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FINAL POST OF PREFILED NONFISCAL BILLS FILED BY LEGISLATORS AS OF APRIL 4, 2023 Legislative Update as of Tuesday April 4, 2023

LIFE

HB346 by Rep. Boyd – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244244

ABORTION: Provides for exceptions to the abortion laws of this state relative to rape and incest

Pending House Administration of Criminal Justice

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CriminalJustice

HB461 by Rep. Dubuisson – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244417

Re Exceptions

Pending House Health and Welfare

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HealthAndWelfare

HB549 by Rep. Glover - AGAINST

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244537

Provides relative to termination of pregnancy that is the result of certain sex offenses

Pending House Administration of Criminal Justice

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CriminalJustice

HB522 by Rep. Freeman – AGAINST

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244496

Redefines abortion, imposes fines in place of imprisonment when an abortion has been performed, and reduces physician certification requirements for a determination of medical futility

Pending House Administration of Criminal Justice

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CriminalJustice

HB598 by Rep. Newell – AGAINST

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244608

Removes the term abortion to removal of ectopic pregnancy

Pending Administration of Criminal Justice

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CriminalJustice

SB209 by Sen. Jackson – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244633

Adds Elective Abortion to term Abortion

Pending Judiciary C

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/JudiciaryC

HEALTH MANDATES

HB158 by Rep. Edmondston - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244016

Provides for limitation of liability relative to the administration of pandemic disease vaccinations

Pending House Civil Law and Procedure

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CivilLaw

HB182 by Rep. Edmondston FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244040

VACCINES/VACCINATION: Provides that no person shall be required to receive a COVID-19 vaccine as a condition of enrollment or attendance at any public or nonpublic school

Pending House Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

HB291 by Rep. Owen - FOR

https://www.legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB291&sbi=y

Provides for visitation policies at certain healthcare facilities and requires that such policies allow for in-person visitation

Pending House Health & Welfare

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HealthAndWelfare

HB372 by Rep. Edmonston - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244295

Provides relative to mandates, requirements, recommendations, instructions, or guidance from federal or international organizations

Pending House Health & Welfare

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HealthAndWelfare

HB399 by Rep. Edmonston – FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244322

Requires that communication issued about immunization requirements include exemption information and applies exemptions not only to students seeking to enter school but also to students attending school Pending House Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

HB471 by Rep. Frieberg – AGAINST

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244427

Authorizes pharmacy interns supervised by pharmacists and certified pharmacy technicians supervised by pharmacists to administer certain immunizations and vaccines; decreases the age threshold above which a person may receive an immunization or vaccine, other than one for influenza, from a licensee of the La. Board of Pharmacy

Pending House Health and Welfare

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HealthAndWelfare

EDUCATION

HB8 by Rep. HORTON - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243813

SCHOOLS: Requires display of the national motto, "In God We Trust", in every public elementary, secondary, and postsecondary education classroom

Pending House Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

HB9 by Rep. BUTLER - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243814

SCHOOLS/CHOICE: Creates and provides for a program to provide state funding for the education of students with exceptionalities not enrolled in public school

Pending House Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

HB68 by Rep. HODGES - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243903

SCHOOLS/CURRICULA: Authorizes public high schools to offer a course of instruction in the history and literature of the Bible

Pending House Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

SB46 by Sen. Abraham FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244008

Provides for review of textbooks and other instructional materials

Pending Senate Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

HB81 by Rep. CREWS - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243924

EDUCATION: Provides relative to the use of certain names and pronouns for students

Pending House Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

HB306 by Rep. Newell – AGAINST

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244196

Authorizes surveys of certain public school students in Orleans Parish regarding sex

Pending House Introduction - Committee Not Yet Assigned

BILL OF RIGHTS - RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

SB63 by Sen. Mizell FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244137

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

Pending Senate Judiciary A

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/JudiciaryA

BILL OF RIGHTS - RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS

HB131 by Rep. MCCORMICK - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243977

WEAPONS/HANDGUNS: Provides relative to the concealed carrying of firearms

Pending House Administration of Criminal Justice

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CriminalJustice

HB234 by Rep. Fontenot - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244106

Conceal Carry

Pending House Administration of Criminal Justice

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CriminalJustice

INSURANCE - Citizens

SB38 by Sen. TALBOT - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=SB38&sbi=y

INSURANCE CLAIMS: Provides the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation shall not be liable for any special damages awarded for any property damage insurance claim. (8/1/23)

Pending Senate Insurance

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/Insurance

HB552 by Rep. Hilferty – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244540

Suspends the premium surcharge of at least ten percent assessed by the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

Pending House Insurance

Insurance Committee (louisiana.gov)

HB584 by Rep. Garofalo - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244585

Suspends the premium surcharge of at least ten percent assessed by the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation for policies issued in parishes affected by the 2020 and 2021 hurricanes

Pending House Insurance

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Insurance

SB208 by Sen. Talbot – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=SB208&sbi=y

Appointment of the commissioner of insurance by Governor

Pending Senate Insurance

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Insurance

LIBRARIES

HB102 by Rep. EMERSON - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243945

LIBRARIES: Provides relative to access to certain materials in public libraries

Pending House Municipal, Parochial, and Cultural Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Municipal

SB7 Sen. CLOUD - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243836

LIBRARIES: Provides relative to access to certain materials in public libraries.

