



LEGISLATIVE UPDATE
June 27, 2008

HB 46, Mills

Reorganizes Schedules I, II, III, and V of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law to make those provisions consistent with federal law

3/9/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice
4/2/2008	House	Reported favorably
4/2/2008	House	Recommended for Consent Calendar
4/3/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/3/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
4/8/2008	House	Amended
4/8/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 99 to 0
4/9/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/9/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Judiciary B
5/20/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
5/21/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/22/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/22/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
5/27/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 29 to 0
5/28/2008	House	Enrolled in the House
6/5/2008	Executive	Signed by the governor
6/5/2008	Executive	Becomes Act 67; Effective August 15, 2008

HB 53, Mills

Provides relative to emergency health care rendered by health care providers during a state of emergency

3/14/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
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3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure
4/8/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/9/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/14/2008	House	Amended
4/14/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 83 to 13
4/15/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/15/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/28/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/29/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/2/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/2/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/3/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0
6/3/2008	House	Received from the Senate with amendments
6/11/2008	House	House concurred in Senate amendments by vote of 84 to 0
6/12/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 70, Cromer

Revises definitions under the private Medical Malpractice Act

3/14/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure
4/21/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/22/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/28/2008	House	Amended
4/28/2008	House	Killed on final passage by vote of 44 to 45

HB 99, Jones, R.

Requires health insurance coverage of the human papillomavirus vaccine

3/14/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Insurance

5/19/2008	House	Called from committee
5/19/2008	House	Withdrawn from the files of the House

HB 102, Edwards

Increases the prescription period for delictual actions

3/14/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 154, Mills

Authorizes the Department of Health and Hospitals to determine that a Medicaid provider is out of business

3/14/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare
4/10/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/10/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
4/14/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/17/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 92 to 0
4/21/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/21/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/28/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
5/29/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/2/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/2/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/3/2008	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call
6/3/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0
6/4/2008	House	Enrolled in the House
6/12/2008	Executive	Signed by the governor
6/12/2008	Executive	Becomes Act 139; Effective August 15, 2008

HB 155, Katz

Makes changes to the facility need review process

3/14/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare
4/10/2008	House	Reported favorably
4/10/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
4/14/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/14/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
4/17/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 101 to 0
4/21/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/21/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/21/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
5/22/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/27/2008	Senate	Reported with Bureau amendments
5/27/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
5/29/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 33 to 0
5/29/2008	House	Received from the Senate with amendments
6/9/2008	House	House concurred in Senate amendments by vote of 100 to 0
6/10/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 178, Gisclair

Requires students to be vaccinated against meningococcal disease as a condition of entry into the ninth grade in public schools

3/14/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Education
4/9/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/10/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/15/2008	House	Amended
4/15/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 102 to 0
4/16/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/16/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Education
6/2/2008	Senate	Reported favorably

6/3/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/4/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/4/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/5/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0
6/9/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 184, Katz

Provides for the electronic filing of student immunization compliance reports for elementary and secondary schools

3/17/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Education
4/9/2008	House	Reported favorably
4/9/2008	House	Recommended for Consent Calendar
4/10/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/10/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
4/15/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 95 to 0
4/15/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/15/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Education
5/19/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
5/20/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/21/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/21/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
5/22/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0
5/22/2008	House	Enrolled in the House
6/5/2008	Executive	Signed by the governor
6/5/2008	Executive	Becomes Act 73; Effective August 15, 2008

HB 193, Katz

Provides for medical malpractice coverage for physicians who offer voluntary telemedicine services for the Department of Health and Hospitals

3/17/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure
4/21/2008	House	Reported with amendments

4/22/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/28/2008	House	Amended
4/28/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 93 to 0
4/29/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/29/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Judiciary A
6/10/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
6/11/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/12/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/12/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/16/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0
6/18/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 202, Katz

