

**LOUISIANA SENATE
ORDER OF THE DAY
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 2014**

Senate Bills on Second Reading to be Referred

SB 569

Senate Concurrent Resolutions 2nd Reading

SCR 40, 41, 42, 43, 44

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SCR 8, 9

House Bills on Second Reading to be Referred

HB 132, 241, 365

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HCR 33, 39

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SB	14,	30,	31,	36,	48,	51,	52,	56,	59,	64,	88,	97,
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	253,	261,	262,	305,	315,	319,	320,	337,	369,	417,	418,	430,
	433,	435,	476,	481,	528							

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SB 11, 70, 72, 385, 434

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SB 569 MORRISH NURSING HOMES
Provides with respect to the moratorium on additional beds for nursing facilities. (8/1/14)

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SCR 40 WHITE PRIVATE SECURITY
Reduces the amount of insurance required of licensed private security companies for care, custody, and control from \$500,000 to \$100,000.

SCR 41 GALLOT FEDERAL PROGRAMS
Requests the United States Department of Agriculture to develop tastier food options for the National School Lunch Program.

SCR 42 SMITH, GARY COMMENDATIONS
Commends Ajit "AJ" Pethe on being selected the 2014 Principal of the Year.

SCR 43 CROWE LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS
Designates the week of April 6-12 as "Junior Auxiliary Week" at the Louisiana Legislature.

SCR 44 DORSEY-COLOMB PUBLIC HEALTH
Directs the Department of Health and Hospitals to declare youth violence a public health epidemic and the Department of Education to establish a statewide trauma-informed education program.

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SCR 8 CLAITOR HEALTH CARE
Expresses the sense of the Louisiana Legislature on the need for colorectal cancer screening examinations.

SCR 9 CLAITOR COMMENDATIONS
Commends Claney Duplechin, coach of the Episcopal High School Knights boys varsity cross country team, on being selected as a 2013 National Coach of the Year by the National Federation of State High School Associations.

House Bills on Second Reading to be Referred

HB 132 JEFFERSON TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL
Authorizes the town of Homer to levy an additional sales and use tax

HB 241 ARMES WILDLIFE & FISHERIES CMN
Makes a technical correction to remove the effective date reference contained in the ballot language for the proposed constitutional amendment that would specify certain geographical qualifications for members of the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission

HB 365 MORENO VOTING/REGISTRATION
Provides with respect to voter registration information and data

House Concurrent Resolutions 2nd Reading

HCR 33 BURNS, HENRY SOCIAL SECURITY SYS
Memorializes congress to consider eliminating the Windfall Elimination Provision (WEP) and the Government Pension Offset (GPO) Social Security benefit reductions

HCR 39 MILLER COMMENDATIONS
Commends the River Region Caucus and its member parishes for their cooperative efforts toward improving the quality of life in the river region

Senate Bills Reported by Committee

SB 38 MORRISH CLERKS OF COURT
Includes the clerks of the district courts of Allen Parish, Assumption Parish, Beauregard Parish, Calcasieu Parish, Caldwell Parish, Catahoula Parish, East Carroll Parish, Iberville Parish, Jefferson Davis Parish, LaSalle Parish, Pointe Coupee Parish, Union Parish and Vernon Parish among those who can receive an automobile expense allowance. (8/1/14)

SB 55 KOSTELKA CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Adds vehicular homicide to the list of crimes of violence.
(gov sig)

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| SB | 75 | MORRELL | PUBLIC HEALTH | Provides relative to the minimum disinfectant residual levels of free or total chlorine throughout public water systems. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 130 | MORRELL | VIDEO POKER | Provides relative to fuel sale requirements at qualified truck stops. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 147 | DORSEY-COLOMB | CRIMINAL JUSTICE | Provides relative to the notice of an execution required to be given to the victim's family. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 168 | WALSWORTH | PUBLIC DEFENDER | Provides relative to appointments to the Louisiana Public Defender Board. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 178 | MORRISH | HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE | Provides with respect to health care sharing ministries. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 193 | KOSTELKA | ELECTION CODE | Increases the compensation for deputy parish custodians of voting machines. (1/1/15) |
| SB | 203 | MORRELL | COURTS | Authorizes additional courts to assign certain divisions as a reentry division. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 204 | MORRELL | ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES | Provides relative to limitation on size of containers of beverages of high alcoholic content. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 208 | WARD | ELECTION CODE | Prohibits a public officer who has been removed from office pursuant to a recall election from qualifying for the same office at a special election to fill the position. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 240 | NEVERS | CLERKS OF COURT | Provides relative to notice of decisions in criminal appeals. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 244 | MORRISH | INSURANCE RATES | Provides with respect to rate filings with the commissioner of insurance. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 247 | MORRISH | INSURANCE DEPARTMENT | Provides with respect to insurance fraud. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 248 | MORRISH | CHILDREN | Requires certain factors be considered when a court orders visitation between a minor child and an incarcerated parent. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 268 | CLAITOR | LIABILITY | Provides relative to civil liability for theft of goods from a merchant. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 277 | PERRY | DWI | Provides for changes to DWI laws. (1/1/15) |
| SB | 291 | MORRELL | CIVIL PROCEDURE | Authorizes exemplary damages in certain suits arising from domestic abuse. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 292 | MORRELL | DIVORCE | Provides relative to divorce proceedings. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 307 | CROWE | NOTARIES | Provides relative to hospital notaries.(8/1/14) |
| SB | 309 | BROOME | HEALTH CARE | Provides for screening of pregnant women for HIV and syphilis in the third trimester of pregnancy. (gov sig) |
| SB | 318 | SMITH, GARY | WARRANTIES | Provides relative to the performance of warranty repairs. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 331 | MORRISH | SHERIFFS | Provides with respect to the payment of insurance premiums for retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs of the Acadia Parish Sheriff's Office. (1/1/15) |

