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The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Representative Mautino in the chair.

Prayer by Pastor Shaun Lewis, who is the Illinois State Director of Capitol Ministries.

Representative McAsey led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

By direction of the Speaker, a roll call was taken to ascertain the attendance of Members, as follows: 115 present. (ROLL CALL 1)

By unanimous consent, Representatives Harris, Mulligan and Rita were excused from attendance.

REPORTS

The Clerk of the House acknowledges receipt of the following correspondence:

Report on In-car Camera, submitted by Carlinville Police Department on April 21, 2009.

Financial Audit for Office of the Treasurer, Fiscal Officer Responsibilities, submitted by Office of the Auditor General on April 21, 2009.

Compliance Examination for Department on Aging, submitted by Office of the Auditor General on April 21, 2009.

Financial Audit for North Cook Intermediate Service Center No. 1, submitted by Office of the Auditor General on April 21, 2009.

Financial Audit for ROE 9, submitted by Office of the Auditor General on April 21, 2009.

Financial Audit for ROE 4, submitted by Office of the Auditor General on April 21, 2009.

Financial Audit for ROE 3, submitted by Office of the Auditor General on April 21, 2009.

Financial Audit for ROE 22, submitted by Office of the Auditor General on April 21, 2009.

Financial Audit for ROE 53, submitted by Office of the Auditor General on April 21, 2009.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS FOR COMMITTEES NOT REPORTING

Representative Collins replaced Representative Harris in the Committee on Appropriations-Public Safety on April 22, 2009.

Representative Reboletti replaced Representative Saviano in the Committee on Appropriations-Public Safety on April 22, 2009.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Hoffman replaced Representative Joyce in the Committee on Vehicles & Safety on April 22, 2009.

Representative Bradley replaced Representative Lang in the Committee on Rules on April 22, 2009.

Representative Durkin replaced Representative Pritchard in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on April 22, 2009.

Representative Black replaced Representative Watson in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on April 22, 2009.

Representative Ford replaced Representative Dugan in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on April 22, 2009.

REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Representative Currie, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

Agriculture & Conservation: SENATE BILL 1443.

Cities & Villages: SENATE BILL 264.

Counties & Townships: SENATE BILLS 574 and 587.

Elementary & Secondary Education: SENATE BILLS 2014 and 2214.

Executive: SENATE BILLS 171, 226, 227, 246, 302, 1481, 1482, 1648, 1819, 1971, 2044, 2072 and 2289.

Human Services: SENATE BILLS 44, 658, 1499, 1535 and HOUSE RESOLUTION 274.

Judiciary I - Civil Law: SENATE BILLS 1274 and 1738.

Judiciary II - Criminal Law: SENATE BILLS 310, 1832 and 1841.

Labor: SENATE BILL 1918.

Personnel and Pensions: SENATE BILLS 214, 1440 and 1510. Revenue & Finance: SENATE BILLS 271, 1948 and 2224.

State Government Administration: SENATE BILLS 1753, 2090 and 2178.

Veterans' Affairs: SENATE BILL 1462.

The committee roll call vote on the foregoing Legislative Measures is as follows:

5, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Currie(D), Chairperson Y Black(R), Republican Spokesperson

Y Bradley(D) (replacing Lang) Y Schmitz(R)

Y Turner(D)

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Jakobsson, Chairperson, from the Committee on Human Services to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 231, 1330, 1372, 1393, 1404, 1628, 1704 and 1736.

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 212.

That the resolution be reported "recommends be adopted" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTION 65.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 1330, 1704 and 1736 is as follows:

6, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Jakobsson(D), Chairperson Y Howard(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Bellock(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Cole(R) A Collins(D) Y Flowers(D)

Y Schmitz(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 212 is as follows:

6, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

Y Jakobsson(D), Chairperson Y Howard(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Bellock(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Cole(R) Y Collins(D) N Flowers(D)

Y Schmitz(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 231 is as follows:

7, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Jakobsson(D), Chairperson Y Howard(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Bellock(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Cole(R) Y Collins(D) Y Flowers(D)

Y Schmitz(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 1372, 1393, 1404, 1628 and House Resolution 65 is as follows:

5, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Jakobsson(D), Chairperson Y Howard(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Bellock(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Cole(R) A Collins(D) A Flowers(D)

Y Schmitz(R)

Representative D'Amico, Chairperson, from the Committee on Vehicles & Safety to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 75 and 1897.

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 1341.

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-Standard Debate: SENATE BILL 1467.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 75 is as follows:

7, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y D'Amico(D), Chairperson Y Hoffman(D) (replacing Joyce)

Y Tracy(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Beiser(D)
Y Hatcher(R) Y Reboletti(R)

Y Ryg(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1341 is as follows:

7, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y D'Amico(D), Chairperson Y Joyce(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Tracy(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Beiser(D)
Y Hatcher(R) Y Reboletti(R)

Y Ryg(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1467 is as follows:

4, Yeas; 3, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

N D'Amico(D), Chairperson N Joyce(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Tracy(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Beiser(D)

Y Hatcher(R) Y Reboletti(R) N Ryg(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1897 is as follows:

5, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y D'Amico(D), Chairperson A Joyce(D), Vice-Chairperson

A Tracy(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Beiser(D)
Y Hatcher(R) Y Reboletti(R)

Y Ryg(D)

Representative Phelps, Chairperson, from the Committee on Health Care Licenses to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 1487 and 1507.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 1487 and 1507 is as follows:

7, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

A Reitz(D), Chairperson Y Phelps(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Saviano(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Coulson(R)
A Harris(D) Y Jackson(D)
Y Kosel(R) Y McAuliffe(R)
A McCarthy(D) A Miller(D)
A Mulligan(R) Y Verschoore(D)

Representative Bradley, Chairperson, from the Committee on Judiciary I - Civil Law to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 100, 154, 1053, 1389, 1541, 1590, 1612 and 1631.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 100 and 1590 is as follows:

10, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

A Fritchey(D), Chairperson Y Bradley(D), Vice-Chairperson

A Rose(R), Republican Spokesperson
A Brosnahan(D)
Y Coladipietro(R)
A Gordon, Careen(D)
A Hoffman(D)
Y Mathias(R)
Y Osmond(R)
Y Thapedi(D)
Y Tracy(R)
Y Wait(R)

Y Zalewski(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1541 is as follows:

12, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

A Fritchey(D), Chairperson Y Bradley(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Rose(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Coladipietro(R)
Y Connelly(R)
A Gordon, Careen(D)
A Hoffman(D)
Y Mathias(R)
Y Osmond(R)
Y Tracy(R)

A Brosnahan(D)
Y Connelly(R)
Y Lang(D)
Y Nekritz(D)
Y Thapedi(D)
Y Wait(R)

Y Zalewski(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 1053 and 1631 is as follows:

14, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

A Fritchey(D), Chairperson Y Bradley(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Rose(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Coladipietro(R)
Y Gordon, Careen(D)
Y Hamos(D)
Y Hamos(D)
Y Hamos(D)
Y Hamos(D)
Y Mathias(R)
Y Nekritz(D)
Y Osmond(R)
Y Tracy(R)
Y Wait(R)

Y Zalewski(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 154, 1389 and 1612 is as follows:

13, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

A Fritchey(D), Chairperson Y Bradley(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Rose(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Coladipietro(R)
Y Gordon, Careen(D)
A Hoffman(D)
Y Mathias(R)
Y Osmond(R)
Y Tracy(R)
A Brosnahan(D)
Y Connelly(R)
Y Connelly(R)
Y Lang(D)
Y Nekritz(D)
Y Thapedi(D)
Y Wait(R)

Y Zalewski(D)

Representative Smith, Chairperson, from the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 35, 79, 187, 1276, 1412, 1675 and 1828.

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 269.