Requires Medicaid claims in settlements to be considered after attorney fees

3/17/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 205, Mills

Makes changes to the La. Pharmacy Practice Act

3/17/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare
4/9/2008	House	Reported favorably
4/9/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
4/10/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/10/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
4/15/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 99 to 0
4/15/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/15/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/28/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/29/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/2/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments

6/2/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/3/2008	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call

HB 214, Kleckley

Requires the notification of the appointment of officers or directors of foreign and alien insurers

3/17/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Insurance
4/10/2008	House	Reported favorably
4/10/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
4/14/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/14/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
4/17/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 98 to 1
4/21/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/21/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Insurance
5/14/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
5/15/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/19/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/19/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
5/20/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0
5/21/2008	House	Enrolled in the House
5/29/2008	Executive	Signed by the governor
5/29/2008	Executive	Becomes Act 11; Effective August 15, 2008

HB 217, Foil

Provides relative to fees paid for copying medical records

3/17/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 271, Katz

Allows the Department of Health and Hospitals to use the market value of certain annuities to determine eligibility to participate in the

Medicaid Long Term Care program

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare
4/22/2008	House	Reported favorably
4/23/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/28/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call
4/28/2008	House	Notice given to call from the calendar
5/8/2008	House	Called from the calendar
5/8/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call
5/8/2008	House	Notice given to call from the calendar
5/14/2008	House	Called from the calendar
5/14/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call

HB 275, Ligi

Provides relative to rules of evidence and procedure in workers' compensation hearings

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure
4/15/2008	House	Recommitted to committee on Labor & Industrial Relations

HB 291, Barrow

Requires the Department of Health and Hospitals to create a pilot program to provide pre-term labor management services for Medicaid eligible women with high-risk pregnancies

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare
4/30/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/30/2008	House	To be recommitted to Appropriations
5/1/2008	House	Engrossed, recommitted to Appropriations

HB 357, LaFonta

Requires health insurance coverage of the human papillomavirus vaccine

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Insurance

HB 362, Geymann

Directs the DHH to seek a Medicaid waiver exempting certain nursing homes from paying a provider fee

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare
4/22/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/22/2008	House	To be recommitted to Appropriations
4/23/2008	House	Engrossed, recommitted to Appropriations

HB 378, Armes

Provides relative to noncomplex health procedures performed by certain school employees

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Education
4/10/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/14/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/17/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call
4/17/2008	House	Notice given to call from the calendar
4/24/2008	House	Called from the calendar
4/24/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 98 to 0
4/28/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/28/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Education
5/19/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/20/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/21/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/21/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
5/27/2008	Senate	Amended
5/27/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0

5/27/2008	House	Received from the Senate with amendments
6/9/2008	House	House rejected Senate amendments by vote of 96 to 0
6/10/2008	House	House conferees appointed [Armes, Trahan, Geymann]
6/17/2008	Senate	Senate conferees appointed [Smith, Cassidy, Nevers]
6/22/2008	House	Conference Report received
6/22/2008	Senate	Conference Report received
6/22/2008	Senate	Senate adopted conference report by vote of 37 to 0
6/23/2008	House	House adopted conference report by vote of 99 to 0
6/23/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 414, Kleckley

Creates a prescription period for relief against preferred provider organizations

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Withdrawn prior to introduction

HB 466, Richard

Repeals an exception to the La. Smokefree Air Act which allows smoking in certain areas of nursing homes

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare
4/23/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/24/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/29/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 101 to 0
4/29/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/29/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
6/4/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
6/5/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau

6/9/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/9/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/11/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 35 to 0
6/12/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 469, Katz

Authorizes the DHH to develop a prescription drug discount program for the low-income uninsured

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare

HB 533, Hines

Requires the distribution of free medication samples to patient prior to prescribing

3/19/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare

HB 555, Kleckley

Provides for limitations on filing claims

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 575, Ponti

Creates a prescriptive period for relief against preferred provider organizations

