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- SB3            Scalise                            TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL  
Provides that the deduction from Louisiana income for federal income taxes will not decrease because of the federal income tax reductions (i.e. the rebates) in the federal Economic Stimulus Act of 2008. (gov sig)
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
  - Called from the calendar.
  - Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB5            Marionneaux                      TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL  
Grants an individual income tax deduction for tuition and fees paid on and after 1/1/09 to enroll a child in a parochial, private, college or university-affiliated elementary and secondary school, and for text books and curricula for home-schooled students, both limited to \$5,000 per child.
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
  - Called from the calendar.
  - Read by title and finally passed as amended 34 yeas and 2 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB7            Chaisson                            TAX/SALES  
Defines as a "manufacturer" for the manufacturing machinery and equipment sales tax exclusion persons within NAISC code information Sector 51 or the manufacturing Sectors 511-511110 if they are required to register with the Department of Labor and are assigned such sector numbers. (gov sig)
- Read by title and finally passed, 30 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB9            Marionneaux                      TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL  
Provides that the deduction from Louisiana income for federal income taxes will not decrease because of federal income tax rebates and credits received in 2008 from the federal Economic Stimulus Act of 2008. (8/15/08)
- Read by title and finally passed, 31 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB10          Marionneaux                      TAX/FRANCHISE/CORPORATE  
Accelerates the phase-out of corporate franchise tax on "borrowed capital" by one year, by excluding all "borrowed capital" from "taxable capital" for tax years beginning in 2011 (instead of 2012) and thereafter. (See Act)
- Read by title and finally passed as amended 31 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB11          Michot                                FUNDS/FUNDING  
Provides for dedication of certain revenues to transportation. (gov sig)
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
  - Called from the calendar.
  - Read by title and finally passed as amended 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB12          Marionneaux                      TAX/SALES  
Accelerates the phase-out of state sales taxes on manufacturing machinery and equipment by one year, making the purchase or lease of such machinery and equipment beginning 7/1/09 and thereafter tax free. (7/1/08)
- Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

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- SB13 Marionneaux TAX/SALES  
Removes the "permanent penny" on purchases of utilities by businesses. (7/1/08)  
- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- SCR4 Martiny COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Lindy Boggs on the occasion of her 92nd birthday.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR5 Long COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Florien High School for being honored with a Bronze Medal by U.S. News & World Report as one of the nation's best schools.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR6 Long COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Negreet High School for being honored with a Bronze Medal by U.S. News & World Report as one of the nation's best high schools.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR7 Long COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Dodson High School for being honored with a bronze medal by U.S. News & World Report as one of the nation's best high schools.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR8 Long COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Calvin High School for being honored with a Bronze Medal by U.S. News & World Report as one of the nation's best high schools.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR9 Long COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Winnfield Senior High School for being honored with a Bronze Medal by U.S. News & World Report as one of the nation's best high schools.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR10 Long COMMENDATIONS  
Commends the Lady Cougars of Calvin High School and Coach Mary McGinnis for winning the 2008 State Class C Basketball Championship.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR11 Adley TAX/TAXATION  
Memorializes the commissioner of the Internal Revenue Service and the Congress of the United States to take action to provide that certain amounts received by homeowners in Louisiana to offset Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Assessments on their homeowner's insurance premiums because of the unprecedented damage and destruction of homes in the recent hurricanes shall not be considered as income for federal tax purposes.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 33 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SR3 Chaisson SENATE  
Provides relative to the Senate Executive Committee.  
- Reported favorably.  
- Rules suspended  
- Read by title, adopted.

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- SR4 Gray COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Benjamin Karp on efforts to raise funds for the Tulane Medical Center.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR5 Martiny COMMENDATIONS  
Commends James J. Coleman, Sr., for his years of public service and commitment to Crimestoppers, Inc., and acknowledges the creation of the James J. Coleman, Sr., Corporate Partner Award.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HB1 Greene TAX/SALES-USE, STATE  
Provides relative to the effectiveness of the state sales and use tax exemption for sales of electricity, natural gas, water, and steam (Item #2)  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.
- HB4 Tucker FUNDS/FUNDING  
Provides for the dedication of certain revenues to transportation (Item #6)  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Finance.
- HB5 Tucker TREASURY DEPARTMENT  
Authorizes investment of monies in state treasury in tax exempt bonds issued by the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District (Item #13)  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Finance.
- HB6 Dove FUNDS/FUNDING  
Provides for the deposit of monies into the Coastal Restoration and Protection Fund (Item #11)  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Finance.
- HB9 Richmond TAX CREDITS  
Increases the total aggregate amount of credits that may be taken under the new markets tax credit (Item #5)  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.
- HB18 Greene TAX/INCOME TAX  
Provides that certain federal income tax rebates or credits shall not reduce the federal income tax deduction (Item #12)  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.
- HB45 Arnold DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL  
Provides relative to the Algiers Development District (Item #10)  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
- HB46 Fannin APPROPRIATIONS/SUPPLEML  
Provides for supplemental appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 (Item #8)  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on Finance.
- HCR1 Fannin BUDGETARY PROCEDURES

Provides for the expenditure limit for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 (Item #9)

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