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HB8	Simon	EXCEP PERSON/DISABLED	Corrects the name of an office designated in statutes relative to equal access to governmental and public facilities for the disabled community - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB25	Burns, Henry	CONTRACTORS	Establishes an exemption to the subject matter exam for licensed arborists who apply for a landscape, grading, and beautification building contractors' license in order to perform certain arborist work - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB48	Harris	CRIME/THEFT	Creates the crime of theft of copper and other metals - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB68	Seabaugh	COURTS/JUSTICE OF PEACE	Provides for deputy constables of the justice of the peace court in Caddo Parish - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB81	Ligi	MTR VEHICLE/DEALERS	Specifies certain members of the La. Motor Vehicle Commission be primarily engaged in the business of marine product sales, motorcycle sales, and recreational vehicle sales - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB89	Ligi	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES	Provides relative to public access to public collective bargaining agreements involving public employers - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB91	Leger	ECONOMIC DEVEL/ENT ZONE	Changes the definitions of "transit-oriented development" and "multifamily residential housing" for purposes of the La. Enterprise Zone Act - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB108	Hoffmann	BOARDS/COMMISSIONS	Provides relative to the membership of the Louisiana Health Works Commission - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB121	Lopinto	CORRECTIONS	Revises provisions of law regarding conditions of parole - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB122	Lopinto	CORRECTIONS	Allows DPS&C to house certain persons prior to conviction or sentencing under certain circumstances - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB134	Fannin	APPROPRIATIONS/ANCILLARY	Provides for ancillary expenses of state government - Reported with amendments (18-0) (Regular).
HB144	Ponti	SECURITIES	Corrects a reference in the Louisiana Securities Law - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

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HB161	Ritchie	EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT	Establishes a continuing education program for embalmers and funeral directors - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB168	Thierry	FUNDS/FUNDING	Provides relative to the St. Landry Parish Excellence Fund - Reported with amendments (16-0) (Regular).
HB178	Ponti	ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT	Extends confidentiality to any proprietary or trade secret information submitted for economic development purposes - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB208	Ponti	ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT	Extends sunset for confidentiality of company information submitted to the Dept. of Economic Development - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB253	Foil	DISTRICTS/CRIME PREVENT	Provides for the creation of a crime prevention and improvement district in the Mayfair Park, Mayfair Park East, and Mayfair Heights subdivisions in East Baton Rouge Parish - Reported with amendments (14-0-1) (Regular).
HB293	Harrison	BUS DRIVERS	Limits applicability of laws relative to a school bus operator becoming a regular and permanent employee of the employing school board and provides relative to removal of certain operators - Read by title, returned to the calendar.
HB309	James	DISTRICTS/CRIME PREVENT	Creates the Park Forest Crime Prevention and Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB311	Leger	CONDOMINIUMS	Authorizes alternative forms of insurance to satisfy the requirement that condominium associations carry a fidelity bond - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB327	Richard	PUBLIC CONTRACTS	Provides for a 10% reduction of all state professional, personal, and consulting service contracts - Reported favorably (22-0) (Regular).
HB328	Richard	STATE EMPLOYEES	Requires certain reductions in the number of positions in the executive branch of state government - Reported favorably (17-0) (Regular).
HB335	Lorusso	DISTRICTS/SPECIAL	Relative to the New Orleans City Park Taxing District, provides with respect to procedures relative to use of state sales tax increments for tax increment financing - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 90, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB354	Cromer	EMPLOYMENT/AGENCIES	Provides relative to registration and regulation of Professional Employer Organizations by the Dept. of

