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SB216	Mills	MENTAL HEALTH	Amends definitions within the Mental Health Counselors Licensing Act. (gov sig) - Reported favorably.
SB219	Johns	PUBLIC PROPERTY	Authorizes McNeese State University to transfer certain state property to the Chennault International Airport Authority. (8/1/12) - Read by title, passed by a vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays, and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
SB251	Morrish	INSURANCE CLAIMS	Creates the Louisiana Insurance Fraud Prevention Act. (8/1/12) - Reported with amendments.
SB268	LaFleur	STATE DEPARTMENT	Authorizes the Dept. of State to temporarily close certain public facilities and museums when funds are not appropriated or otherwise made available from other sources for the operation. (gov sig) - Read by title, passed by a vote of 36 yeas and 3 nays, and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
SB299	White	SCHOOLS	Constitutional amendment to grant the Southeast Baton Rouge community school system in East Baton Rouge Parish the same authority granted parishes relative to MFP funding and raising revenue for schools. (2/3 - CA13s1(A)) - Rules suspended. Called from the Calendar. - Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and passed by a vote of 29 yeas and 7 nays; ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
SB320	Martiny	PHYSICIANS	Provides for the use of the title of "Doctor" or the abbreviation "Dr." by certain healthcare providers. (8/1/12) - Reported with amendments.
SB330	Ward	CRIME/PUNISHMENT	Criminalizes the act of performing an abortion where the abortionist is not a licensed physician. (8/1/12) - Read by title. Committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
SB370	Crowe	WILDLIFE RESOURCES	Creates a permit for the entertainment industry for the possession or transportation of certain wildlife. (8/1/12) - Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays; ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
SB373	Mills	PHARMACISTS	Transfers to the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy the licensure authority of pharmacy benefit managers. (8/1/12) - Reported by substitute.
SB378	Mills	PHARMACISTS	Authorizes a pharmacist in a primary health professional shortage area to administer certain vaccines. (8/1/12) - Reported with amendments.

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- SB388 Martiny SECURITIES  
Provides relative to the offering, selling, or purchasing of mutual funds subject to foreign laws. (8/1/12)  
- Reported by substitute.
- SB404 Martiny PUBLIC CONTRACTS  
Provides relative to contracts by public entities. (8/1/12)  
- Read by title, passed by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays, and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB405 Buffington LOCAL EMPLOYEES  
Creates position of chief of administration of fire department. (8/1/12) (2/3-CA10s17)  
- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and passed by a vote of 32 yeas and 1 nays; ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB444 Peterson CHILDREN'S CODE  
Provides for transition period and eventual elimination of commitment of child to secure detention facility in families in need of services proceedings. (See Act)  
- Read by title. Committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
- SB461 Walsworth SCHOOLS  
Provides relative to limitations on class size. (8/1/12)  
- Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and passed by a vote of 28 yeas and 9 nays; ordered reengrossed and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB467 Broome CHILDREN'S CODE  
Provides relative to grounds for initiating proceedings for a family in need of services. (8/1/12)  
- Read by title. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
- SB474 Perry MOTOR CARRIERS  
Exempts motor carriers of non-hazardous oilfield waste from proving public convenience and necessity. (gov sig)  
- Read by title. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
- 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)  
- Read by title, passed by a vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays, and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- 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)  
- Read by title, passed by a vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays, and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- 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)  
- Read by title, passed by a vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays, and sent to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB489 Perry MOTOR VEHICLES  
Provides relative to hearing procedures following revocation or denial of driver's license. (8/1/12)



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- Read by title. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
  
- SB640 Alario PUBLIC MEETINGS  
Provides relative to attendance of an economist principal at a session or meeting of the Revenue Estimating Conference under certain circumstances. (2/3 - CA 7s10(A)) (gov sig)
  - Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in by a vote of 39 yeas and 0 nays.
  
- SB669 Ward HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE  
Provide with respect to eye or vision care services provided by choice of practitioners. (8/1/12)
  - Reported with amendments.
  
- SB689 Appel CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Creates the crime of battery of a security officer. (gov sig)
  - Read by title. Committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
  
- SB706 Gallot PUBLIC RECORDS  
Provides for the confidential character of tax records. (8/1/12)
  - Reported with amendments.
  
- SB710 Perry LAW ENFORCEMENT  
Provides relative to the interception of communications. (8/1/12)
  - Read by title. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
  
- SB723 Appel ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
Creates the Louisiana International Trade Initiative (LITI). (gov sig)
  - Reported with amendments.
  
- SB727 Claitor STATE EMPLOYEE RET  
Bars former legislators from system membership. (6/30/12)
  - Read by title and returned to the Involuntary Calendar by a vote of 35 yeas and 3 nays.
  
- SB729 Claitor ETHICS  
Provides for an exception to the prohibition of contractual agreements for any contract with any plan providing medicaid services to medicaid recipients. (gov sig)
  - Reported favorably.
  
- SB738 Morrell HOMICIDE  
Provides relative to a claim of self-defense. (gov sig)
  - Read by title. Committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
  
- SB744 Peterson HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE  
Creates the Louisiana Health Insurance Exchange. (gov sig)
  - Reported with amendments.
  
