Weekly Action Report – 2017 Regular Legislative Session

Week 7: May 22nd – May 26th

HB 1, Henry
Provides for the ordinary operating expenses of state government for Fiscal Year 2017-2018
May 22, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled
May 23, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled
May 24, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled
May 25, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled

HB 67, Norton
Creates the crime of unlawfully supplying a child with an Uzi submachine gun
May 22, 2017 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
May 22, 2017 House Scheduled for Floor Debate on 5/25/2017
May 25, 2017 House Killed on final passage by vote of 21 to 59

HB 79, Foil
Prohibits corporal punishment for certain students with exceptionalities
May 25, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled

HB 111, Bishop
Requires instruction in litter prevention and awareness for public school students in certain grades
May 22, 2017 Senate Reported favorably
May 23, 2017 Senate Referred to the Legislative Bureau
May 24, 2017 Senate Reported without Bureau amendments
May 24, 2017 Senate Passed to 3rd reading
May 25, 2017 Senate Finally passed by vote of 32 to 0

HB 113, Broadwater
Removes termination of the authority of public postsecondary education management boards to establish and increase student fees
May 25, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled
HB 117, Foil  
**Raises the minimum grade point average required for initial eligibility for a Taylor Opportunity Program for Students (TOPS) Opportunity Award**  
May 23, 2017 House Called from the calendar  
May 23, 2017 House Amended  
May 23, 2017 House Returned to the calendar subject to call  
May 23, 2017 House Called from the calendar  
May 23, 2017 House Amended  
May 23, 2017 House Finally passed by vote of 53 to 32  
May 24, 2017 Senate Received in the Senate

HB 137, Jenkins  
**Provides relative to the filing of requests for medical review panels**  
May 23, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled  
May 23, 2017 Senate Reported favorably  
May 24, 2017 Senate Referred to the Legislative Bureau  
May 25, 2017 Senate Reported without Bureau amendments  
May 25, 2017 Senate Passed to 3rd reading

HB 154, Carpenter  
**Authorizes the disclosure of autopsy-related documents to the Department of Children and Family Services at no charge**  
May 22, 2017 Senate Received in the Senate  
May 23, 2017 Senate Referred to committee on Judiciary A

HB 159, Miller, D.  
**Requires certain mental health providers to be licensed under the Behavioral Health Services Provider Licensing Law**  
May 22, 2017 Senate Reported without Bureau amendments  
May 22, 2017 Senate Passed to 3rd reading  
May 23, 2017 Senate Finally passed by vote of 36 to 0

HB 165, Anders  
**Provides for identification of dental benefit plan coverage**  
May 22, 2017 Senate Reported without Bureau amendments  
May 22, 2017 Senate Passed to 3rd reading  
May 23, 2017 Senate Returned to the calendar subject to call  
May 23, 2017 Senate Called from the calendar  
May 23, 2017 Senate Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0

HB 179, Stokes  
**Provides relative to devices authorized for use by the Right To Try Act**  
May 24, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled  
May 24, 2017 Senate Reported favorably  
May 25, 2017 Senate Referred to the Legislative Bureau
HB 192, Moreno
Provides for limitations on the prescribing of opioids
May 22, 2017 Senate Reported with Bureau amendments
May 22, 2017 Senate Passed to 3rd reading
May 23, 2017 Senate Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0
May 23, 2017 House Received from the Senate with amendments

HB 225, Pearson
Adds certain substances to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law
May 23, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled
May 23, 2017 Senate Reported favorably
May 24, 2017 Senate Referred to the Legislative Bureau
May 25, 2017 Senate Reported without Bureau amendments
May 25, 2017 Senate Passed to 3rd reading

HB 236, Shadoin
Eliminates certain constitutional dedication of revenue and certain treasury funds
May 22, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled
May 22, 2017 House Reported with amendments
May 23, 2017 House Reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading
May 25, 2017 House Returned to the calendar subject to call
May 25, 2017 House Notice given to call from calendar on Wednesday, May 31, 2017

HB 250, Pylant
Authorizes local needle exchange programs
May 22, 2017 Senate Reported without Bureau amendments
May 22, 2017 Senate Passed to 3rd reading
May 23, 2017 Senate Finally passed by vote of 36 to 1

HB 255, Carter, G.
Allows for the use of the Budget Stabilization Fund for the state costs associated with a declared disaster
May 22, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled
May 22, 2017 House Reported without amendments
May 23, 2017 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
May 25, 2017 House Returned to the calendar subject to call
May 25, 2017 House Notice given to call from calendar on Tuesday, May 30, 2017

HB 281, Norton
Requires the Louisiana Department of Health to implement the Medicaid health home option for persons with serious mental illness
May 22, 2017 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
May 22, 2017 House Called from committee
May 22, 2017 House Recommitted to committee on Appropriations

HB 305, Johnson
Provides for the regulation of the practice of physical therapy
May 24, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled
May 24, 2017   Senate   Reported with amendments
May 25, 2017   Senate   Referred to the Legislative Bureau