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 640, Lorusso

Provides for the qualifications of physicians as expert witnesses in medical malpractice actions

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 658, Lorusso

Provides procedures for certain malpractice claims

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 664, Edwards

Provides an increase for the medical malpractice cap based on the Consumer Price Index

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 689, Edwards

Excludes economic loss from medical malpractice cap

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 691, Talbot

Provides for changes to the Louisiana Health Plan

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Insurance
4/9/2008	House	Reported favorably
4/9/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent

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4/10/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/10/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
4/15/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 103 to 0
4/15/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/15/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Insurance
5/14/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
5/15/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/19/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/19/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
5/20/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0
5/21/2008	House	Enrolled in the House
5/29/2008	Executive	Signed by the governor
5/29/2008	Executive	Becomes Act 21; Effective August 15, 2008

HB 826, Lorusso

Provides relative to medical malpractice claims

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3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 856, Armes

Conditions the issuance of a license to an acute care hospital on providing emergency room services in certain rural areas

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare

HB 881, Lorusso

Provides relative to medical malpractice actions

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 884, LaBruzzo

Requires the state to pay a portion of medical malpractice costs in certain circumstances

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Appropriations

HB 887, LaBruzzo

Provides relative to limiting medical malpractice recovery in certain circumstances

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure
4/21/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/22/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/28/2008	House	Amended
4/28/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 69 to 20
4/29/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/29/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Judiciary A

HB 894, Katz

Provides for licensing of community-based services providers

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare

HB 895, Greene

Provides relative to certification of completeness of health care records

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Civil Law & Procedure

4/29/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/30/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/7/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 99 to 0
5/7/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
5/7/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

HB 896, Hines

Prohibits the display of any pharmaceutical advertisements in a health care facility

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare

HB 897, Gallot

Requires the Department of Health and Hospitals to consider the impact of standards on rural hospitals

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare

HB 922, Henderson

Allows a physician on the board of commissioners of a hospital service district to engage in certain transactions and to own an interest in entities that engage in certain transactions

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on House & Governmental Affairs
4/23/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/24/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/30/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 94 to 0
4/30/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/30/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Senate & Governmental Affairs
6/4/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
6/5/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/9/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments

6/9/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/17/2008	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call by vote of 19 to 14
6/17/2008	Senate	Amended
6/19/2008	Senate	Amended
6/19/2008	Senate	Called from the calendar
6/19/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0
6/19/2008	House	Received from the Senate with amendments
6/21/2008	House	House rejected Senate amendments by vote of 100 to 0
6/22/2008	House	House conferees appointed [Henderson, Gallot, Hutter]
6/22/2008	Senate	Senate conferees appointed [Hebert, Crowe, J. Smith]
6/22/2008	House	Conference Report received
6/23/2008	Senate	Conference Report received
6/23/2008	House	House adopted conference report by vote of 97 to 0
6/23/2008	Senate	Senate adopted conference report by vote of 23 to 9
6/23/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 925, Cortez

Requires reimbursement for certain services performed by licensed marriage and family therapists

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Insurance
4/22/2008	House	Reported with amendments
4/23/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/29/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 60 to 36
4/29/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
4/29/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Insurance
5/28/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
5/29/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/2/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/2/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/3/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0

6/5/2008	House	Enrolled in the House
6/17/2008	Executive	Became law without Governor's signature
6/17/2008	Executive	Becomes Act 305; Effective August 15, 2008

HB 972, Ellington

Creates the Health Information Technology and Infrastructure Advisory Committee

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare

HB 1071, Ellington

Establishes a program to fund forgiveness of student loans for physicians in rural areas