- SB751 Morrish MOTOR VEHICLES  
Provides relative to recreational product shows. (7/1/12)
  - Read by title. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.
  
- SB752 Peterson MUNICIPALITIES  
Authorizes municipalities to enact ordinances relative to abandoned properties. (gov sig)
  - Read by title. Ordered engrossed and passed to third reading and final passage.

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- SB753 Erdey CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Provides relative to the unlawful presence of a sex offender in a public library. (1/1/13)  
- Substitute for Senate Bill No. 162. Read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
- SCR67 Peacock COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Georgia Lynn Hilburn upon being named the Louisiana 2012 Elementary School Student of the Year.  
- Enrolled. Signed by the President of the Senate.
- SCR68 Broome MOTOR VEHICLES  
Requests DPS&C, office of motor vehicles, to study the impact of collecting the motor vehicle license tax on private passenger vehicles based upon the vehicle's fair market value at the time of each renewal.  
- Read by title and adopted by a vote of 32 yeas and 0 nays. Ordered sent to the House.
- SCR69 Heitmeier COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Eighth District Fire Chief Darryl Klumpp for his heroic actions to save an elderly neighbor from a house fire.  
- Read by title and adopted by a vote of 32 yeas and 0 nays. Ordered sent to the House.
- SCR70 Brown, Troy TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT  
Requests DOTD study four laning LA 73 between LA 30 and I-10 and four laning LA 30 between I-10 and LA 44, all in Ascension Parish.  
- Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.
- SCR71 Johns LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS  
Designates May 16, 2012, as Louisiana Housing Council Day.  
- Read by title and adopted by a vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays. Ordered sent to the House.
- SCR72 Erdey HOSPITALS  
Establishes an advisory group to determine the future utilization of the former Greenwell Springs Mental Health Hospital facility.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
- SCR73 Crowe CONGRESS  
Memorialize Congress and requests the President to maintain steadfast support for the State of Israel and expresses vigorous support and unwavering commitment to the welfare, security, and survival of the State of Israel as a Jewish and democratic state with secure borders.  
- Rules suspended. Introduced in the Senate. Read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
- SR75 Broome COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Willie C. Johnson for her accomplishments and contributions upon "The Ultimate Graduation", hosted by the Leadership Greater Baton Rouge Alumni.  
- Read by title and adopted.
- SR76 Murray COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Airman Calvin Moret as the last surviving pilot of the Tuskegee Airman from New Orleans.  
- Read by title and adopted.
- SR77 Peterson COMMENDATIONS  
To commend Xavier University Preparatory School on its commitment to excellence and exemplary achievement.

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- Read by title and adopted.

SR78 Perry COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Dr. A. David Barry upon the occasion of his retirement.

- Read by title and adopted.

SR79 Peacock COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Kathleen "Kathy" Barberousse on a distinguished career as an educator, recognizes her contributions to the children and educational system of Caddo Parish, and designates Friday, April 27, 2012, as Kathleen "Kathy" Barberousse Day.

- Read by title and adopted.

SR80 Alario COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Edwin W. "Bill" Curry for his many years of service to the Legislature of Louisiana and congratulates him upon his retirement.

- Read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SR81 Alario COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Sheryl Lynn "Sherri" Breaux upon the occasion of her retirement and for outstanding public service to the Senate and the state of Louisiana.

- Read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SR82 Johns CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of William "Bill" L. Henning Sr.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

SR83 Walsworth ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT  
Urges the Department of Environmental Quality to study the establishment of a recycling and collection system for electronic waste and report its findings to the legislature.  
- Introduced in the Senate. Read by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.

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  
- Reported favorably.

HB23 Seabaugh COURTS/JUVENILE  
Authorizes the purchase of an automobile for the Caddo Parish juvenile court  
- Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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  
- Reported favorably.

HB40 Hoffmann RETIREMENT/TEACHERS  
Provides relative to the board of trustees of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana (TRSL)  
- Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

HB48 Harris CRIME/THEFT  
Creates the crime of theft of copper and other metals  
- Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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HB66	Cromer	COURTS/COURT COSTS	Increases the jurisdictional amount for the City Court of Slidell to \$50,000 - Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.
HB68	Seabaugh	COURTS/JUSTICE OF PEACE	Provides for deputy constables of the justice of the peace court in Caddo Parish - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB71	Berthelot	FIRE PROTECT/FIRE MARSHAL	Authorizes the state fire marshal to issue and enforce burn bans - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.
HB74	Seabaugh	CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE	Provides relative to the examination or testing of property seized pursuant to a search warrant - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB89	Ligi	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES	Provides relative to public access to public collective bargaining agreements involving public employers - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.
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 - Reported favorably.
HB106	Dove	POLICE/MUNICIPAL	Provides relative to the position of police chief in the city of Houma - Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
HB107	Richardson	DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD	Creates the Hampton Village Crime Prevention and Improvement District within East Baton Rouge Parish - Received in the Senate. Read first time by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
HB108	Hoffmann	BOARDS/COMMISSIONS	Provides relative to the membership of the Louisiana Health Works Commission - Reported favorably.
HB111	Guillory, M	PROPERTY/PUBLIC	Authorizes the transfer of state land to the city of Eunice - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.
HB121	Lopinto	CORRECTIONS	Revises provisions of law regarding conditions of parole - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB138	Lopinto	SEX OFFENSE/REGISTRY	Makes technical corrections to sex offender registration and notification provisions - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

