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- SB27 Martiny JUDGES  
Provides authority for certain federal judges to perform marriage ceremonies from October 1, 2009 through October 31, 2009. (8/15/2009)  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SB63 Dorsey TAX/TAXATION  
Creates the Thomas H. Delpit Area Special District in the parish of East Baton Rouge and grants it certain TIF and tax authority to finance economic development projects within the district. (7/1/09)  
- Read by title, amendments adopted, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the committee on Finance.
- SB94 Donahue CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Creates the crime of molestation of a juvenile involving an educator. (gov sig)  
- Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB108 Marionneaux TAX/TAXATION  
Extends the duration of the Research and Development Tax Credit for income and corporation franchise taxes through 2014. (gov sig)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB109 Marionneaux TAX/TAXATION  
Extends the duration of the Angel Investor Tax Credit for income and corporation franchise taxes through 2014 and provides further time and manner in which credits may be taken and for utilization of unused credits. (12/31/09)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB153 Morrell FLOODS/FLOODING  
Transfers control and maintenance of certain non-flood protection assets of the Orleans Levee District to the New Orleans City Park Improvement Association. (8/15/09)  
- Title of substitute adopted, becomes Senate Bill No. 350.
- SB154 Thompson AGRICULTURE/FOREST DEPT  
Removes the State Market Commission and Farm Youth Loan Program and makes changes to various boards, commissions and offices within the Department of Agriculture and Forestry. (gov sig)  
- Received from the House with amendments.
- SB199 Riser TAX/TAXATION  
Removes the Jan. 1, 2010, termination date for issuance of digital interactive media producer tax rebates, and increases the rate of the rebate for the first through the sixth year after certification to 20% of base investment. (gov sig)  
- Senate floor amendments were read and adopted. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB209 Walsworth CIVIL SERVICE  
Constitutional amendment to provide that the director, deputy director, and all employees of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness are included in the unclassified service of the state civil service. (2/3 CA13s1(A))  
- Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB228 Gray Evans TAX/TAXATION

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- Grants a tax credit for certain low-income homeowners who are residential lessees, not to exceed \$330. (gov sig)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB235      Gautreaux, N.                      LOCAL OFFICIALS  
Provides for the appointment of the chief of police in the town of Duson. (8/15/09)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB252      Walsworth                              ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
Establishes the Retention and Modernization Act of 2009. (8/15/09)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB257      Quinn                                      HOUSING  
Provides for safe homes for Louisiana families.(8/15/09)  
- Rules suspended  
- Made special order of the day No. 1 for 6/4.
- SB258      McPherson                              TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT  
Provides for authority of DOTD to execute design-build contracts. (gov sig)  
- Title of substitute adopted, becomes Senate Bill No. 351.
- SB270      Long                                        HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE  
Permits the application of reduced health insurance co-payments for primary care services. (7/1/09)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB279      Walsworth                              EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS  
Requires certain public facilities to be made available for use as public shelter during a declared emergency. (gov sig)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB287      Martiny                                    TAX/TAXATION  
Authorizes a musical and theatrical production income tax credit for limited state-certified musical or theatrical productions. (gov sig)  
- Senate floor amendments were read and adopted. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB289      Appel                                        FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS  
Replaces the Choose Life Advisory Council with the Louisiana Right to Life Education Committee for purposes of distursing money from the "royalty fee" paid for the "Choose Life" plate to qualified organizations selected by the committee. (7/1/09)  
- Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB313      McPherson                              TRAFFIC  
Provides relative to motor vehicle fatalities. (8/15/09)  
- Senate floor amendments were read and adopted.  
- Returned to regular order.