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	Insurance and the La. Workforce Commission	
	- Reported favorably (13-0) (Local and Consent).	
HB364	Leger	EMPLOYMENT
	Provides with respect to an employee's protection against reprisal	
	- Read by title, returned to the calendar.	
	- Notice given.	
	- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/15/2012.	
HB386	Ponti	CONTRACTORS/CONSTRUCTION
	Provides relative to home improvement contracting	
	- Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.	
HB395	Carmody	COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES
	Provides relative to the expenditure or allocation of funds appropriated to postsecondary education management boards	
	- Read by title, returned to the calendar.	
	- Notice given.	
	- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/8/2012.	
HB411	Abramson	PUBLIC PROPERTY
	Provides relative to the sale of educational facilities and property in Orleans Parish	
	- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 93, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.	
HB434	Connick	CIVIL/PROCEDURE
	Provides for the suspension of liberative prescription in class action suits	
	- Involuntarily deferred in committee.	
HB436	Harrison	CURRICULA
	Requires instruction on the Founding Principles of the U.S. to be integrated into the high school American history and civics courses	
	- Read by title, returned to the calendar.	
HB447	Lopinto	GAMBLING/RIVERBOAT
	Removes antiquated references to the Riverboat Gaming Commission	
	- Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.	
HB456	Burrell	LOCAL GOVERNMENT
	Relative to revision of local government laws pursuant to HCR No. 218 of the 2009 R.S., repeals certain obsolete or ineffective provisions	
	- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.	
HB480	Barrow	DISTRICTS/CRIME PREVENT
	Creates the Glen Oaks Crime Prevention and Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish	
	- Reported with amendments (11-0-1) (Regular).	
HB501	Leger	CIVIL/ACTIONS
	Provides for qui tam actions in cases of misuse of public funds	
	- Involuntarily deferred in committee.	
HB507	Ponti	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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	Increases the maximum gross receipts threshold for the La. Initiative for Small Entrepreneurships (Hudson Initiative) and the Veteran Initiative	
	- Reported favorably (13-0) (Regular).	
HB508	Ponti	MORTGAGES
	Provides relative to the La. S.A.F.E. Residential Mortgage Lending Act	
	- Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.	
HB578	Danahay	ELECTIONS
	Provides relative to early voting at additional locations	
	- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.	
HB661	Harrison	SCHOOLS
	Requires BESE to provide for a school health care system in all public schools	
	- Read by title, returned to the calendar.	
HB663	Ritchie	CEMETERIES
	Makes various changes to the provisions governing cemetery authorities and merchandise trust funds	
	- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.	
HB711	Pugh	ELECTIONS/CANDIDATES
	Provides for the requirements of the notice of candidacy by additionally requiring a candidate for major or district office to certify that he has filed any campaign finance reports previously due	
	- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 93, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.	
HB720	Leger	CONTRACTS
	Establishes the La. First Hiring Act to promote the hiring of residents of La.'s coastal parishes for public works projects for coastal restoration and protection	
	- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 94, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.	
HB732	Burns, Henry	MILITARY AFFAIRS
	Provides for licensure of individuals with military training and their spouses	
	- Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.	
HB748	Ponti	ENGINEERS
	Creates an exception to the engineering licensing provisions for the practice of evaluation of oil and gas resources	
	- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.	
HB756	Abramson	PUBLIC RECORDS
	Exempts certain materials of higher education boards and institutions from disclosure under the Public Records Law	
	- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 93, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.	
HB759	Landry, Nancy	CRIME
	Creates the crime of female genital mutilation	
	- Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.	
HB761	Honore	SCHOOLS/FOOD PROGRAMS
	Provides relative to the administration of nutrition programs at LSU and Southern lab schools	

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- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 84, nays 3. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB763 St. Germain PUBLIC RECORDS
Provides relative to retention and disposal of records of a clerk of court
- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB768 Burns, Tim CONGRESS/DISTRICTS
Provides with respect to membership on various boards, commissions, and entities that is based on congressional districts
- Read by title, returned to the calendar.
- Called from the calendar.
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 90, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB824 Ponti UTILITIES
Provides for changes to the La. Underground Utilities and Facilities Damage Prevention Law
- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB836 Hazel CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
Provides relative to the appearance by the Board of Pardons at certain sentencing hearings
- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB856 Honore COLLEGES/SOUTHERN U
Authorizes a tuition increase at Southern University Laboratory School
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 84, nays 3. The bill, having received two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB935 St. Germain TRANSPORTATION DEPT
Provides relative to termination of the Crescent City Connection Division of the DOTD
- Reported by substitute (12-1) (Regular)
- HB947 Landry, Nancy HEALTH/MIDWIVES
Amends provisions relative to midwifery licensing
- Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
- HB984 Williams, A SHERIFFS
Expands the scope of restitution recoverable from offenders housed in local correctional facilities
- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB988 Jones, Sam RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS
Provides for a five-year deferred retirement option plan for certain members of the Firefighters' Retirement System
- Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 91, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB1016 Pope CHILD DAY CARE
Provides for duties of the Dept. of Children and Family Services relative to licensure of day care centers and facilitation of the La. Advisory Council on Child Care and Early Education
- Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 88, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

