

**LOUISIANA SENATE  
ORDER OF THE DAY  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2023**

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**Senate Resolutions 2nd Reading**

- SR 41 FIELDS COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Mr. Clarence Jones Jr. upon his 80th birthday and for being the founder and director of the Heritage Festival of Negro Spirituals.
- SR 42 FIELDS SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH  
Designates Wednesday, April 26, 2023, as University of Louisiana System Day at the Capitol and commends the University of Louisiana System for its sustained contributions to the state.
- SR 43 MORRIS, JAY CLERKS OF COURT  
Requests the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations on legislation relative to electronic filing and records retention.
- SR 44 REESE COMMENDATIONS  
Recognizes and commends the members and board of directors of the Louisiana School Boards Association.
- SR 46 MIZELL COMMENDATIONS  
Commends and congratulates Dr. John L. Crain, President of Southeastern Louisiana University, on the occasion of his retirement.

**Senate Resolutions 2nd Reading Subject to Call**

- SR 6 MORRIS, JAY COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Jerry Arledge on the occasion of his retirement as West Monroe High School head football coach.
- SR 23 STINE CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences on the passing of Russel Wayne Conrad.

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions 2nd Reading**

- SCR 25 HEWITT EDUCATION DEPARTMENT  
Urges and requests the state department to prepare for implementation of an "education savings account" program.
- SCR 26 BERNARD MUNICIPALITIES  
Creates a task force to study the dissolution or absorption of fiscally distressed municipalities.
- SCR 27 HENSGENS COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Ivy Robichaux on being crowned Miss LSU.

**House Bills on Second Reading to be Referred**

- HB 5 FRIEMAN PATERNITY  
Provides relative to pregnancy-related medical expense obligations
- HB 6 HUGHES HIGHER EDUCATION  
Extends deadline for annual January meetings of certain public postsecondary education boards
- HB 67 FISHER HIGHER EDUCATION  
Authorizes the University of Louisiana System to establish tuition and fees for a Doctor of Physical Therapy program at the University of Louisiana at Monroe
- HB 69 MARINO STUDENTS  
Provides for the screening and diagnosis of students with respect to dyslexia
- HB 72 BRASS COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES  
Provides relative to the designation of military and veteran friendly campuses
- HB 110 FIRMENT INSURANCE/PROPERTY  
Provides relative to fortified roof endorsements
- HB 123 STAGNI NURSING HOMES  
Provides relative to nursing home requirements and standards for emergency preparedness plans
- HB 124 BOURRIAQUE PROPERTY/PUBLIC  
Authorizes the sale or exchange of sixteenth section state lands by the Cameron Parish School Board

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HB	170	TURNER	FUNDS/FUNDING	Dedicates a portion of the 0.45% state sales tax to payment of the Teachers' Retirement System of La. initial unfunded accrued liability and to highway and bridge preservation projects
HB	172	DEVILLIER	TAX/SEVERANCE TAX	Reduces the severance tax rate for oil over a certain period of time and fixes the severance tax rate for oil produced from certain wells at the current rate
HB	184	FRIEMAN	CHILDRENS CODE	Provides relative to a child in need of care
HB	191	JEFFERSON	TEACHERS/CERTIFICATION	Provides relative to teacher certification
HB	215	ECHOLS	STATE AGENCIES	Provides relative to acceptable methods of payment for the office of motor vehicles
HB	220	PRESSLY	PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE	Provides relative to actions to determine ownership or possession
HB	232	SCHAMERHORN	GAMBLING/CHARITABLE	Provides relative to licensing and reporting procedures for charitable gaming
HB	250	BISHOP, S.	ASSESSORS	Authorizes assessors in each parish to increase their annual compensation
HB	264	DESHOTEL	HIGHWAYS	Designates a bridge located on Louisiana Highway 1 between Pointe Coupee and Avoyelles, Louisiana, as the "Marion Peter Roy, Sr., Memorial Bridge"
HB	280	BAGLEY	TAX/SEVERANCE TAX	Requires parishes to use portions of severance tax revenues received from the state for economic development activities and infrastructure projects
HB	298	HUGHES	CHILDREN/PARENTAL RIGHTS	Provides relative to parental rights in certain circumstances
HB	314	LARVADAIN	EVIDENCE	Provides relative to trained peer support members
HB	512	HUGHES	PROCUREMENT	Provides relative to procurement of fiscal intermediary services
HB	525	MAGEE	FUNDS/FUNDING	Establishes the Community Options Waiver Fund and provides for dedication of revenues and use of monies in the fund
HB	539	MACK	MOTOR VEHICLES	Provide relative to the authorization of the office of motor vehicles to impose fines on contracts
HB	551	ZERINGUE	APPROPRIATIONS/SUPPLEML	Makes supplemental appropriations for Fiscal Year 2022-2023
HB	568	PHELPS	MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS	Provides relative to sanctions for a lapse in required vehicle liability security

**House Concurrent Resolutions 2nd Reading**

HCR	3	BEAULLIEU	WILDLIFE/REFUGES	Exempts users of the Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge and the Marsh Island Wildlife Refuge from the requirement of completion of a self-clearing permit
HCR	5	ECHOLS	HIGHER EDUCATION	Requests that the Board of Regents conduct a study relative to the state's articulation and transfer process with respect to career and technical education courses
HCR	54	MCFARLAND	SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH	Designates Wednesday, April 26, 2023 as Louisiana Loggers Day at the state capitol

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**Senate Bills Reported by Committee**

SB	22	WOMACK	CONSERVATION	Provides relative to soil conservation policy. (gov sig)
SB	28	CATHEY	AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	Provides relative to grain sampling and grading. (gov sig)
SB	31	MIZELL	CRIMINAL JUSTICE	Creates database to track trafficking arrests, convictions, restitution, fines, and civil asset forfeiture. (8/1/23)
SB	35	FIELDS	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	Requires air monitoring systems in certain permitted facilities. (8/1/23)
SB	55	LUNEAU	SUCCESSIONS	Provides for procuracy or mandate by a succession representative. (7/1/23)
SB	67	MILLS, ROBERT	SELF INSURANCE	Requires certain financial documents related to the Louisiana Timber and Agriculture Transportation Group Self-Insurance Funds. (gov sig)
SB	100	LAMBERT	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	Provides for advanced recycling facilities. (gov sig)
SB	111	DUPLESSIS	CRIMINAL RECORDS	Provides relative to the expungement of criminal records. (8/1/23)
SB	124	KLEINPETER	CRIME/PUNISHMENT	Increases the penalty for driving a vehicle without a license plate attached. (8/1/23)
SB	130	MORRIS, JAY	LAW ENFORCEMENT	Authorizes retired law enforcement officers and retired elected law enforcement department heads to carry concealed firearms if POST certified at the time of retirement. (8/1/23)
SB	142	CARTER, GARY	COURTS	Authorizes the utilization of court reporters licensed in another state in certain circumstances. (8/1/23)
SB	152	MILLIGAN	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	Creates the Louisiana Cybersecurity Commission. (8/1/23)
SB	159	CATHEY	JUVENILE JUSTICE	Provides for the detention of seventeen year old juveniles under certain circumstances. (gov sig)
SB	160	CORTEZ	HORSE RACING	Provides relative to the powers and duties of the Louisiana Racing Commission. (7/1/23)
SB	169	MIZELL	EVIDENCE	Provides for tracking rape kits from collection through conviction. (8/1/23)
SB	175	STINE	CRIME/PUNISHMENT	Criminalizes deepfakes involving minors and defines the rights to digital image and likeness. (8/1/23)
SB	192	SMITH, G.	GAMING	Provides relative to the Louisiana Gaming Control Board. (8/1/23)
SB	206	MILLIGAN	INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	Provides relative to foreign interest in certain Louisiana research facilities. (7/1/23)
SB	215	BARROW	CRIME/PUNISHMENT	Provides justification defense to domestic violence victim-defendants. (8/1/23)

**Senate Resolutions Reported by Committee to be Adopted**

SR	4	MIZELL	CRIME/PUNISHMENT	Recreates the Task Force on Human Trafficking Arrests.
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SR 5 FOIL CRIMINAL PROCEDURE  
Creates the Protective Order Procedure and Records Task Force.