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SB320	Alario	GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION	Provides relative to the organization of the executive branch of state government. (gov sig) - Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB338	Gray Evans	TAX EXEMPTIONS	Exempts from state and local sales tax the sale of construction materials to certain organizations intended for use in constructing, rehabilitating, or renovating new residential dwellings in this state which were destroyed or damaged by Hurricanes Katrina or Rita. (7/1/09) - Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB343	Crowe	TAX/TAXATION	Denies motion picture tax credits to productions for which records are required to be maintained pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2257. (8/15/09) - Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
SB350	Morrell	LEVEES	Creates commission to provide for the non-flood protection assets of the Orleans Levee District. (7/1/09) - Substitute for Senate Bill No. 153; read by title.
SB351	McPherson	PUBLIC CONTRACTS	Provides for the authority of DOTD to execute design-build contracts. (gov sig) - Substitute for Senate Bill No. 258; read by title.
SCR77	Mount	CHILDREN	Requests the Department of Health and Hospitals to collaborate with the Department of Education to examine the adequacy of current practices for ensuring the preventative health and well-being of adolescents in Louisiana. - Received from the House without amendments.
SCR78	Murray	ATTORNEYS	Requests the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and recommend guidelines to clarify the professional duties of attorneys for fiduciaries. - Reported favorably.
SCR80	Shaw	COMMENDATIONS	Commends Dr. Kenneth L. Schwab, president of Centenary College of Louisiana, upon his retirement. - Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
SCR82	Dupre	CONGRESS	Memorializes Congress to enact legislation and appropriate monies in order to provide additional homeland security funding for state maritime enforcement agencies. - Rules suspended. Called from the calendar. - Read by title, adopted by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
SCR83	Duplessis	BESE	Requests BESE to adopt a policy relative to appropriate and acceptable administrative overhead costs for which fees may be charged to charter schools. - Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
SCR84	Donahue	COMMENDATIONS	

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- To commend Bruce "Skip" Maclachlan Horack, Jr., on his literary accomplishments.  
- Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR85 Gray Evans COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Paul and Joyce Brown upon the celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR88 Crowe COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Floyd Fogg on being inducted into the New Orleans Professional Baseball Hall of Fame.  
- Read by title, adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR89 Broome CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of Johnnie Emerson Merrick, Sr.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR91 Nevers CHILDREN  
Commends and honors the 2009 Foster Parents of the Year.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR93 Walsworth COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Pilots For Patients for their work in bringing vital medical assistance to children, the elderly and others in need.  
- Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR94 McPherson TRAFFIC  
Requests DOTD to expedite the replacement of "REDUCED SPEED AHEAD" regulatory signs with the new speed reduction warning signs on roadways, in compliance with the 2003 edition of the MUTCD.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title; lies over.  
- Rules suspended  
- Read by title, adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR95 Murray COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Overseas Distribution Solutions on its tenth anniversary.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 23 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR96 Adley CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of Newman Trowbridge, Jr.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR97 Crowe LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS  
Declares May 27, 2009, as St. Bernard Day at the Legislature.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR98 Crowe COMMENDATIONS  
Commends the Northshore High School Panthers boys baseball team on their Class 5A state championship.  
- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

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SCR99	Broome	COMMENDATIONS	Commends Herbert Brown for his contributions to the opening of the North Baton Rouge Clinic. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.</li></ul>
SR28	Marionneaux	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Army Sergeant First Class David J. Todd, Jr. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Called from the calendar.</li><li>- Read by title, adopted.</li></ul>
SR29	Marionneaux	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Air Force Captain Cartize B. Durham. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Called from the calendar.</li><li>- Read by title, adopted.</li></ul>
SR52	Marionneaux	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Army Private First Class Bryan M. Thomas. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Called from the calendar.</li><li>- Read by title, adopted.</li></ul>
SR53	Marionneaux	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Marine Corps Staff Sergeant Daniel Dupre. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Called from the calendar.</li><li>- Read by title, adopted.</li></ul>
SR54	Marionneaux	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of Patriot Guard Rider Michael D. Bares. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Called from the calendar.</li><li>- Read by title, adopted.</li></ul>
SR55	Marionneaux	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Army Sergeant Jonnie L. Stiles. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Called from the calendar.</li><li>- Read by title, adopted.</li></ul>
SR56	Marionneaux	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Army Private First Class Jason R. Watson. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Called from the calendar.</li><li>- Read by title, adopted.</li></ul>
SR57	Marionneaux	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Army Sergeant First Class David R. Hurst. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Called from the calendar.</li><li>- Read by title, adopted.</li></ul>
SR58	Jackson, L.	SENATE	Declares the Senate intent with respect to the retention of funds in the official forecast as a result of the passage of Senate Bill No. 335 of the 2009 Regular Session of the Legislature. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call</li></ul>
SR61	Marionneaux	LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS	

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To declare Tuesday, June 2, 2009, Military Family Day in the Louisiana Senate in honor of Louisiana's military service men and women, and in particular, in honor of its fallen armed forces.

- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted.

SR64 Marionneaux CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Army Private First Class Brandon Gallow.  

- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted.

SR65 Marionneaux CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Army Chief Warrant Officer 4 Milton E. Suggs.  

- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted.

SR66 Marionneaux CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Marine Private First Class Caleb Rushing.  

- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted.

SR67 Marionneaux CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Air Force Senior Airman Omar McKnight.  

- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted.

SR68 Marionneaux CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of United States Army National Guard Private First Class Dana Carolyn Grafton Zimek.  

- Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- Called from the calendar.
- Read by title, adopted.

SR71 Marionneaux COMMENDATIONS  
Commends the St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church of Prairieville's Welcome Home Group for their efforts to honor soldiers coming home from combat deployments.  

- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

SR72 Marionneaux COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Lee R. Johnson for his brave service in the United States Army during World War II.  

- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

SR73 Marionneaux COMMENDATIONS  
Commends the Baton Rouge Metropolitan Airport staff for their outstanding efforts to assist Louisiana Honor Air in flights of World War II veterans to visit the World War II Memorial.  

- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

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- SR74 Jackson, L. COMMENDATIONS  
Declares June 2, 2009 as "AKA Day at the Capitol."  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR75 Long COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Dr. L.R. Collier for 50 years of service to the practice of medicine.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR76 Long CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of Thomas Mitchell.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR77 Long COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Philip McClung upon being named middle school teacher of the year 2009-10 by the Natchitoches Parish School Board.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HB19 Gisclair PORTS/LAFOURCHE  
Increases the per diem amount for members of the Greater Lafourche Port Commission  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB44 LaFonta WEAPONS/FIREARMS  
Creates the crime of discharging a firearm at a parade or demonstration  
- Reported with amendments.
- HB50 Champagne PARDON/PAROLE  
Prohibits work release facilities located within 1,000 feet of elementary or secondary schools and day care centers  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB59 Richardson TOURISM/COMMISSION  
Provides relative to the La. Naval War Memorial Commission  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB64 Norton CORRECTIONS  
Provides for increased compensation for inmates who are participating in certain programs or who are certified academic tutors  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB74 Waddell RAILROADS  
Changes the name of the Southern Rapid Rail Transit Commission to the Southern High-Speed Rail Commission  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB76 Willmott CRIME  
Amends penalty provisions of home improvement fraud statute  
- Reported with amendments.
- HB96 Pearson RETIREMENT/STATE-STWIDE  
Relative to state and statewide retirement systems, provides for retirement option with guaranteed cost-of-living adjustments subject to an actuarial reduction of benefits

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- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB112            Montoucet                            RETIREMENT/TEACHERS  
Relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana, allows certain nonresident aliens who teach in Louisiana based on J visas to become members of the system  
- Read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.
- HB115            Guinn                                    DISTRICTS/FIRE PROTECT  
Provides relative to Jefferson Davis Parish Fire District #2  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB116            Guinn                                    DISTRICTS/WATERWORKS  
Provides relative to per diem paid to commissioners of certain waterworks districts in Jefferson Davis Parish  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB117            Danahay                                DISTRICTS/RECREATION  
Provides that the West Calcasieu Parish Community Center Authority is a political subdivision of the state  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB119            Burns, Henry                            CRIMINAL/TRIALS  
Provides with respect to testimony by simultaneous audiovisual transmission  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB121            Guinn                                    DISTRICTS/WATERWORKS  
Provides relative to per diem paid to commissioners of Waterworks District #8 of Calcasieu Parish  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB123            Wooton                                 GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER  
Provides with respect to the operation of truck stop amenities  
- Rules suspended  
- Read by title and failed to pass, 17 yeas and 15 nays.  
- Notice of reconsideration.
- HB125            Ritchie                                 COURTS/COURT COSTS  
Increases court costs for the marshal of the City Court of Bogalusa  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB133            Roy                                        PROPERTY/PUBLIC  
Provides with respect to the sublease of certain public lands by the Community Receiving Home of Rapides Parish  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB140            Chaney                                 CHILDREN/PARENTAL RIGHTS  
Provides for the relationship of parent and child  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB144            Howard                                 ASSESSORS  
Creates the Red River Parish Assessment District as a taxing body in Red River Parish to fund the