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| SB | 362 | CORTEZ | COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS | Provides relative to licensing renewal dates for currency exchange services through use of an electronic system. (gov sig) |
| SB | 394 | MORRELL | ETHICS | Prohibits persons having outstanding fines to Ethic Board from serving on any boards and commissions. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 422 | BROOME | LIABILITY | Provides immunity for rendering assistance in medical emergencies involving alcohol consumption or drug overdose. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 460 | ADLEY | LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR | Provide that the legislative auditor has the authority to audit nonpublic schools that receive state monies through the voucher program. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 503 | HEITMEIER | HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT | Provides for the Department of Health and Hospitals to create an upper payment limit mechanism for ambulatory surgical centers. (gov sig) |
| SB | 512 | HEITMEIER | PUBLIC HEALTH | Provides for chain restaurant menu labeling. (1/1/15) |
| SB | 513 | HEITMEIER | HEALTH SERVICES | Provides for the Louisiana Obesity Prevention and Management Commission. (gov sig) |
| SB | 514 | HEITMEIER | SCHOOLS | Prohibits smoking near public and private elementary and secondary school property. (gov sig) |
| SB | 518 | MARTINY | COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS | Provides relative to indemnification of motor carrier transportation contracts and construction contracts. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 542 | MORRELL | GAMING | Requires annual report from the Gaming Control Board on impact of technology advances on gaming industry. (8/1/14) |

Senate Resolutions Reported by Committee to be Adopted

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| SR | 18 | JOHNS | CONGRESS | Memorializes Congress to reauthorize the Terrorism Risk Insurance Program. |
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| SCR | 20 | HEITMEIER | HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT | Directs Department of Health and Hospitals to submit a Medicaid state plan amendment to the federal government that will permit WIC cash value vouchers to be used at farmers' markets. |
| SCR | 21 | HEITMEIER | HEALTH CARE | Creates a joint legislative committee on obesity. |

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| SB | 14 | GUILLORY, E | SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RET | Provides for the determination of system liabilities and the payment therefor. (6/30/14) |
| SB | 30 | CORTEZ | STATE EMPLOYEE RET | Provides for technical corrections. (2/3 - CA10s29(F)) (6/30/14) |
| SB | 31 | BROWN, TROY | EDUCATION DEPARTMENT | Requires DOE to report annually specified information regarding the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program to state legislators. (gov sig) |
| SB | 36 | BROWN, TROY | SCHOOLS | Requires notification to certain elected officials regarding submission and status of certain charter school applications. (gov sig) |
| SB | 48 | SMITH, JOHN | COURTS | Authorizes an increase in court costs in the mayor's court of the town of Rosepine. (2/3 - CA7s2.1) (8/1/14) |

