

Legislation of Particular Interest
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HB 191, Act 911, by Representative Jonathan Perry amends the provisions of current law to provide imprisonment for second and prior felony sexual offenses for not less than two-thirds of the longest time possible and not more than 3 times the longest possible sentence for a first conviction. In addition, when the victim is under the age of 13, the Act requires life imprisonment without benefit of parole, probation or suspension of sentence. HB 1269, Act 626, by Representative Girod Jackson, provides for penalties for the solicitation of children for street gang membership when the child is under the age of 17. The measure retains current law and provides when the age difference between the solicitor and the person being solicited is greater than 3 years the convicted solicitor can be imprisoned with or without hard labor up to 4 years and fined not more than \$10,000 or both. In an effort to address the issue of "bullying", HB 1458, Act 755, by Representative LaBruzzo, was enacted requiring public elementary and secondary schools to review student codes of conduct to insure the policy prohibits the harassment, intimidation, or bullying by and through internet and social networking communications. With the increased incident rate of bullying of a student by the use of a computer, mobile phone or other interactive or digital technology, the LaBruzzo measure requires each governing authority by January 1, 2011 to adopt a policy establishing a procedure for investigation and reporting of documented incidents of cyber-bullying to the Louisiana Department of Education.

Insurance, and health insurance in particular, was a major area of investigation during the 2010 legislative session. Of significant legislative interest was the Louisiana response to the federal healthcare reform legislation enacted by the 111th Congress, or "Obamacare" as generally characterized. HB 1247, Act 941, by Representative Hoffman was overwhelmingly approved and provides that no healthcare plan established in Louisiana can will be required to offer abortion services. Although apparently resolved in the debate of the federal healthcare reform act, assurance that such coverage would not required in Louisiana when complying with the national healthcare reform act prompted the Hoffman initiative. The measure was approved 28-3 by the Senate and 76-13 by the House of Representatives prior to being sent to the Governor for signature. HB 244, Act 912, by Representative Kleckley also in response to federal healthcare reform act, increases the age for dependent coverage under healthcare plans issued in the state of LA from the age of 21 to the age of 26. The Kleckley measure also removes the requirement that the person be either a full time student or unmarried and prohibits the health plan issuer from denying coverage to a grandchild under the age of 26 when the enrollee or insured requests the coverage.

Health insurance costs and coverage considerations, particularly as healthcare costs skyrocket, have turned public policy considerations to volitional issues of lifestyle choices and wellness. Interestingly, although not enacted, HB 1367 by Representative Carter would have allowed the Office of State Group Benefits to impose lifestyle restrictions in the selection and provision of state group health benefits. Under the measure, if the employee smoked or was overweight by a ratio within a range determined by the Office of Group Benefits as "healthy", the prospective enrollee could be either denied coverage or "rated", and required to pay higher premiums and deductibles. Although not enacted, HB 1367 represents a growing tendency to suggest "punishment" of those who choose lifestyles injurious to health and to the ultimate cost of healthcare.

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- HB 4 Author: Doerge Act 179
Provides for payment of group insurance for retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs of the Webster Parish Sheriff's Office.
- HB 8 Author: Williams Act 976
Provides for the disposal of noncontraband unclaimed property seized in certain criminal investigations.
- HB 9 Author: Wooton Died in House Criminal Justice
Provides with respect to reciprocity agreements regarding concealed handgun permits.
- HB 11 Author: Guillory,M Died in House Judiciary
Authorizes an increase in court costs for municipal ordinance violations in the mayor's court in the town of Basile.
- HB 13 Author: Hoffman Act 85
Provides relative to the installation of speed bumps by municipal and parish governing authorities.
- HB 14 Author: Montoucet Act 180
Increases the civil jurisdictional amount in dispute in the City Court of Baker, in the City Court of Baton Rouge, in the City Court of Crowley, in the City Court of Rayne and in the City Court of Zachary.
- HB 16 Author: Wooton Act 341
Provides for the certification of concealed handgun permit instructors and for the training of persons applying for a concealed handgun permit.
- HB 27 Author: Hardy Died in House Appropriations
Amends penalties for cruelty to juveniles when the offense involves exposure of children to controlled dangerous substances.
- HB 28 Author: Wooton Act 141
Authorizes the release of certain defendants on bail through an unsecured personal surety during emergency sessions of court and provides for the conditions and criteria for the release without proof of security.
- HB 43 Author: Hardy Act 506
Expands drug free zones from 1,000 feet to 2,000 feet from designated properties.