3/21/2008	House	Prefiled in the House
3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
3/31/2008	House	Referred to Committee on Health & Welfare
5/7/2008	House	Reported with amendments
5/7/2008	House	To be recommitted to Appropriations
5/8/2008	House	Engrossed, recommitted to Appropriations
6/9/2008	House	Reported with amendments
6/9/2008	House	Reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading
6/10/2008	House	Amended
6/10/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 98 to 0
6/10/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
6/10/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
6/11/2008	Senate	Called from committee
6/11/2008	Senate	Recommitted to committee on Finance
6/17/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
6/17/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
6/17/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/18/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/18/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/19/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0
6/20/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 1109, Fannin

Provides for ancillary appropriations for operating expenses of the state for Fiscal Year 2008-2009

3/31/2008	House	Introduced in the House
4/1/2008	House	Referred to committee on Appropriations
6/2/2008	House	Reported with amendments
6/2/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
6/3/2008	House	Advance on Calendar One Day
6/5/2008	House	Amended
6/5/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 95 to 0
6/9/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
6/9/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Finance
6/17/2008	Senate	Called from committee
6/17/2008	Senate	Recommitted to committee on Finance
6/19/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
6/19/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/19/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/19/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/20/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 35 to 0
6/20/2008	House	Received from the Senate with amendments
6/21/2008	House	House concurred in Senate amendments by vote of 98 to 0
6/22/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

HB 1186, LaBruzzo

Reduces the amount of malpractice claims for uninsured patients

4/21/2008	House	Introduced in the House
4/22/2008	House	Referred to committee on Civil Law & Procedure

HB 1242, Simon

Provides relative to the recruitment and retention of medical providers

4/22/2008	House	Introduced in the House
4/23/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

HB 1265, Marchand

Provides for the reimbursement of certain physicians for diagnostic or consultative services provided via telemedicine

4/22/2008	House	Introduced in the House
4/23/2008	House	Referred to committee on Insurance

HB 1268, Marchand

Authorizes the interstate practice of telemedicine

4/22/2008	House	Introduced in the House
4/23/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/22/2008	House	Reported by substitute
5/27/2008	House	Substitute bill adopted: HB 1384

HB 1351, Roy

Limits third party access to a patient's medical or hospital records

4/22/2008	House	Introduced in the House
4/23/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

HB 1379, Tucker

Establishes an Emergency/Disaster Medicine Review Panel

5/15/2008	House	Introduced in the House
5/15/2008	House	Substituted for HB 838
5/19/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/29/2008	House	Amended
5/29/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 102 to 0
6/2/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
6/2/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Judiciary A
6/10/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
6/11/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/12/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/12/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/16/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0

6/18/2008 House Enrolled in the House

HB 1384, Marchand

Provides for the licensure of physicians practicing telemedicine

5/27/2008	House	Introduced in the House
5/27/2008	House	Substituted for HB 1268
5/28/2008	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
6/2/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 102 to 0
6/3/2008	Senate	Received in the Senate
6/3/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
6/4/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
6/5/2008	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/9/2008	Senate	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/9/2008	Senate	Passed to third reading
6/11/2008	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call
6/11/2008	Senate	Amended
6/11/2008	Senate	Amended
6/11/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0
6/12/2008	House	Received from the Senate with amendments
6/18/2008	House	House rejected Senate amendments by vote of 99 to 0
6/18/2008	House	House conferees appointed [Marchand, Katz, Barrow]
6/20/2008	Senate	Senate conferees appointed [Mount, Cassidy, Nevers]
6/22/2008	House	Conference Report received
6/22/2008	Senate	Conference Report received
6/22/2008	Senate	Senate adopted conference report by vote of 37 to 0
6/23/2008	House	House adopted conference report by vote of 100 to 0
6/23/2008	House	Enrolled in the House

SB 36, Dupre

Provides for the definition of rural hospital for purposes of the Rural Hospital Preservation Act

3/14/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/23/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
4/24/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/30/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0
4/30/2008	House	Received in the House
5/1/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/21/2008	House	Reported favorably
5/21/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/21/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
5/22/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/27/2008	House	Passed to third reading
5/27/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
6/9/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 94 to 0
6/11/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 43, Mount

