

2008 Regular Session

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Instrument	Author	Status	Summary
SB1	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	CAPITAL OUTLAY: Revises the capital outlay process and the priorities and other content of the capital outlay bill. (8/15/08) (2/3-CA7s11(C))
SB2	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS: Provides relative to the authority of the board of commissioners for the St. Bernard Port, Harbor, and Terminal District to acquire certain property.
SB3	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	MARKETING/PROMOTION: Designates Plaquemines Parish as the "Gateway to Louisiana and America." (gov sig) (OR SEE FISC NOTE GF EX)
SB4	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Requires registration and public notice for identity theft offenders. (gov sig)
SB5	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Requires that the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation give a preference for insurance adjuster work to Louisiana companies. (gov sig)
SB6	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS: Designates Sazerac as the official state cocktail. (8/15/08) (OR NO IMPACT GF EX See Note)
SB7	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	TAX/AD VALOREM: Provides for procedures and time periods in Orleans Parish related to inspection of assessment lists, review and complaints concerning assessments, certifications of such lists, and hearings of appeals of assessments. (1/1/09)
SB8	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	PRIVILEGES/LIENS: Eliminates the requirement that the lessor of equipment on a construction project send a copy of the rental agreement to the landowner within ten days of equipment delivery to perfect his lien under the Private Works Act. (8/15/08)

SB9	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Requires motorcycle safety helmets only for those under 18 years of age; requires insurance for those 18 and over not wearing helmets. (8/15/08)
SB10	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	LOCAL OFFICIALS: Provides for appointment of the chief of police of the village of Turkey Creek. (8/15/08)
SB11	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	FARMING: Revises the Louisiana Right to Farm Law. (8/15/08)
SB12	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WILD REFUGES/PRESERVES: Revises the membership composition of the White Lake Property Advisory Board. (gov sig)
SB13	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	FISH/FISHING: Changes the number of hoop nets allowed with a recreational gear license. (gov sig)
SB14	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Changes the termination date for contracts awarded for the restoration and rehabilitation of certain levees from 2008 to 2010. (gov sig)
SB15	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Authorizes the issuance of a "Gold Star" motor vehicle prestige license plate.
SB16	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE POLICIES: Requires insurance companies to issue proof of coverage that accurately reflects the insured's effective dates of coverage and the actual dates for which a premium has been received from the insured. (gov sig)
SB17	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	PROPERTY INSURANCE: Requires La. Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to verify that an applicant has been denied property insurance coverage prior to writing a policy to the applicant. (gov sig)
SB18	ALARIO	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Dedicates one-twentieth of one percent of the state sales and use tax to the La. Wildlife and Fisheries Conservation Fund. (7/1/09) (OR -\$39,900,000 GF RV See Note)

SB19	ALARIO	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX EXEMPTIONS: Constitutional Amendment to increase the homestead exemption to \$15,000 of assessed valuation. (1/1/09) (2/3 - CA13s1(A))
SB20	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	FISH/FISHING: Provides relative to trawling vessels. (8/15/08)
SB21	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	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) (OR -\$115,000,000 GF RV See Note)
SB22	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	FISH/FISHING: Provides relative to required finfish stock assessment report. (8/15/08) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)
SB23	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	LOBBYING: Requires the Board of Ethics to include certain information in the lobbyist expenditure report forms. (OR SEE FISC NOTE GF EX)
SB24	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Constitutional amendment to create the Department of Ports, Maritime, and International Trade in the executive branch of government. (2/3 - CA13s1(A))
SB25	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Creates the Terrebonne Parish Veterans' Memorial Distrtict. (gov sig)
SB26	ALARIO	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Increases supplemental pay for eligible law enforcement officers and firefighters to \$500 per month. (7/1/08)
SB27	B.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	RETIREMENT BENEFITS: Allows garnishment of La. public retirement or pension system, plan, or fund benefits of an elected official to pay fines or restitution imposed for a felony associated with his office.(7/1/08)
SB28	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/AD VALOREM: Constitutional amendment to replace the New Orleans City Council with the Tax Commission as the board of review for ad valorem property tax assessments. (1/1/09) (2/3 - CA13s1(A))
SB29	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/AD VALOREM: Provides for the Louisiana Tax Commission instead of the parish governing authority to be the board of review to determine the correctness of property tax assessments in certain parishes. (See Act)

SB30	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	DWI: Requires DPS&C to establish and maintain the impaired driver tracking system and provides for the integration of the tracking system into the ICJIS project under certain circumstances. (gov sig)
SB31	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Provides for recusal from voting and requires public disclosure by certain public servants. (gov sig)
SB32	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Provides for the licensure of adult day health care providers. (8/15/08)
SB33	CHEEK	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides for requirements of health insurers for the Department of Health and Hospital's right to recover in Medicaid claims. (8/15/08)
SB34	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides penalties for retaliating against a person who, in good faith, make reports of abuse of certain vulnerable adults. (gov sig)
SB35	SHAW	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	TEACHERS RETIREMENT: Increases the amount that may be credited to the employee experience account of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana. (6/30/08)
SB36	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HOSPITALS: Provides for the definition of rural hospital for purposes of the Rural Hospital Preservation Act. (8/15/08)
SB37	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	NOTARIES: Authorizes certain ex officio notarial appointments by mayors in certain political subdivisions. (gov sig)
SB38	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN'S CODE: Provides for competency and sanity commissions in juvenile proceedings. (gov sig)
SB39	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SUNSET LAW: Provides for re-creation of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism. (6/30/08)
SB40	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	LOCAL OFFICIALS: Provides relative to completion of justice of the peace training requirements. (gov sig)
SB41	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	GAMING: Prohibits the extension of a line of credit and the placement of automated teller machines at gaming establishments. (gov sig)
SB42	B.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	STATE POLICE RET FUND: Provides for amortization of the liabilities of the State Police Pension and Retirement System. (7/1/08)

SB43	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH SERVICES: Provides for alternative remedies against health care providers. (gov sig)
SB44	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE POLICIES: Authorizes a third invitation for grant applications under the Insure Louisiana Incentive Program and provides for the recovery of unearned grants. (gov sig)
SB45	B.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	STATE EMPLOYEE RET: Provides for benefits for certain adult probation and parole officers. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) (7/1/08)
SB46	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Requires the Judicial Council and the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the feasibility of creating family courts or domestic relations sections in certain judicial districts. (8/15/08)
SB47	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	PUBLIC PROPERTY: Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Rapides Parish to the Red River Waterway District. (08/15/08)
SB48	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WATER/WATERWAYS: Includes certain waters within state natural and scenic rivers system. (gov sig)
SB49	CHEEK	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Provides for the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act. (8/15/08)
SB50	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE RET: Provides for change of beneficiary under certain circumstances. (7/1/08)
SB51	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Provides relative to the transportation and storage of a firearm in a privately-owned motor vehicle. (08/15/08)
SB52	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides for the crime of battery of an adult protective services worker. (8/15/08)
SB53	SHAW	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Provides that any complaint filed anonymously with the Board of Ethics shall not be investigated or addressed by the board. (8/15/08)
SB54	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	EXPROPRIATION: Constitutional amendment to remove certain restrictions on the disposition of blighted property expropriated in the city of New Orleans.
SB55	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Increases the jurisdictional limit for civil suit filing in the City Court of Jennings to \$35,000. (8/15/08)

SB56	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Allows a member of an appointed board or commission to recuse himself in the case of a conflict of interest.
SB57	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Provides for abuse and neglect of vulnerable adults. (gov sig)
SB58	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	REGISTRARS OF VOTERS: Provides relative to the annual canvass of registered voters. (1/1/09)
SB59	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Authorizes the court to set aside a sentence after completion of probation in misdemeanor or felony cases. (gov sig)
SB60	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	GROUP INSURANCE: Provides for eligibility of New Orleans school employees retired prior to Jan. 31, 2006, to participate, as a group, in insurance sponsored by the office of group benefits. (gov sig)
SB61	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	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)
SB62	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	CAMPAIGN FINANCE: Limits the amount of a loan that a candidate can make to his own campaign to 10% of the total funds raised from other sources. (8/15/08)
SB63	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	VOTERS/VOTING: Prohibits the registrar of voters and Department of State from disclosing registration data received from another state pursuant to cooperative agreement and geographical coding of addresses of registered voters. (gov sig)
SB64	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ELECTION DAYS: Shortens the time polls are open by two hours on election day and changes the hours that each registrar's office is required to be open on election day. (1/1/09)
SB65	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT: Reinstitutes the program for the conducting of early voting at additional locations. (gov sig)
SB66	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	VOTERS/VOTING: Prohibits a person from registering to vote or voting who is committed to a mental institution or forensic facility after being found not guilty by reason of insanity or after a court determines lack of mental capacity for criminal trial. (1/1/09)

SB67	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT: Re-creates the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries. (6/30/08) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)
SB68	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	HUNTERS/HUNTING: Allows military personnel and POST-certified law enforcement personnel to file for firearm and hunter education exemption at certain offices. (8/15/08) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)
SB69	CHEEK	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	NURSING HOMES: Extends the sunset date of the Nursing Home Quality Efficiency Board. (8/15/08)
SB70	CHEEK	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH SERVICES: Provides for registration of personal care service agencies. (gov sig)
SB71	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Provides for issuance of a citation instead of arrest for violating traffic provisions and certain non-violent offenses. (gov sig)
SB72	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Authorizes the city of Slidell to enter into design-build contracts.
SB73	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN'S CODE: Provides for parental contributions to care and treatment of children in foster care. (8/15/08)
SB74	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	LAW ENFORCEMENT: Prohibits evidence from a traffic camera from becoming part of vehicle operator's driving record.
SB75	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	NURSING HOMES: Extends until January 1, 2010, the facility need review approval for licensed nursing homes or intermediate care facilities that are located in certain areas. (gov sig)
SB76	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN'S CODE: Provides for the restoration of parental rights. (8/15/08)
SB77	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN'S CODE: Adds CASA volunteers to the list of mandatory reporters of child abuse. (gov sig)
SB78	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	CLERKS OF COURT: Provides relative to eligibility to enter the Clerks' of Court Retirement and Relief Fund Deferred Retirement Option Plan. (7/1/08)
SB79	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	MALPRACTICE: Provides with respect to qualifications of medical expert witnesses in medical malpractice actions against physicians. (gov sig)