<p>HB 47 Provides for the remote shutdown of devices by the Gaming Control Law for failure to remit civil penalties.</p>	<p>Author: Wooton</p>	<p>Act 908</p>
<p>HB 57 Increases penalty for violation of private investigator law.</p>	<p>Author: Danahay</p>	<p>Act 909</p>
<p>HB 60 Provides for the issuance of Louisiana concealed handgun permits and provides with respect to the recognition of nonresident concealed handgun permits.</p>	<p>Author: Wooton</p>	<p>Act 346</p>
<p>HB 68 Provides with respect to concealed handgun permits.</p>	<p>Author: Burns, Henry</p>	<p>Died in Senate Judiciary</p>
<p>HB 69 Constitutional Amendment to provide for forfeiture of retirement benefits by public officials and employees who are convicted of felony acts associated with their positions.</p>	<p>Author: Ligi</p>	<p>Died in House Retirement</p>
<p>HB 73 Requires forfeiture of retirement benefits by any public employee or elected official who is a member of a public retirement system and is convicted of certain state or federal felony acts associated with his office.</p>	<p>Author: Ligi</p>	<p>Died in House Retirement</p>
<p>HB 79 Creates the crime of aggravated assault with a motor vehicle upon a peace officer.</p>	<p>Author: Jones, Sam</p>	<p>Act 507</p>
<p>HB 101 Constitutional Amendment to provide term limits for judges, district attorneys, and sheriffs.</p>	<p>Author: Hardy</p>	<p>Died in House Governmental Affairs</p>
<p>HB 103 Creates the crime of unlawfully wearing clothing which exposes undergarments or certain body parts.</p>	<p>Author: Hardy</p>	<p>Died in House Criminal Justice</p>
<p>HB 112 Creates the crime of interfering with a law enforcement investigation.</p>	<p>Author: Little</p>	<p>Act 349</p>
<p>HB 140 Provides for registration of mini-trucks and authorizes operation on certain highways of the state.</p>	<p>Author: Little</p>	<p>Act 563</p>
<p>HB 141 Provides that applications to possess or transfer certain firearms may be filed on approved electronic forms.</p>	<p>Author: Wooton</p>	<p>Act 353</p>
<p>HB 145 Provides relative to the power of the police chief in the town of Vivian.</p>	<p>Author: Morris</p>	<p>Died in Senate Municipal Affairs</p>
<p>HB 150</p>	<p>Author: Ligi</p>	<p>Act 187</p>

HB 474	Author: Thibaut	Withdrawn
Prohibits use of radar detectors in commercial motor vehicles.		
HB 510	Author: Baldone	Died in the Senate
Provides relative to driving offenses while under the influence of a drug and provides for definition of "drug".		
HB 526	Author: Pugh	Died in House Appropriations
Authorizes DA investigators to be eligible for supplemental pay.		
HB 532	Author: Lorusso	Became HB 1488.
Provides relative to open records of certain nonprofit corporations.		
HB 537	Author: Wooton	Act 474
Provides relative to the office of police chief in the municipality of Jean Lafitte.		
HB 549	Author: Baldone	Act 583
Authorizes the use of electronic signatures of offenders.		
HB 552	Author: LaFonta	Act 924
Provides for rights and duties of probation and parole officers.		
HB 556	Author: Wooton	Act 925
Amends firearm-free zone provisions with respect to concealed handgun permit holders.		
HB 562	Author: Baldone	Act 820
Expands the crime of disarming a peace officer to include the taking of all forms of law enforcement equipment.		
HB 566	Author: Abramson	Died in House Governmental Affairs
Requires disclosure by certain officials of information relative to employment and appointment of campaign contributors.		
HB 592	Author: Hardy	Died in House Transportation
Revokes driver's license after three DWI convictions.		
HB 594	Author: Billiot	Act 259
Provides for traffic regulation at intersection when traffic control signal is inoperative.		
HB 608	Author: White	Act 260
Provides for the use of affidavits or other written evidence submitted by facsimile or electronic means in probable cause determinations.		
HB 621	Author: Pearson	Died in House Criminal Justice
Authorizes warrantless searches of persons on parole supervision by commissioned law enforcement officers.		