That the resolution be reported "recommends be adopted" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTION 56.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 269 is as follows:

12, Yeas; 5, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Smith(D), Chairperson N Crespo(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Mitchell, Jerry(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Bassi(R) N Cavaletto(R) Y Colvin(D)

Y Davis, Monique(D) Y Ford(D) (replacing Dugan)

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Y Pihos(R) Y Durkin(R) (replacing Pritchard)

A Reis(R) N Senger(R)
Y Black(R) (replacing Watson) Y Yarbrough(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1675 is as follows:

17, Yeas; 2, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Smith(D), Chairperson Y Crespo(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Mitchell, Jerry(R), Republican Spokesperson N Bassi(R)

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Y Cavaletto(R)
                                               Y Colvin(D)
Y Davis, Monique(D)
                                               Y Dugan(D)
                                               Y Flider(D)
Y Eddy(R)
Y Froehlich(D)
                                               Y Golar(D)
                                               Y Osterman(D)
A Miller(D)
N Pihos(R)
                                               Y Pritchard(R)
Y Reis(R)
                                               Y Senger(R)
Y Watson(R)
                                               Y Yarbrough(D)
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The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1276 is as follows:

18, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

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Y Smith(D), Chairperson
                                                Y Crespo(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Mitchell, Jerry(R), Republican Spokesperson
                                                Y Bassi(R)
                                                Y Colvin(D)
Y Cavaletto(R)
Y Davis, Monique(D)
                                                Y Dugan(D)
Y Eddy(R)
                                                Y Flider(D)
Y Froehlich(D)
                                                Y Golar(D)
                                                Y Osterman(D)
A Miller(D)
Y Pihos(R)
                                                Y Pritchard(R)
Y Reis(R)
                                                Y Senger(R)
Y Watson(R)
                                                A Yarbrough(D)
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The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 79 and 1828 is as follows:

19, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

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Y Smith(D), Chairperson
                                                Y Crespo(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Mitchell, Jerry(R), Republican Spokesperson
                                                Y Bassi(R)
Y Cavaletto(R)
                                                Y Colvin(D)
Y Davis, Monique(D)
                                                Y Dugan(D)
Y Eddy(R)
                                                Y Flider(D)
Y Froehlich(D)
                                                Y Golar(D)
A Miller(D)
                                                Y Osterman(D)
Y Pihos(R)
                                                Y Pritchard(R)
Y Reis(R)
                                                Y Senger(R)
Y Watson(R)
                                                Y Yarbrough(D)
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The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 35, 187, 1412 and House Resolution 56 is as follows: 20, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Smith(D), Chairperson	Y Crespo(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Mitchell, Jerry(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Bassi(R)
Y Cavaletto(R)	Y Colvin(D)
Y Davis, Monique(D)	Y Dugan(D)
Y Eddy(R)	Y Flider(D)
Y Froehlich(D)	Y Golar(D)
Y Miller(D)	Y Osterman(D)
Y Pihos(R)	Y Pritchard(R)
Y Reis(R)	Y Senger(R)
Y Watson(R)	Y Yarbrough(D)

MOTIONS SUBMITTED

Representative Black submitted the following written motion, which was placed on the order of Motions in Writing:

MOTION

Pursuant to Rule 18(g), I move to discharge the Committee on Rules from further consideration of HOUSE BILL 4438 and advance to the order of Second Reading - Standard Debate.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by

Ms. Rock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker -- I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following Senate Joint Resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 35

WHEREAS, In 1935, during the middle of the Great Depression, the United States Congress established, by law, that workers in the U.S. must be free to form a collective bargaining unit; and

WHEREAS, The 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights implemented by the United Nations recognizes the freedom to form or join a union as a fundamental human right; and

WHEREAS, Workers who first joined unions are credited with starting the American middle class, while continuing to fight for higher living standards, equal rights for all Americans, and ending discrimination in the workplace; and

WHEREAS, 69 percent of Americans agree that it is very or fairly important to have strong laws that give employees the freedom to make their own choice about whether to form a union in their workplace; and

WHEREAS, Union members consistently earn 29 percent higher wages and 35 percent better benefits than those employees who do not belong to a collective bargaining unit; and

WHEREAS, Union membership helps raise workers' pay and narrow the income gap for minorities and women, increasing median weekly earnings by 31 percent for union women workers, 31 percent for African-American workers, 50 percent for Latino workers, and 9 percent for Asian-American workers; and

WHEREAS, Workers across the nation are routinely intimidated when trying to form unions and bargain for a better life; 25 percent of private sector employers illegally fire at least one worker for union activity during organizing campaigns; and

WHEREAS, Recent national surveys show that 60 million non-union workers would like to have a union for collective bargaining in their workplace; furthermore, 78 percent of American adults favor legislation that would make it easier for workers to bargain with their employers; and

WHEREAS, An entire host of business consultants devoted to making sure that the National Labor Relations Act election process does not result in collective bargaining has grown into a \$4 billion industry in the United States; and

WHEREAS, 78 percent of employers force their employees to attend mandatory anti-union meetings; and

WHEREAS, 64 percent of American adults favor strengthening penalties for companies that illegally intimidate or fire employees who try to form a union in their workplace; and

WHEREAS, Employers often refuse to bargain fairly with workers after forming a union by dragging out first contract bargaining for up to two years in 45 percent of successful campaigns; and

WHEREAS, The Employee Free Choice Act has been introduced in the 111th United States Congress in order to restore workers' freedom to join a union; and

WHEREAS, The Employee Free Choice Act will safeguard workers' ability to make their own decisions about joining a union without harassment or fear of losing their jobs, provide for first contract mediation and arbitration, and establish meaningful penalties when employers violate workers' rights; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we support the provisions of the Employee Free Choice Act, which would authorize the National Labor Relations Board to certify a union as the bargaining representative when a majority of employees voluntarily sign authorization cards designating the union they wish to represent them, provide for first contract mediation and arbitration, and establish meaningful penalties for violations of a worker's freedom to choose a union;

and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the United States Senate Majority Leader, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and to each member of the Illinois Congressional delegation.

Adopted by the Senate, April 22, 2009.

Jillayne Rock, Secretary of the Senate

CHANGE OF SPONSORSHIP

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Pritchard was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Brosnahan became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 1578.

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Winters was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Nekritz became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 2184.

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Sacia was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Verschoore became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 1783.

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Pritchard was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Wait became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 1661.

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Pritchard was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Ryg became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 2093.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered and placed in the Committee on Rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 275

Offered by Representative Cavaletto:

WHEREAS, The general public as well as conservation and constituent organizations strongly support the efforts of the Illinois Department of Natural Resources to support, enhance, and protect the natural resources of the State of Illinois through management and education programs; and

WHEREAS, It is in the best interest of the natural resources of the State for the Department to work and communicate openly with all Illinois citizens; and

WHEREAS, The Conservation Congress is to propose and advocate actions by elected and appointed officials to protect and conserve the natural resources of the State; and

WHEREAS, The Conservation Congress is to ensure through professional management that the recreational opportunities associated with these resources and the sustainable use and enjoyment of these resources remain available for this and future generations; and

WHEREAS, The Department has expressed renewed interest in reinstituting the Conservation Congress to improve communication with Illinois constituents regarding common issues of concern; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we support the re-establishment of the Conservation Congress to assist in the protection, conservation, education, and appropriate use of the natural, recreational, and cultural resources of the State; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we support and encourage the Illinois Department of Natural Resources to convene the Conservation Congress in a manner and time frame permitted by the Department's monetary and personnel resources; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution shall be delivered to the Director of Natural Resources and the Governor of the State of Illinois.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 288

Offered by Representative Stephens:

WHEREAS, The Department of Homeland Security's Office of Intelligence and Analysis released a report titled "Rightwing Extremism: Current Economic and Political Climate Fueling Resurgence in Radicalization and Recruitment"; and

WHEREAS, The report suggests that acts of violence could come from unnamed "rightwing extremists" concerned about illegal immigration, abortion, increasing federal power, and restrictions on firearms; the report singles out returning war veterans as susceptible to recruitment; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Homeland Security assessed that right-wing extremists will attempt to recruit and radicalize returning veterans in order to exploit their skills and knowledge derived from military training and combat; and