SB80	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Provides for suspension and deferral of misdemeanor and felony sentences and probation in misdemeanor and felony cases. (gov sig)
SB81	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES: Provides for state and local corrections facilities. (gov sig)
SB82	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	GAMING: Enacts provision of law regarding the use of charitable gaming proceeds. (8/15/08)
SB83	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Requires persons under the age of 21 to wear a safety helmet when operating or riding upon a motorcycle; requires insurance for those 21 and over not wearing helmets. (08/15/08)
SB84	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Eliminates the requirement that the lessor of movables deliver a copy of the lease to the owner within ten days of delivering such movables to the construction site under the Public Works Act. (8/15/08)
SB85	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Authorizes people 21 years of age or older to operate a motorcycle or scooter which is 250cc or less on a public street with a posted speed limit of 45 mph or less without a safety helmet. (08/15/08)
SB86	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	PARDONS: Provides for membership on the Board of Pardons. (8/15/08)
SB87	SHAW	PENDING SENATE INTRODUCTION	TAX/TAXATION: Reduces individual income tax rates and brackets, and restores the full deduction for excess federal itemized personal deductions, to the same amounts as provided for prior to the enactment of the Stelly Plan (Act 51 of 2002) except for the reduction in rates for the lowest brackets. (gov sig)
SB88	CHAISSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HOSPITALS: Authorizes parish governing authorities to provide certain per diem for members of the board of commissioners of hospital service districts in parishes with a certain population. (8/15/08)
SB89	CHAISSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	PLANNING/ZONING: Authorizes parish governing authorities in parishes with certain population to provide certain per diem for members of parish planning and zoning commission. (8/15/08)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	LIFE INSURANCE: Provides for the conversion of mutual life insurers

SB90	CRAVINS	INSURANCE	and mutual life insurance holding companies. (gov.sig.)
SB91	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	JUDGES: Provides for two additional judgeships in the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court with specified jurisdiction. (gov sig)
SB92	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Requires the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to give preference to Louisiana adjusters. (8/15/08)
SB93	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	PRIVILEGES/LIENS: Provides for the notice and place of filing of a federal lien on certain vessels. (8/15/08)
SB94	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	TAX/TAXATION: Increases the portion of the severance tax on timber allocated to the Forestry Productivity Fund, from seventy-five percent to one hundred percent. (7/1/08)
SB95	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	DONATIONS: Provides relative to charitable trusts and charitable donations. (1/1/09)
SB96	BROOME	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	DENTISTRY: Provides for licensure requirements of dentists and dental hygienists and for fees associated with the practice of dentistry. (8/15/08)
SB97	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	DONATIONS: Provides for the continuous revision of the law regarding donations. (8/15/08)
SB98	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Provides relative to French Quarter-Marigny Historic Area Management District. (8/15/08)
SB99	B.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	RETIREMENT SYSTEMS: Prohibits transfer of employer contributions except in certain circumstances. (6/30/08)
SB100	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT: Requires that bridge-loans or guarantees made pursuant to the recent hurricane emergencies be converted to cooperative endeavor agreements and the proceeds loaned or guaranteed be converted to grants pursuant to each cooperative endeavor agreement. (8/15/08)
SB101	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Provides for the transfer of surplus funds from the City Court of Jennings' civil fee account to the court's general operational fund. (8/15/08)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	AIRCRAFT/AVIATION: Increases the maximum amount of

SB102	MORRISH	TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	Transportation Trust Fund money that is annually made available for the General Aviation and Reliever Airport Maintenance Grant Program from \$200,000 to \$300,000. (7/1/08)
SB103	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Dedicates a portion of the avails of taxes on insurance premiums and surplus lines to the Citizens Insurance Recovery Fund for support of debt service and other obligations of the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation. (7/1/08)
SB104	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Specifies that neither a commercial driver's license nor a hazardous materials endorsement is needed for the transportation of "agricultural related fuels," including up to 2,500 gallons of diesel fuel. (8/15/08)
SB105	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	TREASURY DEPARTMENT: Authorizes investment of monies in state treasury in tax exempt bonds issued by the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation.
SB106	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	APPROPRIATIONS: Provides a procedure for submission and review of information related to proposed amendments to the General Appropriation Bill. (8/15/08)
SB107	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Provides relative to certified court reporters for the Thirty-First Judicial District. (8/15/08)
SB108	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT: Places facilities subject to the Judicial Agency Referral Residential Facility Regulatory Act under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, corrections services. (8/15/08)
SB109	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	CAPITAL OUTLAY: Increases the amount for projects for minor repairs, renovation, or construction of facilities or purchase of land and facilities which may be undertaken outside of the capital outlay process by higher education.
SB110	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN: Authorizes the Department of Social Services to intercept and seize casino winnings from individuals in arrears for child support or owing overpayments to the department. (gov sig)
SB111	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	LAW ENFORCEMENT: Provides for issuance of summons for certain minor traffic offenses. (gov sig)

SB112	HEITMEIER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	OPTOMETRY: Provides for the definition of "optometry." (8/15/08)
SB113	J.R.SMITH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/AD VALOREM: Eliminates certain parishes from the additional notice required to be given to taxpayers concerning certain property tax assessments and meetings to increase millage rates without voter approval. (gov sig)
SB114	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Amends provisions of the state public defender law. (8/15/08)
SB115	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ELECTION CODE: Provides a procedure for qualifying as a candidate by nominating petition whenever qualifying is reopened for an office after the death of a candidate. (7/1/08)
SB116	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Re-names a certain portion of the West Bank Expressway as the Harry Lee Expressway.
SB117	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Provides for the collection and deposit of bench warrant fees and probation fees in the Parish Court for the parish of Ascension. (gov sig)
SB118	BROOME	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Revises the membership of the Research Park Corporation's board of directors. (See Act)
SB119	BROOME	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Provides for the definition of "lifestyle modifications." (8/15/08)
SB120	B.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	ASSESSORS RETIREMENT: Provides a Back-Deferred Retirement Option Program for members of the Assessors' Retirement Fund. (See Act)
SB121	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Increases the contract limit amount for which the public bid process is required to \$200,000. (08/15/08)
SB122	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Provide for annual review of insurers who cancel or do not renew certain policies due to solvency considerations of the insurer. (8/15/08)

SB123	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Provides relative to restraints on competing business. (8/15/08)
SB124	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT: Re-creates the Department of Natural Resources. (OR NO IMPACT See Note)
SB125	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE RATES: Remove authority of Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to charge a surcharge on certain policies covering properties located below certain areas of I-10 and I-12. (8/15/08)
SB126	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Requires school administrators to check students' records annually to ensure immunization enforcement. (8/15/08)
SB127	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Changes the renewal period for an approved charter school from a 10-year period to a period of up to 10 years. (8/15/08)
SB128	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	EDUCATION DEPARTMENT: Adds educational consultants to the list of professions for which contracts for professional services may be awarded without competitive bidding or negotiation. (8/15/08)
SB129	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	STUDENTS: Requires compulsory kindergarten attendance. (gov sig)
SB130	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	LOANS: Allows pre-paid finance charges to be used in the calculation of the "contract rate" of interest in a consumer loan. (1/01/09)
SB131	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT: Provides for the regulation of preneed funeral contracts. (1/1/09)
SB132	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	PARKS: Provides for audit concerning New Orleans City Park, the New Orleans City Park Improvement Association, and its board and provides for the respective responsibility of the park, the association, the board, and the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism relative to such audits. (7/1/08)

SB133	DONAHUE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	PUBLIC WORKS: Requires the Louisiana Agricultural Finance Authority to comply with the public bid law. (8/15/08)
SB134	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES: Constitutional amendment to allow certain employees in the classified service to publicly express political positions or endorsements. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB135	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES: Authorizes certain employees in the classified service to publicly express certain political positions or endorsements.
SB136	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	TELECOMMUNICATIONS: Authorizes certain technical evaluation committees to meet and conduct business through teleconferencing and video conferencing. (gov sig)
SB137	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	TRAFFIC: Prohibits text messaging by all drivers and the use of cell phones by novice drivers. (7/1/08)
SB138	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	PRIVILEGES/LIENS: Provides for the cancellation of mortgages by affidavit of lost note. (gov sig)
SB139	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	SEIZURES/SALES: Provides for an increase in the amount of the homestead exemption from seizure and sale. (gov sig)
SB140	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	LAW ENFORCEMENT: Provides for the electronic signature of a police officer on citations that are electronically generated and transmitted. (8/15/08)
SB141	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Prohibits an insurance policy or health insurance entity from imposing a co-payment, deductible, or dollar limitation on benefits for services rendered by a chiropractic physician that is greater than the co-payment, deductible, or dollar limitation on benefits imposed for the services of a medical physician for the treatment of same or similar conditions. (gov sig)
SB142	SCALISE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE	WEAPONS: Provides for the confidentiality of certain information submitted to the deputy secretary of public safety of the Department of

		JUDICIARY B	Public Safety and Corrections to obtain a concealed handgun permit. (8/15/08)
SB143	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Prohibits a "sex offender" from wearing a mask, hood or disguise during holiday events and from distributing candy or other gifts on Halloween to persons under eighteen years of age.
SB144	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	SEX OFFENSES: Authorizes the administration of medroxyprogesterone acetate to or voluntary castration of persons convicted of a crime which classifies the convicted person as a "sex offender." (gov sig)
SB145	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	VOTERS/VOTING: Requires the parish board of election supervisors to inform certain voters if their ballots were rejected and the reason for rejection. (7/1/08)
SB146	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Designates LA-3241 as the " B.B. "Sixty" Rayburn Memorial Highway." (8/15/08)
SB147	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	MUNICIPALITIES: Authorizes the board of aldermen, upon the mayor's request, to appoint one or more magistrates and one or more prosecutors for mayor's court. (gov sig)
SB148	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Requires all individual and group health insurance policies providing coverage for hospital, medical or surgical expenses to provide coverage for prosthetic services and prosthesis devices. (gov sig)
SB149	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE RATES: Prohibits insurers from including fines and penalties in rate filings. (gov sig)
SB150	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Provides for the formation and regulation of domestic captive insurers. (1/1/09)
SB151	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Requires recognition of assignment of health insurance benefits to health care providers. (gov sig)
SB152	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	LIFE INSURANCE: Provides for eligibility on a group life insurance policy (gov sig)
SB153	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE DEPARTMENT: Provides for appointments to the La. Property and Casualty Insurance Commission. (gov sig)

SB154	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides for regulation of discount medical plans with the commissioner of insurance. (1/1/09)
SB155	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to the procedure for review of denied benefits by medical necessity review organizations. (gov sig)
SB156	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Provides relative to the St. Landry Parish Economic and Industrial Development District. (8/15/08)
SB157	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Increases the number of days prior to which written notice of an appearance date is served upon a defendant or his duly appointed agent when a bail bond does not fix an appearance date. (8/15/08)
SB158	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Prohibits the use of a radar detection device while operating a motor vehicle upon public highways. (8/15/08)
SB159	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Prohibits minors from using any wireless telecommunications device while operating a motor vehicle. (7/1/08)
SB160	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE POLICIES: Provides for changes in homeowner's insurance policy deductibles and the application of deductibles in the event of loss. (gov sig)
SB161	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN: Provides relative to income assignment orders. (8/15/08)
SB162	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	LIABILITY: Provides for modified comparative fault. (gov sig)
SB163	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	LIABILITY: Provides an exemption from liability for agritourism professionals. (gov sig)
SB164	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE	MUSEUMS: Changes the name of the Aviation and Military Museum of Louisiana, Inc., to the Chennault Aviation and Military Museum of