HB 626	Author: Barrow	Died in House Governmental Affairs
Replaces the composition and membership of all statutorily created boards, commissions, and like entities.		
HB 634	Author: Barrow	Died in House Judiciary
Restricts the authority of the mayor as to the length of the probationary period he may impose for violation of a municipal ordinance.		
HB 638	Author: Hazel	Act 43
Changes the qualifications and fees for the Fraternal Order of Police license plate.		
HB 653	Author: Kleckley	Died in House Municipal Affairs
Provides for a term of office for the Lake Charles fire chief.		
HB 687	Author: Smiley	Act 981
Increases penalties for operators of motor vehicles cited for failure to yield the right-of-way.		
HB 727	Author: Hoffman	Died in House Municipal Affairs
Provides relative to the establishment and maintenance of promotional employment lists for the classified police service.		
HB 759	Author: St. Germain	Act 275
Revises the definition of "intersection".		
HB 761	Author: White	Died in Senate Governmental Affairs
Provides for the application of certain financial disclosure provisions to certain parish and municipal employees.		
HB 786	Author: Mills	Died in House Judiciary
Authorizes constables of justice of the peace courts to have parishwide jurisdiction for enforcement of certain motor vehicle violations.		
HB 816	Author: Gisclair	Died in House Transportation
Requires that law enforcement access an electronic database to determine compliance with the compulsory motor vehicle liability security law.		
HB 819	Author: Mills	Died in the House
Changes definition of "authorized emergency vehicle".		
HB 825	Author: Abramson	Act 387
Adds the crimes of human trafficking and trafficking of children for sexual purposes to the list of sex offenses and crimes of violence and provides relative to sex offender registration and notification requirements.		
HB 826	Author: Jones, R	Died in House Criminal Justice
Amends provisions regarding the disposition of juveniles for certain delinquent acts.		

HB 829	Author: Ligi	Died in Senate Judiciary
Amends the crime of cruelty to animals.		
HB 833	Author: Kleckley	Act 528
Provides relative to security for costs of marshal in certain proceedings.		
HB 839	Author: Jackson,G	Died in House Criminal Justice
Creates the crime of the unlawful production, manufacturing, distribution, or possession of prohibited plants and adds hallucinogenic substances to Schedule I.		
HB 843	Author: Champagne	Died in House Criminal Justice
Provides with respect to fees assessed for the benefit of criminalistics laboratories.		
HB 847	Author: Wooton	Act 389
Amends the crime of removing or altering vehicle identification numbers.		
HB 859	Author: Arnold	Died in House Transportation
Prohibits certain traffic cameras on highways that receive public funding.		
HB 867	Author: Lopinto	Died in House Criminal Justice
Provides for the reduction of a defendant's sentence for substantial assistance in an investigation or prosecution.		
HB 870	Author: Geymann	Act 151
Directs the Department of Public Safety and Corrections not to implement the Federal PASS ID Act of 2009.		
HB 906	Author: smiley	Died in Senate Judiciary
Provides relative to fixing the compensation of public officers.		
HB 915	Author: Richardson	Act 297
Provides relative to parking violations with respect to municipalities with population of 25,000 or more.		
HB 917	Author: White	Act 608
Amends definition of "funds" with respect to the crime of money laundering.		
HB 927	Author: Gallot	Act 609
Provides for expungement of certain misdemeanor conviction records under certain circumstances.		
HB 945	Author: Leger	Act 396
Provides changes to the crime of unauthorized use of a movable and responsive verdicts for unauthorized use of a movable.		
HB 946	Author: Richmond	Died in House Criminal Justice
Authorizes geriatric parole for certain inmates.		