Provides for alternative remedies against health care providers

3/17/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
5/7/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/8/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/13/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 35 to 0
5/13/2008	House	Received in the House
5/14/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/28/2008	House	Reported favorably
5/28/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/29/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/2/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/12/2008	House	Amended
6/12/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call
6/12/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 91 to 0

6/16/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/17/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 34 to 0
6/18/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 49, Cheek

Provides for the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act

3/17/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare

SB 79, Cassidy

Provides with respect to qualifications of medical expert witnesses in medical malpractice actions against physicians

3/19/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 88, Chaisson

Authorizes parish governing authorities to provide certain per diem for members of the board of commissioners of hospital service districts in parishes with a certain population

3/19/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/15/2008	Senate	Recommitted to committee on Local & Municipal Affairs

SB 126, Nevers

Requires school administrators to check students' records annually to ensure immunization enforcement

3/19/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
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3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Education
4/28/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
4/29/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/1/2008	Senate	Amended
5/1/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 35 to 1
5/5/2008	House	Received in the House
5/6/2008	House	Referred to committee on Education
5/21/2008	House	Reported favorably
5/21/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/21/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
5/22/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/27/2008	House	Passed to third reading
5/27/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
6/9/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call

SB 185, Marionneaux

Amends the Louisiana Clean Indoor Air Act to prohibit smoking in areas where food is served

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare

SB 186, Marionneaux

Extends the one year prescription for civil actions generally to two years

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A
5/13/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/14/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/20/2008	Senate	Failed to pass by vote of 17 to 20; to be reconsidered
5/21/2008	Senate	Vote reconsidered
5/21/2008	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call

SB 217, Michot

Provides relative to burden of proof, jury charge and expert witness qualification in a malpractice action

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 222, Quinn

Creates the Asbestos and Silica Claims Medical Criteria Act

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 229, Mount

Provides for health care facilities violations and penalties

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
5/7/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/8/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/13/2008	Senate	Amended
5/13/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0
5/14/2008	House	Received in the House
5/15/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/28/2008	House	Reported favorably
5/28/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/29/2008	House	Recalled from Legislative Bureau
5/29/2008	House	Recommitted to committee on Appropriations
6/9/2008	House	Reported favorably
6/9/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/10/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/11/2008	House	Passed to third reading

6/19/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 91 to 0
6/20/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 261, Jackson

Extends the sunset date of the Interagency Task Force on Family Medicine

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/30/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
5/1/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/5/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0
5/6/2008	House	Received in the House
5/7/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/13/2008	House	Reported favorably
5/13/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/13/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
5/14/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/15/2008	House	Passed to third reading
5/15/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
5/27/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 93 to 0
5/28/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate
6/9/2008	Executive	Became law without Governor's signature
6/9/2008	Executive	Becomes Act 118; Effective August 15, 2008

SB 269, McPherson

Reorganizes the Louisiana Health Works Commission

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/30/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/1/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/5/2008	Senate	Amended
5/5/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0
5/6/2008	House	Received in the House

5/7/2008	House	Referred to committee on Education
6/4/2008	House	Reported with amendments
6/4/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/5/2008	House	Reported with Bureau amendments
6/9/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/17/2008	House	Amended
6/17/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 96 to 0
6/17/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/18/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 32 to 0
6/19/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 287, Mount

Provides for Louisiana health care consumers' right to know

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/9/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
4/10/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/15/2008	Senate	Recommitted to committee on Finance
4/21/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
4/22/2008	Senate	Reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/23/2008	Senate	Amended
4/23/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0
4/24/2008	House	Received in the House
4/28/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/13/2008	House	Reported with amendments
5/13/2008	House	To be recommitted to Appropriations
5/14/2008	House	Recommitted to committee on Appropriations
6/9/2008	House	Reported favorably
6/9/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/10/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/11/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/19/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 99 to 0
6/19/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments

6/20/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 30 to 0
6/23/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 301, Chaisson

Provides immunity for certain medical personnel during evacuation or treatment of patients

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A
4/22/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
4/23/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/28/2008	Senate	Amended
4/28/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0
4/29/2008	House	Received in the House
4/30/2008	House	Referred to committee on Civil Law & Procedure
5/19/2008	House	Reported with amendments
5/19/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/20/2008	House	Reported with Bureau amendments
5/21/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/10/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 97 to 0
6/12/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/16/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 38 to 0
6/17/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 302, LaFleur

Provides relative to claims-made insurance and claims-made patient's compensation fund coverage

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 307, Donahue

Prohibits recovery for loss of enjoyment of life as a separate element of damages apart from pain and suffering damages and prohibits an instruction to the jury which separates loss of enjoyment of life from pain and suffering

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 309, Gray

Creates and provides for the "Hospital Care Incentive Program"

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
5/7/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/8/2008	Senate	Engrossed, recommitted to Finance

SB 320, Cassidy

Constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to determine limits for professional medical damages in medical and health care liability claims

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 323, Thompson

Expands the definition of consent to medical treatment

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/23/2008	Senate	Reported favorably
4/24/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

4/30/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0
5/1/2008	House	Received in the House
5/5/2008	House	Referred to committee on Civil Law & Procedure

SB 330, Chaisson

Provides relative to limitation of liability for medical services during a declared state of emergency

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A
4/29/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
4/30/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/6/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 35 to 0
5/6/2008	House	Received in the House
5/7/2008	House	Referred to committee on Civil Law & Procedure
5/19/2008	House	Reported with amendments
5/19/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/20/2008	House	Reported with Bureau amendments
5/21/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/10/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 94 to 0
6/12/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/16/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 38 to 0
6/17/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 332, Thompson

Creates the Health Care Information Technology and Infrastructure Advisory Committee

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
5/7/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/8/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/12/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0
5/13/2008	House	Received in the House

5/14/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/28/2008	House	Reported favorably
5/28/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/28/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
5/29/2008	House	Reported with Bureau amendments
6/2/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/2/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
6/9/2008	House	Amended
6/9/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 99 to 0
6/10/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/11/2008	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call
6/16/2008	Senate	Called from the calendar
6/16/2008	Senate	Senate rejected House amendments by vote of 21 to 15
6/17/2008	Senate	Senate conferees appointed [Thompson, Chaisson, Marionneaux]
6/18/2008	House	House conferees appointed [Ellington, Katz, Greene]
6/19/2008	House	Conference Report received
6/19/2008	Senate	Conference Report received
6/22/2008	Senate	Senate adopted conference report by vote of 28 to 5
6/22/2008	House	House adopted conference report by vote of 91 to 3
6/22/2008	House	Vote reconsidered
6/22/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call
6/22/2008	House	Called from the calendar
6/22/2008	House	House adopted conference report by vote of 94 to 3
6/23/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 337, Michot

Provides for uncompensated care hospital payments

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/30/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments

5/1/2008	Senate	Engrossed, recommitted to Finance
5/19/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/20/2008	Senate	Reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/21/2008	Senate	Amended
5/21/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0
5/22/2008	House	Received in the House
5/27/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
6/3/2008	House	Reported with amendments
6/3/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/4/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/5/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/17/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 96 to 0
6/17/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/18/2008	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call
6/19/2008	Senate	Called from the calendar
6/19/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 38 to 0
6/20/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 353, Gautreaux, N.