WHEREAS, The report says that veterans are of particular interest among radicals, who would seek to recruit returning troops with "combat skills and experience" so as to boost their "violent capabilities"; and

WHEREAS, Pete Hegseth, chairman of Vets for Freedom and an Army veteran who served in Iraq, said the report represents a "gross misunderstanding and oversimplification [and] it's amazing they would single out veterans as a threat to this country"; he also said that "It underscores a pervasive belief that some are trying to spread that veterans are victims and we're coming home as damaged goods that need to be coddled instead of celebrated."; and

WHEREAS, American veterans have answered the call of duty and served our country when it needed them; and

WHEREAS, Veterans have risked their lives protecting our freedom; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge Janet Napolitano, Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security, to apologize to all veterans for alleging that those who serve our country are one of the greatest risks of extremism; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge Janet Napolitano to step down and resign as Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security in recognition of her actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be presented to Janet Napolitano, Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 293

Offered by Representative Coulson:

WHEREAS, As our State's seniors live longer lives, Illinois faces a major challenge in addressing long-term healthcare needs; and

WHEREAS, Eighty-six percent of people age 85 and older have at least one chronic condition which can cause pain, disability, and loss of functioning; and

WHEREAS, An estimated 48 million Americans over the age of 50 suffer from chronic pain; and

WHEREAS, Approximately 18 million children in the United States have developmental, physical, and/or behavioral disabilities that require significant home care; and

WHEREAS, Family caregivers provide 80 percent of long-term care in the United States, a level of care valued at \$306 billion a year, more than what is spent on nursing home and paid home care combined; and

WHEREAS, 29 million Americans provide home respite care to family members of all ages; and

WHEREAS, The Comprehensive Lifespan Respite Care Act of 2006 was passed by both chambers of the United States Congress and subsequently signed into law by President George W. Bush on December 21, 2006; and

WHEREAS, The Comprehensive Lifespan Respite Care Act of 2006 authorizes \$289 million to be provided to the states for the purpose of developing lifespan respite care at the state and local level, providing respite care services for family caregivers caring for children and adults, recruiting and training respite care volunteers and workers, providing information to respite caregivers about available respite or support services, and assisting caregivers in gaining access to such services; and

WHEREAS, On March 11, 2009, the President signed into law the FY09 Omnibus Appropriations bill which packages nine appropriation bills postponed from the last Congress to fund most federal agencies for this current fiscal year (FY09); the bill includes \$2.5 million for Lifespan Respite for this fiscal year; (funds must be obligated before September 30, 2009; and funds could be made available to states through a competitive grant process as soon as late spring or early summer); and

WHEREAS, Illinois may not be one of the eligible states, since Illinois is not prepared to apply for funding according to that Act; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the appropriate State agencies should take the necessary steps to secure federal funds available under the Comprehensive Lifespan Respite Care Act of 2006 for respite care development and implementation as soon as such funds are appropriated by the Congress and made available; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be delivered to the Governor.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 45

Offered by Representative May:

WHEREAS, The Chicago Chapter of the United States Green Building Council (USGBC), in cooperation with civic and corporate partners, has announced a project to help 3 Illinois public schools (one in Chicago, one in the suburbs, and one downstate) achieve certification under the USGBC's Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) standard for existing buildings; and

WHEREAS, The LEED building rating system provides standards for environmentally sustainable construction; and

WHEREAS, Thousands of buildings throughout the United States and other countries have become LEED certified; and

WHEREAS, This project will cover all of the additional costs of achieving LEED certification and will provide resources to project schools to allow them to determine how to shift costs from materials and services that negatively impact the environment toward those that improve the environment; and

WHEREAS, This project provides a model for a statewide campaign to transform every existing Illinois public school into a green school so that within a generation every child in Illinois can attend a green school; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that a Task Force shall be created to investigate how to retrofit 3 public schools in the State of Illinois to achieve LEED certification; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall develop the infrastructure for a statewide program coincident to the USGBC's project; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall be composed of one individual appointed by the Chair of the Chicago Chapter of the USGBC, who shall serve as the Chair of the Task Force; one individual appointed by the Director of Commerce and Economic Opportunity; one individual appointed by the State Superintendent of Education; one individual appointed by the Speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives; one individual appointed by the Minority Leader of the Illinois House of Representatives; one individual appointed by the President of the Illinois Senate; and one individual appointed by the Minority Leader of the Illinois Senate; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Capital Development Board shall provide administrative and other support to the Task Force; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the members of the Task Force shall be reimbursed for their travel expenses from appropriations to the Capital Development Board available for that purpose and subject to the rules of the appropriate travel control board; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution shall be delivered to the Chairperson of the Chicago Chapter of the USGBC, the Executive Director of the Capital Development Board, the Director of Commerce and Economic Opportunity, and the State Superintendent of Education.

Offered by Representative Coulson:

WHEREAS, There is no official statewide data on the health needs of our diverse student populations or the level of services required to meet these needs in this State; and

WHEREAS, Unmet health needs interfere with a student's ability to focus on learning and achieve their highest potential; and

WHEREAS, It is our intent to assure that students are healthy and ready to learn and to provide health service resources to enable all students to access education equally; and

WHEREAS, It is also our intent to support and sustain the healthy development of youth in partnership with parents, schools, health care providers, community organizations, and governmental agencies in keeping with the goals and objectives of Healthy People 2010; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we respectfully request that the State Board of Education, the Department of Human Services School Health Program and the Department of Public Health Division of Chronic Disease Prevention and Control establish a task force to study and compile a report on:

- 1) Identification of current student health needs and the level of health services required to address such needs;
- 2) Regulatory conflicts that limit delivery of school health services to students in need along with possible solutions; and
- 3) Needed support for and monitoring of school health services; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Public Health shall provide administrative and other support to the task force; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the task force shall consist of no more than 15 members appointed jointly by a working group of the three above agencies; the task force shall include one member from each of the agencies as well as additional members that shall be selected by the work group from organizations representing the interests of at minimum; school administrators, school board members, school nurses, nurses, school health advocates, school health centers, physician groups, teacher unions and parents; additional members may be determined at the discretion of the State agencies; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the task force will report to the General Assembly by January 1, 2010.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 47

Offered by Representative Coulson:

WHEREAS, The future of our nation's productivity and competitiveness in the global marketplace depends on the success of all men and women; and

WHEREAS, Women have been discriminated against in education, the workplace, and society as a whole; and

WHEREAS, Women continue to earn no more than 78 cents on the dollar compared to men; and

WHEREAS, The pay gap has been shown to start as soon as one year after college; this inequality affects not only women, but their families and society as a whole; and

WHEREAS, The pay gap between women and men has long-term effects on women's economic security; such a gap affects women's Social Security earnings, their ability to save for retirement, and their children's education; and

WHEREAS, Pay equity is closely linked to the eradication of poverty and is essential to having a highly-motivated workforce; and

WHEREAS, Equal Pay Day was originated by the National Committee on Pay Equity in 1996 as a public awareness event to illustrate the gap between men's and women's wages; the day, observed in April, symbolizes how far into the year a woman must work, on average, to earn as much as a man earned the previous year, with Tuesday being the day in which women's wages catch up to men's wages from the previous week; because women earn less on average than men, they must work longer for the same amount of pay; this wage gap is even greater for most women of color; and

WHEREAS, Equal pay is a priority for all women and for our society at large; therefore, be it RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL

ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate April 28, 2009 as Pay Equity Day in the State of Illinois in order to raise awareness about this endemic inequity.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILL

The following bill was introduced, read by title a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules:

HOUSE BILL 4438. Introduced by Representatives Black, Bassi, Beaubien, Bellock, Biggins, Bost, Brady, Brauer, Cavaletto, Coladipietro, Cole, Connelly, Coulson, Cross, Cultra, Durkin, Eddy, Fortner, Hatcher, Kosel, Leitch, Mathias, McAuliffe, Mitchell, Bill, Mitchell, Jerry, Moffitt, Mulligan, Myers, Osmond, Pihos, Poe, Pritchard, Ramey, Reboletti, Reis, Rose, Sacia, Saviano, Schmitz, Sommer, Stephens, Sullivan, Tracy, Tryon, Wait, Watson and Winters, AN ACT concerning compensation.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered and placed on the Calendar on the order of Agreed Resolutions.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 271