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HB1029	Ponti	HOUSING/MANUFACTURED	Provides relative to warranties for manufactured and modular housing - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB1030	Talbot	RETIREMENT/SCHOOL EMPS	Prohibits members of the La. School Employees' Retirement System from remaining in that system after taking a job that is covered by a different retirement system - Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular).
HB1036	Brossett	ELECTIONS/COMMISSIONERS	Authorizes an increase in compensation of absentee by mail and early voting commissioners for certain elections - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 85, nays 4. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1044	Kleckley	LEGISLATIVE EXPENSES	Makes appropriations for the expenses of the legislature for FY 2012-2013 - Reported favorably (15-0) (Regular).
HB1058	Fannin	APPROPRIATIONS	Appropriates funds for the expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary for Fiscal Year 2012-2013 - Reported with amendments (18-0) (Regular).
HB1059	Fannin	APPROPRIATIONS/SUPPLEML	Provides for supplemental appropriations for Fiscal Year 2011-2012 - Reported with amendments (18-0) (Regular).
HB1067	St. Germain	ENVIRONMENT/WASTE SITES	Provides for reimbursement for processing waste tires - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 90, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1083	Pylant	WORKERS COMPENSATION	Provides relative to the forfeiture of certain benefits while incarcerated - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 93, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1088	Henry	SCHOOLS	Provides for the establishment and administration of a targeted coordinated school health program for the purpose of reducing childhood obesity and a grant program to assist public school governing authorities with implementation - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 91, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1095	Leger	ELECTIONS/PRESIDENTIAL	Makes the state of La. a party to an interstate compact entitled the "Agreement Among the States to Elect the President by National Popular Vote" - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 28, nays 63. Failed to pass, motion to reconsider tabled.
HB1097	Champagne	DISTRICTS/FIRE PROTECT	Provides relative to the per diem paid to members of Vermilion Parish Fire Protection District No. 7 - Reported favorably (14-0-1) (Local and Consent).

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HB1102	Ligi	REVENUE DEPARTMENT	Authorizes the disclosure of certain taxpayer information to the La. Clerks' of Court Association - Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 91, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1103	Leger	DISTRICTS/SPECIAL	Provides relative to the La. Sports and Entertainment District - Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 86, nays 2. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1113	Johnson	PUBLIC RECORDS	Exempts the La. Licensed Professional Counselors Board of Examiners from certain provisions of Public Records Law - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 90, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1128	Ponti	FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	Makes changes to various licensing renewal dates within the regulation of the Office of Financial Institutions - Scheduled for concurrence on 5/14/2012.
HB1174	Danahay	RETIREMENT/STATE-STWIDE	Establishes "Hazardous Duty" and "Non-Hazardous Duty" subplans in the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System - Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular).
HB1203	Williams, P	TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL-EXEM	Beginning Jan. 1, 2014, exempts prescription drugs and pharmacists services from local sales and use taxes - Read by title, returned to the calendar. - Notice given. - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/15/2012.
HB1204	Pylant	DWI	Provides relative to the reinstatement of driving privileges associated with a violation of criminal law and extends time in which to request an administrative hearing following a DWI arrest - Read by title, returned to the calendar. - Notice given. - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/15/2012.
HB1205	Johnson	CHILDREN/SUPPORT	Provides for the transfer of a child support obligation to a caretaker - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 85, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1206	Johnson	INSURANCE/HEALTH	Provides for the adequacy of health care services offered through providers in a health plan benefit's network - Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 91, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB1209	Richard	STUDENT/SCH ATTENDANCE	Provides relative to alternative education programs for suspended or expelled students