		EDUCATION	Louisiana, Inc. (8/15/08)
SB165	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	HUNTERS/HUNTING: Provides relative to deer hunting with primitive firearms and crossbows. (gov sig)
SB166	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Provides that judges elected in 2009 for the 41st Judicial District Court shall automatically revert to the judges of the civil and criminal courts of Orleans Parish should the legislation creating the district be held unconstitutional. (gov sig)
SB167	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS: Allows meetings of legislative committees held in the interim between sessions to be conducted by video conference.(gov sig)
SB168	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	UNEMPLOYMENT COMP: Exempts Louisiana employers who operate on a reimbursement basis within the unemployment compensation system from repayment of benefits paid in accordance with Executive Orders KBB 2005-34, KBB 2005-46, and KBB 2005-76 following hurricanes Katrina and Rita. (8/15/08)
SB169	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	BESE: Gives BESE discretion as to when to return certain schools transferred to the Recovery School District back to the transferring school system. (8/15/08)
SB170	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Changes the renewal period for an approved charter school from a 10-year period to a period of up to 10 years. (8/15/08)
SB171	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	EDUCATION DEPARTMENT: Allows the Recovery School District to enroll any Louisiana student in a school or educational program under the district's jurisdiction. (8/15/08)
SB172	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Provides relative to the purchase of copper and other metal material. (8/15/08)
SB173	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	NOTARIES: Exempts the courses of notary study from the law requiring the courses to be taught only by registered proprietary schools. (gov sig)
SB174	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	SECRETARY OF STATE: Provides for a name change of the First Stop Shop within the Department of State to the Office of Geauxbiz. (8/15/08)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE,	AGRICULTURE/FOREST DEPT: Makes a technical correction to the

SB175	THOMPSON	FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	name of the office of agricultural and environmental sciences. (gov sig)
SB176	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	AGRICULTURE/FOREST DEPT: Removes the commissioner of financial institutions from the membership of the State Market Commission. (gov sig)
SB177	B.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	SHERIFFS PEN/RELIEF FUND: Provides for reduced retirement with ten years of service credit at age sixty under certain circumstances. (7/1/08)
SB178	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Changes the sunset date for the disbursement of certain monies from the waste tire fund and dedicates a portion of these monies. (7/1/08)
SB179	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	FAMILY LAW: Provides relative to reserving fruits of property as separate property. (8/15/08)
SB180	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Transfers the Council for the Development of French in Louisiana (CODOFIL) to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism. (7/1/08)
SB181	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	RETIREMENT SYSTEMS: Allows boards of trustees to require payment of additional employer contributions. (6/30/08)
SB182	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	MENTAL HEALTH: Provides for assistive outpatient placement. (8/15/08)
SB183	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	REVENUE DEPARTMENT: Authorizes the department to furnish upon request certain information in an application for "new markets tax credits" in R.S. 47:1606, for all qualified equity investments made on or after April 1, 2008, instead of July 1, 2008. (gov sig)
SB184	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Removes authorization for a jury to have a written copy of instructions and charges in the jury room. (8/15/08)
SB185	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH: Amends the Louisiana Clean Indoor Air Act to prohibit smoking in areas where food is served. (8/15/08)
SB186	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	PRESCRIPTION: Extends the one year prescription for civil actions generally to two years. (8/15/08)

SB187	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	GAMING: Authorizes slot machine gaming at an eligible live horse racing facility in Iberville Parish. (8/15/08)
SB188	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/SALES: Recreates the Tax Free Shopping (Refund) Program set to terminate on 7/1/09. (gov sig)
SB189	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	APPOINTED OFFICIALS: Provides for automatic removal of appointees not reappointed by the governor. (8/15/08)
SB190	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Allows automobile dealers to make corrections to sales data during audit periods. (8/15/08)
SB191	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides relative to residential mortgage fraud. (gov sig)
SB192	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	PILOTS: Provides that the Pilotage Fee Commission shall govern the participation of the alternate neutral member by the internal rules. (8/15/08)
SB193	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	EXPROPRIATION: Constitutional amendment to remove certain restrictions on the disposition of blighted property expropriated in the parish of Baton Rouge. (2/3-CA13(A))
SB194	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WATER QUALITY: Protects the ground water of Lake Peigneur by prohibiting the development, expansion, or conversion of certain storage caverns in the Jefferson Island salt dome. (8/15/08)
SB195	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	CLERKS OF COURT RET: Provides relative to disability retirement for the Clerks' of Court Retirement and Relief Fund. (7/1/08)
SB196	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Prohibits any waste facility from operating within 10,000 feet of an airport. (8/15/08)
SB197	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	HAZARDOUS WASTE: Provides that the time limitation for instituting prosecution for criminal violations of the Hazardous Waste Control Law begins to run from discovery of the violation. (8/15/08)

SB198	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	PESTICIDES/HERBICIDES: Authorizes state participation in the Pest Control Compact. (gov sig)
SB199	N.GAUTREAU	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Constitutional amendment to increase the maximum balance in the Budget Stabilization Fund. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB200	ALARIO	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX EXEMPTIONS: Constitutional amendment to adjust the homestead exemption in accordance with changes in the Consumer Price Index. (1/1/09) (CA13s1(A))
SB201	ALARIO	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RET: Includes pay to school bus drivers for certain school-related extracurricular activities in the definition of earnable compensation. (7/1/08)
SB202	N.GAUTREAU	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX EXEMPTIONS: Constitutional amendment to exempt from property tax inventories of oilfield tubulars if they are inspected and certified as safe for use in critical locations as provided by law. (See Act) (CA13s1(A))
SB203	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	EMPLOYMENT: Provides an exception to certain drug testing provisions for persons, firms, and corporations engaged in the construction, maintenance, or manufacturing of petrochemical products. (8/15/08)
SB204	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC PRINTING: Revises laws regarding public printing. (8/15/08)
SB205	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Provides for definition of "employee" in the Quality Jobs Act and the Enterprise Zone Act. (8/15/08)
SB206	MARIONNEAU	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/TAXATION: Repeals the State Inheritance Tax effective January 1, 2010. (1/1/10)
SB207	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Constitutional amendment to allow a tax refund, rebate, or credit for individual income tax to be appropriated from nonrecurring revenues. (2/3 - CA13s1(A))

SB208	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	TOPS: Converts TOPS to a loan forgiveness program beginning with students graduating during the 2008-2009 school year and thereafter. (8/15/08)
SB209	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	TOPS: Establishes a maximum household income of less than \$250,000 as a TOPS eligibility requirement, beginning with students graduating during the 2008-2009 school year. (8/15/08)
SB210	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	APPOINTED OFFICIALS: Provides that certain persons appointed to boards and commissions be reconfirmed each legislative term. (8/15/08)
SB211	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Increase the monetary amount in controversy necessary to request a jury trial. (8/15/08)
SB212	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	AIRCRAFT/AVIATION: Abolishes the Louisiana Airport Authority. (gov sig)
SB213	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Constitutional amendment to provide for the appellate jurisdiction of a court of appeal and to provide that appellate review extends only to questions of law. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB214	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	USUFRUCT: Allows a certain usufructuary to execute a mineral lease without the consent of the naked owner. (8/15/08)
SB215	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides relative to venue. (gov sig)
SB216	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	MINERALS: Constitutional amendment to provide for the interruption of prescription of mineral rights on certain lands donated to the state. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB217	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	LIABILITY: Provides relative to burden of proof, jury charge and expert witness qualification in a malpractice action. (gov sig)
SB218	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	TOPS: Changes the name of the TOPS program to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students. (8/15/08)
SB219	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ELECTION DAYS: Changes polling hours on election day. (1/1/09)

SB220	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	FAMILY LAW: Provides relative to possession and use of family residence or community property in the event of divorce. (8/15/08)
SB221	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	VOTERS/VOTING: Changes the hours the polls are required to be open on election day. (1/1/09)
SB222	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	LIABILITY: Creates the Asbestos and Silica Claims Medical Criteria Act. (8/15/08)
SB223	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	LEGISLATORS: Provides relative to funding for legislative assistants. (7/1/08)
SB224	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	HOUSING: Requires that the board of each housing authority include at least one tenant. (gov sig)
SB225	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Creates the crime of unlawfully wearing clothing which exposes undergarments or body parts. (gov sig)
SB226	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Names the tunnel in Harvey, Louisiana as the Crosby Tunnel. (gov sig)
SB227	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	NOTARIES: Creates new category of business notary public. (8/15/08)
SB228	HEITMEIER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH SERVICES: Provides for standards for crisis receiving centers. (gov sig)
SB229	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Provides for health care facilities violations and penalties. (gov sig)
SB230	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	LAW ENFORCEMENT: Allows the Louisiana Association of Chiefs of Police Emergency Task Force to render mutual aid under certain conditions. (gov sig)
SB231	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	TAX/AD VALOREM: Constitutional amendment to lower the age at which the assessment value of residential property is "frozen" from 65 to 62. (2/3 - CA13s1(A))
SB232	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL	APPOINTED OFFICIALS: Constitutional amendment to provide for a three-consecutive-term limit for positions on certain constitutionally-

		AFFAIRS	provided boards and commissions. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB233	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	APPOINTED OFFICIALS: Provides term limits for members of certain boards and commissions. (See Act)
SB234	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH SERVICES: Provides for licensing of substitute family agencies for the developmentally disabled by the Department of Health and Hospitals. (gov sig)
SB235	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	NURSING HOMES: Authorizes DHH to promulgate rules for facilities located in areas subject to hurricanes, tidal surges or flooding. (gov sig)
SB236	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	NURSING HOMES: Provides for violations and penalties for nursing homes and other health care facilities. (gov sig)
SB237	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides relative to the definition of criminal abandonment. (gov sig)
SB238	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Provides for expedited partner therapy. (gov sig)
SB239	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE PREMIUMS: Provides premium assistance to certain qualified persons for homeowner insurance policies. (8/15/08)
SB240	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Provide for the limitation of liability of the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association. (8/15/08)
SB241	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to insurance coverage for rehabilitative physical therapy. (gov sig)
SB242	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	PUBLIC PROPERTY: Authorizes the transfer of certain state property, located in Rapides Parish, from the Department of Health and Hospitals to the Department of Transportation and Development.
SB243	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Provides procedure for closing or removal of private farm crossings. (8/15/08)
SB244	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Dedicates state funds for the purpose of providing for health insurance premiums of certain plan members in hurricane affected areas. (7/1/08)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	INSURERS: Provides for the types of insurers and risk bearing entities