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- office of the assessor  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB148 Stiaes SHERIFFS  
Consolidates the offices of the criminal sheriff and the civil sheriff of Orleans Parish in 2010  
- Rules suspended. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 35 yeas and 1 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB158 Anders WATER/RESOURCES  
Provides relative to drought relief wells  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 1 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB160 Danahay COURTS/MAYORS  
Authorizes the mayor to appoint an attorney to preside over the mayor's court in DeQuincy  
- Rules suspended. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB161 Smith, Gary CORRECTIONS  
Provides for restoration of good time after an offender has been free from disciplinary violations for 24 months  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 34 yeas and 3 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB165 Edwards MILITARY AFFAIRS  
Provides relative to the use of state war veterans homes and care facilities  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB170 Ellington TOURISM/COMMISSION  
Creates the Caldwell Parish Tourist Commission  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB176 Pope CURRICULA/DRIVER ED  
Permits a child who is in at least the ninth grade and is less than 15 years of age to participate in the classroom instruction component of the driver education program operated by BESE and the state Dept. of Education  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB182 Robideaux PROPERTY/EXPROPRIATION  
Authorizes the city of Lafayette and the parish of Lafayette to expropriate property by a declaration of taking under certain circumstances  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB183 Hoffmann TEACHERS/CERTIFICATION  
Requires BESE to establish an appeals process for applicants who have been denied teacher certification  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB184 Anders DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL  
Provides relative to the Concordia Economic and Industrial Development District  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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HB185	Cortez	INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE	Prohibits insurers from refusing to bind or sell collision or comprehensive automobile coverage when there is possible pending tropical storm or hurricane exposure - Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB188	Edwards	BOARDS/COMMISSIONS	Creates the West Florida Republic Commission - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB197	Doerge	COURTS/CITY	Provides for an increase in fees for the marshal of the City Court of Minden and the marshal of the City Court of Springhill - Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HB203	Kleckley	ANIMALS	Revises provisions relative to animal control officers - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB219	Carmody	SHERIFFS	Provides relative to payment of fines, taxes, and fees to the sheriff and ex officio tax collectors - Reported favorably.
HB232	Smiley	BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS	Applies postaccident drug testing requirements to accidents involving watercraft - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB235	Champagne	BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS	Applies aggravated flight from an officer statutes to watercraft - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB236	St. Germain	BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS	Revises the minimum age requirement for operation or rental of a personal watercraft - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 32 yeas and 1 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB237	St. Germain	FISHING/LICENSES	Provides relative to the nonresident saltwater fishing license - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB256	Richardson	EVIDENCE	Allows the use of testimony from missing witnesses due to actions by the defendant - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB265	Burns, Henry	TRAFFIC/VIOLATIONS	Provides for the time in which convictions be sent to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections - Reported favorably.
HB266	Hazel	CRIME	Amends the crime of domestic abuse battery

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- Reported favorably.
- HB273 Fannin DISTRICTS/INDUSTRIAL  
Provides relative to the board of commissioners of the Jackson Parish Industrial District
  - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB274 Templet CRIME  
Increases penalties for battery and for assault of a school teacher
  - Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB277 Ritchie SANITARIANS  
Revises provisions relative to sanitarians
  - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB283 White DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD  
Creates the Greenwood Crime Prevention and Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish
  - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB296 Hazel SHERIFFS  
Amends provisions of law specifying when deputy sheriffs take the oath of office
  - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB297 White CRIME/RACKETEERING  
Amends the criminal penalty for the crime of racketeering
  - Reported favorably.
- HB310 Hazel CRIME/SEX OFFENSES  
Amends elements of the crime of computer-aided solicitation of a minor
  - Reported favorably.
- HB333 Kleckley INSURANCE/HOMEOWNERS  
Provides for limitations on named-storm, hurricane, and wind and hail deductibles
  - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB336 Edwards SUCCESSION/INHERITANCE  
Provides for the removal of certain references to inheritance taxes and the inheritance tax collector in the Code of Civil Procedure
  - Rules suspended
  - Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call
- HB340 Henry RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS  
(Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to the freedom of religion
  - Reported favorably.
- HB346 Pope CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE  
Provides for the method of collecting DNA samples for inclusion in the state DNA database
  - Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB347 Downs INSURANCE DEPARTMENT  
Provides that certain health information in possession of the Dept. of Insurance is confidential