Offered by Representative Mulligan:

Congratulates Des Plaines Mayor Anthony Arredia on his retirement.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 272

Offered by Representative Cross:

Recognizes the 2009 Solheim Cup, the biennial, trans-Atlantic team match play competition, and supports the event to be hosted at Rich Harvest Farms in Sugar Grove.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 273

Offered by Representative Poe:

Mourns the death of Jimmie Lee Pierce of Springfield.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 286

Offered by Representative Senger:

Congratulates George Porter, Supervisor of Naperville Township, on his retirement.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 287

Offered by Representative Dugan:

Congratulates Norman Grimsley on the occasion of his retirement as Mayor of Aroma Park.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 289

Offered by Representative Ramey:

Congratulates Linda Gallien on the occasion of her retirement as Village Clerk of the Village of Bartlett.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 290

Offered by Representative Flider:

Recognizes the Spores N' More Mushroom Festival.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 291

Offered by Representative Saviano:

Recognizes the Boys' Town of Italy international charity and the celebration of the 64th anniversary of Boys' Town of Italy.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 292

Offered by Representative Cole:

Mourn the death of United States Army Sergeant Robert M. Weinger of Round Lake Beach.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 271, 272, 273, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 286, 287, 289, 290, 291 and 292 were taken up for consideration.

Representative Currie moved the adoption of the agreed resolutions.

The motion prevailed and the agreed resolutions were adopted.

ACTION ON MOTIONS

Representative Currie moved to table HOUSE BILLS 401, 417, 420, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 539, 540, 541, 642, 647, 945, 946, 947, 949, 2255, 2256, 2512, 3709, 3715, 3830, 3907, 3910, 3957, 4172 and HOUSE RESOLUTION 88.

The motion prevailed.

RESOLUTIONS

Having been reported out of the Committee on Human Services on March 17, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 17 was taken up for consideration.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Human Services, adopted and reproduced:

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend House Joint Resolution 17 on page 2, line 7, by replacing "2009" with "2010".

Representative Brady moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted, as amended.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Judiciary II - Criminal Law on March 12, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 18 was taken up for consideration.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Judiciary II - Criminal Law, adopted and reproduced:

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AMENDMENT NO. _1_. Amend House Joint Resolution 18 on page 2, line 6, by replacing "23" with "22"; and on page 3, by deleting lines 3 and 4; and on page 3, line 5, by replacing "(9)" with (8)"; and on page 3, line 7, by replacing "(10)" with (9)"; and on page 3, line 10, by replacing "(11)" with (10)"; and on page 3, line 13, by replacing "(12)" with (11)"; and on page 3, line 15, by replacing "(13)" with (12)"; and on page 3, line 17, by replacing "(14)" with (13)"; and on page 3, line 19, by replacing "(15)" with (14)"; and on page 3, line 21, by replacing "(16)" with (15)"; and on page 3, line 23, by replacing "(17)" with (16)"; and
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Representative Bassi offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

on page 3, line 26, by replacing "(18)" with (17)"; and on page 4, line 3, by replacing "(19)" with (18)"; and on page 4, line 8, by deleting "legislative staff and such".

AMENDMENT NO. 2 . Amend House Joint Resolution 18, AS AMENDED, by replacing everything after "AMENDMENT TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 18" with the following:

"WHEREAS, On January 1, 2009, Public Act 95-773, known as the Cindy Bischof Law, took effect; and

WHEREAS, The Law requires that when a person is charged with a violation of an order of protection, the court shall order the respondent to undergo a risk assessment and based on the results of the risk assessment and the other circumstances of the violation, it permits the court to order that the person, as a condition of bail, be placed under electronic surveillance and it permits the court to order an offender who is sentenced to probation or conditional discharge for a violation of an order of protection to be placed under electronic surveillance; and the Law requires that, as a condition of parole or mandatory supervised release, a person convicted of a violation of an order of protection must be placed under electronic surveillance; and

WHEREAS, The Law requires the supervising authority to use the best available global positioning technology to track domestic violence offenders; and

WHEREAS, The General Assembly finds that a Task Force to facilitate the implementation of the Cindy Bischof Law is necessary; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that the Cindy Bischof Law Implementation Task Force is created within the Illinois Department of Corrections; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall consist of 22 members appointed as follows:

- (1) 2 members appointed by the President of the Senate of which one member shall be a Senator and one shall be a member of the public;
- (2) 2 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate of which one member shall be a Senator and one shall be a member of the public;
- (3) 2 members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives of which one member shall be a Representative and one shall be a member of the public;
- (4) 2 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives of which one member shall be a Representative and one shall be a member of the public;
- (5) one member representing the Illinois Attorney General appointed by the Attorney General;
- (6) one member representing the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts appointed by the Director of the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts;
- (7) one member representing the Office of the Governor appointed by the Governor;
- (8) one member representing the Illinois Family Violence Coordinating Council appointed by that Council;

- (9) one member representing the Illinois Department of Human Services, Bureau of Domestic & Sexual Violence Prevention appointed by the Secretary of Human Services;
 - (10) one member representing the Illinois Department of Corrections-Parole Division appointed by the Director of Corrections;
 - (11) one member representing the Illinois State's Attorneys Association appointed by that Association;
 - (12) one member representing the Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police appointed by that Association;
 - (13) one member representing the Illinois Sheriffs' Association appointed by that Association;
 - (14) one member representing the Chicago Metropolitan Battered Women's Network appointed by that Network;
 - (15) one member representing the Illinois Coalition Against Domestic Violence appointed by that Coalition;
 - (16) one member representing the Office of the Cook County State's Attorney appointed by the Cook County State's Attorney;
- (17) one member representing the Illinois Probation and Court Services Departments appointed by the Director of the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts; and
- (18) one member representing the Cook County Adult Probation Services Department appointed by the chief probation officer of Cook County; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall choose its chairperson and such other officers as it deems necessary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall facilitate the implementation of the Cindy Bischof Law and study the progress of implementation of the Cindy Bischof Law; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the members of the Task Force shall receive no compensation as members of the Task Force but may be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred by the members in performance of their duties as members of the Task Force from appropriations made for such purpose; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall make its recommendations on the progress of implementation of the Cindy Bischof Law and shall submit a report of its findings to the Governor and the General Assembly by September 1, 2009 and shall make quarterly reports to the Governor and the General Assembly thereafter "

The foregoing motion prevailed and Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

Representative Bassi moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:

115, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 2)

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted, as amended.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 20 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Pihos moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

AGREED RESOLUTION

HOUSE RESOLUTION 64 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Lyons moved the adoption of the agreed resolution.

The motion prevailed and the agreed resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

Having been reported out of the Committee on Environmental Health on April 21, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 10 was taken up for consideration.

Representative May moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Human Services on March 17, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 23 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Pihos moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Human Services on March 17, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 29 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Ford moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Tollway Oversight on March 18, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 30 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Biggins moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:

114, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 3)

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Transportation, Regulation, Roads & Bridges on February 24, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 2 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Reis moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:

115, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 4)

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on March 25, 2009, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 33 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Flider moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:

115, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 5)

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Homeland Security & Emergency Preparedness on February 11, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 7 was taken up for consideration.

Floor Amendment No. 1 remained in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Brady offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 2. Amend House Resolution 7 on page 2, line 21, by deleting "all State, local, and county officials, especially"; and

on page 3, lines 10 and 11, by replacing "the Illinois Fraternal Order of Police" with "the Police Benevolent and Protection Association".