HB 306, Johnson
Provides relative to pharmacy reimbursement by managed care organizations
   May 22, 2017   Senate   Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

HB 317, Bagley
Provides for the acceptance of a child surrendered for adoption by the Department of Children and Family Services
   May 23, 2017   Senate   Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0

HB 405, Hoffmann
Provides relative to the Medicaid disability services system
   May 22, 2017   House   Hearing Scheduled
   May 22, 2017   House   Reported with amendments
   May 23, 2017   House   Reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading
   May 23, 2017   House   Scheduled for Floor Debate on 5/25/2017
   May 25, 2017   House   Finally passed by vote of 89 to 0

HB 412, LeBas
Authorizes the possession and application of sunscreen at public schools
   May 25, 2017   Senate   Hearing Scheduled

HB 414, Leger
Revises license and bed fee amounts for facilities and providers licensed by the La. Department of Health
   May 25, 2017   House   Called from the calendar
   May 25, 2017   House   Failed to pass by vote of 59 to 29; to be reconsidered

HB 427, Miller, D.
Provides relative to the tax credit for certain medical providers
   May 22, 2017   House   Amended
   May 22, 2017   House   Finally passed by vote of 90 to 0
   May 23, 2017   Senate   Received in the Senate
   May 24, 2017   Senate   Referred to committee on Revenue & Fiscal Affairs

HB 435, Talbot
Requires disclosure to patient of out-of–network providers prior to surgery
   May 24, 2017   Senate   Hearing Scheduled
   May 24, 2017   Senate   Reported favorably
   May 25, 2017   Senate   Referred to the Legislative Bureau
**HB 436**, Talbot  
Requires drug manufacturers to provide information regarding prescription drug prices  
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**HB 452**, Abramson  
Makes requirement for in-service training relative to suicide prevention applicable to nonpublic and charter school teachers and other employees  
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**HB 459**, Bacala  
Creates and provides for a task force on coordination of Medicaid fraud detection and prevention initiatives  
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**HB 486**, Johnson  
Provides relative to the state central registry for child abuse and neglect  
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**HB 490**, Leger  
Creates the Advisory Council on Heroin and Opioid Prevention and Education  
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**HB 531**, Hoffmann  
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**HB 533**, Hunter  
Provides relative to drinking water standards  
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HB 557, Seabaugh
Provides for criminal background checks relative to early learning centers, school employees, registered family child care providers and in-home providers
May 25, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled

HB 584, Leger
Creates a special fund for the purpose of funding early childhood education in Louisiana
May 24, 2017 House Amended
May 24, 2017 House Finally passed by vote of 94 to 0
May 25, 2017 Senate Received in the Senate

HB 586, Hunter
Requires certain publicly funded healthcare facilities and providers to institute policies relative to continuity of patient care
May 22, 2017 House Substitute bill adopted: HB 690

HB 678, Horton
Provides relative to prenatal neglect and reporting thereof
May 24, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled
May 24, 2017 Senate Reported with amendments
May 25, 2017 Senate Referred to the Legislative Bureau

HB 680, Marino
Provides relative to child support when a parent is incarcerated
May 22, 2017 House Called from the calendar
May 25, 2017 House Returned to the calendar subject to call
May 25, 2017 House Notice given to call from calendar on Tuesday, May 30, 2017

HB 681, Moreno
Eliminates restrictions on eligibility for certain public assistance for persons with prior drug convictions
May 25, 2017 House Called from the calendar
May 25, 2017 House Returned to the calendar subject to call
May 25, 2017 House Notice given to call from calendar on Tuesday, May 30, 2017

HB 684, Gisclair
Establishes a permit fee for milk and dairy farms and plants
May 24, 2017 House Finally passed by vote of 96 to 0
May 24, 2017 Senate Received in the Senate

HB 690, Hunter
Requires adoption of administrative rules relative to continuity of patient care for certain publicly funded healthcare facilities and providers
May 22, 2017 House Introduced in the House
May 22, 2017 House Substituted for HB 586
May 23, 2017 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
May 25, 2017 House Returned to the calendar subject to call
HCR 8, Barras
Provides for a hospital stabilization formula
  May 22, 2017  Senate  Received in the Senate
  May 24, 2017  Senate  Referred to committee on Finance

HCR 51, Jackson
Authorizes and directs the La. Department of Health to issue rules requiring reporting of immunization information
  May 22, 2017  House  Returned to the calendar subject to call
  May 22, 2017  House  Called from the calendar
  May 22, 2017  House  Finally passed by vote of 72 to 0
  May 22, 2017  Senate  Received in the Senate
  May 24, 2017  Senate  Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

SB 14, Luneau
Amends the definition of "auto-injector" for purposes of emergency medical services
  May 22, 2017  House  Passed to 3rd reading