Limits liability of volunteer supervisory physicians at certain nonprofit centers

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A
4/1/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
4/2/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
4/8/2008	Senate	Amended
4/8/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 33 to 0
4/9/2008	House	Received in the House
4/10/2008	House	Referred to committee on Civil Law & Procedure
5/12/2008	House	Reported with amendments
5/12/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/13/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/14/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/10/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 93 to 0

6/10/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/11/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 37 to 0
6/12/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 379, Thompson

Provides for the Rural Hospital Regulatory Impact Relief Act

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare

SB 401, Cassidy

Provides that Louisiana Medicaid use the same guidelines as employed by Centers of Medicaid and Medicare Services with regard to eligibility of newly formed organ transplant centers for payment for transplanted patients

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/30/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/1/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/5/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 38 to 0
5/6/2008	House	Received in the House
5/7/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
5/13/2008	House	Reported favorably
5/13/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
5/13/2008	House	Recommended for Local & Consent Calendar
5/14/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
5/15/2008	House	Passed to third reading
5/15/2008	House	Placed on Local & Consent Calendar
5/27/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 96 to 0
5/28/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate
6/6/2008	Executive	Vetoed by the Governor
6/10/2008	House	House Received Veto Message

6/11/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call
6/22/2008	Senate	Senate sustained Governor's veto by vote of 34 to 0

SB 402, Cassidy

Provides for the allocation of uncompensated care payments

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/30/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/1/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/6/2008	Senate	Made Special Order of the Day #1 for Monday, May 12, 2008
5/12/2008	Senate	Amended
5/12/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 27 to 8
5/13/2008	House	Received in the House
5/14/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
6/11/2008	House	Reported with amendments
6/11/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/12/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/13/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/20/2008	House	Amended
6/20/2008	House	Amended
6/20/2008	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call
6/20/2008	House	Killed on final passage by vote of 35 to 61
6/20/2008	House	Killed on final passage by vote of 35 to 61

SB 418, Murray

Authorizes physicians at certain facilities to render opinions for purposes of social security disability determinations

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
5/14/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/15/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
5/19/2008	Senate	Amended
5/19/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0

5/20/2008	House	Received in the House
5/21/2008	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
6/3/2008	House	Reported with amendments
6/3/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/4/2008	House	Reported without Bureau amendments
6/5/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/17/2008	House	Amended
6/17/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 101 to 0
6/17/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/18/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 34 to 0
6/19/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 435, Mount

Provides for certain claims for Medicare patient co-payments

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare

SB 464, Murray

Provides relative to health care arrangements provided to a health care consumer

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to committee on Insurance

SB 505, Michot

Creates the Information Technology Fund in the State Treasury

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Finance

SB 509, Michot

Revises definitions under the private Medical Malpractice Act

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 599, Gautreaux, N.

Prohibits a physician from referring a patient to an ancillary service provider in which the physician has an ownership interest

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Health& Welfare
4/29/2008	Senate	Called from committee
4/29/2008	Senate	Withdrawn from the files of the Senate
6/11/2008	House	Notice given to call from calendar

SB 617, Murray

Provides relative to workers' compensation medical service agreements

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Labor & Industrial Relations

SB 652, Michot

Provides relative to the definitions and general applications of medical malpractice

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A
5/28/2008	Senate	Reported with amendments
5/29/2008	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
6/2/2008	Senate	Amended
6/2/2008	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 35 to 0
6/3/2008	House	Received in the House

6/4/2008	House	Referred to committee on Civil Law & Procedure
6/9/2008	House	Reported with amendments
6/9/2008	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau
6/10/2008	House	Reported with Bureau amendments
6/11/2008	House	Passed to third reading
6/19/2008	House	Finally passed by vote of 92 to 0
6/20/2008	Senate	Received from the House with amendments
6/20/2008	Senate	Senate concurred in House amendments by vote of 33 to 0
6/23/2008	Senate	Enrolled in the Senate

SB 661, Michot

Provides relative to the medical malpractice cap

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 664, Michot

Provides relative to medical malpractice claims

3/21/2008	Senate	Prefiled in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
3/31/2008	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary A

SB 668, LaFleur

Provides relative to medical malpractice

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