**Senate Bills 3rd Reading and Final Passage**

SB 63 MIZELL RELIGIOUS FREEDOMS/LIBERTIES  
Constitutional Amendment to provide that the right of freedom of worship in churches or other places of worship is a fundamental right that is worthy of the highest order of protection. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

SB 64 FESI CHILDREN  
Creates Ezekiel's Law and provides relative to protecting children from abuse. (8/1/23)

SB 66 MILLS, FRED HEALTH CARE  
Provides relative to telehealth services. (1/1/24)

SB 73 MILLS, ROBERT CHILDREN  
Provides relative to truancy and assessment and service centers. (gov sig)

SB 96 TALBOT INSURERS  
Provides the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association and the Louisiana Citizens Property Corporation shall not be liable for certain property damage insurance claims. (8/1/23)

SB 104 STINE GENETICS  
Provides for health insurance coverage of genetic testing for diseases and other medical conditions. (8/1/23)

SB 110 TALBOT INSURANCE POLICIES  
Provides for patient's right to prompt coverage. (8/1/23)

SB 113 HEWITT INSURANCE RATES  
Provides for certain insurance premium discounts. (gov sig)

SB 117 HARRIS, JIMMY CRIME/PUNISHMENT  
Provides relative to the crime of assault by drive-by shooting. (8/1/23)

SB 122 MILLS, FRED WATER QUALITY  
Creates and provides for the Community Sewerage System Infrastructure Sustainability Act. (1/1/24)

SB 143 HENRY, CAMERON INSURERS  
Provides for former officers or insolvent insurers. (8/1/23)

SB 156 DUPLESSIS INSURANCE POLICIES  
Provides that no property insurance policy shall prohibit an insured from hiring a public adjuster. (8/1/23)

SB 161 LAMBERT PUBLIC HEALTH  
Provides for the Louisiana Small Wild Catfish Processor's Act. (8/1/23)

SB 171 MILLS, FRED PHARMACEUTICALS  
Creates the pharmacy benefit managers quality incentive program. (gov sig)

SB 184 PEACOCK CAMPAIGN FINANCE  
Provides for repayment of personal contributions or loans. (8/1/23)

SB 186 PEACOCK HEALTH SERVICES  
Provides relative to the Occupational Therapy Licensure Compact. (1/1/24)

SB 196 PEACOCK CONTRACTS  
Creates the Litigation Financing Disclosure and Security Protection Act. (8/1/23)

SB 1 ALLAIN TAX/FRANCHISE/CORPORATE  
Phases-out the corporate franchise tax. (See Act)

SB 2 ALLAIN TAX EXEMPTIONS  
Constitutional amendment to phase out the tax on inventory and establish the maximum allowable exemption for the industrial property tax exemption program. (2/3 - CA13s1(A))

SB 3 ALLAIN TAX/TAXATION  
Changes the month for the annual determination of the personal income tax and corporate franchise tax automatic rate reductions. (8/1/23)