SB245	CRAVINS	INSURANCE	regulated under the Louisiana Insurance Code.(See Act)
SB246	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	ENERGY PRODUCTION: Provides relative to minerals, oil and gas. (8/15/08)
SB247	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides for the regulation of viatical settlements. (gov sig)
SB248	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Prohibits human cloning and provides for definitions, exceptions and criminal penalty for violation.
SB249	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	NURSING HOMES: Repeals the moratorium on replacement nursing facilities. (gov sig)
SB250	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Provides for the Department of Health and Hospitals to develop a prescription drug discount program for the low-income uninsured. (gov sig)
SB251	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Provides relative to the continuing education requirements applicable to Residential Mortgage Lending Act licensees. (gov sig)
SB252	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS: Provides relative to Nationwide Mortgage Licensing System access fees. (gov sig)
SB253	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Provides relative to examinations of residential mortgage lenders. (gov sig)
SB254	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	TAX EXEMPTIONS: Constitutional amendment to authorize the Department of Economic Development to contract with developers of retirement communities for exemptions from ad valorem taxation. (2/3 - CA13s1(A))
SB255	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Provides for the Carrollton-Riverbend

		AFFAIRS	Neighborhood Association Security District. (8/15/08)
SB256	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Provides for the Holly Grove Neighborhood Security District. (8/15/08)
SB257	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	HOLIDAYS: Provides that the clerk of court of the Fifteenth Judicial District Court and the clerk of court of the City Court of Abbeville shall close their offices on the Friday before the second weekend in October. (8/15/08)
SB258	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN: Provides relative to the Department of Social Services.
SB259	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	INSURANCE DEPARTMENT: Provides for a state catastrophic fund and implementation of the Louisiana Consumer's Catastrophe Preparedness and Protection Plan. (1/1/09)
SB260	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN: Provides relative to acknowledgments of judgments and paternity.
SB261	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Extends the sunset date of the Interagency Task Force on Family Medicine. (8/15/08)
SB262	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	APPROPRIATIONS: Provides relative to the contents and format of the executive budget. (7/1/08) (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)
SB263	J.R.SMITH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides for the crime of jumping bail. (8/15/08)
SB264	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: Provides with respect to domestic abuse assistance. (gov sig)
SB265	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN: Provides relative to the emancipation of minors. (1/1/09)
SB266	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	LIABILITY: Creates the Model Asbestos Claims Transparency Act. (gov sig)
SB267	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for the salary of each executive secretary of a department in the executive branch of government. (8/15/08)
SB268	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	BESE: Prohibits renewal of the charter of a failing school unless the school meets certain criteria. (8/15/08)

SB269	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Reorganizes the Louisiana Health Works Commission. (8/15/08)
SB270	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	PUBLIC PROPERTY: Authorizes the transfer of certain state property, located in Rapides Parish, from the state of Louisiana, from the Department of Health and Hospitals, to the Department of Transportation. (gov sig)
SB271	DONAHUE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ELECTION DAYS: Reduces the number of days on which certain elections may be held. (1/1/09) (OR -\$1,600,000 LF EX See Note)
SB272	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Provides for distribution and sale of specialty vehicles. (8/15/08)
SB273	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	NURSING HOMES: Provides with respect to the moratorium on nursing facilities. (gov sig)
SB274	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	DWI: Authorizes the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to use certification by certain professional organizations in determining the qualifications and competence of individuals and labs to administer tests on suspected impaired drivers and requires the admissibility of such tests in court. (8/15/08)
SB275	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Authorizes, subject to the adoption of school board policies, the denial or suspension of driving privileges to a minor who fails to meet compulsory school attendance requirements and has withdrawn from school or is habitually absent or truant. (8/15/08)
SB276	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Allows a workers' compensation insurer to enter into preferred provider agreements which provide for fees and other payments that deviate from the schedule of payments set forth in the workers' compensation provisions, and provides for notice by the insurer to the employee of such PPO agreements. (8/15/08)
SB277	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Provides relative to recusal of judges. (gov sig)
SB278	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Allows a party in a civil action to substitute a judge of right under certain circumstances. (gov sig)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	STUDENTS: Limits, in specified circumstances, excluding certain students

SB279	CROWE	EDUCATION	from extracurricular interscholastic athletic activities. (gov sig)
SB280	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the UNO Slidell Technology Park Fund and provides for the deposit of certain monies into the fund. (7/1/08)
SB281	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS: Provides for fishing licenses of minors with valid identification card.
SB282	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	NURSING HOMES: Provides for nursing home beds placed in alternative health care use to be re-licensed as nursing home beds. (8/15/08)
SB283	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	BOATS/BOATING: Names the boat launch at US-90 and Pearl River in Slidell as "Edward C. Scogin Memorial Boat Launch."
SB284	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM: Defines "employee" for purposes of the group benefits program to include certain retired members of the classified fire and police civil service. (gov sig)
SB285	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	NOTARIES: Provides that the application process to become a notary public shall be administered by the office of the secretary of state and provides procedures. (8/15/08)
SB286	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	EARLY CHILDHOOD ED: Provides for phased in universal access to the LA 4 Early Childhood Program and for participation by non-school system providers of early childhood education. (8/15/08)
SB287	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Provides for Louisiana health care consumers' right to know. (8/15/08)
SB288	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/TAXATION: Deletes the 10% of tax, penalty, and interest required to be transferred to the tax commission as a result of audits for deposit in its expense fund and prohibits the employment of private counsel by the tax commission on a contingency fee basis. (gov sig)
SB289	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/TAXATION: Places requirements and restrictions on the use of private auditing firms by local sales tax collectors and limits "specific penalties" which may be charged to taxpayers who fail to make a return, make a grossly incorrect report or a false or fraudulent report. (gov sig)
SB290	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	REVENUE SECRETARY: Requires the secretary of the Department of Revenue to employ private counsel on a per hour basis only and specifically prohibits contingency fees. (gov sig)

SB291	DONAHUE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Renames the East Florida Parishes Retirement District as La.'s I-12 Retirement District. (7/1/08)
SB292	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	FISH/FISHING: Allows access to the ordinary high stage of navigable waters for certain purposes. (8/15/08)
SB293	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WATER/WATERWAYS: Provides relative to the banks of navigable rivers or streams. (8/15/08)
SB294	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Prohibits an automobile manufacturer from imposing certain obligations on an automobile dealer to expend certain funds in an amount greater than that advanced to the dealer. (8/15/08)
SB295	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	EXPROPRIATION: Constitutional amendment to remove certain restrictions on the disposition of blighted property expropriated in the city of New Orleans and in the city of Baton Rouge. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB296	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS: Constitutional amendment to require that the proclamation calling for an extraordinary session be issued and made public so that at least five calendar days elapse after the day the proclamation is made public and prior to the day of the start of the session. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB297	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Provides relative to licenses pursuant to the Residential Mortgage Licensing Act. (gov sig) (OR -\$5,600 SG EX See Note)
SB298	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES: Provides relative to local permits for the sale of alcoholic beverages. (8/15/08)
SB299	ERDEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM: Provides for the eligibility of certain developmentally disabled persons in the state group benefits program. (gov sig)
SB300	ERDEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to the Louisiana Health Plan. (8/15/08)
SB301	CHAISSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	LIABILITY: Provides immunity for certain medical personnel during evacuation or treatment of patients. (gov sig)

SB302	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	MALPRACTICE: Provides relative to claims-made insurance and claims-made patient's compensation fund coverage. (8/15/08)
SB303	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	EVIDENCE: Provides relative to introduction of foreign business records in criminal proceedings. (8/15/08)
SB304	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	STUDENTS: Provides relative to the use of corporal punishment in public schools. (gov sig)
SB305	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT: Provides relative to certain leases granted by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries. (8/15/08)
SB306	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides that obstruction of justice shall include knowingly and intentionally providing false information to a law enforcement officer. (8/15/08)
SB307	DONAHUE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Prohibits recovery for loss of enjoyment of life as a separate element of damages apart from pain and suffering damages and prohibits an instruction to the jury which separates loss of enjoyment of life from pain and suffering. (8/15/08)
SB308	DONAHUE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides for a pre-trial hearing regarding the qualifications and admissibility of testimony of expert witnesses. (gov sig)
SB309	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HOSPITALS: Creates and provides for the "Hospital Care Incentive Program." (gov sig)
SB310	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Constitutional amendment to require the forfeiture of the taxpayer-funded portion of the public pension or retirement benefit of a teacher or school support worker convicted of molestation of a juvenile or a related crime.(2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB311	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	MUSEUMS: Provides with respect to the Louisiana State Museum, including membership and appointment of the board of directors and the lease of certain property. (8/15/08)
SB312	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	PUBLIC HEALTH: Provides for requirements for water fluoridation. (gov sig)
SB313	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL	PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS: Increases fees for non resident investigators applying for licensure in Louisiana. (gov sig) (OR +\$25,950 SG RV See Note)

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SB314	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS: Designates the School of Veterinary Medicine at LSU at Baton Rouge as the Benjamin B. Rayburn School of Veterinary Medicine. (gov sig)
SB315	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	RETIREMENT BENEFITS: Provides for enhanced benefits for peace officers employed as arson investigators in the fire marshal's office. (7/1/08)
SB316	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Includes law enforcement officers wounded in the line of duty as eligible for "Purple Heart" prestige license plates. (gov sig)
SB317	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	STATE EMPLOYEE RET: Provides for secondary component benefits for certain juvenile detention center employees. (7/1/08)
SB318	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	LOCAL FINANCE: Authorizes the creation of a tax increment financing district in the town of Richwood. (gov sig)
SB319	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	TAX/LOCAL: Establishes a procedure for creating neighborhood crime prevention and security districts and levying parcel fees in any parish or municipality. (gov sig)
SB320	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	MALPRACTICE: Constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to determine limits for professional medical damages in medical and health care liability claims. (2/3 - CABs1(A))
SB321	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT: Authorizes DEQ to accept credit cards for payment of obligations owed to the state through use of a third-party processor to collect a convenience fee to adequately cover transaction fees. (gov sig)
SB322	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Provides for the Economic Development Award Program. (8/15/08)
SB323	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Expands the definition of consent to medical treatment. (8/15/08)

