McPherson, Schedler, and Chaisson.
- Change in Senate conference committee membership: Bajoie vice Schedler.

HB643 Romero, E. LIABILITY/CIVIL

Provides relative to civil liability of nonprofit organizations

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB647 Chandler CORR FACILITIES/JAILS

Provides with respect to the authority of correctional officers employed by private correctional facilities

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB651 Curtis WORKERS COMPENSATION

Provides for the liabilities of the workers' compensation Second Injury Fund

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB652 Wooton DWI

Amends provisions of law regarding interlock devices

- Senate conference committee appointed: Marionneaux, Ellington, and Chaisson.
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.

Chamber: Senate

- Rules suspended; Conference Committee report read. Rules suspended; adopted by a vote of 33 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB658 Kennard RETIREMENT/COLAS
Relative to the State Police Pension and Retirement System and the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System, provides for an Employee Experience Account and cost-of-living adjustments and for minimum employer contributions to the Employer Credit Account
 - Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB669 Curtis CHILDREN/FOSTER CARE
Provides relative to the interstate placement of foster children
 - Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB671 Salter RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
Provides relative to retirement benefits for certain employees of the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Gautreaux, B., Nevers, and Boasso.
 - Notice House adopted Conference Committee report.
- HB676 Smiley BOARDS/COMMISSIONS
Provides for changes to the Louisiana Recreational and Used Motor Vehicle Commission
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Fontenot, Amedee, and Michot.
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
- HB677 Thompson MUSEUMS/STATE MUSEUM
Transfers the Louisiana Political Museum and Hall of Fame from the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism to the Department of State
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Smith, Mike, Bajoie, and Hines.
- HB678 Carter, K. INSURANCE
Establishes the Insure Louisiana Incentive Program
 - Change in Senate conference committee membership: Cain vice Gautreaux, N..
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
- HB696 Pinac TAX CREDITS
Authorizes additional uses of credits under the Louisiana Capital Companies Tax Credit Program
 - Notice House rejected Senate amendments, and House conferees appointed.
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Hollis, Michot, and Amedee.
- HB704 Pinac BUILDING CODES
Provides for changes to the State Uniform Construction Code
 - Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB707 Harris INSURANCE CLAIMS-ADJUSTR
Establishes emergency authority for claims adjusters to enter into a disaster area immediately following a catastrophe
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Shepherd, Fontenot, and Cain.
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
- HB726 Downs PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS
Provides relative to the contract limit for certain public works related to the hurricanes
 - Signed by the President of the Senate.

Chamber: Senate

HB730	Jackson, M.	ETHICS/FINANCIAL DISCLOS	Requires legislators and candidates for the state legislature to disclose certain income <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Senate conference committee appointed: Hines, Duplessis, and Adley.- Notice House conferees appointed.
HB739	Gallot	MORTGAGES	Provides relative to the cancellation of mortgages and vendor's privileges <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of the Senate.
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 <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB757	Salter	TAX/SALES & USE	Includes certain machinery and equipment used primarily to produce a news publication within the state sales and use tax exclusion for manufacturing machinery and equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB765	Alario	APPROPRIATIONS/SUPPLEML	Provides for supplemental appropriations for Fiscal Year 2006-2007 <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of 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 <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB777	Smith, Jack	WATERWAYS/LAKES	Authorizes the Northwest Louisiana Game and Fish Preserve Commission to employ legal counsel <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Senate conference committee appointed: Smith, Mike, Malone, and McPherson.- Notice House conferees appointed.
HB784	Barrow	MEDICAID	Provides for licensed clinical social workers to qualify as Medicaid providers <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB790	Doerge	APPROPRIATIONS	Provides for the annual appropriations for voluntary parish councils on aging <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB802	Beard	PROPERTY	Provides relative to the purchase of immovable property by political subdivisions <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB806	Thompson	RURAL/DEVELOPMENT	Provides for the Center for Rural Initiatives to implement a Delta Development Initiative in specified parishes in northeast Louisiana and specifies what the initiative shall include <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Signed by the President of the Senate.
HB815	LaFleur	INSURANCE	

Chamber: Senate

Provides for the exclusion of certain title insurance producers from statutory continuing education requirements for the renewal of a title insurance producer license

- Senate conference committee appointed: Cravins, Jr., Gautreaux, N., and Cain.
- Notice House conferees appointed.

HB828 Alario APPROPRIATIONS/ANCILLARY
Ancillary appropriations for operating expenses of the state for Fiscal Year 2007-2008

- Notice House rejected Senate amendments.
- Senate conference committee appointed: Hines, Heitmeier, and Bajoie.
- Notice House conferees appointed.

HB829 Baudoin FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides for the distribution of a portion of the Two Percent Fire Insurance Fund to Delgado Community College for firefighter training

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB841 Quezaire AIRCRAFT/AIRPORTS
Provides with respect to the Louisiana Airport Authority

- Senate conference committee appointed: Amedee, Marionneaux, and Adley.
- Notice House conferees appointed.

HB846 Bruce COURTS/DISTRICT
Creates a new judicial district out of the 11th JDC

- Senate conference committee appointed: Cheek, Smith, Mike, and Gautreaux, N..

