2023 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 254

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt House Rule 1.1 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to provide relative to use of the House Chamber.

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana that House Rule 1.1 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives is hereby amended and readopted to read as follows:

Rule 1.1. Use of the Chamber

A: The House Chamber shall not be used as a public meeting place and its use shall be confined to the House of Representatives and committees thereof and the Legislature of Louisiana and committees thereof, the Democratic State Central Committee, the Young Democrats of Louisiana, the Republican State Central Committee, the Young Republicans of Louisiana, the American Legion Louisiana Boys State, the American Legion Auxiliary Louisiana Girls State, the YMCA Youth Legislature, the Silver Haired Legislature, the Louisiana Jaycee Action Legislature, and the Louisiana Camp Fire Councils Legislature.

B. However, when the House has adjourned or during the time between sessions of the legislature, the House Chamber may be utilized by the state central committee and other established organizations of each recognized political party, by nonprofit and educational organizations for the conduct of mock legislative sessions, and by other state agencies for the conduct of cultural or educational programs, subject to the approval of the Speaker and in accordance with a usage policy established by the Speaker.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES