Louisiana Family Forum Action
Family Security Advisory

2005 Regular Session - LA House of Representatives

1. HUMAN CLONING BAN
HB 492 (Morris/Brune) (Final Passage)
- Bans all forms of human embryonic cloning including cloning for research purposes.
Status: Passed House. Died in Senate Committee.
Yes = 75 (+) No = 23 (-) Not Voting = 7 (?)

2. CLONE & KILL
HB 736 (Lafleur) (Final Passage)
- Allows for the destruction of human embryos through cloning for research purposes.
Status: Failed House Final Passage
Yes = 45 (-) No = 54 (+) Not Voting = 6 (?)

3. HUMAN DIGNITY ACT
HB 675 (Beard) (Final Passage)
- Designed to prevent a "Terri Schiavo-like situation" in Louisiana.
Affirms a preference for life when dealing with difficult end-of-life situations.
Status: Signed by the Governor.
Yes = 60 (+) No = 43 (-) Not Voting = 2 (?)

4. SPECIAL PRIVILEGES FOR HOMOSEXUALS
HB 317 (LaFonta) (Final Passage)
- Provides special privileges for homosexuals regarding hiring practices in state government.
Status: Failed on House Final Passage
Yes = 42 (-) No = 57 (+) Not Voting = 5 (?)

5. SCHOOL CHOICE
HB 613 (Burns) (Final Passage)
- Establishes the Vouchers for Students in Failing Schools Pilot Program in certain parishes
Status: Passed House. Died in Senate Committee.
Yes = 62 (+) No = 37 (-) Not Voting = 5 (?)

6. DRIVE-THRU DAQUIRIS
HB 754 (Hébert) (Final Passage)
- Allows thousands of convenience stores in Louisiana to sell daquiris.
Status: Failed on House Final Passage
Yes = 38 (-) No = 62 (+) Not Voting = 5 (?)

7. CRUISE SHIP GAMBLING
HB 114 (Marty) (Final Passage)
- Expands gambling by allowing Mississippi River cruise ship passengers to gamble.
Status: Passed House. Failed on Senate final passage.
Yes = 56 (-) No = 45 (+) Not Voting = 4 (?)

8. AIRPORT GAMBLING
HB 799 (Richmond) (Final Passage)
- Expands gambling by installing slot machines at the New Orleans airport.
Status: Passed House. Failed on Senate final passage.
Yes = 55 (-) No = 44 (+) Not Voting = 6 (?)

COLOR KEY
Outstanding Family Advocate
Honorable Mention
Average
Needs Improvement
Hall of Shame

CHART KEY
+ = Pro-family Vote
- = Anti-family Vote
? = Not Voting/Absent
= Not In Office

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