The foregoing motion prevailed and Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

Representative Brady moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted, as amended.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Health Care Availability and Accessibility on April 21, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 10 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Hernandez moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Environment & Energy on March 17, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 19 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Cole moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Labor on February 10, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 20 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Soto moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Human Services on February 19, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 33 was taken up for consideration.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Human Services, adopted and reproduced:

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend House Resolution 33 by replacing everything after the title with the following:

"WHEREAS, The Department of Healthcare and Family Services ("Department") administers the medical assistance ("Medicaid") program under the Illinois Public Aid Code; and

WHEREAS, The Medicaid program provides coverage of nursing home and other healthcare expenses for low-income persons; and

WHEREAS, Under the Illinois Public Aid Code, the Department has the authority, in certain circumstances, to file claims against the estates of deceased Medicaid recipients for amounts expended on a recipient's behalf under the Medicaid program; and

WHEREAS, If the deceased recipient was a nursing home resident for a substantial period of time or receiving medical services for a substantial period of time, a claim may amount to many thousands of dollars, which can be quite a shock to the recipient's heirs, executor, and/or administrator; and

WHEREAS, Because of the passage of time, there may be no way to verify the correctness of some items comprising the claim and the Medicaid recipient, executor, or administrator may have legitimate concerns about his or her liability for approving such items; and

WHEREAS, The aforementioned circumstances and procedures can create the possibility of error or misuse or abuse of the system; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the Department of Healthcare and Family Services examine the methods by which a recipient, or his or her designee, while still living, can be provided with timely notice of each item of goods or services provided to the recipient under the medical assistance program, including in the notice at least the following: (i) a description of the item; (ii) the date the item was provided; (iii) the name and address of the vendor providing the item; and (iv) the cost of the item; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Department of Healthcare and Family Services report its findings and

recommendations to the House of Representatives; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be delivered to the Governor and the Director of Healthcare and Family Services."

Representative Rose moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted, as amended.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Executive on February 25, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 42 was taken up for consideration.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Executive, adopted and reproduced:

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend House Resolution 42 on page 2, by replacing line 20 with the following:

"potentially fatal disease; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Eating Disorders Coalition, the Illinois Psychiatric Society, the Illinois Psychological Association, the Mental Health Summit, the National Association of Anorexia Nervosa and Associated Disorders, and the National Eating Disorder Association joined together to support the inclusion of anorexia nervosa and bulimia on the list of serious mental illnesses that qualify for coverage under applicable health insurance plans, as enacted by the Ninety-Fifth General Assembly in Public Act 95-973; therefore, be it"

and on page 3, by replacing lines 13 through 16 with the following:

"RESOLVED, that a suitable copy of this Resolution be presented to The Illinois Eating Disorders Coalition, the Illinois Psychiatric Society, the Illinois Psychological Association, the Mental Health Summit, the National Association of Anorexia Nervosa and Associated Disorders, and the National Eating Disorder Association in recognition of their outstanding and cooperative work on this important public health issue."

Representative Burke moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted, as amended.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 99 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Pihos moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 100 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Pihos moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on March 25, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 101 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Pihos moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Financial Institutions on March 10, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 113 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Bellock moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on March 25, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 118 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Bellock moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Health Care Licenses on March 27, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 95 was taken up for consideration.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Health Care Licenses, adopted and reproduced:

AMENDMENT NO. <u>1</u>. Amend House Resolution 95 on page 2, in line 22, by changing "of the" to "of"; and

on page 3, by replacing lines 1 through 7 with the following:

"3 members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House, one of whom will chair the Task Force; and 3 members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Minority Leader of the House; and be it further".

Representative Reitz moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:

114, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 6)

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted, as amended.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Cities & Villages on March 10, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 121 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Froehlich moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 122 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Schmitz moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Tollway Oversight on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 123 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Osmond moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 126 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Hernandez moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 156 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Washington moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Environment & Energy on March 17, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 163 was taken up for consideration.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Environment & Energy, adopted and reproduced:

AMENDMENT NO. <u>1</u>. Amend House Resolution 163 on page 1, line 12, before "from", by inserting "appointed by the majority of the members of the task force"; and on page 2, immediately below line 4, by inserting the following:

"RESOLVED, That the Department of Natural Resources shall provide administrative support for the task force; and be it further".

Representative Cross moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:

115, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 7)

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted, as amended.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 175 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Ramey moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 176 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Ramey moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs on April 21, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 195 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Chapa LaVia moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on March 18, 2009, HOUSE RESOLUTION 177 was taken up for consideration.

The following amendments were offered in the Committee on State Government Administration, adopted and reproduced:

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend House Resolution 177 on page 2, line 23, after "Regulation;", by inserting "one member appointed by the State Comptroller; one member appointed by the Director of the Cemetery Care and Burial Trust Division of the State Comptroller's office;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2 . Amend House Resolution 177 on page 3, immediately below line 5, by inserting the following:

"RESOLVED, That the Task Force take testimony from past and present Board members of the Illinois Funeral Directors Association regarding their investment of Pre-Need Funeral Trust Fund moneys, the collection of administrative fees, the crediting of excessive interest to member accounts, the pre-need contracts of consumers, and other policies that threatened the solvency of the Pre-Need Funeral Trust Fund; and be it further"

Floor Amendment No. 3 remained in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Brady offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. <u>4</u>. Amend House Resolution 177, AS AMENDED, by replacing everything after the heading with the following:

"WHEREAS, Pre-arrangement plans for funerals and burials or other means of final disposition have increasingly become embattled in controversy in the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The types of investment plans chosen by pre-need sellers have come under increased scrutiny, including but not limited to investments in life insurance policies, trust accounts, and other funding means; and

WHEREAS, A lack of oversight has resulted in certain investments by the Illinois Funeral Director's Association losing millions of dollars of consumer trust funds and all accounts being marked down to compensate for the losses; and

WHEREAS, Litigation has been filed and criminal investigations have been ongoing accusing both Trust and Pre-Need life insurance companies of a "pattern and practice of deceit"; and

WHEREAS, A growing number of individuals who have contracted pre-arranged funeral and burial services are discovering that the funds deposited as part of the pre-need sales contract do not adequately cover the costs of the funeral and burial pre-arrangements chosen by the consumer; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the Funeral and Burial Pre-Arrangement Investigation Task Force be created within the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation to investigate and study the reasons for losses of the Pre-Need Funeral Trust Fund of the Illinois Funeral Directors and any and all other Funeral and Burial Pre-Need funding plans and investments offered in Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force make recommendations for the oversight and operation of all funeral and burial pre-need programs offered by whatever funding means, and develop possible new licenses and continuing education components to protect the consumer and profession, and to educate sellers in the industry, in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall consist of the following members: 3 members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and 3 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives (one of the 6 appointed House members shall be appointed chairperson); one member appointed by the State Comptroller; one member appointed by the Director of the Cemetery Care and Burial Trust Division of the State Comptroller's Office; one member appointed by the Director of the Division of Insurance within the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation; and one member appointed by the Secretary of the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force take voluntary assistance and testimony from legal and professional organizations and institutions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the members of the Task Force shall serve without compensation, but may be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred while serving on the Task Force from funds appropriated to the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation for that purpose; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force take testimony from past and present Board members of the Illinois Funeral Directors Association regarding their investment of Pre-Need Funeral Trust Fund moneys, the collection of administrative fees, the crediting of excessive interest to member accounts, the pre-need contracts of consumers, and other policies that threatened the solvency of the Pre-Need Funeral Trust Fund; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall submit its final report to the Governor and the General Assembly by December 31, 2009."

The foregoing motion prevailed and Amendment No. 4 was adopted.

Representative Brady moved the adoption of the resolution. And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows: 115, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present. (ROLL CALL 8) The motion prevailed and the Resolution was adopted, as amended.

ACTION ON MOTIONS

Pursuant to Rule 18(g), Representative Black moved for unanimous consent to discharge the Committee on Rules from further consideration of HOUSE BILL 4438 and requested a record vote on the motion.

Representative Currie was recognized and announced her opposition to the motion.

The Chair ruled that a record vote was not necessary because the motion had already lost due to the denial of unanimous consent.

Representative Black moved to appeal from the ruling of the Chair.

On the question of sustaining the ruling of the Chair, a vote was taken resulting as follows:

64, Yeas; 50, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 9)

The ruling of the Chair is sustained unless 71 members vote in the negative.