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| SB | 51 | MARTINY | TAX/TAXATION | Removes the authority of the Louisiana Tax Free Shopping Program to charge participating retailers a membership fee. (gov sig) |
| SB | 52 | SMITH, JOHN | COURTS | Increases authorized court costs for municipal ordinance violations in the mayor's court in the town of Anacoco. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 56 | NEVERS | POSTSECONDARY ED | Requires secondary and postsecondary education boards to participate in regular meetings regarding articulation and transfer policies and agreements. (gov sig) |
| SB | 59 | SMITH, JOHN | LOCAL AGENCIES | Repeals special provisions relative to the Beauregard Electric Cooperative. (gov sig) |
| SB | 64 | CORTEZ | AIRCRAFT/AVIATION | Expands powers of Lafayette Airport Commission to include economic development purposes. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 88 | ALARIO | TREASURY DEPARTMENT | Re-creates the Department of the Treasury and its agencies. (6/30/14) |
| SB | 97 | NEVERS | SPECIAL DISTRICTS | Repeals provisions relative to the Tangipahoa Parish Economic Development District. (gov sig) |
| SB | 98 | NEVERS | TOPS | Provides that a five-point scale shall be used when calculating the grade point average for certain honors courses and talented courses. (gov sig) |
| SB | 125 | NEVERS | EDUCATION DEPARTMENT | Provides relative to agricultural education. (gov sig) |
| SB | 126 | NEVERS | TOPS | Provides relative to TOPS-Tech Early Start award. (gov sig) |
| SB | 141 | LONG | WATER/WATERWAYS | Extends the time when the state may enter into a cooperative endeavor agreement for the sale of surface water. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 152 | SMITH, JOHN | LOCAL AGENCIES | Provides for increasing the board membership to ten on the War Memorial Civic Center Board in the town of DeRidder. (gov sig) |
| SB | 154 | LONG | WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT | Provides relative to the importation of certain fish. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 174 | PETERSON | MUNICIPALITIES | Provides relative to condemnation procedures for the removal of dangerous structures in parishes and municipalities. (gov sig) |
| SB | 177 | APPEL | POSTSECONDARY ED | Provides relative to the use, expenditure, or allocation of funds appropriated to public postsecondary education management boards. (7/1/16) |
| SB | 212 | WARD | HUNTERS/HUNTING | Allows the use of a firearm sound suppressor while hunting certain wild quadrupeds. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 234 | SMITH, JOHN | COURTS | Provides for remission to Indigent Defender Fund of certain court costs in mayor's court of the Town of New Llano. |
| SB | 246 | MORRISH | SHRIMP/SHRIMPING | Changes the line of demarcation of the inside and outside waters for purposes of shrimping. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 251 | WARD | WILDLIFE RESOURCES | Provides for the sale or purchase of wild birds and wild quadrupeds. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 253 | MORRISH | FUNDS/FUNDING | Provides for an increase in certain criminal court costs in the Thirty-First Judicial District Court. (8/1/14) |

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| SB | 261 | JOHNS | PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS | Provides relative to the Port of Lake Charles. (8/1/14)(2/3- CA6s43) |
| SB | 262 | NEVERS | LOCAL AGENCIES | Provides for a per diem for board members of the Washington Parish Gas Utility District No. 2. (gov sig) |
| SB | 305 | CHABERT | COASTAL RESOURCES | Provides relative to Coastal Louisiana Levee Consortium. (gov sig) |
| SB | 315 | DONAHUE | PROCUREMENT CODE | Provides relative to group purchasing and cooperative purchasing provisions of certain public postsecondary education institutions. (7/1/14). |
| SB | 319 | DONAHUE | FISCAL CONTROLS | Provides that certain audits completed by the office of the legislative auditor shall be reported to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget on an annual basis. (7/1/14) |
| SB | 320 | DONAHUE | CAPITAL OUTLAY | Provides relative to Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget approval of capital outlay change orders. (gov sig) |
| SB | 337 | APPEL | POSTSECONDARY ED | Provides for the development of an outcomes-based funding formula for postsecondary education. (gov sig) |
| SB | 369 | WALSWORTH | FISH/FISHING | Provides for the possession limits of crappie on Lake D'Arbonne. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 417 | SMITH, GARY | MOTOR VEHICLES | Provides relative to a water damaged vehicle. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 418 | SMITH, GARY | MOTOR VEHICLES | Provides relative to required credentials for registration of a motor vehicle, trailer, or semitrailer, or other vehicle to be operated on public highways. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 430 | WALSWORTH | PUBLIC LANDS | Authorizes the transfer of certain state land in Union Parish. (gov sig) |
| SB | 433 | WHITE | PUBLIC LANDS | Provides for the transfer of certain state properties in East Baton Rouge Parish. (gov sig) |
| SB | 435 | PERRY | MUNICIPALITIES | Authorizes the city of Scott to levy a hotel occupancy tax not to exceed five percent of the rent or fee charged for such occupancy. (gov sig) |
| SB | 476 | SMITH, GARY | COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS | Provides relative to driving school bond requirement and cease and desist orders. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 481 | DONAHUE | TECHNOLOGY | Provides with respect to technology services and technology procurement. (7/1/14) |
| SB | 528 | CROWE | PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS | Relative to Louisiana International Deep Water Gulf Transfer Terminal Authority. (gov sig) |

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| SB | 11 | LAFLEUR | JUDGES | Constitutional amendment to remove the age beyond which judges shall not remain in office. (2/3 - CA13s1(A)) |
| SB | 70 | CLAITOR | CURRICULA | Repeals the Balanced Treatment for Creation-Science and Evolution-Science Act. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 72 | WHITE | CHILDREN'S CODE | Removes the requirement that certain petitions be verified. (8/1/14) |
| SB | 385 | LAFLEUR | SCHOOLS | Provides for empowered community schools. (7/1/14) |

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SB 434 LAFLEUR CLERKS OF COURT
Provides for automobile expense allowance for certain clerks of court. (8/1/14)