SB324	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	JUSTICE DEPARTMENT: Grants original jurisdiction to the attorney general to institute and prosecute cases of public corruption. (2/3 - CA13s1 (A))
SB325	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT: Provide relative to the powers and duties of the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission. (gov sig)
SB326	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT: Provides DEQ with authority to license sewage haulers. (7/1/09)
SB327	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Provides relative to the collection of a security and compliance fee by an automobile dealer. (gov sig)
SB328	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Constitutional amendment to allow nonrecurring revenues to be used to give a tax refund or rebate to anyone required to file a Louisiana individual income tax return. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
SB329	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/SALES: Authorizes a taxpayer to file a rule to have the board of directors of the Louisiana Association of Tax Administrators determine whether a rule, regulation, policy, or interpretation of local sales and use tax law, ordinance, rules, or regulations violates the requirement of uniformity of interpretation in the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code. (gov sig)
SB330	CHAISSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	LIABILITY: Provides relative to limitation of liability for medical services during a declared state of emergency. (gov sig)
SB331	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	JUDGES: Removes the authority for justices of the peace to issue peace bonds. (gov sig)
SB332	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Creates the Health Care Information Technology and Infrastructure Advisory Committee. (gov sig)
SB333	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	VOTERS/VOTING: Requires withdrawal notice to be placed next to the precinct register. (7/1/08)
SB334	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE COMMISSIONER: Provides for public fire protection grading by the commissioner of insurance. (8/15/08)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	INSURANCE DEPARTMENT: Reorganizes and recodifies the Louisiana

SB335	CRAVINS	INSURANCE	Insurance Code. (1/1/09)
SB336	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/TAXATION: Provides for certain tax records (8/15/08)
SB337	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH SERVICES: Provides for uncompensated care hospital payments. (8/15/08)
SB338	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Provides for group health insurance coverage for certain employees of the Recovery School District and Type 5 charter schools. (gov sig)
SB339	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	CEMETERIES: Provides relative to cemeteries in receivership for rehabilitation. (gov sig)
SB340	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Provides for the use of electronic signature authentication and identification with respect to individually identifiable health information. (gov sig)
SB341	ERDEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	TRAFFIC: Prohibits certain trucks from using the far left lane on highways with three or more lanes of traffic moving in the same direction. (8/15/08)
SB342	ERDEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Prohibits certain drivers from operating a motor vehicle while using a cellular telephone. (8/15/08)
SB343	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT: Extends the sunset for confidentiality of economic development negotiations from July 1, 2008, to July 1, 2012. (gov sig)
SB344	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	TAX EXEMPTIONS: Exempt from property tax inventories of oilfield tubulars if they are inspected and certified as safe for use in critical locations as provided by law. (See Act)
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SB345	WALSWORTH	COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	CEMETERIES: Provides for the establishment of new cemeteries. (gov sig)
SB346	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CLERKS OF COURT: Provides that the Friday of the Cattle Festival shall be a legal holiday for the purpose of authorizing the clerk of court of the Fifteenth Judicial District Court and the clerk of court of the City Court of Abbeville to close their offices on that day. (8/15/08)
SB347	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Repeals outdated provisions of the Louisiana Insurance Code regarding certain life and accident insurers on a co-operative or assessment plan. (See Act)
SB348	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides relative to signing of pleadings and sanctions. (8/15/08)
SB349	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	COASTAL RESOURCES: Provides relative to lands acquired by the state or political subdivision. (See Act)
SB350	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Provides for the term "agency" as applicable to certain public servants. (gov sig)
SB351	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	STATE AGENCIES: Requires state agencies to purchase hybrid fuel or alternate fuel vehicles. (8/15/08)
SB352	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	PUBLIC LANDS: Authorizes the transfer of certain state property to the Vermilion Parish School Board. (8/15/08)
SB353	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	LIABILITY: Limits liability of volunteer supervisory physicians at certain nonprofit centers. (gov sig)
SB354	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Requires health insurers to provide coverage for fertility treatments. (8/15/08)
SB355	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the Non-litigated Claim Management Fund to provide for the payment of certain claims. (7/01/08)
SB356	SCALISE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	TOPS: Changes the name of the TOPS program to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students. (8/15/08) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)
SB357	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION,	MOTOR CARRIERS: Exempts transporters of nonhazardous oilfield

		HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	waste from proving public convenience and necessity. (8/15/08)
SB358	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR CARRIERS: Exempts motor carriers of nonhazardous oilfield waste from proving public convenience and necessity and from the gross receipts tax on public utilities. (8/15/08)
SB359	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	ENERGY DEVELOPMENT: Revises the definition of "net energy metering facility." (gov sig)
SB360	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	POSTSECONDARY ED: Provides for the exclusion of certain semester hours in computing the amount due eligible nonpublic colleges and universities for educating La. residents. (gov sig)
SB361	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Requires an annual update to the workers' compensation reimbursement schedule. (8/15/08)
SB362	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	TOPS: Provides that the TOPS core curriculum shall be the same as the LA Core 4 Curriculum adopted by BESE. (8/15/08)
SB363	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	CIVIC EDUCATION: Provides relative to the La. Commission on Civic Education and to the nature of student applications, related information, and interviews seeking appointment to the Legislative Youth Advisory Council. (gov sig)
SB364	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Prohibits certain public servants and former public servants from representing persons for compensation before certain governmental entities of its officials or agencies. (gov sig)
SB365	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Provides relative to the Louisiana Environmental Education Act. (gov sig)
SB366	BROOME	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Revises the membership of the Research Park Corporation's board of directors. (See Act)
SB367	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	COASTAL PROTECT/RES AUTH: Provides relative to Louisiana Coastal Protection, Conservation, Restoration, and Management. (8/15/08)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	LIFE INSURANCE: Provides relative to a life insurance policy or annuity

SB368	N.GAUTREAU	INSURANCE	which is used to fund a preneed funeral contract. (8/15/08)
SB369	MARIONNEAU	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Provides relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics. (gov sig)
SB370	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Provides certain restrictions and prohibitions concerning disaster or emergency contracts and certain public servants. (gov sig)
SB371	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides relative to the Aquatic Plant Control Fund. (8/15/08)
SB372	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Provides relative to recusal by certain public servants in certain matters when serving as a designee of the governor on a board or commission. (gov sig)
SB373	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Requires the OMV to provide for electronic lien recordation and title information of motor vehicles. (8/15/08)
SB374	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Repeals outdated provisions regarding animal insurers. (See Act)
SB375	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE COMMISSIONER: Provides for public fire protection grading by the commissioner of insurance. (8/15/08)
SB376	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Prohibits certain public servants and former public servants from representing persons for compensation before certain governmental entities or its officials or agencies. (gov sig)
SB377	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	SECRETARY OF STATE: Provides for fees charged by the secretary of state. (8/15/08)
SB378	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides for a pre-trial hearing regarding the qualifications and admissibility of testimony of expert witnesses. (gov sig)
SB379	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HOSPITALS: Provides for the Rural Hospital Regulatory Impact Relief Act. (gov sig)
SB380	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides for the regulation of viatical settlements. (gov. sig.)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	GAMING: Provides with respect to the licensing of qualified truck stop

SB381	MARTINY	JUDICIARY B	facilities. (8/15/08)
SB382	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL JUSTICE: Provides for continuous revision of the criminal code relative to probation programs and offenses against the person. (gov sig)
SB383	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Provides relative to the proximity of landfills to airports in certain parishes. (7/1/08)
SB384	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL: Authorizes DEQ to require facilities to keep records showing potential emissions are below Act 918 thresholds and to define potential emissions. (8/15/08)
SB385	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Prohibits health spas from automatically renewing a person's contract without their written consent. (8/15/08)
SB386	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	MILITARY AFFAIRS: Provides certain privileges to certain persons on active military duty or honorably discharged from the United States Armed Forces or the National Guard of any state. (8/15/08)
SB387	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	CEMETERIES: Provides for placing certain cemeteries into receivership for the purpose of rehabilitation and to return such cemeteries to compliance with the law. (gov sig)
SB388	DONAHUE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Provides standards for compensating public school personnel for administering certain standardized tests. (8/15/08)
SB389	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to previous injury claims and forfeiture of benefits (burden of proof.) (8/15/08)
SB390	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to forfeiture of benefits if an employee provides false information. (8/15/08)
SB391	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	LOCAL RETIREMENT: Increases the annual accrual rate for certain New Orleans firefighters to three and one-third percent. (7/1/08)

SB392	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	LOCAL RETIREMENT: Provides a twenty-five year retirement eligibility for New Orleans firefighters. (7/1/08)
SB393	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	LOCAL RETIREMENT: Creates a retirement accrual rate schedule for New Orleans firefighters. (7/1/08)
SB394	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT: Deletes provision requiring that a member have a career-ending service injury in order to enter retroactively the Deferred Retirement Option Plan for New Orleans firefighters. (7/1/08)
SB395	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT: Makes technical changes to New Orleans firefighters' pension law. (7/1/08)
SB396	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides for certain restrictions for local governments contracting with private companies for a fee or contingency basis. (6/1/08)
SB397	RISER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the People's Pay Back Fund and requires the deposit of an amount equal to 50% of the amount in excess of the expenditure limit for FY08 and FY09 to be used for providing cash rebates on a pro rata basis, according to the ratio that the amount of individual income tax paid by a taxpayer bears to the total amount of individual income tax paid. (gov sig)
SB398	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for distribution of taxes levied by Iberville Parish on net slot machine proceeds and creates the Iberville Parish Excellence Fund and requires deposit of five percent of state net slot machine proceeds in the parish to it. (8/15/08)
SB399	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	GAMBLING: Provides procedure for appealing determinations made by the gaming division of the state police. (gov sig)
SB400	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	JUVENILE JUSTICE: Provides for eligibility for parole of certain juvenile offenders
SB401	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	MEDICAID: Provides that Louisiana Medicaid use the same guidelines as employed by Centers of Medicaid and Medicare Services with regard to eligibility of newly formed organ transplant centers for payment for transplanted patients. (gov sig)
SB402	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	MEDICAID: Provides for the allocation of uncompensated care payments. (gov sig)

SB403	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	COMMUNITY TECH SYSTEM: Requires the Louisiana Community and Technical College System to develop and institute a system of competency-based testing for community and technical college students who earn industry-based certifications. (8/15/08)
SB404	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	VIDEO POKER: Provides with respect to video poker licensee mergers. (8/15/08)
SB405	BROOME	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	HUMAN DEVELOPMENT: Creates and provides for the Louisiana Financial Literacy and Education Commission. (8/15/08)
SB406	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT: Requires preparation of a report on salary schedules no later than the fifteenth day of November prior to a fiscal session.
SB407	DONAHUE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Prohibits any sale, lease, or contract for operations of bridges more than five miles in length without legislative approval. (8/15/08)
SB408	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ELECTION CODE: Provides technical changes to Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
SB409	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	CAMPAIGN FINANCE: Provides certain restrictions and disclosure requirements for funds expended on electronic media for certain candidates for public office. (1/1/09)
SB410	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	EMERGENCY POWERS: Provides that the powers granted the governor and local governmental officials during disasters or emergencies do not authorize the seizure or confiscation of a firearm. (8/15/08)
SB411	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT: Creates the Coastal Land Stewardship Authority. (8/15/08)
SB412	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT: Provides relative to notice requirements for Department of Transportation bids for purchases. (7/1/08)
SB413	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	HOSPITALS: Provides technical changes to Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)