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- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB353 Monica PUBLIC CONTRACTS  
Increases the contract limit for public works projects undertaken by the public entity's own employees  
- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB355 Waddell MTR VEHICLE/COMMERCIAL  
Provides with respect to commercial motor vehicle license  
- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB358 Armes RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP  
Relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System, permits certain members to purchase service credit where an agreement of coverage exists between a municipality and the system  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB359 Lopinto DISTRICT ATTORNEYS  
Provides for payment of group health insurance premiums for retired district attorneys from the 23rd and 25th JDC  
- Rules suspended. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB361 Templet GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER  
Amends provisions of law regarding designated representatives  
- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB363 Aubert PROPERTY/COMMUNITY  
Provides relative to the community property regime  
- Reported favorably.
- HB366 Wooton CRIME/SEX OFFENSES  
Provides relative to monitoring of sex offenders  
- Rules suspended. Senate floor amendments were read and adopted. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB368 Burrell SALES/TOBACCO TRADE  
Provides relative to smoking tobacco and smoking tobacco products sold from self-service displays  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB370 LaFonta INSURANCE COMMISSIONER  
Provides for fees for Medical Necessity Review Organization licenses and filing of annual reports  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB391 Gallot DISTRICT ATTORNEYS  
Provides for procedures when probation and parole fees are not timely paid  
- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB393 LaFonta INSURANCE COMMISSIONER  
Provides for fees for review of preclicensing or continuing education applications  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB401 Perry DISTRICTS/WATERWORKS

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	Reduces membership of board of Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. 1	
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB403	Foil Provides relative to warehouse receipts	COMMERCIAL LAWS/LA.(UCC)
	- Reported favorably.	
HB406	Pearson Prohibits health insurers from requiring or using genetic testing and genetic information in certain circumstances	INSURANCE/HEALTH
	- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB407	Smiley Provides relative to disclosure of information concerning certain boards and commissions	BOARDS/COMMISSIONS
	- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.	
HB408	Anders Revises the duties and powers of forestry officers	FORESTRY
	- Rules suspended. Senate floor amendments were read and adopted. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.	
HB411	Pugh Provides relative to meetings conducted by the board of commissioners of certain economic development districts	DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB437	McVea Requires disclosure of separate hurricane, wind, or named-storm deductibles and otherwise provides with respect to disclosures	INSURANCE/PROPERTY
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB439	Ellington Requires country of origin labeling in retail and food service establishments for catfish products	AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES
	- Rules suspended. Senate floor amendments were read and adopted. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.	
HB442	Smiley Transfers the Motorcycle Safety, Awareness, and Operator Training Program to DPS&C	MTR VEHICLE/MOTORCYCLES
	- Rules suspended. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 1 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.	
HB444	Perry Provides with respect to administrative law hearings in DWI matters	DWI
	- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB445	Baldone Provides with respect to penalties for refusal to submit to DWI tests	DWI
	- Rules suspended; reported with amendments.	
HB447	Thibaut Repeals provisions of law providing for special provisions for court reporters for the 18th Judicial	COURTS/COURT REPORTERS

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	District	
	- Rules suspended; reported favorably.	
HB449	Anders	OPTOMETRISTS
	Revises certain qualifications for licensure as an optometrist	
	- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB465	Foil	DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD
	Changes the boundaries of the South Burbank Crime Prevention and Development District	
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB490	Peterson	MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES
	Provides for Delta Sigma Theta special prestige license plate	
	- Rules suspended. Senate floor amendments were read and adopted. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.	
HB499	Monica	MTR VEHICLE/SEAT BELTS
	Requires all passengers in a vehicle to wear a seat belt	
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB502	Cortez	PROPERTY/EXPROPRIATION
	Authorizes the city of Youngsville to expropriate property by a declaration of taking under certain circumstances	
	- Reported favorably.	
HB503	Montoucet	TOURISM/COMMISSION
	Provides relative to the Acadia Parish Convention and Visitors Bureau	
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB521	LaFonta	BOARDS/COMMISSIONS
	Creates an advisory council to propose ways to eliminate obstacles to the effective delivery of governmental services to Latin Americans	
	- Rules suspended. Senate floor amendments were read and adopted. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 30 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.	
HB526	Chandler	DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL
	Creates the Grant Parish Economic and Industrial Development District	
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB527	Chandler	DISTRICTS/RECREATION
	Creates the Grant Parish Recreation Authority	
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB528	Chandler	DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL
	Creates the Olla, Urania, Tullos, Standard Economic and Industrial Development District in LaSalle Parish	
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.	
HB532	Gallot	LAW ENFORCE/OFFICERS
	Provides for the certification by the Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training of the La. Supreme Court security personnel	