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- HCR63 Pope EDUCATION
Requests that legislators, statewide elected officials, and members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education volunteer to teach in a public school for at least two days of each year of their term of office
- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HCR64 Schroder WILDLIFE & FISHERIES DEP
Requests the Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries to study for possible implementation the issuance of hunting and recreational fishing licenses for a year from the date of issuance
- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HCR65 Gisclair TRANSPORTATION DEPT
Requests DOTD to conduct a traffic study
- Read by title, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR67 Geymann TRANSPORTATION
Suspends certain administrative rules relative to access connection requirements
- Reported favorably (13-0).
- HCR76 Smith, Patricia PRIVILEGES/LIENS
Requests the La. State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding unpaid wages
- Read by title, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR78 Smith, Patricia HEALTH
Creates a study committee to study the detection and prevention of heart disease in student athletes
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
- HCR79 Badon COLLEGES/TECHNICAL
Requests that the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges report on the status of the reconstruction and reopening of the Sidney N. Collier Technical Division site of Delgado Community College
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
- HCR81 Huval CIVIL/JURY TRIALS
Requests the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations for legislation relative to expedited jury trials
- Read by title, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR84 Jackson, K HEALTH
Urges and requests the Dept. of Health and Hospitals and the La. Hospital Association to promote and encourage all hospitals and medical clinics that receive state dollars to promote the "Text4baby" initiative
- Read by title, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR93 Billiot CIVIL/OBLIGATIONS
Requests the La. State Law Institute to study and make recommendations relative to suretyship
- Read by title, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR94 Jones, Sam CONGRESS
Memorializes congress to encourage and enable the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to review and approve Cheniere's Sabine Pass Liquid Natural Gas facility
- Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

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HCR95	Hazel	EDUCATION/ADULT	Requests the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges and the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education jointly to study and report on granting a La. high school diploma to successful completers of adult education programs that meet state established standards - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
HCR96	Simon	HEALTH SERVICES	Requests a study of means by which to expand access to telehealth services in La. - Read by title, amended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HCR100	Ortego	TRANSPORTATION	Urges and requests the Complete Streets Working Group to continue working - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
HCR108	Simon	HOSPITALS	Establishes a study committee to study inpatient transfers between hospitals, public or private, and make recommendations on the establishment of transfer agreements - Read by title, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HCR114	Mack	COMMERCE	Commends Clay Parker upon being selected to participate in the National Rifle Association's annual National Youth Education Summit - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HCR115	Thompson, J	CONGRESS	Memorializes congress to prevent the retirement of certain aircraft assigned to Barksdale Air Force Base - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HCR116	Burrell	COMMENDATIONS	Commends Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., upon the celebration of its 106th anniversary - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HCR117	St. Germain	WATERWAYS/RIVERS	Urges the governor to request that the Corps of Engineers divert increased water from the Mississippi River to the Atchafalaya River - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HCR118	Jackson, K	COMMENDATIONS	Commends Pastor Ronnie L. Traylor upon his ninth anniversary as pastor of the Marion Missionary Baptist Church - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HCR119	Burns, Tim	CONDOLENCES	Expresses condolences upon the death of and posthumously commends Kerry Joseph Triche of Baton Rouge - Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HCR121	Simon	COMMENDATIONS	Commends Don Gregory on 36 years of outstanding service and dedication to the citizens of the state of La. on the occasion of his retirement from the La. Dept. of Health and Hospitals - Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HCR122	Brossett	COMMENDATIONS	

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- Commends Keith A. Doley of New Orleans upon being invested as the Honorary Consul for the Republic of South Africa
- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR123 Thibaut WATER/RESOURCES
Creates the False River Watershed Council
- Read by title. Lies over under the rules.
- HCR124 Dixon CRIMINAL/CONVICTIONS
Requests the Innocence Project New Orleans to apply to the Judicial Council for an additional court cost to fund the Innocence Compensation Fund
- Read by title. Lies over under the rules.
- HCR125 St. Germain BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS
Declares May 19 through May 25, 2012, as Safe Boating Week
- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR126 Cox SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Recognizes May 1-June 14, 2012, as National Military Appreciation Month
- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HCR127 Cox VETERANS
Provides relative to the employment of veterans returning from service
- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HR77 Barrow COMMENDATIONS
Commends Kenneth E. Mitchell upon his receipt of a Gospel Is Alive Award for 2012 from the Gospel Outreach Committee of the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival and Foundation
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR78 Barrow COMMENDATIONS
Commends Elder LeRoy Johnson upon his receipt of a Gospel Is Alive Award for 2012 from the Gospel Outreach Committee of the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival and Foundation
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR79 Barrow COMMENDATIONS
Commends Audrey Scott-Brunious upon her receipt of a Gospel Is Alive Award for 2012 from the Gospel Outreach Committee of the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival and Foundation
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR80 Barrow SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Recognizes May 13-19, 2012, as National Women's Health Week
- Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR81 Burns, Henry COMMENDATIONS
Commends Ethan Pease of Haughton upon his selection as the state winner in the fifth annual Doodle 4 Google contest
- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HR82 Kleckley COMMENDATIONS