SB 16, Claitor
Provides relative to certain juveniles sentenced to life without parole
  May 23, 2017  House  Amended
  May 23, 2017  House  Finally passed by vote of 82 to 3

SB 34, Boudreaux
Provides relative to emergency ground ambulance service providers
  May 22, 2017  House  Reported without Bureau amendments
  May 23, 2017  House  Passed to 3rd reading

SB 38, Morrell
Provides with respect to mental health counselors
  May 22, 2017  House  Referred to committee on Health & Welfare
  May 23, 2017  House  Hearing Scheduled
  May 23, 2017  House  Reported favorably
  May 23, 2017  House  Referred to the Legislative Bureau
  May 24, 2017  House  Reported with Bureau amendments
  May 25, 2017  House  Passed to 3rd reading

SB 39, Boudreaux
Provides relative to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners
  May 22, 2017  House  Reported with Bureau amendments
  May 23, 2017  House  Passed to 3rd reading

SB 42, Johns
Creates the Louisiana Human Trafficking Prevention Commission and Advisory Board
  May 23, 2017  House  Finally passed by vote of 87 to 0
**SB 54**, Mizell
Provides for the unlawful exploitation of children
May 24, 2017 Senate Amended
May 24, 2017 Senate Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0
May 25, 2017 House Received in the House

**SB 55**, Mills
Provides relative to prescribers of controlled dangerous substances
May 23, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled
May 23, 2017 House Reported with amendments
May 23, 2017 House Referred to the Legislative Bureau
May 24, 2017 House Reported without Bureau amendments
May 25, 2017 House Passed to 3rd reading

**SB 59**, Mills
Provides relative to prescription drug price information
May 23, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled
May 23, 2017 House Reported with amendments
May 23, 2017 House Referred to the Legislative Bureau
May 24, 2017 House Reported without Bureau amendments
May 25, 2017 House Passed to 3rd reading

**SB 66**, Barrow
Provides relative to the Children's Cabinet and the Child Poverty Prevention Council of Louisiana
May 23, 2017 House Reported without Bureau amendments
May 23, 2017 House Passed to 3rd reading

**SB 71**, Donahue
Provides relative to TOPS award amounts
May 23, 2017 House Finally passed by vote of 88 to 1

**SB 75**, Mills
Provides relative to the health professional licensing boards created within the Louisiana Department of Health
May 23, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled
May 23, 2017 House Involuntarily deferred

**SB 96**, Johns
Provides relative to the prescription monitoring program
May 23, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled
May 23, 2017 House Reported favorably
May 23, 2017 House Referred to the Legislative Bureau
May 24, 2017 House Reported without Bureau amendments
May 25, 2017 House Passed to 3rd reading
**SB 106**, Bishop  
Requires public postsecondary institutions to develop and implement an action plan to address the prevention of unplanned pregnancies  
- May 22, 2017 Senate Reported with amendments  
- May 23, 2017 Senate Reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading  
- May 24, 2017 Senate Finally passed by vote of 35 to 0  
- May 24, 2017 House Received in the House  
- May 25, 2017 House Referred to committee on Education

**SB 111**, Mizell  
Requires proof of identification from parents for an unemancipated minor child to obtain an abortion based upon parental consent and requires court-ordered counseling if it is suspected that the minor is a victim of criminal sexual exploitation  
- May 23, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled  
- May 23, 2017 House Reported favorably  
- May 23, 2017 House Referred to the Legislative Bureau  
- May 24, 2017 House Reported without Bureau amendments  
- May 25, 2017 House Passed to 3rd reading

**SB 116**, Mills  
Provides for the Work Out Now: WON Louisiana Legislative Commission  
- May 22, 2017 House Passed to 3rd reading

**SB 158**, Milkovich  
Provides relative to bullying  
- May 25, 2017 Senate Hearing Scheduled

**SB 180**, Morrell  
Restores the sales and use tax exemption for medical devices  
- May 22, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled

**SB 216**, Tarver  
Provides for physician assistants executing emergency certificates relative to alleged mental illness or substance abuse  
- May 23, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled  
- May 23, 2017 House Reported with amendments  
- May 23, 2017 House Referred to the Legislative Bureau  
- May 24, 2017 House Reported without Bureau amendments  
- May 25, 2017 House Passed to 3rd reading

**SB 255**, Morrell  
Provides relative to health-related policies established by certain early learning centers  
- May 23, 2017 House Hearing Scheduled  
- May 23, 2017 House Reported favorably  
- May 23, 2017 House Referred to the Legislative Bureau  
- May 24, 2017 House Reported without Bureau amendments  
- May 25, 2017 House Passed to 3rd reading
SB 257, Morrell
Provides relative to the Louisiana State Board of Home Inspectors
May 22, 2017  Senate  Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
May 24, 2017  Senate  Amended
May 24, 2017  Senate  Finally passed by vote of 37 to 0
May 25, 2017  House  Received in the House
May 25, 2017  House  Referred to committee on Commerce