The motion prevailed and the ruling of the Chair was sustained.

At the hour of 2:30 o'clock p.m., Representative Currie moved that the House do now adjourn until Thursday, April 23, 2009, at 12:00 o'clock noon, allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL QUORUM ROLL CALL FOR ATTENDANCE

April 22, 2009

0 YEAS	0 NAYS	115 PRE	ESENT		
P Acevedo	P Davis, M	Ionique	P Jefferson	P	Reis
P Arroyo	P Davis, W		P Joyce	P	Reitz
P Bassi	P DeLuca		P Kosel	P	Riley
P Beaubien	P Dugan		P Lang	Е	-
P Beiser	P Dunkin		P Leitch	P	Rose
P Bellock	P Durkin		P Lyons	P	Ryg
P Berrios	P Eddy		P Mathias	P	Sacia
P Biggins	P Farnham	l	P Mautino	P	Saviano
P Black	P Feigenho	oltz	P May	P	Schmitz
P Boland	P Flider		P McAsey	P	Senger
P Bost	P Flowers		P McAuliffe	P	Smith
P Bradley	P Ford		P McCarthy	P	Sommer
P Brady	P Fortner		P McGuire	P	Soto
P Brauer	P Franks		P Mell	P	Stephens
P Brosnahan	P Fritchey		P Mendoza	P	Sullivan
P Burke	P Froehlic	h	P Miller	P	Thapedi
P Burns	P Golar		P Mitchell, Bill	P	Tracy
P Cavaletto	P Gordon,	Careen	P Mitchell, Jerry	P	Tryon
P Chapa LaVia	P Gordon,	Jehan	P Moffitt	P	Turner
P Coladipietro	P Graham		E Mulligan	P	Verschoore
P Cole	P Hamos		P Myers	P	Wait
P Collins	P Hannig		P Nekritz	P	Walker
P Colvin	E Harris		P Osmond	P	Washington
P Connelly	P Hatcher		P Osterman	P	Watson
P Coulson	P Hernand	ez	P Phelps	P	Winters
P Crespo	P Hoffman	1	P Pihos	P	Yarbrough
P Cross	P Holbroo	k	P Poe	P	Zalewski
P Cultra	P Howard		P Pritchard	P	Mr. Speaker
P Currie	P Jackson		P Ramey		
P D'Amico	P Jakobsso	on	P Reboletti		

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STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 18 TASK FORCE-CINDY BISCHOF LAW ADOPTED

April 22, 2009

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 30 WESTERN ACCESS CONSTR ADOPTED

April 22, 2009

114 YEAS	1 NAY	0 PRESENT	
Y Acevedo	Y Davis, Monique	Y Jefferson	Y Reis
Y Arroyo	Y Davis, William	Y Joyce	Y Reitz
Y Bassi	Y DeLuca	Y Kosel	Y Riley
Y Beaubien	Y Dugan	Y Lang	E Rita
Y Beiser	Y Dunkin	Y Leitch	Y Rose
Y Bellock	Y Durkin	Y Lyons	Y Ryg
Y Berrios	Y Eddy	Y Mathias	Y Sacia
Y Biggins	Y Farnham	Y Mautino	Y Saviano
Y Black	Y Feigenholtz	Y May	Y Schmitz
Y Boland	Y Flider	Y McAsey	Y Senger
Y Bost	Y Flowers	Y McAuliffe	Y Smith
Y Bradley	Y Ford	Y McCarthy	Y Sommer
Y Brady	Y Fortner	Y McGuire	N Soto
Y Brauer	Y Franks	Y Mell	Y Stephens
Y Brosnahan	Y Fritchey	Y Mendoza	Y Sullivan
Y Burke	Y Froehlich	Y Miller	Y Thapedi
Y Burns	Y Golar	Y Mitchell, Bill	Y Tracy
Y Cavaletto	Y Gordon, Careen	Y Mitchell, Jerry	Y Tryon
Y Chapa LaVia	Y Gordon, Jehan	Y Moffitt	Y Turner
Y Coladipietro	Y Graham	E Mulligan	Y Verschoore
Y Cole	Y Hamos	Y Myers	Y Wait
Y Collins	Y Hannig	Y Nekritz	Y Walker
Y Colvin	E Harris	Y Osmond	Y Washington
Y Connelly	Y Hatcher	Y Osterman	Y Watson
Y Coulson	Y Hernandez	Y Phelps	Y Winters
Y Crespo	Y Hoffman	Y Pihos	Y Yarbrough
Y Cross	Y Holbrook	Y Poe	Y Zalewski
Y Cultra	Y Howard	Y Pritchard	Y Mr. Speaker
Y Currie	Y Jackson	Y Ramey	
Y D'Amico	Y Jakobsson	Y Reboletti	

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STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 2 GEORGE ROGERS CLARK HIGHWAY ADOPTED

April 22, 2009

115 YEAS	0 NAYS	0 PRESENT	
Y Acevedo Y Arroyo Y Bassi Y Beaubien Y Beiser Y Bellock Y Berrios Y Biggins Y Black Y Boland Y Bost Y Bradley Y Brady Y Brauer Y Brosnahan Y Burke Y Burns Y Cavaletto Y Chapa LaVia Y Cole Y Collins Y Colvin Y Connelly	Y Davis, Monique Y Davis, William Y DeLuca Y Dugan Y Dunkin Y Durkin Y Eddy Y Farnham Y Feigenholtz Y Flider Y Flowers Y Ford Y Fortner Y Franks Y Fritchey Y Froehlich Y Golar Y Gordon, Careen Y Gordon, Jehan Y Graham Y Hamos Y Hannig E Harris Y Hatcher	Y Jefferson Y Joyce Y Kosel Y Lang Y Leitch Y Lyons Y Mathias Y Mautino Y May Y McAsey Y McAsey Y McCarthy Y McGuire Y Mell Y Mendoza Y Miller Y Mitchell, Bill Y Mitchell, Jerry Y Moffitt E Mulligan Y Myers Y Nekritz Y Osmond Y Osterman	Y Reis Y Reitz Y Riley E Rita Y Rose Y Ryg Y Sacia Y Saviano Y Schmitz Y Senger Y Smith Y Sommer Y Soto Y Stephens Y Sullivan Y Thapedi Y Tracy Y Tryon Y Turner Y Verschoore Y Wait Y Walker Y Washington Y Watson
Y Colvin	E Harris	Y Osmond	Y Washington
Y Coulson Y Crespo	Y Hernandez Y Hoffman	Y Phelps Y Pihos	Y Winters Y Yarbrough
Y Cross Y Cultra Y Currie Y D'Amico	Y Holbrook Y Howard Y Jackson Y Jakobsson	Y Poe Y Pritchard Y Ramey Y Reboletti	Y Zalewski Y Mr. Speaker

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 33 COMMUNITY SERVICE ED TASK FORC ADOPTED

April 22, 2009

115 YEAS	0 NAYS	0 PRESENT	
Y Acevedo Y Arroyo Y Bassi Y Beaubien Y Beiser Y Bellock Y Berrios Y Biggins Y Black Y Boland Y Bost Y Bradley	Y Davis, Monique Y Davis, William Y DeLuca Y Dugan Y Dunkin Y Durkin Y Eddy Y Farnham Y Feigenholtz Y Flider Y Flowers Y Ford	Y Jefferson Y Joyce Y Kosel Y Lang Y Leitch Y Lyons Y Mathias Y Mautino Y May Y McAsey Y McAuliffe Y McCarthy	Y Reis Y Reitz Y Riley E Rita Y Rose Y Ryg Y Sacia Y Saviano Y Schmitz Y Senger Y Smith Y Sommer
Y Brady	Y Fortner	Y McGuire	Y Soto
Y Brauer	Y Franks	Y Mell	Y Stephens
Y Brosnahan	Y Fritchey Y Froehlich	Y Mendoza	Y Sullivan
Y Burke		Y Miller	Y Thapedi
Y Burns	Y Golar	Y Mitchell, Bill	Y Tracy
Y Cavaletto	Y Gordon, Careen	Y Mitchell, Jerry	Y Tryon
Y Chapa LaVia	Y Gordon, Jehan	Y Moffitt	Y Turner Y Verschoore Y Wait
Y Coladipietro	Y Graham	E Mulligan	
Y Cole	Y Hamos	Y Myers	
Y Collins	Y Hannig	Y Nekritz	Y Walker
Y Colvin	E Harris	Y Osmond	Y Washington
Y Connelly Y Coulson Y Crespo	Y Hatcher Y Hernandez Y Hoffman	Y Osterman Y Phelps Y Pihos	Y Watson Y Winters Y Yarbrough
Y Cross Y Cultra Y Currie	Y Holbrook Y Howard Y Jackson	Y Poe Y Pritchard Y Ramey	Y Zalewski Y Mr. Speaker
Y D'Amico	Y Jakobsson	Y Reboletti	