HB 966	Author: Hardy	Died in House Transportation
Prohibits certain persons from obtaining a driver's license relative to DWIs.		
HB 968	Author: Robideaux	Died in House Transportation
Clarifies exemption for school buses and usage of child passenger restraint systems.		
HB 980	Author: Abramson	Died in House Judiciary
Provides relative to the interviewing of crime victims and witnesses.		
HB 986	Author: Abramson	Act 835
Provides relative to the rights of minor victims and victims of sex offenses.		
HB 991	Author: Jackson, M	Died in House Judiciary
Requires law enforcement agencies to provide information to the public regarding domestic violence assistance.		
HB 1001	Author: Barrow	Died in House Municipal Affairs
Provides for the municipal fire and police civil service systems to test candidates by computer.		
HB 1002	Author: Barrow	Act 52
Provides relative to provisions of the Lawrason Act with respect to municipalities governed by special legislative charters.		
HB 1013	Author: Richmond	Act 726
Establishes the workforce development sentencing pilot project program in the Orleans Parish Criminal District Court and the Forty-First Judicial District Court.		
HB 1024	Author: Lopinto	Act 530
Amends the crime of false representation regarding imitation or counterfeit controlled dangerous substances to include the transportation or delivery of such substances.		
HB 1034	Author: Richmond	Died in House Labor
Provides workers' compensation coverage for reserve police officers.		
HB 1063	Author: Leger	Died in House Criminal Justice
Provides with respect to parole eligibility for certain juvenile offenders.		
HB 1121	Author: Waddell	Died on the House Floor
To require bicycles to have rear flashing lights.		
HB 1125	Author: Williams	Act 840
Creates the "Share the Road" prestige license plate.		
HB 1137	Author: Williams	Act 618
Revises provisions relative to bicycles and traffic and provides for construction of bicycle facilities.		
HB 1155	Author: Connick	Act 400

Provides relative to sex offender registration and notification provisions.

HB 1158 Author: Hoffman Died in House Judiciary
Provides for witness fees in criminal cases for law enforcement officers appearing in court.

HB 1165 Author: Arnold Act 841
Establishes the New Orleans Saints License Plate.

HB 1167 Author: Hoffman Died in House Judiciary
Increases witness fees for law enforcement officers appearing in court.

HB 1170 Author: Landry Act 401
Disqualifies commercial driver's license holders from operating school buses after conviction of DWI offenses.

HB 1190 Author: Wooton Died in House Criminal Justice
Requires ignition interlock device to be installed on vehicles of persons who refuse to submit to chemical tests when arrested for DWI.

HB 1193 Author: Richmond Act 842
Allows persons 17 years of age to obtain state identification without permission from a parent or guardian.

HB 1195 Author: Little Act 623
Provides relative to the powers and duties of the city of Bastrop and for penalties for the violation of city ordinances.

HB 1214 Author: White Act 1035
Establishes an Intrastate Mutual Aid Compact and provides for an Intrastate Mutual Aid Subcommittee.

HB 1221 Author: Richmond Died on the House Floor
Increases seat belt violation fines.

HB 1231 Author: Perry Act 403
Provides for the suspension of the driver's license of a person convicted of third degree feticide.

HB 1235 Author: Badon, Bobby Died in the House
Prohibits use of handheld cell phones while driving.

HB 1236 Author: Leger Act 844
Provides for suspension of driver's license upon premature removal of an ignition interlock device.

HB 1240 Author: Perry Act 405
Provides for an ignition interlock restriction code on certain driver's licenses.

HB 1244 Author: Barras Act 531
Provides for criminal penalties for attempted theft of certain amounts.

- HB 1260 Author: Hazel Act 942
Provides with respect to the possession of a firearm or carrying a concealed weapon by a person convicted of certain felonies.
- HB 1272 Author: Burns, Henry Act 944
Authorizes the use of fixed-case marking projectiles for handgun competency training.
- HB 1273 Author: Guinn Died in House Transportation
Directs the Dept. of Transportation and Development to install caution lights and to reduce the speed limit on certain highways.
- HB 1289 Author: Thierry Died in the House
Provides for the appointment of a deputy constable.
- HB 1290 Author: Aubert Act 489
Provides relative to the power of an elected police chief in certain municipalities to appoint, promote, discipline, and discharge police personnel.
- HB 1293 Author: Edwards Act 946
Provides relative to the power of an elected police chief in certain municipalities to appoint, promote, discipline, and discharge police personnel.
- HB 1294 Author: Guinn Died in House Transportation
Directs DOTD to install "caution" lights and reduce the speed limit on a highway.
- HB 1297 Author: White Act 627
Provides relative to the qualifications of certain members appointed to municipal fire and police civil service boards.
- HB 1314 Author: Hardy Act 413
Provides with respect to sex offender registration and notification requirements.
- HB 1318 Author: Henderson Died in House Civil Law
Provides relative to immunity of personnel while engaged in emergency preparedness activities.
- HB 1363 Author: Kleckley Act 748
Relative to the municipal police civil service, to authorize the municipal governing authority to create the position of deputy chief of police, to provide that the position is appointed on a competitive basis.
- HB 1382 Author: Howard Died in House Retirement
Provides relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System, allows a retiree to change his designated beneficiary from a former spouse to a current spouse.
- HB 1392 Author: Dixon Died in House Municipal Affairs
Provides relative to competitive tests in the municipal police civil service.