SB414	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides that requirement of certified operator does not apply to certain licensed contractors. (gov sig)
SB415	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	LAW ENFORCEMENT: Provides for issuance of summons for certain minor traffic offenses. (gov sig)
SB416	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Enacts the Uniform Unincorporated Association Act. (08/15/08)
SB417	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Provides that communication districts shall collect an emergency telephone service charge on prepaid wireless service. (8/15/08)
SB418	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	FEDERAL PROGRAMS: Authorizes physicians at certain facilities to render opinions for purposes of social security disability determinations. (8/15/08)
SB419	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Requires all occupants age 13 years of age and older to wear a seat belt. (8/15/08)
SB420	CHAISSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates and establishes the Workforce Education Fund. (gov sig)
SB421	N.GAUTREAU	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE: Requires all boards and commissions that bring administrative or regulatory charges to have the hearings on those charges handled in a separate adjudicatory procedure. (8/15/08)
SB422	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	CABLE TELEVISION: Provides for the Consumer Choice Television Act. (gov sig)
SB423	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	LAW ENFORCEMENT: Creates the missing senior citizen and person with development disabilities alert program known as the "Silver Alert." (8/15/08)
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SB424	WALSWORTH	COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	CEMETERIES: Provides for a written contract in cemetery related merchandise and services. (gov sig)
SB425	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provide for the appeal venue from a decision of the office of community development with the Road Home program. (8/15/08)
SB426	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Provides certain duties for the lender or holder of a retail installment contract under the Motor Vehicle Sales Finance Act. (8/15/08)
SB427	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CEMETERIES: Requires property used for cemetery purposes to be dedicated as such through recording an instrument with the clerk of court of the parish in which the cemetery is located and with the Louisiana Cemetery Board. (gov sig)
SB428	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	VOTERS/VOTING: Authorizes the registrars of colleges and universities to register citizens to vote. (gov sig)
SB429	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	JUDGES: Provides relative to vacancies in the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District Court. (8/15/08)
SB430	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Provides relative to the "Right-to-Know" Act. (gov sig)
SB431	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	TELECOMMUNICATIONS: Provides relative to prohibitions on telephone solicitation. (08/15/08)
SB432	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE CLAIMS: Clarifies application of certain warranties and conditions involving life and health and accident policies. (8/15/08)
SB433	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	CONSUMERS: Exempts certain attorneys from being licensed pursuant to the Louisiana Consumer Credit Law. (8/15/08)

SB434	ERDEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS: Designates "The Legend of Papa Noel , a Cajun Christmas Story" as the official state Cajun Christmas Story. (8/15/08)
SB435	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH SERVICES: Provides for certain claims for Medicare patient co-payments. (8/15/08)
SB436	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Extends the moratorium on the issuance of licenses for hospices. (gov sig)
SB437	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	CAPITAL OUTLAY: Provides for approval of Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for capital outlay change orders in excess of \$100,000. (8/15/08)
SB438	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	CHILDREN: Places the Children's Cabinet under the authority of the legislature. (8/15/08)
SB439	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES: Provides relative to wholesale and retail dealer's permits for the sale of alcoholic beverages. (8/15/08)
SB440	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Requires public schools to provide parents with information regarding making complaints or requesting information. (gov sig)
SB441	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	PLUMBERS: Requires that the state health officer approve the use of alternate designed plumbing systems pursuant to Code. (8/15/08)
SB442	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Prohibits oil and gas exploration or drilling within 1,000 feet of an Interstate Highway. (gov sig)
SB443	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides for reimbursement schedules for second medical opinions. (8/15/08)
SB444	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	INSURERS: Adds Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association to the exempt status for appeal bonds. (8/15/08)
SB445	J.R.SMITH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT: Requires the payment of interest on refunds not disallowed and not paid within ninety days of request. (8/15/08)
SB446	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Provides relative to the moratorium upon the certification of additional methadone maintenance programs. (gov sig)

SB447	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	STUDENTS: Allows the parent or legal guardian of a student assigned to attend a school in a Recovery School District the option to enroll their child in any school operated by the original school system if sufficient capacity exists. (8/15/08)
SB448	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	LOCAL AGENCIES: Authorizes the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board to require those whose contract with it to repair a water supply system or sewerage system to have a certified Class IV person on the job site. (gov sig)
SB449	RISER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	PUBLIC PROPERTY: Authorizes the transfer of certain state properties. (gov sig)
SB450	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	ASSESSORS: Provides relative to the base salary schedule for certain assessors. (gov sig)
SB451	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Removes the requirement for the Joint Highway Priority Construction Committee to hold public hearings in each highway district. (8/15/08)
SB452	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	TAX/SALES: Provides relative to the direct shipments of wine. (gov sig)
SB453	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	LOANS: Prohibits certain transactions by affiliates of deferred presentment and small loan lenders. (8/15/08)
SB454	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FISCAL CONTROLS: Provides relative to the submission of the continuation budget. (08/15/08)
SB455	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Provides relative to performance-based energy efficiency contracts. (8/15/08)
SB456	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides relative to the 2004 Overcollections Fund. (gov. sig)
SB457	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	LOBBYING: Provides for the regulation and disclosure of expenditures by persons who lobby local government. (See Act)

SB458	B.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	PAROCHIAL EMPLOYEES RET: Allows certain elected justices of the peace to enter the Parochial Employees' Retirement System. (7/1/08)
SB459	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Allows certain over-age students to play sports one grade up. (8/15/08)
SB460	B.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE RATES: Removes authority of Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to charge a surcharge on certain policies covering properties located in certain coastal parishes. (8/15/08)
SB461	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Time for challenges; method; peremptory challenges based on race or gender; restrictions. (8/15/08)
SB462	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Provides for group health insurance coverage for certain employees of the Recovery School District and Type 5 charter schools. (gov sig)
SB463	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Provides that communications districts shall collect an emergency telephone service charge on voice over Internet protocol service. (8/15/08)
SB464	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to health care arrangements provided to a health care consumer. (8/15/08)
SB465	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	MOTOR VEHICLES: Provides that the driver education programs approved by BESE, be in consultation with the La. Highway Safety Commission. (08/15/08)
SB466	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	EMPLOYMENT: Provides for the Construction Industry Employee Misclassification Act. (gov. sig.)
SB467	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	LAW ENFORCEMENT: Provides relative to law enforcement officers and the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District. (8/15/08)
SB468	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL	ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT: Establishes the "Healthy Food Retail Initiative" within the Department of Economic Development. (8/15/08)

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SB469	DUPRE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Provides for sentencing of adults for certain crimes committed as a child. (8/15/08)
SB470	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Requires a penalty and attorney fee assessment against any party for untimely payment of any award and final nonappealable judgment. (8/15/08)
SB471	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	WILDLIFE RESOURCES: Provides relative to certain funds and councils concerned with certain wildlife resources. (7/1/08)
SB472	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN: Provides for the posting on the Internet of information about services and programs within the children's budget.
SB473	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Provides for extended sick leave for employees who are not teachers. (8/15/08)
SB474	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Provides for procedure to determine mental capacity to proceed to trial. (gov sig)
SB475	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Requires charter schools receiving transportation services from a local school board to reimburse the board for the actual cost of providing such transportation. (8/15/08)
SB476	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to notice of filing employee or employee suits against third party persons causing injury. (8/15/08)
SB477	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides that immunity from civil liability under workers' compensation law shall not exceed to situations where an employer fails to provide adequate security. (8/15/08)
SB478	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	SHERIFFS PEN/RELIEF FUND: Provides for purchase of service credit in the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund. (7/1/08)
SB479	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	CAMPAIGN FINANCE: Permits exploratory efforts by prospective candidate without requiring disclosure reports. (1/9/09)
SB480	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Establishes and provides for prestige license plates honoring Rotary International. (8/15/08)

SB481	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	LOANS: Provides for continuing professional education for persons seeking to reinstate or renew their license under the Residential Mortgage Lending Act. (8/15/08)
SB482	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	POSTSECONDARY ED: Provides for the participation of certain students in the Board of Regents' dual enrollment program. (8/15/08)
SB483	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	REVENUE DEPARTMENT: Requires the rate on a refund to be double the judicial rate if a refund is ordered or determined by an administrative decision or court judgment which has become final and the refund is not made within 30 days. (gov sig)
SB484	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	WEIGHTS/MEASURES: Reinstates "mobile" weight enforcement within DOTD. (7/1/08)
SB485	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR CARRIERS: Dedicates motor carrier safety fines and penalties to the LA Highway Safety Commission. (7/1/08)
SB486	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	PUBLIC LANDS: Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Iberville Parish. (gov sig)
SB487	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	CURRICULA: Requires the TOPS-Tech core curriculum to be the same as the Louisiana Core Curriculum adopted by BESE beginning with the high school graduating class of 2011-2012. (8/15/08)
SB488	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	HOMELAND SECURITY: Provides for the director of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness to include representatives of the legislature in the state emergency operations plan (EOP). (8/15/08)
SB489	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	AGRICULTURE/FOREST DEPT: Provides an exemption for Department of Agriculture and Forestry aircraft from maintenance regulation by the aviation unit of the division of administration. (gov sig)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE &	CAMPAIGN FINANCE: Limits the amount a candidate may loan to his

SB490	HEBERT	GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	own campaign. (8/15/08)
SB491	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Changes authorization for utilizing design-build contracts by the Department of Transportation and Development from a limited duration pilot program evaluating to their effectiveness to a permanent program. (7/1/08)
SB492	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	FAMILY LAW: Provides relative to actions for failure to exercise rights pursuant to a court-ordered visitation schedule. (8/15/08)
SB493	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT: Provides for records of "safety sensitive infrastructure" of DOTD. (7/1/08)
SB494	ERDEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	DWI: Provides relative to certification of ignition interlock devices and their manufacturers and installers. (08/15/08)
SB495	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to clarifying an employer's intervention, credits and reimbursements in third-party suits and recovery. (8/15/08)
SB496	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides relative to recusation of judges. (8/15/08)
SB497	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Authorizes licensed retail florists to operate automated floral climate-controlled vending kiosk systems. (8/15/08)
SB498	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	HOMELAND SECURITY: Provide for the credentialing and centralized registry of certain individuals authorized to serve in post emergency response activities. (8/15/08)
SB499	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	LOBBYING: Provides exception to the definition of lobbyist. (gov sig)
SB500	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	INTERNET: Provides for child Internet safety. (8/15/08)