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Commends Bobby E. Smith, Ph.D., for his outstanding accomplishments and contributions

- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

- HR83 Hoffmann SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Recognizes Tuesday, May 8, 2012, as March of Dimes Day at the La. State Capitol
- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HR84 Arnold SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Recognizes Tuesday, May 8, 2012, as La. Society of Professional Surveyors Day at the state capitol
- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HR85 Anders SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
Designates May 9, 2012, as FFA Day at the legislature and commends the state officers of FFA
- Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SB7 Guillory, E MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE RET
Provides for a 60 month final compensation for all active employees. (7/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Retirement.
- SB9 Guillory, E MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE RET
Provides relative to employee contributions. (7/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Retirement.
- SB14 Guillory, E REGISTRAR OF VOTERS RET
Provides relative to the calculation of benefits. (7/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Retirement.
- SB22 Guillory, E SHERIFFS
Provides for membership of part-time employees. (6/30/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Retirement.
- SB35 Guillory, E SHERIFFS
Provides relative to benefits. (6/30/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Retirement.
- SB38 Guillory, E REGISTRAR OF VOTERS RET
Provides for Tier 2 of benefits for persons employed on or after January 1, 2013. (6/30/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Retirement.
- SB39 Alario STATE EMPLOYEE RET
Adds Lafitte Area Independent Levee District employees to LASERS. (7/1/12)
- Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB49 Guillory, E MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE RET
Provides for a second tier of benefits for persons employed on or after 1/1/13. (7/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Retirement.
- SB61 Mills CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE
Authorizes the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals to issue stop order rules on certain dangerous substances. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

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SB77	Gallot	MOTOR VEHICLES	Provides that a person who successfully completes the Motorcycle, Safety, Awareness, and Operator Training Program is not required to take a written knowledge test to obtain an "M" endorsement on his driver's license. (8/1/12) - Reported favorably (11-0) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB80	Cortez	LOCAL OFFICIALS	Provides for the powers of the chief of police of Youngsville. (8/1/12) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB90	Riser	CHILDREN	Provides relative to legitimation of a child who has reached the age of majority. (8/1/12) - Reported with amendments (13-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB101	Guillory, E	CHARITABLE GAMING	Increases the number of days that games of chance may be conducted. (8/1/12) - Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
SB116	Mills	HEALTH SERVICES	Provides for the naming of certain human services districts. (gov sig) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB130	Crowe	CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE	Includes <i>Mitragyna speciosa</i> in the definition of prohibited plant for purposes of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law. (gov sig) - Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
SB133	Kostelka	COURTS	Provides relative to designation by judges of specialized divisions or sections in district courts. (gov sig) - Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
SB138	Allain	MOTOR CARRIERS	Provides relative to special permits for vehicles hauling sugarcane. (8/1/12) - Reported favorably (11-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB145	Mills	HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT	Deletes references to supports and services centers and employment service programs within the Department of Health and Hospitals that no longer exist. (gov sig) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB146	Long	INSURANCE DEPARTMENT	Prohibits public adjusters from acting as appraisers on claims they are adjusting. (8/1/12) - Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
SB152	Broome	CHILDREN'S CODE	Provides relative to the presence of the child and caregiver in certain hearings involving foster care and parental rights proceedings. (8/1/12) - Reported with amendments (11-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB153	Broome	CHILDREN	Provides for relocation of the residence of a child. (8/1/12)