Pending Senate Education

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/Education

HB25 by Rep. HOLLIS - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243845

LIBRARIES: Provides relative to parish and municipal libraries

Pending House Municipal, Parochial, and Cultural Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Municipal

HB360 by Rep. Hodges - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244266

Provides relative to the membership of the Livingston Parish Library Board of Control

Pending House Municipal, Parochial, and Local Affairs

CRIME

HB16 by Rep. SCHLEGEL - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243833

CRIME: Provides relative to the crime of simple burglary

Pending House Administration of Criminal Justice

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CriminalJustice

SB64 by Sen. Fesi FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244138

Creates Ezekiel's Law and provides relative to protecting children from abuse.

Pending Senate Health and Welfare

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/HealthWelfare

HB580 by Rep. Huval – AGAINST

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244581

Prohibits the use of a wireless telecommunications device while operating a motor vehicle in school zones, provides for exceptions and penalties for such use, and provides for enforcement and reporting of such violations Pending House Transportation

Senate Transportation, Highways & Public Works Committee (la.gov)

CONSERVATION AND ENVIRONMENT

HB10 by Rep. Robert Carter - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB10&sbi=y

Removes eminent domain authority of carbon dioxide storage facility operators

Pending House Natural Resources

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/NaturalResources

HB35 by Rep. Robert Carter – FOR

https://www.legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB35&sbi=y

Ban Carbon Capture in St. Helena Parish

Pending House Natural Resources

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/NaturalResources

HB120 by Rep. MUSCARELLO - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243963

WATERWAYS/LAKES: Prohibits the permitting of certain above-surface structures on Lake Maurepas and Lake

Pontchartrain

Pending House Natural Resources

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/NaturalResources

HB312 by Rep. Robby Carter – FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244209

Provides relative to liability and damages resulting from carbon sequestration

Pending House Civil Law and Procedures

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CivilLaw

HB267 by Rep. Wheat - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244147

Places a moratorium on carbon dioxide sequestration projects on Lake Maurepas and the Maurepas Swamp

Wildlife Management Area

Pending House Natural Resources

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/NaturalResources

HB308 by Rep. Wheat – FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244198

Requires an environmental impact statement as part of the coastal use permit application process for certain uses of Lake Maurepas and the Maurepas Swamp Wildlife Management Area

Pending House Natural Resources

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/NaturalResources

HB312 by Rep. Robert Carter – FOR

https://www.legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB312&sbi=y

Strict liability and damages resulting from carbon sequestration

Pending House Civil Law and Procedure

Civil Law and Procedure Committee (louisiana.gov)

HB453 by Rep. Mack - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244409

Requires that carbon dioxide injected for geologic sequestration using a Class VI injection well be transported to and sequestered in a storage facility in the Gulf of Mexico

Pending House Natural Resources

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/NaturalResources

HB454 by Rep. Mack - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244410

Requires a local election for the approval of carbon dioxide sequestration within a parish

Pending House Natural Resources

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/NaturalResources

HB571 by Rep. Schexnayder – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244567

RE Carbon Capture

Pending House Natural Resources

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/NaturalResources

HB82 by Rep. Edmonston - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243925

Abolishes the Louisiana Environmental Education Commission

Pending House Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

SB62 by Sen. Fesi FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244136

Provides for the notification of certain hazardous material releases.

Pending Senate Environmental Quality

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/EnvQuality

SB141 by Sen. Hensgens - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244394

Continues to Provide for certificates of public convenience and necessity for injection operations and establishes conditions for the issuance thereof. Present law precludes imposition of certain consequences against storage

operators and carbon dioxide transporters, including classification as a common carrier or public utility, subjection to duties, obligations, or liabilities as a common carrier or public utility, or increase of tax liability, where the storage operator or carbon dioxide transporter acts in compliance with a certificate of public convenience and necessity or certificate of completion of injection or acts in compliance with statutes, rules, regulations, or orders issued by the commissioner of the Dept. of Natural Resources, office of conservation.