HB 1398 Author: Ellington Died in House Transportation
 To authorize the use of mini-trucks on roads.

HB 1418 Author: Foil Act 949
 Provides for holds by law enforcement agencies on motor vehicles stored at storage facilities.

HB 1420 Author: St. Germain Died in House Municipal Affairs
 Provides that the classified fire service shall be applicable to nonprofit corporations that enter into cooperative endeavor agreements with certain municipalities, parishes, and fire protection districts.

HB 1424 Author: Billiot Died in House Municipal Affairs
 Provides that the classified fire service shall be applicable to nonprofit corporations that enter into cooperative endeavor agreements with certain municipalities, parishes, and fire protection districts.

HB 1427 Author: Hardy Died in House Criminal Justice
 Provides for extended driver's license suspension periods upon second conviction of vehicular homicide.

HB 1482 Author: Smiley Died in the House
 Requires reductions in fees charged by licensing agencies under certain circumstances. Substitute for HB 1227.

HB 1488 Author: Lorusso Act 1045
 Provides relative to certain not-for-profit organizations subject to legislative audit. Substitute for HB 532.

HCR 19 Author: Hardy Died in House Governmental Affairs
 Authorizes an assistant sergeant at arms of the House of Representatives and Senate to carry an approved firearm following training.

HCR 128 Author: Leger Filed with the Secretary of State
 Urges and requests a study to be conducted to determine best way to encourage compliance with seat belt requirements.

HCR 129 Author: Jackson,G Died in the House
 Urges and requests Jefferson Parish to study the feasibility of adding a surcharge to the state motor vehicle inspection fee to fund public transportation.

HCR 146 Author: White Filed with the Secretary of State
 Recognizes May 9-15, 2010, as Police Week and May 15, 2010, as Peace Officers Memorial Day, commends law enforcement officers, and encourages all citizens to join in the week's commemorative tributes.

HCR 161 Author: Foil Filed with the Secretary of State
 Urges and requests the La. State Law Institute to study all aspects of liability relating to road hazards and make specific recommendations for limiting liability of the state.

HCR 236 Author: Jones,R Died in the House

Directs the L.M.A., the Sheriffs' Association, and the Association of Chiefs of Police to report to the legislative governmental affairs committees regarding efforts to make the opportunity to vote by absentee mail available to prisoners.

HR 9 Author: Hardy Died in House Governmental Affairs
 Authorizes an assistant sergeant at arms of the House of Representatives to carry an approved firearm following training.

SB 9 Author: Gautreaux, B Act 203
 Makes texting while driving a motor vehicle a primary offense.

SB 10 Author: Gautreaux,N Act 110
 Provides for certain incidents when an incarcerated prisoner must be tested for certain diseases.

SB 11 Author: Appel Died in Senate Retirement
 A Constitutional Amendment to provide for forfeiture of retirement benefits by public officials and employees who are convicted of felony acts associated with their positions.

SB 37 Author: Thompson Act 866
 Relative to the Uniformed Controlled Dangerous Substances Law; to add drugs to Schedule I classification.

SB 38 Author: Martiny Act 114
 Creates the crime of participation in cockfighting.

SB 48 Author: Hebert Act 761
 Relative to off-road vehicles; to provide relative to mini-trucks; to provide for registration of mini-trucks; to authorize operation of mini-trucks on certain highways of this state under certain circumstances.

SB 52 Author: Gautreaux, B Act 57
 Provides for changes in the qualifications needed to serve on the parole board.

SB 55 Author: Morrell Died in Senate Judiciary
 Provides for prosecution of nonviolent offenses by persons age 17 or under by juvenile court unless judicial waiver is granted to be tried as an adult.