SB501	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	ENGINEERS: Prohibits the use of certain terms by certain persons who are not licensed engineers. (gov sig)
SB502	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM: Provides an exception for Office of Group Benefits programs relative to an employer-provided health plan. (8/15/08)
SB503	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT: Repeals the adopt-a-road program in DEQ and reestablishes the program in DOTD. (gov sig)
SB504	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	BESE: Requires BESE to develop and implement competency-based testing for secondary school students who earn industry-based certifications. (8/15/08)
SB505	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the Information Technology Fund in the State Treasury. (7/01/08) (OR SEE FISC NOTE)
SB506	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HOSPITALS: Authorizes the Department of Health and Hospitals and local governments to privatize forensic psychiatric services and facilities. (8/15/08)
SB507	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC CONTRACTS: Allows political subdivisions to enter into performance-based energy efficiency contracts. (8/15/08)
SB508	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	INTERNET: Related to Internet ticket scalping. (8/15/08)
SB509	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	MALPRACTICE: Revises definitions under the private Medical Malpractice Act. (gov sig)
SB510	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides relative to the minimum penalty for computer-aided solicitation of minors. (gov sig)
SB511	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides for the fines and penalties for the crime

			of gambling by computer. (gov sig)
SB512	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Prohibits use of other electronic communication to entice a minor to engage or participate in sexual conduct.(8/15/08)
SB513	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	SEX OFFENSES: Increases the areas where sexual offenders are prohibited from being present. (gov sig)
SB514	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Provides for the minimum penalty for molestation of a juvenile. (8/15/08)
SB515	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY C	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Increases the time a defendant may be held in custody without being charged with a felony. (8/15/08)
SB516	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Prohibits financial institutions from charging any fee on sales and use tax portion of retail sales transactions. (gov sig)
SB517	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	SEX OFFENSES: Provides relative to the duration and notification period of convicted sex offenders. (gov sig)
SB518	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Provides for access to credit card rules and rates by merchants. (gov sig)
SB519	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS: Authorizes the board of private investigators to issue a contractor license to qualified applicants. (8/15/08)
SB520	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/TAXATION: Prohibits an action to collect a state motor vehicle tax or a state tax applicable to movables on the purchase of manufactured homes used as residential housing until July 1, 2009, if the basis of such action is the date upon which a declaration of immovability is recorded in the conveyance or mortgage records. (gov sig)
SB521	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Provides for administrative hearings for

		WORKS	individuals who have been arrested for certain crimes. (8/15/08)
SB522	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides that the Office of Workers' Compensation Administration shall have exclusive jurisdiction over all claims for workers' compensation discrimination. (8/15/08)
SB523	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	CREDIT: Requires creditors or extenders of credit that report negative payment history of consumers to also report positive payment history. (8/15/08)
SB524	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to prescriptive periods. (8/15/08)
SB525	ERDEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	LOCAL AGENCIES: Requires parishes and municipalities to comply with federal flood plain management and flood insurance programs prior to construction of local flood protection or storm damage reduction projects. (7/1/08)
SB526	RISER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the Louisiana Economic Stimulus Rebate Fund and requires the deposit of an amount equal to the amount in excess of the expenditure limit for FY08 and FY09 to be used for providing cash rebates on a pro rata basis, according to the ratio that the amount of individual income tax paid by a taxpayer bears to the total amount of individual income tax paid. (gov sig)
SB527	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	CAPITAL OUTLAY: Provides relative to Capital Outlay Reform. (8/15/08)
SB528	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Authorizes and directs the treasurer to annually deposit monies from the Louisiana Lottery Proceeds Fund to the Compulsive and Problem Gaming Fund. (8/15/08)
SB529	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC RECORDS: Provides for an exemption to public records for the actual working papers of certain internal auditors. (gov sig)
SB530	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FISCAL CONTROLS: Relative to the interim emergency board, provides for agency notification. (gov sig)

SB531	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to the satisfaction of claims. (8/15/08)
SB532	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for the allocation of monies in the Vermilion Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund. (gov sig)
SB533	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	PLUMBERS: Provides for changes to Louisiana State Plumbing Law and creates the Louisiana State Plumbing and Electrical Board. (01/01/09)
SB534	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Requires local school boards to account for how extra funds generated through the MFP for students with special characteristics are used. (gov sig)
SB535	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Requires insurance coverage of certain medically necessary treatments for alcoholism, drug abuse, and mental illness, effective upon the enactment of an income tax credit equal to the cost of premiums related to providing such coverage. (8/15/08)
SB536	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Requires that the solvent insurers who issued a policy during the period of exposure shall be responsible for the gap in coverage due to insolvency as it relates to environmental claims. (8/15/08)
SB537	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	POSTSECONDARY ED: Establishes a specific date by which an articulation system for transferring college credits between and among secondary and post-secondary schools must be in place. (8/15/08)
SB538	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Removes LIGA from the approval process on Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation bundles. (8/15/08)
SB539	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	LEGISLATION: Provides for technical changes to Title 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
SB540	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Provides for the moratorium on the issuance of hospice licenses and provides for a process for application. (gov sig)
SB541	J.R.SMITH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE	BONDS: Provides relative to the bonded debt limit of certain school

		FINANCE	districts. (gov sig)
SB542	J.R.SMITH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for the use of certain collections in Vernon Parish. (gov sig)
SB543	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS: Provides relative to legislative continuances. (8/15/08)
SB544	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	PHYSICAL THERAPISTS: Authorizes a physical therapist to perform physical therapy of animals when such physical therapy of animals is consistent with the scope of physical therapy practice. (8/15/08)
SB545	KOSTELKA	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Allows a workers' compensation insurer to enter into preferred provider agreements which provide for fees and other payments that deviate from the schedule of payments set forth in the workers' compensation provisions, provides for notice by insurer to the employee of such PPO agreements, and provides for written notification when no benefit card is issued. (8/15/08)
SB546	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	HEALTH SERVICES: Provides for training the direct service workers and medication attendants. (8/15/08)
SB547	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT: Repeals provision requiring immovable property expropriated by DOTD which has not been used for departmental purposes within 15 years of the date of expropriation to be declared excess property and sold to the original owner at original cost. (7/1/08)
SB548	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	BESE: Requires BESE to adopt rules requiring local school systems to conduct exit interviews for teachers who leave their employ. (gov sig)
SB549	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	EDUCATION DEPARTMENT: Requires, by the beginning of the 2013-2014 school year, that all children attending public schools have the opportunity to study the "critical languages" in addition to the traditional languages currently offered. (8/15/08)
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SB550	THOMPSON	AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES: Provides relative to fertilizer regulation and prohibits local government subdivisions from regulating fertilizers. (gov sig)
SB551	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	WELFARE: Provides technical changes to Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
SB552	HEITMEIER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ELECTION OFFENSES: Prohibits the communication of any false statement about a candidate or issue. (7/1/08)
SB553	MOUNT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	MENTAL HEALTH: Provides for a common reimbursement methodology for community mental health centers and community mental health clinics. (8/15/08)
SB554	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	MUNICIPAL POL EMPS RET: Provides for rescission of participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan. (7/1/08)
SB555	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURERS: Removes any reference to LIGA having oversight review of any application for certificate of authority. (8/15/08)
SB556	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	LEGISLATION: Provides relative to the Parish Transportation Fund. (8/15/08)
SB557	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	LEGISLATION: Provides technical changes to Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
SB558	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	BANKS/BANKING: Provides relative to the Louisiana Banking Law. (7/1/08)
SB559	MARIONNEAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES: Requires compliance with audit requirements to receive appropriated funds. (8/15/08)
SB560	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	EXPROPRIATION: Requires approval of a majority of the elected members of each house of the legislature prior to the expropriation of property.
SB561	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE	TEACHERS: Provides for the Louisiana Academic Freedom Act. (gov.

		EDUCATION	sig.)
SB562	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Requires that employers assist rehabilitated employees with returning to modified employment. (gov sig)
SB563	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Defines Nurse Case Manager. (8/15/08)
SB564	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Creates and provides for the Maple Area Residents Security Tax District. (8/15/08)
SB565	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	TOPS: Change the name of TOPS Scholarship to the Taylor Opportunity Program Scholarship.
SB566	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	TOURISM: Establishes the Louisiana Wetlands Conservation and Hurricane Protection Tourist Center in St. Bernard Parish. (8/15/08)
SB567	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Requires restaurants to state the country of origin of seafood items on their menu. (1/1/09)
SB568	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Creates and provides for the Pensiontown Subdivision Improvement District. (8/15/08)
SB569	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the Manufactured Home Tax Fairness Fund for the deposit of an amount equal to the amount of tax, penalty, and interest paid since January 1, 2005 on the purchase of manufactured homes used or intended for use solely as residential housing for which a declaration of immovability has been recorded, to be used for refunds of such amounts paid. (gov sig)
SB570	MORRISH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Requires Enterprise Zone tax rebates to be paid with interest if a rebate request which is not disallowed is not issued within ninety days. (8/15/08)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT: Provides for changes to the Louisiana

SB571	MICHOT	HEALTH & WELFARE	Wholesale Drug Distributors Act. (8/15/08)
SB572	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Transfers certain agencies from the office of the governor to certain departments and agencies in the executive branch of state government. (7/1/08)
SB573	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	PROCUREMENT CODE: Clarifies appellate jurisdiction under the Professional, Personal, Consulting, and Social Services Procurement Code. (gov sig)
SB574	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CIVIL PROCEDURE: Authorizes judicial review of a district court decision involving actions by or against the state in connection with contracts. (gov sig)
SB575	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Changes the date the governor is required to submit his plan of expenditures from the Louisiana Fund. (8/15/08) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)
SB576	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	STUDENTS: Provides eligibility for certain home study students to participate in public school interscholastic extracurricular activities. (8/5/08)
SB577	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES: Provides technical changes to Title 26 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
SB578	RISER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	SCHOOLS: Provides eligibility for certain home study students to participate in public school interscholastic extracurricular activities. (8/15/08)
SB579	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CLERKS OF COURT: Provides relative to the 41st Judicial District Clerk of Court. (See Act)
SB580	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Provides relative to the Delta Sigma Theta prestige license plate. (8/15/08)
SB581	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides for revisions of the "Louisiana Workers' Compensation Law." (8/15/08)
SB582	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	EDUCATION DEPARTMENT: Provides for a program to identify and provide assistance to low-performing schools that are at risk of failing.