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL HOUSE RESOLUTION 95 NATUROPATHIC LICENSURE TF ADOPTED

April 22, 2009

114 YEAS	1 NAY	0 PRESENT	
Y Acevedo Y Arroyo Y Bassi Y Beaubien Y Beiser Y Bellock Y Berrios Y Biggins N Black Y Boland Y Bost Y Bradley Y Brady Y Brauer Y Brosnahan Y Burke Y Burns Y Cavaletto Y Chapa LaVia Y Cole Y Collins Y Colvin Y Connelly	Y Davis, Monique Y Davis, William Y DeLuca Y Dugan Y Dunkin Y Durkin Y Eddy Y Farnham Y Feigenholtz Y Flider Y Flowers Y Ford Y Fortner Y Franks Y Fritchey Y Froehlich Y Golar Y Gordon, Careen Y Gordon, Jehan Y Hamos Y Hannig E Harris Y Hatcher	Y Jefferson Y Joyce Y Kosel Y Lang Y Leitch Y Lyons Y Mathias Y Mautino Y May Y McAsey Y McAsey Y McCarthy Y McGuire Y Mell Y Mendoza Y Miller Y Mitchell, Bill Y Mitchell, Jerry Y Moffitt E Mulligan Y Myers Y Nekritz Y Osmond Y Osterman	Y Reis Y Reitz Y Riley E Rita Y Rose Y Ryg Y Sacia Y Saviano Y Schmitz Y Senger Y Smith Y Sommer Y Soto Y Stephens Y Sullivan Y Thapedi Y Tracy Y Tryon Y Turner Y Verschoore Y Wait Y Walker Y Washington Y Watson
Y Connelly	Y Hatcher	Y Osterman	Y Watson
Y Coulson Y Crespo Y Cross Y Cultra Y Currie Y D'Amico	Y Hernandez Y Hoffman Y Holbrook Y Howard Y Jackson Y Jakobsson	Y Phelps Y Pihos Y Poe Y Pritchard Y Ramey Y Reboletti	Y Winters Y Yarbrough Y Zalewski Y Mr. Speaker

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL HOUSE RESOLUTION 163 TASK FORCE-LOC GOV DEV STANDRD ADOPTED

April 22, 2009

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL HOUSE RESOLUTION 177 FUNERAL BURIAL TASK FORCE ADOPTED

April 22, 2009

115 YEAS	0 NAYS	0 PRESENT	
Y Acevedo Y Arroyo Y Bassi Y Beaubien Y Beiser Y Bellock Y Berrios Y Biggins Y Black Y Boland Y Bost Y Bradley Y Brady Y Brauer Y Brosnahan Y Burke Y Burns Y Cavaletto Y Chapa LaVia Y Cole Y Collins Y Colvin	Y Davis, Monique Y Davis, William Y DeLuca Y Dugan Y Dunkin Y Durkin Y Eddy Y Farnham Y Feigenholtz Y Flider Y Flowers Y Ford Y Fortner Y Franks Y Fritchey Y Froehlich Y Golar Y Gordon, Careen Y Gordon, Jehan Y Graham Y Hamos Y Hannig E Harris	Y Jefferson Y Joyce Y Kosel Y Lang Y Leitch Y Lyons Y Mathias Y Mautino Y May Y McAsey Y McAuliffe Y McCarthy Y MeGuire Y Mell Y Mendoza Y Miller Y Mitchell, Bill Y Mitchell, Jerry Y Moffitt E Mulligan Y Myers Y Nekritz Y Osmond	Y Reis Y Reitz Y Riley E Rita Y Rose Y Ryg Y Sacia Y Saviano Y Schmitz Y Senger Y Smith Y Sommer Y Soto Y Stephens Y Sullivan Y Thapedi Y Tracy Y Tryon Y Turner Y Verschoore Y Wait Y Walker Y Washington
Y Collins Y Colvin	Y Hannig E Harris	Y Nekritz Y Osmond	Y Walker Y Washington
Y Connelly Y Coulson Y Crespo Y Cross	Y Hatcher Y Hernandez Y Hoffman Y Holbrook	Y Osterman Y Phelps Y Pihos Y Poe	Y Watson Y Winters Y Yarbrough Y Zalewski
Y Cultra Y Currie Y D'Amico	Y Howard Y Jackson Y Jakobsson	Y Pritchard Y Ramey Y Reboletti	Y Mr. Speaker

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL HOUSE BILL 4438 MOTION TO SUSTAIN THE CHAIR PREVAILED

April 22, 2009

64 YEAS	50 NAYS	0 PRESENT	
Y Acevedo	Y Davis, Monique	Y Jefferson	N Reis
Y Arroyo	Y Davis, William	Y Joyce	Y Reitz
N Bassi	Y DeLuca	N Kosel	Y Riley
N Beaubien	N Dugan	Y Lang	E Rita
Y Beiser	Y Dunkin	N Leitch	N Rose
N Bellock	N Durkin	Y Lyons	Y Ryg
Y Berrios	N Eddy	N Mathias	N Sacia
N Biggins	Y Farnham	Y Mautino	N Saviano
N Black	N Feigenholtz	NV May	N Schmitz
Y Boland	Y Flider	Y McAsey	N Senger
N Bost	Y Flowers	N McAuliffe	Y Smith
Y Bradley	Y Ford	Y McCarthy	N Sommer
N Brady	N Fortner	Y McGuire	Y Soto
N Brauer	N Franks	Y Mell	N Stephens
Y Brosnahan	Y Fritchey	Y Mendoza	N Sullivan
Y Burke	Y Froehlich	Y Miller	Y Thapedi
Y Burns	Y Golar	N Mitchell, Bill	N Tracy
N Cavaletto	Y Gordon, Careen	N Mitchell, Jerry	N Tryon
Y Chapa LaVia	Y Gordon, Jehan	N Moffitt	Y Turner
N Coladipietro	Y Graham	E Mulligan	Y Verschoore
N Cole	Y Hamos	N Myers	N Wait
Y Collins	Y Hannig	Y Nekritz	Y Walker
Y Colvin	E Harris	N Osmond	Y Washington
N Connelly	N Hatcher	Y Osterman	N Watson
N Coulson	Y Hernandez	Y Phelps	N Winters
Y Crespo	Y Hoffman	N Pihos	Y Yarbrough
N Cross	Y Holbrook	N Poe	Y Zalewski
N Cultra	Y Howard	N Pritchard	Y Mr. Speaker
Y Currie	Y Jackson	N Ramey	
Y D'Amico	Y Jakobsson	N Reboletti	

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43RD LEGISLATIVE DAY

Perfunctory Session

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2009

At the hour of 4:38 o'clock p.m., the House convened perfunctory session.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Turner replaced Representative William Davis in the Committee on International Trade & Commerce on April 22, 2009.

Representative Riley replaced Representative Dugan in the Committee on State Government Administration on April 22, 2009.

Representative Zalewski replaced Representative Boland in the Committee on State Government Administration on April 22, 2009.

Representative Chapa LaVia replaced Representative Smith in the Committee on Environment & Energy on April 22, 2009.