SB 56 Author: Martiny Act 763
 Provides for forfeiture of personal property used in the commission of certain criminal offenses.

SB 61 Author: Amedee Act 58
 Provide relative to digital affidavits/warrants relative to criminal procedure, o provide for certain requirements relative to electronic signatures.

SB 81 Author: Martiny Died in Conference Committee
 Changes restrictions on statewide concealed handgun permits and adds an exception from criminal acts.

SB 87 Author: Crowe Died in Senate Judiciary

Amends the penalty provisions for a third and fourth offense DWI.

SB 233 Author: Heitmeier Died in Conference Committee
Provides for the scope of argument and charges by the court in certain criminal proceedings.

SB 234 Author: Heitmeier Act 433
Provides for clarifying language relative to confession evidence.

SB 254 Author: Gautreaux, N Act 436
Allows local political subdivisions to purchase or lease hybrid fuel or alternative fuel vehicles.

SB 275 Author: Heitmeier Withdrawn
Provides that the personnel files of law enforcement officers are not public records.

SB 279 Author: Martiny Died in Senate Governmental Affairs
Provides for exemptions for public record requests.

SB 280 Author: Martiny Died in Senate Governmental Affairs
Excepts personnel records of public employees and records of internal affairs investigations and proceedings relating to such employee from provisions relative to public records.

SB 312 Author: Morrish Act 649
Provides for diminution of sentence for good behavior.

SB 325 Author: Hebert Died in Senate Governmental Affairs
Constitutional amendment to provide that under certain circumstances a person who fills a vacancy in local elective offices shall not be an eligible candidate in next election held for such office.

SB 351 Author: Mount Died in Senate Judiciary B
Allows a third offense DWI offender to be placed into an established DWI court program with the agreement of the prosecuting district attorney.

SB 369 Author: Claitor Died in Senate Governmental Affairs
Constitutional amendment to provide that any person who is appointed to fill a vacancy in an elected office shall not be eligible to be a candidate for election to that office.

SB 373 Author: Morrell Died in Senate Judiciary A
Provides for burden of proof of prior crimes.

SB 374 Author: Morrell Act 69
Requires that time served by a habitual offender be served at hard labor.

SB 375 Author: Morrell Died on the House Calendar
Provides for the crime of home invasion.

SB 376 Author: Morrell Act 176
Provides for confidentiality of minors who are crime victims.

<p>SB 377</p> <p>Provides for the burden of proof to introduce evidence under the "forfeiture of wrongdoing" exception to hearsay.</p>	<p>Author: Morrell</p>	<p>Act 543</p>
<p>SB 378</p> <p>Provides for confidentiality of minors who are crime victims.</p>	<p>Author: Morrell</p>	<p>Act 177</p>
<p>SB 380</p> <p>Provides for motions to sever an offense.</p>	<p>Author: Morrell</p>	<p>Died on the Senate Calendar</p>
<p>SB 381</p> <p>Provides relative to the crime against nature by solicitation.</p>	<p>Author: Morrell</p>	<p>Act 882</p>
<p>SB 399</p> <p>Prohibits the use of tracking device to track the location or movement of a person without that person's consent.</p>	<p>Author: Riser</p>	<p>Died on the Senate Calendar</p>
<p>SB 406</p> <p>Amends provisions regarding criminal background checks.</p>	<p>Author: McPherson</p>	<p>Act 781</p>
<p>SB 413</p> <p>Provides that a majority vote of the Board of Parole is required to grant a parole.</p>	<p>Author: Jackson, L.</p>	<p>Died in Senate Judiciary B</p>
<p>SB 419</p> <p>Authorizes a sheriff or deputy sheriff to qualify as a licensed auctioneer.</p>	<p>Author: Murray</p>	<p>Died in Senate Commerce</p>
<p>SB 440</p> <p>Provides relative to military honor license plates to be allowed on motorcycles.</p>	<p>Author: Riser</p>	<p>Act 208</p>
<p>SB 449</p> <p>Provides for procedures after a determination of mental capacity or incapacity relative to criminal procedure.</p>	<p>Author: Heitmeier</p>	<p>Died on the Senate Calendar</p>
<p>SB 465</p> <p>Removes the authority of public license tag agents to receive and process renewals of registration.</p>	<p>Author: Chaisson</p>	<p>Died in Senate Transportation</p>
<p>SB 474</p> <p>Requires notification before a license may be suspended for a first or second violation of certain provisions regarding use of a child passenger restraint system.</p>	<p>Author: Crowe</p>	<p>Act 963</p>
<p>SB 477</p> <p>Requires certain public servants to disclose certain financial information.</p>	<p>Author: Gautreaux, N.</p>	<p>Died in Conference</p>
<p>SB 494</p> <p>Provides with respect to parole eligibility of certain juvenile offenders.</p>	<p>Author: Martiny</p>	<p>Died on the Senate Calendar</p>