Pending Senate Natural Resources

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/NaturalResources

GOVERNOR, BUREAU, GOVERNMENT, GLOBAL & FOREIGN AFFAIRS

HB125 by Rep. ECHOLS - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243968

AGRICULTURE: Provides relative to agriculture land protection against foreign adversaries

Pending House Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Agriculture

HB221 by Rep. Wright - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB221&sbi=y

Provides relative to rulemaking and oversight pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB311 by Rep. Miguez - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244208

Prohibits the use of monies from a foreign government or nongovernmental source to fund elections

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB361 by Rep. Deshotel - FOR

https://www.legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB361&sbi=y

Prohibits the use of TikTok and related applications on computers and networks owned or leased by the state

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB537 by Rep. Hodges - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244512

Prohibit against foreign adversary purchasing, leasing, or acquiring land

Pending House Civil Law & Procedure

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CivilLaw

SB206 by Sen. Milligan – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244630

Provides relative to foreign interest in certain Louisiana research facilities

Pending Senate Judiciary B

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/JudiciaryB

PARENTAL RIGHTS

HB152 by Rep. Amedee FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244010

FAMILY LAW: (Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to fundamental parental rights

Pending House Civil Law and Procedure

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/CivilLaw

HB463 by Rep. Firment - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244419

Prohibits certain procedures to alter the sex of a minor child

Pending House Health and Welfare

 $https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HealthAndWelfare$

HB466 by Rep. Horton – FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244422

Re discussion of sexual orientation and gender identity in public schools

Pending House Education

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Education

ELECTIONS

SB23 by Sen. BERNARD - AGAINST

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243900

VOTERS/VOTING: Requires approval by the secretary of state for the use and expands permissible locations of alternative locations for early voting.

Pending Senate and Governmental Affairs

https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/SenateGovAffairs

HB135 by Rep. Mike Johnson - FOR

https://www.legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB135&sbi=y

Prohibits a registered sex offender or child predator from serving as a commissioner or watcher

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB159 by Rep. Farnum FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244017

Provides for a supplemental annual canvass of registered voters

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB165 by Rep. Landry – Studying Up

https://www.legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB165&sbi=y

Authorizes the people to propose constitutional amendments and propose, amend, or repeal laws by initiative in the manner provided by law

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB174 by Rep. Emerson - FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244032

Prohibits the disclosure of certain information regarding the active duty or dependent status of certain voters

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB216 by Rep. Horton – FOR

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

Authorizes certain military members stationed in Louisiana to serve as commissioners

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB449 by Rep. Willard - Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244405

Provides for an Americans with Disabilities Act officer appointed by the secretary of state, a Voting Accessibility Advisory Group within the Dept. of State, and the instruction and examination of elections commissioners relative to the rights of voters with disabilities

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB490 by Rep. Lyons – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244457

Provides for procedures and guidance regarding voter registration activities

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

HB553 by Rep. Glover – Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244541

Provides for appointment of a voter with disabilities to the State Board of Election Supervisors

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

SB203 by Sen. Cloud – FOR

Allows for Registrar of Voters Correction of Errors and Enforce Strictor Verification of Domicile https://www.legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244627

SUNSHINE

HB213 by Rep. Brass – AGAINST

https://www.legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?s=23RS&b=HB213&sbi=y

Exempts certain school surveillance and security video from the Public Records Law

Pending House and Governmental Affairs

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/HouseAndGov

TAX

HB156 by Rep. Devillier - AGAINST

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244014

Reduces the annual cap to \$75M on the amount of motion picture production tax credits awarded, the cap on the amount of credits claimed on tax returns, and the per project cap

Pending House Ways & Means

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/WaysAndMeans

HB562 by Rep. Schexnayder – FOR

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244557

Removes Issuance Caps and Sunsets on Film Tax Credits

Pending House Ways and Means

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/WaysAndMeans

SB19 by Sen. ALLAIN - Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=243875

TAX/INCOME/CORPORATE: Eliminates the inventory tax credit for corporations and reduces the corporate income tax rates.

Pending Senate Revenue and Fiscal Affairs https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/RevenueFiscal

HB214 by Rep. DeVillier - Studying Up

https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244079

Repeals individual income, corporate income, and corporate franchise taxes and repeals all credits, deductions, exemptions, and exclusions from the taxes

Pending House Ways and Means

https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/WaysAndMeans

BANKING

HB415 by Rep. Amedee - FOR https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244355 Re central bank digital currency Pending House Commerce https://house.louisiana.gov/H_Cmtes/Commerce

COUNCIL ON AGING

SB116 by Sen. Henry – FOR https://legis.la.gov/legis/BillInfo.aspx?i=244344
Provides for an increase in the allocation of funds to parish councils on aging for senior centers Pending Senate Finance https://senate.la.gov/Sen_Committees/Finance

NOTE: I chose these bills as a guess or estimate of bills I personally see in my personal opinion of such importance and controversial. I represent no organization, no party, ideology, group, club, etc. as, except me, those who agree with me on these, My Louisiana Sunshine, in posting these bills and stands, my own opinion. Those I have still studying up is because I have not taken the time to read up and take a stand. Please, Everyone, please search for yourselves first then decide to agree or disagree, then if agree, please come jump on board and stand with us on these bills, in support of this Effort. It is about the Issue and those who are impacted by these, not the ideologues, ideologies, party, etc.

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