Representative Bill Mitchell replaced Representative Myers in the Committee on Higher Education on April 22, 2009.

Representative Reis replaced Representative Stephens in the Committee on Labor on April 22, 2009.

Representative Beiser replaced Representative Careen Gordon in the Committee on Labor on April 22, 2009.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Mendoza, Chairperson, from the Committee on International Trade & Commerce to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the resolution be reported "recommends be adopted" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTION 55.

The committee roll call vote on House Resolution 55 is as follows:

10, Yeas; 0, Navs; 0, Answering Present.

Y Mendoza(D), Chairperson Y Franks(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Sommer(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Beaubien(R)
Y Berrios(D)
Y Turner(D) (replacing Davis,W)
Y Sacia(R)
Y Beaubien(R)
Y Coladipietro(R)
Y Dunkin(D)
A Senger(R)

Y Walker(D)

Representative Franks, Chairperson, from the Committee on State Government Administration to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 51, 206, 1333, 1472, 1538 and 1592.

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 1737.

That the resolutions be reported "recommends be adopted" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 43, 59, 152, 186 and HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 37.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1472 and House Resolution 152 is as follows:

14, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Franks(D), Chairperson Y Riley(D) (replacing Dugan)

Y Wait(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Bassi(R)
Y Zalewski(D) (replacing Boland) A Bost(R)
Y Burns(D) A Collins(D)

Y Crespo(D)
Y Farnham(D)
Y Farnham(D)
Y McAsey(D)
Y Myers(R)
Y Davis, Monique(D)
Y Froehlich(D)
A Moffitt(R)
Y Poe(R)

Y Ramey(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1538 and House Resolution 186 is as follows:

15, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Franks(D), Chairperson Y Riley(D) (replacing Dugan)

Y Wait(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Bassi(R)
Y Zalewski(D) (replacing Boland)
A Bost(R)
Y Burns(D)
A Collins(D)

Y Crespo(D)
Y Farnham(D)
Y Froehlich(D)
Y McAsey(D)
Y Myers(R)
Y Davis, Monique(D)
Y Froehlich(D)
Y Moffitt(R)
Y Poe(R)

Y Ramey(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1333 is as follows:

15, Yeas; 0, Nays; 1, Answering Present.

Y Franks(D), Chairperson Y Riley(D) (replacing Dugan)

Y Wait(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Zalewski(D) (replacing Boland)
Y Burns(D)
Y Crespo(D)

P Bassi(R)
A Bost(R)
Y Collins(D)
Y Davis, More

 Y Crespo(D)
 Y Davis, Monique(D)

 Y Farnham(D)
 Y Froehlich(D)

 Y McAsey(D)
 Y Moffitt(R)

 Y Myers(R)
 Y Poe(R)

Y Ramey(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 51, 206, 1592, 1737, House Resolutions 43, 59, and House Joint Resolution 37 is as follows:

16, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Franks(D), Chairperson Y Riley(D) (replacing Dugan)

Y Wait(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Bassi(R)
Y Zalewski(D) (replacing Boland) A Bost(R)
Y Burns(D) Y Collins(D)

 Y Crespo(D)
 Y Davis, Monique(D)

 Y Farnham(D)
 Y Froehlich(D)

 Y McAsey(D)
 Y Moffitt(R)

 Y Myers(R)
 Y Poe(R)

Y Ramey(R)

Representative Ryg, Chairperson, from the Committee on Disability Services to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 40.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 40 is as follows:

5, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Ryg(D), Chairperson Y Golar(D), Vice-Chairperson

A Leitch(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Coulson(R) Y Crespo(D) A Hernandez(D)

Y Pihos(R)

Representative Holbrook, Chairperson, from the Committee on Environment & Energy to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 125.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 125 is as follows:

15, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Holbrook(D), Chairperson Y Nekritz(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Tryon(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Beiser(D) Y Bradley(D) A Cole(R) Y Durkin(R) Y Flider(D) Y Fortner(R) A Hamos(D) Y May(D) Y Phelps(D) Y Poe(R) A Reboletti(R) Y Reitz(D) A Rose(R) Y Chapa LaVia(D) (replacing Smith) Y Verschoore(D) A Watson(R) Y Winters(R)

Representative Boland, Chairperson, from the Committee on Higher Education to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 204, 325, 1453, 1624 and 1883.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 325, 1453, 1624 and 1883 is as follows:

5, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Boland(D), Chairperson Y Jakobsson(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Pritchard(R), Republican Spokesperson
A Flowers(D)
Y Bost(R)
A McCarthy(D)

Y Mitchell, B(R) (replacing Myers)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 204 is as follows:

6, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Boland(D), Chairperson Y Jakobsson(D), Vice-Chairperson

 $\begin{array}{ll} Y \ \ Pritchard(R), Republican \ Spokesperson & Y \ \ Bost(R) \\ A \ \ Flowers(D) & Y \ \ McCarthy(D) \end{array}$

Y Mitchell, B(R) (replacing Myers)

Representative Osterman, Chairperson, from the Committee on Labor to which the following were referred, action taken on April 22, 2009, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 223.

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Standard Debate: SENATE BILL 43.

That the resolution be reported "recommends be adopted" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 31.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 43 is as follows:

14, Yeas; 10, Nays; 1, Answering Present.

Y Osterman(D), Chairperson Y Soto(D), Vice-Chairperson N Schmitz(R), Republican Spokesperson N Beaubien(R) N Bellock(R) Y Chapa LaVia(D) Y Colvin(D) N Cultra(R) Y D'Amico(D) P Davis, William(D) Y Gordon, Careen(D) N Durkin(R) Y Graham(D) Y Hernandez(D) Y Howard(D) Y Hoffman(D) Y Jefferson(D) N Leitch(R) Y Mendoza(D) N Osmond(R) N Reis(R) (replacing Stephens) Y Phelps(D)

N Sullivan(R) N Tryon(R)

Y Washington(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 223 is as follows:

14, Yeas; 7, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Osterman(D), Chairperson Y Soto(D), Vice-Chairperson

N Schmitz(R), Republican Spokesperson
N Beaubien(R)
N Bellock(R)
Y Chapa LaVia(D)
N Cultra(R)

Y D'Amico(D) Y Davis, William(D)

Y Durkin(R)
Y Beiser(D) (replacing Gordon, C)

Y Graham(D)
A Hoffman(D)
Y Hernandez(D)
A Howard(D)
Y Jefferson(D)
N Leitch(R)
Y Mendoza(D)
A Osmond(R)

Y Phelps(D) A Reis(R) (replacing Stephens)

N Sullivan(R) N Tryon(R)

Y Washington(D)

The committee roll call vote on House Joint Resolution 31 is as follows:

25, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Osterman(D), Chairperson Y Soto(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Schmitz(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Beaubien(R)
Y Bellock(R)
Y Colvin(D)
Y Cultra(R)

Y D'Amico(D) Y Davis, William(D)

Y Durkin(R)
Y Beiser(D) (replacing Gordon, C)
Y Graham(D)
Y Hernandez(D)

Y Hoffman(D)
Y Hoffman(D)
Y Jefferson(D)
Y Mendoza(D)
Y Mendoza(D)
Y Howard(D)
Y Leitch(R)
Y Osmond(R)

Y Phelps(D) Y Reis(R) (replacing Stephens)

Y Sullivan(R) Y Tryon(R)

Y Washington(D)

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced, read by title a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules:

HOUSE BILL 4437. Introduced by Representative Black, AN ACT concerning compensation.

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a first time and placed in the Committee on Rules: SENATE BILLS 214 (Pritchard), 246 (Burke), 264 (Mautino), 271 (Biggins), 574 (Senger), 1274 (Pritchard), 1443 (Black), 1481 (Coulson), 1482 (Winters), 1535 (Hatcher), 1648 (Brady), 1841 (Pritchard), 1948 (Biggins), 1971 (Senger), 2014 (Pritchard), 2178 (Wait), 2214 (Pritchard), 2224 (Senger) and 2289 (Coulson).

At the hour of 4:41 o'clock p.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.