## **AGENDA**

House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

Wednesday, April 2, 2014 Committee Room 2 9:30 AM

Chairman: Timothy G. "Tim" Burns Vice Chairman: Michael E. Danahay

- Staff: Patricia Lowrey-Dufour, Legislative Analyst Mark Mahaffey, Attorney Shawn O'Brien, Secretary
- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

 HB 105	JAMES	<b>ETHICS</b> Increases the amount of supplemental compensation or benefits allowed to be provided to an attorney who is a public employee who is participating in a bona fide Loan Repayment Assistance Program
 HB 112	RICHARD	<b>LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS</b> (Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to the length of regular sessions in odd-numbered years and the consideration of certain measures in such sessions
 HB 252	BURNS, TIM	<b>DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL</b> Provides relative to the application of certain ethics code provisions to certain members of the board of commissioners of the St. Tammany Parish Development District
 HB 292	ABRAMSON	<b>CONSTITUTION/CONVENTION</b> Provides for calling a limited constitutional convention for fiscal purposes and preparations therefor
 HB 296	CONNICK	<b>ELECTIONS</b> Provides for an automatic recount in elections when the number of absentee by mail and early voting ballots could make a difference in the outcome of the election
 HB 373	CARTER	<b>LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS</b> (Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to legislative sessions and bill introduction limits
 HB 374	GEYMANN	<b>BESE</b> (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for the election of all members of the State

Board of Elementary and Secondary Education LOCAL GOVERNMENT Relative to the **RICHARD** HB 391 revision of local government laws pursuant to HCR No. 218 of the 2009 Regular Session, transfers the Law Enforcement Executive Management Institute from the governor's office to the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections and provides for redesignation of provisions from Title 33 to Title 40 **CIVIL SERVICE** Prohibits certain questions HB 485 SMITH, P. regarding criminal history during the employment process for certain positions HB 500 ETHICS/CODE Allows a public servant to **BERTHELOT** accept gifts valued at twenty-five dollars or less, up to an aggregate value of seventy-five dollars from any one person in a calendar year ABRAMSON **APPROPRIATIONS** Requires certain quasi HB 626 public and nongovernmental entities to submit information to the legislative auditor and be approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget prior to receiving state monies or assistance HB 786 LANDRY, N. **SCHOOLS/BOARDS** Provides relative to the election of members of the Lafayette Parish School Board HB 858 BARROW **STATE AGENCIES** Provides that an action by a state agency which results in the termination of one hundred or more employees or a change in the parish in which one hundred or more employees report to work shall not be effective or enforcable unless it meets certain requirements HB 1030 **THOMPSON, J** ELECTIONS Repeals additional fees imposed on candidates by political party committees

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE SUBMIT A WITNESS CARD TO THE SECRETARY BEFORE THE MEETING BEGINS IF YOU WANT TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.