HB847 Jefferson TAX/INCOME-INDIV/CREDIT
Provides for an individual income tax credit for certain teachers reemployed by a school board in certain parishes which have been impacted by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB849 Daniel TAX INCREMENT FINANCING
Provides for tax increment financing for certain purposes in certain cities

- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Senate conference committee appointed: Broome, McPherson, and Fields.

HB870 Pinac TAX CREDITS
Creates the Hurricane Recovery Capital Tax Credit Program

- Notice House rejected Senate amendments.
- Notice House conferees appointed.
- Senate conference committee appointed: Duplessis, Broome, and Michot.

HB883 LaFonta HEALTH
Provides with respect to the Louisiana Diabetes Initiatives Council

- Senate conference committee appointed: Murray, Broome, and Bajoie.
- Notice House conferees appointed.

HB892 Townsend TAX CREDITS
Provides for extensions of time for certain tax credits

- Notice House rejected Senate amendments.
- Senate conference committee appointed: Adley, Bajoie, and Chaisson.

Chamber: Senate

yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- HB962 Morrell INSURANCE
Provides that the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation shall charge the higher of the actuarial rate or the rates equal to the highest of the top ten insurers with the greatest total direct written premium for residential property in any noncompetitive market
- Notice House rejected Senate amendments.
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Cravins, Jr., Gautreaux, N., and Chaisson.
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
- HB965 Durand HEALTH CARE
Provides relative to the Louisiana Emergency Response Network
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB966 Heaton CIVIL/PROCEDURE
Provides for the abandonment of actions
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB967 Lorusso PROPERTY/EXPROPRIATION
Provides relative to the right to contest expropriations in certain cases
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB970 Cazayoux SEX OFFENSE/REGISTRY
Provides for comprehensive revision of the sex offender registration and notification provisions
- Senate conference committee appointed: Chaisson, Mount, and Lentini.
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
- HB973 Ritchie TAX CREDITS
Provides for a tax credit for certain milk producers
- Senate conference committee appointed: Nevers, Mount, and Adley.
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
- HB974 Farrar JUDGES
Provides for the salary for justices of the supreme court and judges of the courts of appeal, district courts, parish courts, and city courts as recommended by the Judicial Compensation Commission
- Notice House rejected Senate amendments.
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Jones, Marionneaux, and Amedee.
- HB975 Odinet TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT
Provides for a state sales and use tax exemption on purchases of tangible personal property required to rebuild, repair, or replace certain storm-damaged property
- Notice House rejected Senate amendments.
 - Notice House conferees appointed.
 - Senate conference committee appointed: Nevers, Boasso, and Mount.
- HCR10 Alario BUDGETARY PROCEDURES
Provides for the expenditure limit for Fiscal Year 2006-2007
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR15 Smith, Gary STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP

Chamber: Senate

Requests congress to forgive the student loans of college graduates who move to Louisiana to support activities to rebuild and revitalize communities affected by Hurricanes Katrina or Rita

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR17

Schneider

INSURANCE/PROPERTY

Memorializes congress to enact legislation creating a federal catastrophe fund

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR28

Montgomery

RACING/COMMISSION

Requests the Louisiana State Racing Commission to review and revise the current jockey fee schedule

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR47

White

TRANSPORTATION DEPT

Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to install a traffic light at the intersection of La. Hwy. 16 and Cecil Drive

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR52

Smith, Jack

LEGISLATIVE AGCY/LAW INST

Directs the Louisiana State Law Institute to change the symbols used to denote degrees, minutes, and seconds to words

- Rules suspended, recalled from committee.

- Senate floor amendment read and adopted.

- Read by title. Amended, concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HCR60

Dorsey

HIGHWAYS/INTERSTATE

Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to designate a portion of Interstate 110 at Harding Boulevard in East Baton Rouge Parish as Military Order of Purple Heart Memorial Highway, Chapter 177

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR93

Jefferson

ROAD HOME

Requests the division of administration to adopt more stringent performance standards and penalties for The Road Home contract

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR98

Jefferson

INSURANCE CLAIMS

Requests the board of directors of the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to retain adequate staff to pay claims within thirty days

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR102

Smith, Gary

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

Requests the insurance commissioner of this state to work with insurance commissioners of other states across the Gulf Coast and the Eastern Seaboard on creating a regional catastrophe fund

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR104

Townsend

SCHOOLS

Requests BESE and local public school systems to work together to identify best practices, programs, and initiatives to ensure safe learning environments for all students

- Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR106

Thompson

DRUGS/PRESCRIPTION

Chamber: Senate

- Memorializes congress to pass the Online Pharmacy Consumer Protection Act of 2007
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR107 St. Germain CONGRESS
Memorializes congress to provide assistance and relief for Louisiana's commercial fishing industry
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR109 Jefferson BONDS
Requests the State Bond Commission to study the feasibility of providing the full faith and credit for claims and legal obligations of La. Citizens Property Insurance Corporation
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR137 Winston CHILDREN
Continues the Task Force on Legal Representation in Child Protection Cases
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR149 Badon ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Requests the Saints, the governor, and the Louisiana Department of Economic Development to study and consider selecting the site of the Plaza Mall in New Orleans East as the site for a new stadium for the New Orleans Saints
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR152 Fannin RURAL/DEVELOPMENT
Directs the Department of Health and Hospitals to research the use of incentive packages to recruit qualified family practitioners to rural areas
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR164 Jefferson ROAD HOME
Provides relative to additional funds for The Road Home Program
- Rules suspended, recalled from committee.
- Senate floor amendment read and adopted.
- Read by title. Amended, concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR165 McVea CHILDREN/SUPPORT
Requests the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the extension of child support past the age of majority
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR183 Farrar PROPERTY/COMMUNITY
Authorizes and requests the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations relative to certain laws on the partition of community property
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR187 Lambert TRANSPORTATION DEPT
Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to reconstruct the curve on Louisiana Highway 42 between Parish Road 929 and Louisiana Highway 930 in Ascension Parish
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR188 Hebert TRANSPORTATION
Requests that the Lewis Street overpass interchange in Iberia Parish be named the "Warren P. Martinez Memorial Overpass"
- Signed by the President of the Senate.

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- HCR191 Pinac ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
Recognizes the state's responsibility to regulate the alcoholic beverage industry
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR201 Carter, K. INSURANCE/HEALTH
Creates the Medication Access and Cost Study Committee
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR202 Anders NURSES/REGISTERED
Requests the Louisiana State Board of Nursing to study the scope of practice of registered nurses to work as qualified medical personnel to perform medical screening evaluations required by the Emergency Medical Treatment and Labor Act in rural hospitals
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR215 Downs TRAFFIC/SPEED LIMITS
Expresses the concern of the legislature on the use of traffic enforcement as a means of financing local government
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR216 Montgomery DENTISTRY
Directs the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry to enforce the provisions of R.S. 37:776(D)
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR218 Williams HIGHWAYS
Requests the Dept. of Transportation and Development to construct an elevated crosswalk in the 4600 block of North Market Street in Shreveport, Louisiana
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR251 Cazayoux SEX OFFENSE/REGISTRY
Memorializes congress to grant an extension to Louisiana regarding implementation of the federal Adam Walsh Act
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR252 Crane COMMENDATIONS
Commends Carole Butler-Wallin upon her retirement as deputy superintendent of education, La. Department of Education
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR257 Guillory, Mickey COMMENDATIONS
Commends and congratulates Dr. Ward M. Bellard for over fifty years of service to the community of Church Point
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR258 Dorsey HEALTH CARE
Memorializes congress to reexamine the provisions of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to provide prenatal care to immigrants
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR259 Richmond INSURANCE
Requests the boards of the Property Insurance Association of Louisiana, the Louisiana Automobile Insurance Plan, and the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to fully comply with the state audit law, including requesting the board of Louisiana Citizens to meet on or before June 28, 2007, on this matter

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- Signed by the President of the Senate.

- HCR260 Kleckley COMMENDATIONS
Commends George Heard, Executive Director of the Chennault International Airport Authority at Lake Charles, upon his retirement
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR261 Cazayoux CRIME/SEX OFFENSES
Creates a study committee to consider the best practices in the prevention of sex offenses, treatment of sex offenders, and combating recidivism
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR262 Toomy BESE
Requests BESE to promulgate rules and regulations that are in compliance with federal law relative to certain discipline procedures for students with disabilities
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR263 Guillory, Mickey LIBRARIES
Requests the governor and the Louisiana Legislature during the 2008 Regular Session to consider the establishment of a Dolly Parton Imagination Library
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR264 Erdey COMMENDATIONS
Commends Seale Funeral Service of Denham Springs upon the celebration of its 50th year in business
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR265 Townsend FISHING/RECREATIONAL
Creates the Louisiana Recreational Freshwater Fishing Task Force
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR266 Guillory, Elcie SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Recognizes July 14 and July 15 as Zion Tabernacle Baptist Church Days
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR267 Scalise COMMENDATIONS
Recognizes the Archbishop Rummel High School-based baseball team upon winning the American Legion World Series
- 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.
- HCR268 Alario FUNDS/FUNDING
Requests the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to study the issues relative to implementation of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statements No. 43 and 45, which prescribe accounting and reporting requirements for post-employment benefits other than pension benefits
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR269 Frith WILDLIFE & FISHERIES CMN
Requests the Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries to return to the prior method of selecting a contractor for alligator egg harvest at White Lake Wetlands Conservation Area
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

Chamber: Senate

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| HCR270 | Gallot | COMMENDATIONS |
| | | Recognizes the 100th anniversary of competition between the Homer High School and Haynesville High School football teams and commends the teams, their schools, and their fans for continuing the rivalry's tradition |
| | | - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House. |
| HCR271 | Gallot | CONDOLENCES |
| | | Expresses condolences upon the death of legendary coach Eddie Robinson, former head football coach at Grambling State University |
| | | - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House. |
| HCR272 | Kleckley | CONDOLENCES |
| | | Extends condolences upon the death of Kyle Andrew Broussard of Lake Charles |
| | | - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House. |