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| SB | 8   | LUNEAU        | TAX/LOCAL               | Provides relative to interest applicable to local sales and use taxes paid under protest. (8/1/23)   |
| SB | 15  | REESE         | PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS | Provides relative to per diem received by commissioners of the Vinton Harbor and Terminal District. (8/1/23)   |
| SB | 19  | ALLAIN        | TAX/INCOME/CORPORATE    | Eliminates the inventory tax credit for corporations and reduces the corporate income tax rates. (1/1/24)  |
| SB | 37  | ALLAIN        | HOUSING                 | Provides relative to the civil service status of employees of the Berwick Housing Authority. (gov sig)   |
| SB | 42  | MILLS, FRED   | WATER MANAGEMENT        | Creates the Louisiana Watershed Initiative. (8/1/23)   |
| SB | 53  | BERNARD       | SPECIAL DISTRICTS       | Provides for the powers and authority of the commission of the Cane River Waterway District. (8/1/23)  |
| SB | 56  | CATHEY        | TAX EXEMPTIONS          | Reinstates the Second Amendment sales tax holiday. (7/1/23)  |
| SB | 57  | FOIL          | LOCAL AGENCIES          | Provides for the board of commissioners for the East Baton Rouge Parish Communications District. (gov sig)   |
| SB | 59  | BERNARD       | PUBLIC LANDS            | Authorizes the sale of certain school property by the Natchitoches Parish School Board and the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. (gov sig)      |
| SB | 68  | CONNICK       | PUBLIC LANDS            | Provides for the lease of property located within Jefferson Parish. (gov sig)  |
| SB | 72  | BOUIE         | BONDS                   | Provides relative to the issuance of revenue bonds on behalf of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections. (gov sig)                                       |
| SB | 76  | MILLS, FRED   | SPECIAL DISTRICTS       | Creates a special medical district in St. Martin Parish. (gov sig)   |
| SB | 79  | LUNEAU        | TAX/TAXATION            | Provides relative to expenditures utilized to claim income and franchise tax credits. (gov sig)  |
| SB | 83  | WOMACK        | PUBLIC CONTRACTS        | Provides for certain change orders when certain unit prices are contained in the initial contract. (8/1/23)  |
| SB | 92  | FESI          | SPECIAL DISTRICTS       | Provides for the board of commissioners of veterans' memorial districts. (gov sig)   |
| SB | 98  | CARTER, GARY  | FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS   | Provides for adding interest in bone marrow donorship to the list of options offered during application for renewal of a state-issued driver's license. (8/1/23) |
| SB | 102 | MILLS, FRED   | WATER MANAGEMENT        | Provides relative to the Acadiana Watershed District. (8/1/23)   |
| SB | 120 | WHITE, B      | COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES   | Provides relative to the M.J. Foster Promise Program. (gov sig)  |
| SB | 132 | REESE         | CAPITAL OUTLAY          | Provides relative to exemptions to capital outlay procedure. (8/1/23)  |
| SB | 150 | MILLS, ROBERT | EDUCATION DEPARTMENT    | Creates the Louisiana Literacy Advisory Commission. (gov sig)  |
| SB | 151 | REESE         | ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT    | Provides relative to the Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act. (gov sig)   |

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- SB 166 JACKSON CAPITAL OUTLAY  
Authorizes the division of administration to waive local match requirements for certain non-state entity projects. (gov sig)
- SB 222 ALLAIN HOUSING  
Provides relative to the civil service status of employees of the Morgan City Housing Authority. (gov sig)

**Senate Bills 3rd Reading and Final Passage Subject to Call**

- SB 6 ALLAIN TAX/FRANCHISE/CORPORATE  
Reduces the rate of the Quality Jobs Program project facility expense rebate when certain conditions are met. (1/1/24)
- SB 33 WHITE, B SUPPLEMENTAL PAY  
Increases the amount of supplemental pay for eligible law enforcement and fire service employees. (7/1/23)
- SB 48 MORRIS, JAY CRIMINAL PROCEDURE  
Constitutional amendment to eliminate a judge's discretion to grant bail for certain offenses after conviction. (2/3 - CA8s1)
- SB 108 HARRIS, JIMMY TAX/TAXATION  
Provides relative to the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program. (gov sig)
- SB 164 CLOUD GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM  
Provides relative to prior authorization for services, procedures, and pharmaceuticals. (gov sig)