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- Reported favorably (12-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB168 Smith, Gary TRAFFIC
Provide other penalties for various traffic violations. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.
- SB177 Adley TAX/AD VALOREM
Provides relative to statutorily required publication of notice of ad valorem taxation millage adjustment.
- Reported with amendments (14-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB178 Nevers TOURISM
Renames the Tangipahoa Parish Tourist and Film Commission to the Tangipahoa Parish Tourist Commission. (8/1/12)
- Reported favorably (12-0-1) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB193 Guillory, E MOTOR VEHICLES
Provides for prestige license plates for the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity. (8/1/12)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
- SB195 Mills CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE
Adds phenazepam to the list of Schedule I controlled dangerous substances. (gov sig)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB196 Mills CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE
Adds Ezogabine as a Schedule V controlled dangerous substance. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB206 Morrish HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE
Provides for modification and renewability of certain insurance plan provisions. (gov sig)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB207 Morrish HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE
Provides for review of health coverage premium rates. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Insurance.
- SB208 Morrish PROPERTY INSURANCE
Adds a representative of the La. Surplus Lines Association and the Deputy Commissioner for Consumer Advocacy to the membership of the La. Property and Casualty Commission. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB212 Mills PHARMACISTS
Provides relative to a specific date for the term of appointment of board members. (gov sig)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
- SB216 Mills MENTAL HEALTH
Amends definitions within the Mental Health Counselors Licensing Act. (gov sig)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.
- SB225 Morrish HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE
Provides relative to Medical Necessity Review Organizations. (see Act)
- Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

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- SB230 Brown, Troy INSURERS
Clarifies definitions and company-action level events relative to risk-based capital for domestic insurers. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB231 Murray HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE
Provides relative to prior authorization forms. (gov sig)
- Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB232 Broome INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
Permits the commissioner of insurance to issue cease and desist orders for Insurance Code violations. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB242 Murray INSURANCE PREMIUMS
Provides relative to bail bond license fees in the Criminal District Court of the Parish of Orleans. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB249 Long GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION
Re-creates the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries. (6/30/12)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB284 Cortez COMMUNITY TECH SYSTEM
Merges certain La.Technical College campuses with South Louisiana Community College. (gov sig)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Education.
- SB289 Allain COASTAL RESOURCES
Authorizes the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority to assist the Teche-Vermilion Fresh Water District. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB305 White SCHOOLS
Constitutional amendment to remove geographic limitations on the legislature's authority to create new school boards and provide relative to the financing of public education. (2/3 - CA13sl(A))
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Education.
- SB315 Amedee SUNSET LAW
Re-creates the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism. (6/30/12)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
- SB316 Martiny FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
Provides for the use of a power of attorney at a financial institution. (8/1/12)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
- SB317 Martiny JUVENILE JUSTICE
Provides relative to parole eligibility for certain juveniles. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB326 Broome LOANS
Requires the commissioner of the office of financial institutions to compile certain information from licensees under the Louisiana Deferred Presentment and Small Loan Act. (8/1/12)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.

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SB337	Amedee	TAX/AD VALOREM	Constitutional amendment to provide for the property tax exemption for certain disabled veterans to apply to the spouses of such veterans if the veterans passed away prior to the enactment of the exemption. (1/1/13) - Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
SB338	Appel	PUBLIC CONTRACTS	Provides for time period between award and execution of certain public works contracts. (7/1/12) - Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.
SB351	Murray	TAX/LOCAL	Authorizes the parishes of Orleans and Jefferson to establish an automobile rental tax district and to levy an automobile rental tax not to exceed three percent beginning July 1, 2012. (gov sig) - Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
SB353	Murray	LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS	Designates the month of March as Irish-American Heritage Month. (8/1/12) - Reported favorably (14-0-1) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB355	Amedee	PUBLIC LANDS	Authorizes the transfer of certain state properties. (8/1/12) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB359	Morrish	AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE	Provides for selection or rejection of uninsured motorist coverage pursuant to the Louisiana Uniform Electronic Transactions Act. (8/1/12) - Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
SB360	Martiny	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS	Provides for distribution and sale of marine products, motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles, and recreational vehicles. (8/1/12) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB386	Ward	WORKERS' COMPENSATION	Provides for payment of medical benefits within 30 days rather than 60 days contingent upon medical providers' adoption and utilization of electronic billing rules and regulations. (8/1/12) - Reported with amendments (12-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB387	Ward	HUNTERS/HUNTING	Provides for the positive evidence of sex identification of deer and turkey. (8/1/12) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB391	Riser	HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE	Exempts La. Medicaid programs from insurers who may be taxed by a municipal or parochial corporation. (7/1/12) - Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
SB394	Smith, Gary	INSURERS	Changes the rehabilitation, liquidation, and conservation provisions. (8/1/12) - Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
SB395	White	SPECIAL DISTRICTS	