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| HB598 | Foil   | INSURANCE COMMISSIONER   |
|       | Provides for audited financial statements to the commissioner of insurance from vehicle mechanical breakdown and property residual value insurers                                  |                          |
|       | - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.  |                          |
| HB599 | Hill   | COURTS/COURT REPORTERS   |
|       | Authorizes the issuance of a temporary permit for official court reporting   |                          |
|       | - Rules suspended; reported with amendments.   |                          |
| HB600 | Johnson  | FAMILY LAW               |
|       | Provides for the determination of income for support purposes  |                          |
|       | - Reported with amendments.  |                          |
| HB601 | Aubert   | TRANSPORTATION DEPT      |
|       | Provides relative to contract documents of DOTD executed with electronic signatures  |                          |
|       | - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.  |                          |
| HB617 | Talbot   | HOMELAND SECURITY        |
|       | Provides relative to price gouging during declared states of emergency   |                          |
|       | - Rules suspended. The amended bill was read by title and finally passed by a vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered returned to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled. |                          |
| HB621 | Hoffmann   | TEACHERS/CERTIFICATION   |
|       | Provides relative to the certification of foreign associate teachers   |                          |
|       | - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.  |                          |
| HB646 | Jones, Sam   | RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP |
|       | Relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System, requires any employer who exits the system to pay its portion of the liabilities   |                          |
|       | - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.  |                          |
| HB647 | Downs  | DISTRICTS/SPECIAL        |
|       | Authorizes the governing authority of Lincoln Parish to create the Lincoln Parish G.I.S. District  |                          |
|       | - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.  |                          |
| HB648 | Foil   | DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD   |
|       | Creates the Hermitage-Cross Creek Crime Prevention and Development District  |                          |
|       | - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.  |                          |
| HB649 | Montoucet  | RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS    |
|       | Authorizes a fee to be collected by DPS&C and creates the Adult Probation and Parole Officer Retirement Fund into which such fees shall be deposited                               |                          |
|       | - Committee amendments read and adopted.   |                          |
|       | - Read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.  |                          |
| HB657 | Danahay  | TRANSPORTATION           |
|       | Provides relative to the Parish Transportation Fund  |                          |
|       | - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.                         |                          |
| HB666 | Henry  | MOTOR CARRIERS           |
|       | Authorizes the secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development to issue single-trip  |                          |

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		permits for the transport of sealed cargo containers rather than the transport vehicles
		- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.
HB671	Willmott	MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL
		Adds nurse practitioner and clinical nurse specialist to the Medical Malpractice Act and the Medical Malpractice Act for State Services
		- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB675	Nowlin	RETIREMENT/REGISTR VOTER
		Relative to membership in the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System (ROVERS), allows employees of the La. Registrars of Voters Association to be members in such system
		- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB697	Barrow	PARISH/EAST BATON ROUGE
		Provides relative to the East Baton Rouge Redevelopment Authority
		- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB701	Thibaut	DISTRICT ATTORNEYS
		Provides for establishment and maintenance of juvenile justice programs and services
		- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HB707	Jones, Rosalind	CRIMINAL/SENTENCING
		Amends provisions of law regarding intensive incarceration
		- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.
HB716	Leger	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
		Provides relative to the distribution of alcoholic beverages
		- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HB720	Smith, Jane	TAX/STATE
		Enacts the Louisiana Tax Delinquency Amnesty Act of 2009
		- Read by title and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.
HB726	Aubert	TRANSPORTATION DEPT
		Authorizes the governor to delegate authority to DOTD to waive certain permit requirements during times of emergency
		- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB728	Schroder	ADULT DAY CARE
		Provides for the transfer of the licensing and regulation of adult residential care homes from the Dept. of Social Services to the Dept. of Health and Hospitals
		- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.
HB731	Downs	STUDENT/SCH ATTENDANCE
		Provides relative to the habitual absence and tardiness of students, including penalties for violations by parents and legal guardians/custodians of such students
		- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
HB741	Badon, Austin	SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES

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	Provides relative to the hiring of employees by local public school boards and the disclosure of information of certain instances of sexual misconduct, abuse, and neglect relative thereto
	- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
HB749	Schroder DISTRICTS/ROAD LIGHTING Provides relative to road lighting districts in St. Tammany Parish
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB757	Dixon CRIME Creates the crime of unauthorized participation in medical assistance programs
	- Reported favorably.
HB772	Willmott WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT Makes changes to the Healthcare Professional Development Program
	- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.
HB784	Katz CHILDREN/ABUSE Requires the Department of Social Services to search the central registry of justified abuse and neglect to assess potential employees of the department who would be working with children
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB785	Jones, Sam DISTRICTS/SPECIAL Creates the St. Mary Hydroelectric Authority as a political subdivision within St. Mary Parish
	- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
HB786	Jones, Sam PORTS/MORGAN CITY Provides relative to the Morgan City Harbor and Terminal District
	- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB794	Tucker COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES Provides for a commission to review all aspects of postsecondary education in the state and report to the legislature
	- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
HB813	Connick INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE Increases the minimum required automobile insurance for taxi cabs
	- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.
HB822	Smith, Patricia PAROLE Provides relative to the Louisiana Risk Review Panel
	- Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HB827	Simon ELECTION CODE Makes revisions to the election code to provide with respect to voters with special needs
	- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.
HB854	Hill HIGHWAYS Designates portion of highway

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- Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays. The bill was ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB855 Henderson TRAFFIC  
Provides that the left lane is for passing only  
- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB890 Mills CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES  
Provides for the sale and monitoring of nonprescription products containing ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine  
- Reported favorably.
- HCR1 Foil CONSTITUTION/CONVENTION  
Creates a commission to study the feasibility of a constitutional convention and to make recommendations relative thereto  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.
- HCR3 Ponti STATE AGENCIES  
Directs state agencies to maximize efficiency, minimize waste, and save taxpayer dollars  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.
- HCR33 Leger SCHOOLS/CHARTER  
Requests BESE to study charter school use of city, parish, and other local public school system-owned facilities  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
- HCR38 Harrison ENERGY/DRILLING  
Memorializes congress to maintain the exemption from the Safe Drinking Water Act for hydraulic fracturing  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.
- HCR46 Willmott ATHLETICS  
Requests the governing authority of each public and state-approved nonpublic high school to collect statistical data relative to all injuries and to incorporate certain exercises into athletic training programs as necessary  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
- HCR102 Baldone WILLS/LIVING  
Urges and requests the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the use of living wills among Medicaid recipients  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.
- HCR142 Nowlin NURSING HOMES  
Directs DHH to continue to implement approved cost control mechanisms for the Long Term/Personal Care Services Program, the Elderly and Disabled Adults waiver, and the New Opportunities Waiver and to provide for progress reports  
- Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

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HCR176	Jackson, G.	PROCUREMENT	Creates the Hudson Initiative Task Force to study the feasibility of offering business opportunities through state procurement and public contracts to small entrepreneurs in the state of Louisiana - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.
HCR177	Stiaes	SCHOOLS	Requests public school boards and superintendents to dedicate federal stimulus dollars to low performing schools - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
HCR178	Hines	ENVIRONMENT/AIR	Requests a concrete plant to consider relocation of the plant in a location zoned for heavy commercial operations - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.
HCR179	Hines	ENVIRONMENT/HEALTH	Requests the Department of Environmental Quality to study the health impacts of a concrete plant located in a residential neighborhood - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.
HCR180	Richard	STUDENT/TUITION	Requests the Board of Regents to conduct a study of tuition charges at Louisiana's public postsecondary education institutions, particularly the feasibility of tuition for full-time students based on credit hours - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended. Read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
HCR181	Cromer	COMMENDATIONS	Commends the Northshore High School girls swim team upon winning the 2008 LHSAA Division 1 state championship - Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.