SB 502	Author: Mount	Act 787
Amends the definition of "racketeering activity" to include additional offenses.		
SB 506	Author: Crowe	Died on the House Calendar
Creates the special prestige license plate honoring the World Champion New Orleans Saints with proceeds to go to charity.		
SB 524	Author: Murray	Act 657
Establishes and provides for a prestige license plate for the Zulu Social Aid and Pleasure Club.		
SB 526	Author: Murray	Died on the Senate Calendar
Prohibits firearms or other explosive devices on property belonging to the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board.		
SB 532	Author: Marionneaux	Died in Senate Judiciary B
Provides for the discontinuance of electronic or video bingo machines.		
SB 534	Author: Hebert	Act 790
Allows the possession of firearms on certain state lands.		
SB 536	Author: Nevers	Died in House Criminal Justice
Creates the crime of simple burglary of a school.		
SB 544	Author: Thompson	Act 209
Adds offenses to list of crimes requiring DNA collection for inclusion in the state DNA database.		
SB 561	Author: Donahue	Died in Senate Judiciary C
Prohibits the sale, possession, use, and distribution of "K2" and provides for penalties.		
SB 574	Author: Claitor	Died in House Criminal Justice
Authorizes expungement of certain traffic offenses.		
SB 577	Author: Claitor	Act 138
Provides that in petitions for judicial review of administrative decisions of the Board of Parole the only proper defendant is the board.		
SB 588	Author: Guillory, E.	Died in Senate Judiciary B
Repeals the statutory authority for the La. Board of Parole.		
SB 589	Author: Guillory, E.	Act 792
Provides for good behavior credit while on parole.		
SB 598	Author: Dorsey	Died in Senate Transportation
Provides for safety regulations of off-road vehicles.		
SB 616	Author: McPherson	Act 81
Provides relative to speed limits on highways.		

SB 617	Author: McPherson	Act 82
Prohibits impounding of a private passenger car, pickup truck, van, recreational vehicle, or motorcycle operated by Louisiana residents except when there exists an imminent danger to the public.		
SB 621	Author: Martiny	Died on the Senate Calendar
Provides for parole eligibility.		
SB 643	Author: Morrell	Died in Senate Judiciary C
Allows a judge to waive or reduce an expungement fee imposed by the bureau of criminal identification and information, the district attorney, and the sheriff.		
SB 653	Author: Hebert	Died in Senate Governmental Affairs
Provides that under certain circumstances a person who fills a vacancy in a local elected office will not be an eligible candidate in the next election held for such office.		
SB 678	Author: Morrish	Act 213
Provides with respect to the collection of DNA samples.		
SB 679	Author: Gautreaux, B.	Died in House Appropriations
Amends the definition of "technical violation."		
SB 685	Author: Murray	Act 215
Creates the crime of out-of-state bail jumping.		
SB 686	Author: Mount	Act 801
Provides relative to forfeiture of vehicles and the allocation of monies collected from those forfeitures involved in certain DWI arrests.		
SB 733	Author: Amedee	Act 454
Provides for appeals by classified employees of certain municipalities.		
SB 734	Author: Mount	Died in Senate Local
Provides that the deputy chief of police shall be in the unclassified service.		
SB 742	Author: Broome	Act 898
Provides for membership on Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training.		
SB 758	Author: Martiny	Died in Senate Judiciary B
Abolishes the Louisiana Risk Review Panel.		
SB 767	Author: McPherson	Act 806
Provides for disposition of fines collected by local law enforcement for exceeding the posted speed limit by less than ten miles per hour and court costs for multiple citations.		
SB 768	Author: McPherson	Act 902

Provides that last titled owner is responsible for costs assessed to tow and store an abandoned motor vehicle.