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- Creates the Carmel Acres Crime Prevention and Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish. (8/1/12)
- Reported with amendments (12-0-1) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB396 Crowe PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS
Provides for changes in the board membership of the Louisiana International Gulf Transfer and Terminal Authority. (gov sig)
- Reported favorably (12-0) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB397 Gallot TAX/AD VALOREM
Provides relative to the cancellation of an assessment for closed and inactive businesses.
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.
- SB404 Martiny PUBLIC CONTRACTS
Provides relative to contracts by public entities. (8/1/12)
- Reported favorably (12-0) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB407 Murray LOCAL AGENCIES
Provides for the fixing of rates to be charged users of the sewer system by the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board. (gov sig)
- Reported favorably (14-0-1) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB420 Martiny MOTOR CARRIERS
Provides relative to certain motor carrier transportation contracts and certain construction contracts. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.
- SB436 Long WATER/WATERWAYS
Requires the Sabine River Authority to obtain legislative committee and certain local government approval for out-of-state water sales. (8/1/12)
- Reported favorably (11-1) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB456 Amedee SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Creates a multi-jurisdictional board of commissioners to support and promote the operation of a juvenile detention facility. (gov sig)
- Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB462 Amedee CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES
Delays licensure requirement for juvenile dentention facilities. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB467 Broome CHILDREN'S CODE
Provides relative to grounds for initiating proceedings for a family in need of services. (8/1/12)
- Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB468 Allain FISH/FISHING
Provides exceptions for certain saltwater fish used as bait. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB472 Murray UNEMPLOYMENT COMP
Prohibits certain employees of staffing services from being classified as independent contractors. (2/3-CA 7s2.1(A)) (8/1/12)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.

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| SB475 | Dorsey-Colomb | TAX/TAXATION | Provides for performance based tax rebates for musical or other entertainment events held in public facilities under certain conditions. (7/1/12)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules |
| SB483 | Perry | MOTOR VEHICLES | Allows golf carts to be driven by licensed and insured drivers on the roadways of Palmetto Island State Park. (8/1/12)
- Reported favorably (12-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau. |
| SB486 | Perry | MOTOR VEHICLES | Provides relative to reinstatement of driving privileges under certain circumstances for persons convicted of certain offenses involving operating a vehicle while intoxicated. (gov sig)
- Reported with amendments (12-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau. |
| SB488 | Perry | MOTOR VEHICLES | Provides relative to eligibility for a restricted license by persons convicted of certain crimes involving operating a vehicle while intoxicated. (gov sig)
- Reported favorably (12-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau. |
| SB495 | Long | WATER QUALITY | Revises the membership and powers and duties of the Ground Water Resources Commission. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar. |
| SB496 | Perry | MUNICIPALITIES | Provides relative to the authority of the chief of police for the city of Kaplan and the position of assistant to the chief of police. (8/1/12)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012. |
| SB513 | Crowe | ADMINISTRATION DIVISION | Prohibits the Department of Economic Development or the office of entertainment industry development from certifying certain film projects. (8/1/12)
- Reported with amendments (15-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau. |
| SB519 | Martiny | JUVENILES | Provides relative to juvenile delinquency proceedings. (8/1/12)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules |
| SB521 | Johns | EMPLOYMENT | Prohibits a parish or municipality from establishing a mandatory, minimum number of employee vacation or sick leave days. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations. |
| SB557 | Erdey | MOTOR VEHICLES | Provides relative to special prestige license plate for Boy Scouts of America. (8/1/12)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012. |
| SB574 | Gallot | TAX/AD VALOREM | Provides relative to changes of liability for payment of taxes during the redemptive period after a tax sale. (8/1/12)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules |

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SB582	Gallot	MOTOR VEHICLES	Provides relative to handlebars on motorcycles. (8/1/12) - Reported favorably (11-0) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB583	Gallot	PUBLIC PROPERTY	Authorizes the commissioner of administration to transfer certain property in Lincoln Parish to Grambling State University and to Louisiana Tech University. (8/1/12) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB589	LaFleur	SPECIAL DISTRICTS	Provides relative to the Evangeline-Ville Platte Recreation District. (8/1/12) - Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.
SB596	Kostelka	EVIDENCE	Provides an exemption from subpoena for judges and commissioners of Article V courts. (gov sig) - Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.
SB601	Buffington	MOTOR VEHICLES	Provides relative to motor vehicle inspections. (9/1/12) - Reported favorably (11-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB605	Gallot	TAX/AD VALOREM	Provides for procedures and notifications required for tax sales. (8/1/12) - Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
SB617	Donahue	SPECIAL DISTRICTS	Changes the composition of the board of commissioners of the St. Tammany Parish Development District. (8/1/12) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB622	Amedee	LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR	Authorizes the lieutenant governor to perform the duties, functions and responsibilities of the secretary of culture, recreation and tourism. (8/1/12) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB626	Smith, John	SPECIAL DISTRICTS	Transfers the ownership and management of the Beauregard Parish Covered Arena to the Beauregard Parish police jury. (gov sig) - Reported favorably (12-0-1) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB627	Broome	SPECIAL DISTRICTS	Creates the Live Oak Trace Subdivision Crime Prevention and Improvement District in the city of Zachary. (gov sig) - Reported favorably (11-0-1) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
SB630	Morrell	LOCAL AGENCIES	Authorizes a fixed rate for emergency telephone service charges in St. Bernard Parish. (8/1/12) - Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
SB632	Martiny	SPECIAL DISTRICTS	Provides relative to the Jefferson Parish Communication District's authority to contract for and fund certain services. (gov sig)

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- Reported favorably (13-0) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB649 Smith, Gary CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Provides for GPS tracking of certain arrestees while out on bail. (8/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.
- SB653 Mills LOCAL AGENCIES
Provides for the use of the tax proceeds of a sales tax district in Breaux Bridge. (gov sig)
- Received in the House from the Senate, read by title, lies over under the rules
- SB673 Erdey FUNDS/FUNDING
To establish the Juban Crossing Economic Development District Fund as a special fund in the state treasury and to provide for the disposition of certain sales tax proceeds within Livingston Parish. (7/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
- SB676 Crowe UNEMPLOYMENT COMP
Provides for overpayment of benefits and the recovery thereof. (CA-7s2.1(A)) (8/1/12)
- Scheduled for floor debate on 5/14/2012.
- SB680 Erdey TAX/AD VALOREM
Removes specific authority of the Louisiana Tax Commission to appoint a secretary. (gov sig)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.
- SB693 Morrell CONTRACTS
Provides relative to motor carrier transportation contracts and construction contracts. (gov sig)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.
- SB699 Murray SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Reenacts expired provisions of law relative to non-flood assets managed by the Non-Flood Asset Management Authority. (gov sig)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.
- SB723 Appel ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Creates the Louisiana International Commerce Initiative. (gov sig)
- Reported with amendments (15-0) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB746 Peacock LIMIT LIABILITY COMPANY
Provides relative to the manner of converting the state of organization of domestic and foreign limited liability companies. (1/1/13)
- Reported favorably (11-0) (Local and Consent). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB751 Morrish MOTOR VEHICLES
Provides relative to recreational product shows. (7/1/12)
- Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on Commerce.
- SB752 Peterson MUNICIPALITIES
Authorizes municipalities to enact ordinances relative to abandoned properties. (gov sig)
- Reported with amendments (12-0-1) (Regular). Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB757 Martiny SECURITIES
Provides relative to the registration of securities subject to certain laws or practices. (8/1/12)

- Received in the House from the Senate.