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HB144	Ponti	SECURITIES	Corrects a reference in the Louisiana Securities Law - Reported favorably.
HB146	Greene	GAMING	Amends provisions of law regarding the methods of wagering at gaming facilities - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB158	Badon	CRIMINAL/BAIL	Provides for the maximum bond which can be set in the Municipal Court of New Orleans - Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.
HB161	Ritchie	EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT	Establishes a continuing education program for embalmers and funeral directors - Reported with amendments.
HB164	Burford	ANIMALS/LIVESTOCK	Expands the duties of livestock brand inspectors - Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.
HB178	Ponti	ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT	Extends confidentiality to any proprietary or trade secret information submitted for economic development purposes - Reported favorably.
HB188	Broadwater	UNEMPLOYMENT COMP	Provides with respect to the disqualification of unemployment compensation benefits - Received in the Senate. Read first time by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
HB190	Greene	CRIMINAL/BAIL	Provides relative to notice provided to a commercial surety upon a judgment of bond forfeiture - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB202	Richardson	JUVENILE PROCEDURE	Provides relative to jurisdiction over certain juvenile proceedings - Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.
HB208	Ponti	ECONOMIC DEVELOP/DEPT	Extends sunset for confidentiality of company information submitted to the Dept. of Economic Development - Reported with amendments.
HB215	Smith, Patricia	CRIMINAL/VICTIMS	Provides relative to victim and offender communications - Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.
HB217	Pugh	DISTRICTS/SEWERAGE	Provides relative to per diem paid to members of the governing board of the Tangipahoa Parish Sewerage District No. 1 - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.

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HB237	Thompson, J	CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE	Provides with respect to criminalistics laboratories - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB248	Richard	CRIMINAL/SENTENCING	Provides with respect to the Lafourche Parish Pretrial Home Incarceration Program - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
HB298	Broadwater	WORKERS COMPENSATION	Provides with respect to provider communication in workers' compensation claims - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.
HB309	James	DISTRICTS/CRIME PREVENT	Creates the Park Forest Crime Prevention and Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish - Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.
HB311	Leger	CONDOMINIUMS	Authorizes alternative forms of insurance to satisfy the requirement that condominium associations carry a fidelity bond - Reported favorably.
HB320	Danahay	LIBRARIES	Provides relative to the disposition of surplus library books by the Calcasieu Parish Library - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.
HB352	Burford	INSURANCE/GROUP-SHERIFFS	Creates a fund to pay group insurance premiums for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs in DeSoto Parish - Read by title. Recommitted to the Committee on Finance.
HB410	Fannin	PARISH/JACKSON	Provides relative to the membership on and powers of the board of commissioners of a recreation district in Jackson Parish - Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.
HB447	Lopinto	GAMBLING/RIVERBOAT	Removes antiquated references to the Riverboat Gaming Commission - Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
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 - Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.
HB457	Jackson, K	CRIMINAL/VICTIM COMP	Provides relative to crime victims reparations - Received in the Senate. Read first time by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
HB508	Ponti	MORTGAGES	Provides relative to the La. S.A.F.E. Residential Mortgage Lending Act







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- Provides relative to the performance of community service by high school students  
- Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.
- HB1195 Jackson, K INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE  
Provides for deductible reimbursement by uninsured motorists  
- Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.
- HB1196 Pearson INSURANCE/HEALTH  
Provides relative to continuation of coverage for spouses and dependents  
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
- HB1197 Fannin SHERIFFS  
Provides relative to the filling of a vacancy in the office of sheriff under certain circumstances  
- Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.
- HCR31 St. Germain NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT  
Approves the Atchafalaya Basin Annual Plan for FY 2012-2013  
- Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments. Read by title and passed to third reading and final passage.
- HCR46 Ortego CULTURE/FRENCH  
Requests that state agencies, when translating information from English to French, make every effort to make such translations using La. French  
- Reported favorably.
- HCR58 Norton LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS  
Requires the legislature to recognize on the legislative website the sacrifices of our Armed Forces in Iraq  
- Reported with amendments.
- HCR105 Lorusso VETERANS  
Requests the La. Dept. of Veterans Affairs to study the feasibility of Veterans Treatment Courts  
- Read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.
- HCR109 Arnold COMMENDATIONS  
Commends State Fire Marshal Butch Browning upon his retirement as La. State Fire Marshal  
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
- HCR110 Dove SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH  
Recognizes Oct. 17 annually as Mesothelioma Awareness Day  
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.
- HCR111 Dove SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH  
Recognizes Friday, June 8, 2012, as "A Day of Giving" and commends volunteers throughout the state  
- Received in the Senate. Read first time by title and placed on the Calendar for a second reading.