SB 790 Author: Hebert

Died in Senate Judiciary C

Prohibits persons arrested for operating a vehicle while intoxicated from participating in any pretrial diversion program.

SB 801 Author: Riser

Act 807

Prohibits the use of tracking device to track the location or movement of a person without the person's consent. Substitute for SB 399.

SR 68 Author: McPherson

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Recognizes the week of May 9-15, 2010, as National Police Week.

CONCLUSION

In quick review of the above observations and listing of legislation considered in the 2010 session of the Louisiana legislature, I cannot but express concern for our great state as we look to the future. Already fiscal analysts are projecting even more bad economic news as Louisiana continues to suffer in the post-Katrina, post-federal stimulus loss of both federal and private sector dollar, FY 2012 promises a projected budget deficit in excess of two billion dollars threatening (promising?) a continuance of the budget battles that dominated the recently completed session.

As economic forecasts project the continuing downturn in state government revenues, private sector reports are equally disconcerting. Just last week Northrup Grumman announced the 2013 closure of its Avondale Shipyard manufacturing facility located on the Westbank, tightened Pentagon spending and priorities shifted away from the Navy resulting in the loss of 5,000 high paying manufacturing jobs. Then too, Louisiana still faces the deepwater petroleum drilling moratorium in the Gulf of Mexico. The six month cessation imposed by the Obama administration could kill this business off of the Louisiana coast for years, their mobility and move to other areas of sanctioned exploration promising an immediate and alarmingly inability of deepwater exploration off Louisiana's coast to rebound or perhaps even restart at all. Of the 33 deepwater rigs operating at the time of the BP oil disaster, Egypt and Africa quickly claimed two rigs with more movement according to industry analysts is assured.

LSU economist Jan Richardson opines of the loss of 18-20,000 jobs and State Treasurer John Kennedy warns of the disastrous impact on the Louisiana economy, one-third of which is tied to the petroleum industry in one form or another. And, his review does not include the affects of the BP gusher on fishing and tourism along the coast.

As if the above is not enough, there is the anticipated end of the shuttle program, the last external fuel tank from the Lockheed Martin operation of the NASA Michoud facility in New Orleans, expected to roll out next month. By years end only 200 workers will remain at the NASA facility, the last vestige of a payroll approach of 3,000 in 2008 and 5,000 in the mid-80's heyday. These dreary employment developments together with a seeming gridlock in the legislature on "how" to address continuing budget woes impacting specifically Louisiana's poor – almost 30% of our population qualify for federal healthcare benefits and services through the Medicaid program – and higher education, the

unquestioned economic “driver” of any progressive and growing economy. 2011, as an odd-year, fiscal only, legislative session year will again see legislators regardless of party, geography or local political cultural squaring off over the seemingly timeless struggle to provide government goods and services – “do we increase taxes, or do we reduce services?”

Laisse le bon temps rouler - the mantra of Louisiana civic and cultural life, will no doubt continue to echo throughout our state and the halls of legislature. While the “good times” will no doubt be challenged, it is that very attitude that allows us to creatively address the seeming imponderables noted above. In spite of the news, I remain confident that our state, its citizens and those institutions, both private and public, that have contributed to the wonderful culture and enviable lifestyle we share will remain, rebound and together rejuvenate our economy and that Louisiana lifestyle, the “bon temps”, will continue to roll in our great state.

The rough and tumble, contact sport of politics will continue in Louisiana and in that world, I look forward to again working with you. On behalf of myself, C.J., Cassie and Scott, the law firm of Roedel, Parsons, Koch, Blache, Balhoff & McCollister, and my family, I wish to express sincere appreciation for your continued confidence in our representation of your interests in Louisiana. As you read and review this final report, please do not hesitate to contact us if there is any question or need for additional information. I am sure you are aware of www.legis.state.la.us where you can access the legislation, as outlined in this report or that might interest you and not contained herein.

Once again, thank you for the privilege of representing Louisiana Chiefs of Police. I look forward to meeting and speaking with you soon regarding this final report and the legislation outlined in it. Until then, God Bless You, God Bless America; and, God Bless the great state of Louisiana.