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SB583	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	LEGISLATION: Provides technical changes to Title 56 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
SB584	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX EXEMPTIONS: Authorizes the Board of Commerce and Industry to enter into ad valorem property tax exemption contracts for development of retirement communities. (8/15/08)
SB585	N.GAUTREAU	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS: Provides for the selection and use of power management software for the operation of state computer networks and equipment. (8/15/08)
SB586	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	RETIREMENT SYSTEMS: Provides for rescission of participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan of the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System. (7/1/08)
SB587	BROOME	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	LOANS: Provides relative to mortgage loan serving companies and brokers. (8/15/08)
SB588	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	INSURANCE PREMIUMS: Provides premium assistance to certain qualified persons for homeowner insurance policies. (8/115/08)
SB589	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	LEVEES: Repeals authority to remove certain obstructions on levees, waterways, and rights of way at the expense of a property owner and removes discretionary funding for compensation paid to an owner for lands taken, used, damaged, or destroyed for levee or levee drainage purposes. (gov sig)
SB590	BROOME	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	CREDIT: Authorizes the establishment of a program for mortgage foreclosure counseling and education. (gov sig)
SB591	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	BONDS: Requires certain bond issuers or their representative to report costs of issuance of bonds to the State Bond Commission and to the issuer. (8/15/08)
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SB592	RISER	TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Requires railroads to make and keep in good repair private farm crossings if ordered by DOTD. (8/15/08)
SB593	RISER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	DISTRICT ATTORNEYS: Provides relative to the payment of health insurance premiums for certain district attorneys and by certain judicial districts.(8/15/08)
SB594	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CLERKS OF COURT: Requires the recording and reporting by clerks of court of the use of peremptory challenges. (8/15/08)
SB595	J.R.SMITH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	TEACHERS RETIREMENT: Provides for Teachers' Retirement System Deferred Retirement Option Plan accounts to earn interest at the system's rate of interest, at the option of the account holder. (7/1/08)
SB596	SCALISE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	APPOINTED OFFICIALS: Revises the laws regarding the state inspector general. (8/15/08)
SB597	SCALISE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Requires a contradictory hearing before a second magistrate can lower the bail originally set by another magistrate. (8/15/08)
SB598	SCALISE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FISCAL CONTROLS: Development and determination of the expenditure limit. (8/15/08)
SB599	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	PHYSICIANS: Prohibits a physician from referring a patient to an ancillary service provider in which the physician has an ownership interest. (8/15/08)
SB600	J.R.SMITH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	WEAPONS: Provides relative to permit qualification for concealed handguns. (8/15/08)
SB601	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the Post Employment Benefits Trust Fund in the State Treasury. (7/1/08)
SB602	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides relative to the use of certain state funds. (gov sig) (7/01/08)
SB603	CHEEK	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	MOTOR VEHICLES: Deletes provision requiring suspension of a driver's license of a person convicted of violating any law or rule while operating a commercial vehicle without holding a commercial driver's license. (8/15/08)
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE	SCHOOLS: Provides technical changes to Title 17 of the Louisiana

SB604	HEBERT	EDUCATION	Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
SB605	SHEPHERD	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	FAMILY LAW: Provides for child support in multiple support cases. (1/1/09)
SB606	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES	LEGISLATION: Provides technical changes to Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (08/15/08)
SB607	HEITMEIER	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	TELECOMMUNICATIONS: When robo-calls are performed, the company or person paying for the call must be identified. (8/15/08)
SB608	DUPLEISSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	JUDGES: Provides for the term of office of a judge elected to fill a vacancy of the Orleans Parish Juvenile Court. (gov sig)
SB609	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/AD VALOREM: To require tax recipient bodies to adopt a third ordinance or resolution levying millages which have been "rolled forward" by a 2/3's vote of the tax recipient body. (gov sig)
SB610	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: To dedicate the avails from taxes on the sale of motor vehicles to transportation related matters based upon motor vehicle sales in each parish. (gov sig) (OR SEE FISC NOTE SD EX)
SB611	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	LOCAL AGENCIES: Provides relative to the New Orleans Redevelopment Authority. (8/15/08)
SB612	CHAISSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT: Creates and provides for Louisiana Workforce Commission. (gov sig)
SB613	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Provides relative to the district courts in the parish of Orleans. (8/15/08)
SB614	B.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	RETIREMENT SYSTEMS: Provides for purchase of military service credit in the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System and the Firefighters' Retirement System. (7/1/08)
SB615	L.JACKSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	CHILDREN: Provides relative to the Children's Cabinet, extending the sunset on the cabinet and the board and revising the preparation and submission of the children's budget..
		ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER	PLUMBERS: Provides for electrical work under the auspices of the State

SB616	NEVERS	PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	Plumbing and Electrical Board. (1/1/09)
SB617	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to workers' compensation medical service agreements. (1/1/09)
SB618	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/SALES: Redistributes certain state sales taxes collected on hotel occupancy in Rapides Parish. (gov sig)
SB619	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	AGRICULTURE/FOREST DEPT: Repeals the Louisiana Crawfish Market Development Authority and removes certain statutory references. (gov sig)
SB620	N.GAUTREAUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the Expenditure Management Incentive Fund as a special fund in the state treasury. (gov sig)
SB621	CRAVINS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	SPECIAL DISTRICTS: Legislation to create the North Lafayette and Downtown Redevelopment Authority. (8/15/08)
SB622	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Requires reasonable defense attorney fees be placed in trust until approved and authorized by a workers compensation judge. (8/15/08)
SB623	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	HORTICULTURE: Provides relative to violations of the Horticulture Law. (gov sig)
SB624	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Requires a separate environmental docket for the civil district court for the Forty-First Judicial District. (1/01/09)
SB625	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	COURTS: Postpones the consolidation of the district courts in Orleans Parish until January 1, 2010. (gov sig)
SB626	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE INSURANCE	LEGISLATION: Provides for technical changes to Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
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SB627	THOMPSON	AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	HORTICULTURE: Eliminates demonstrations of floral design work from the retail florist examination. (gov sig)
SB628	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Prohibits railroads from price gouging. (8/15/08)
SB629	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC RECORDS: Limits the public record exemption for the office of the governor and the legislature. (1/1/09)
SB630	SCALISE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Prohibits any sale, lease, or contract for operations of bridges more than five miles in length without legislative approval. (8/15/08)
SB631	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to the release of medical records and information. (8/15/08)
SB632	GRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE EDUCATION	STATE AGENCIES: Establishes and provides for the Louisiana Statewide Educational Facilities Authority. (8/15/08)
SB633	CHEEK	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	PHYSICAL THERAPISTS: Provides for the Physical Therapy Practice Act. (1/1/09)
SB634	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	HEALTH CARE: Requires a review of health care services rendered during an emergency prior to criminal prosecution. (8/15/08)
SB635	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	HORTICULTURE: Consolidates the professions of horticulturalist and landscape contractor into one licensed profession known as "landscape horticulturist". (gov sig)
SB636	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE: Provides for appeals from decisions of the Office of Community Development on Road Home claims. (gov sig)

SB637	QUINN	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Prohibits the sale, lease, or contract for operations of bridges more than five miles in length without prior legislative approval. (8/15/08)
SB638	B.GAUTREAU	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS: Names the Louisiana Real Estate Commission Building in Baton Rouge in honor of J.C. Willie. (gov sig)
SB639	AMEDEE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE RETIREMENT	CRIME/PUNISHMENT: Requires the forfeiture of the taxpayer-funded portion of the pension or retirement benefit of a teacher or school support worker convicted of molestation of a juvenile or a related crime. (See Act)
SB640	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to actual charge of medical expenses. (gov sig)
SB641	THOMPSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AQUACULTURE, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT	AGRICULTURE/FOREST DEPT: Provides relative to the Boll Weevil Eradication Commission. (gov sig)
SB642	MARTINY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Provides for revocation of parole for a technical violation. (8/15/08)
SB643	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides that the filing fee for workers' compensation cases be due at the time of filing, unless a request for indigent status is simultaneously made. (8/15/08)
SB644	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY B	VETERANS AFFAIRS : Authorize establishment of Veterans Commemorative Coin Program by the adjutant general for certain veterans. (8/15/08)
SB645	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides for the calculation of temporary total disability, permanent total disability and supplemental earnings benefits.(7/1/08)
SB646	QUINN	WITHDRAWN FROM THE FILES OF THE SENATE PRIOR TO INTRODUCTION	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Provides for the regulation of sexually oriented businesses and their employees. (gov sig)
			FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides relative to the New Opportunities Waiver

SB647	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	Fund to specify that the fund shall also be used to support the annualization of any new waiver slots created. (8/15/08)
SB648	BROOME	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	LOANS: Provides for anti-predatory mortgage lending practices. (1/01/09)
SB649	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Creates Iberia Parish Economic Development Authority. (8/15/08)
SB650	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	CONTRACTS: Provides relative to performance-based energy efficiency contracts. (8/15/08)
SB651	DORSEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Removes certain provisions requiring certain public servants and affiliated persons and entities to file annual reports with the Board of Ethics relative to certain contracts with state government. (8/15/08)
SB652	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	MALPRACTICE: Provides relative to the definitions and general applications of medical malpractice. (8/15/08)
SB653	DUPLESSIS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE FINANCE	LEGISLATORS: Provides for a pay raise for legislative assistants and additional staffing for senators. (1/1/09)
SB654	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	PLUMBERS: Creates the Louisiana State Plumbing and HVACR-Mechanical Board. (1/1/09)
SB655	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides that violation of anti-fraud statute must be proven by clear and convincing evidence. (8/15/08)
SB656	HEBERT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE REVENUE & FISCAL AFFAIRS	TAX/TAXATION: Provides technical changes to Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. (8/15/08)
SB657	MCPHERSON	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	ROADS/HIGHWAYS: Establishes and provides for a statewide traffic incident management plan on state roads and highways. (gov sig)

SB658	CROWE	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Creates the Department of Ports, Maritime and International Trade. (See Act)
SB659	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	RAILROADS: Provides relative to private crossings. (8/15/08)
SB660	NEVERS	ASSIGNED TO SENATE HEALTH & WELFARE	FUNDS/FUNDING: Creates the Child Poverty Prevention Council for Louisiana and the Child Poverty Prevention Fund. (7/01/08)
SB661	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	MALPRACTICE: Provides relative to the medical malpractice cap. (1/1/09)
SB662	MURRAY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS, AND PUBLIC WORKS	FLOOD PROTECTION AUTH: Provides for the membership of the board of commissioners of the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority. (8/15/08)
SB663	WALSWORTH	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Provides relative to the workers' compensation second injury fund. (8/15/08)
SB664	MICHOT	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	MALPRACTICE: Provides relative to medical malpractice claims. (gov sig)
SB665	CASSIDY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE LOCAL & MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS	LOCAL FINANCE: Requires certain local governmental subdivisions to include expenditures on the website of the division of administration. (8/15/08)
SB666	N.GAUTREUX	ASSIGNED TO SENATE COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT: Authorizes certain licensed entities to embalm bodies. (8/15/08)
SB667	ADLEY	ASSIGNED TO SENATE & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS	ETHICS: Provides restrictions and disclosure requirements for contracts involving certain public servants and certain affiliated persons and entities. (gov sig)
SB668	LAFLEUR	ASSIGNED TO SENATE JUDICIARY A	MALPRACTICE: Provides relative to medical malpractice. (gov sig)

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WORKERS' COMPENSATION:Provides that proof of a finding of total and permanent disability by the Social Security Administration shall be prima facie evidence of such disability. (8/15/08)