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SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

NOTICE OF MEETING
May 22, 2008
Upon Adjournment
John J. Hainkel, Jr. Room

A G E N D A

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (MAY 15, 2008 MEETING)
- IV. LEGISLATION TO BE CONSIDERED

SCR 42	NEVERS	COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES Approves the establishment of a learning center in St. Tammany Parish.
SB 565	CROWE	TOPS Change the name of TOPS Scholarship to the Taylor Opportunity Program Scholarship.
HB 200	HAZEL	STUDENT/SCH ATTENDANCE Provides that certain children of military personnel shall be temporarily excused from school under specified circumstances
HB 359	LAFONTA	EDUCATION Requires certain school boards to provide information to certain students relative to human papillomavirus (HPV) and immunization against it

- HB 361 SMITH, PATRICIA STUDENT/DISCIPLINE** Provides relative to the conditions required for certain expelled students to be admitted or readmitted to public school
- HB 671 NOWLIN SCHOOLS/LA MATH, SCIENCE** Requires the board of directors of the La. School of Math, Science, and the Arts to develop and adopt a policy for sabbatical leave for certified employees prior to the beginning of the 2009-2010 school year
- HB 721 SMILEY SCHOOLS/HIGH SCHOOL** Adds a member of the Nonpublic School Commission to the High School Redesign Commission
- HB 1053 HARRISON EDUCATION/SPECIAL** Provides for comprehensive revision of the educational opportunities for children with exceptionalities provisions
- HB 1069 WILLIAMS SCHOOLS** Requires the board of the New Orleans Center for the Creative Arts/Riverfront (NOCCA) to develop a plan to enter into cooperative agreements to provide educational services to students in public school systems throughout the state
- HB 1091 PETERSON STUDENT/SCH ATTENDANCE** Creates the Louisiana School Dropout Prevention Act of 2008 and provides for the circumstances under which certain students may withdraw from school
- HB 1347 BADON, AUSTIN STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP** Establishes the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program to provide funds for eligible students to attend participating public and nonpublic schools

V. CONSIDERATION OF ANY OTHER MATTERS THAT MAY COME BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

VI. ADJOURNMENT

THIS NOTICE CONTAINS A TENTATIVE AGENDA AND MAY BE REVISED PRIOR TO THE MEETING. REVISED NOTICES CAN BE CHECKED ON THE WALL OUTSIDE THE COMMITTEE ROOM IN WHICH THE MEETING IS TO BE HELD, ON THE BULLETIN BOARDS OUTSIDE THE HOUSE AND SENATE CHAMBERS (MEMORIAL HALLS), AT THE BILL ROOM IN THE BASEMENT, OR BY CALLING THE PULS LINE 342-2456.

Senator Ben W. Nevers, Chairman